

Hearing Assists are available at the Sound Booth.

Fall Congregational Business Meeting: There will be a church business meeting after the worship service on Sunday October 29. The meeting is open to all friends and supporters of GracePoint Church and formal members are especially encouraged to attend. The meeting agenda includes the following:

- Vote on recommendation that **Katie Carr** be welcomed as a church member.
- Vote on nomination of **Brett Altman** to serve the remaining portion of an Elder term being vacated by resignation, effective 11/1/2023.
- Vote on nomination of **Bryan Clemens** to serve a six year Elder term to begin 2/1/2024.
- Vote on nomination of Bobby McLean to serve the remaining portion of the Deacon of Evangelism & Outreach vacated by resignation, effective immediately.
- Vote on **three at-large members of the Nominating Committee** from the membership. Nominations will be taken from the floor. Members may nominate themselves or another member; please talk to someone in advance before nominating him or her.
- Third Quarter Financial Update
- Status Update on Master Plan and Building Project

Week at a Glance:

Sunday, Oct. 22—Sunday School/ABF 9:15 am, Worship Service 10:30 am, Fellowship Coffee after the worship service

Monday, Oct. 23—Warriors of Grace women's prayer group 6:30 pm

Tuesday, Oct. 24—Elder Board meeting 7 pm

Wednesday, Oct. 25—AWANA 6 pm, Youth Group: MS 6-7:30 pm HS 7:45-9:15 pm

Saturday, Oct. 28—Praise Team Practice 9 am, Game Night 6:30 pm

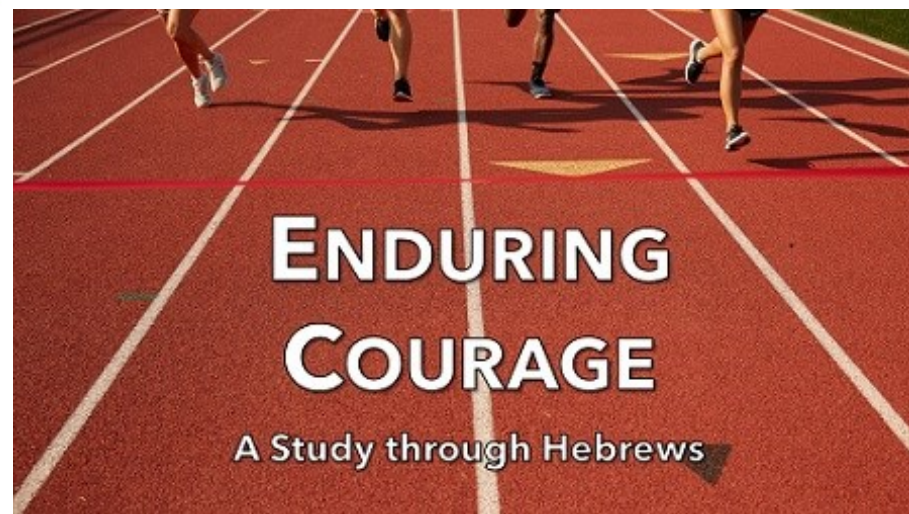
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*Please see insert for additional Announcements and Upcoming events. ➡

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Faith for the Future

Hebrews 11:8-22

October 22, 2023

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WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP!

**Youth Sunday
School & Adult Bible
Classes**

9:15 a.m.

**Worship
Service**

10:30 a.m.

*Your children are welcome in the worship service.
The following ministries are also available:*

Nursery

Available during the Worship Service for little ones from Infant—Age 2.

Children's Church

Available for children 3 years old through 5th grade during the sermon.
Children are dismissed at the end of Worship in Singing.

***On major holiday weekends there will be NO Sunday School,
NO Children's Church, NO Nursery, and NO Adult Bible Fellowship***

Financial Update

- **October Financial information will be in the November bulletins.**
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Do you have your own RightNow Media account? It is easy to sign up! Just text GRACEPOINTIA to 49775. You will receive a link on your phone to sign up for a free account through our church's subscription.

If you use a smart phone or tablet, you can find notes for today's sermon under the "Events" section of the Bible app.



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To our guests—Thank you for joining us! We're delighted you chose to worship with us! We'd love to meet you, answer any questions and give you a welcome gift at our Welcome Table in the Fellowship Hall.



Series: ENDURING COURAGE (PART 2)
Sermon: *Faith for the Future*
Scripture: Hebrews 11:8-22
Speaker: Pastor Don McLean
Sunday: October 22, 2023

We can _____ the Lord with our _____

#1 = _____ are we going when we _____?

We can trust Him with our _____

#2 = _____ will happen to our _____?

We can trust Him with our _____

#3 = _____ will take care of things when we're _____?

We can trust Him with our _____

Next Week = Hebrews 11:23-40

Additional Announcements and Upcoming Events

Church family, Sign up for Trunk and Treat and have fun blessing kids in our community. You may donate candy or other things for kids. We will serve hotdogs, chips, water. Volunteers to serve? Contact Pam Russell. 249-4860.

Thank You to the three ladies who provided wonderful treats for Awana kids on National Chocolate Cupcake Day!

Save the Date: Project Day on Saturday, November 11 from 8 a.m. -8 p.m. Come for a few hours or all day! Ladies, bring any projects you would like to work on -- sewing, knitting, scrapbooking, etc. Hope you can join us!

What is GracePoint 5 to 7?

Sign up you and your family to join GracePoint 5 to 7. You will be randomly assigned to join with 5 to 7 other adults. The goal is simply to get to know people from our church family better by sharing a meal together. We are hoping all groups will meet once this fall (Oct-Dec). If the response is good we will "reshuffle" the groups and meet again in January or February.

Please indicate if you have space and would like to host (the host provides the main dish, guests provide side dishes). Let us know if Sunday afternoon or Saturday evenings work best for you (or if it doesn't matter, that is good to know too). We will let the hosts know who is in their group, and let them make arrangements with their group for a date that works for all.

If you can't sign up at church, please email Paul Iekel (paul@gracepointatlantic.com) or contact the church office to be added to the list.

Save the date! "Grandparenting Matters" Seminar. Come watch, learn, and share with each other how we can be intentional and have an everlasting influence on our grandchildren! Friday evening, Nov. 17, Saturday morning Nov. 18. (There will be more details in the coming weeks!)

Please see other side for more announcements and upcoming events. ➡

Please join us for a Fellowship Coffee TODAY after the worship service. This is a time to visit, make friends and meet new people. Care Team 2 is hosting.

Tabletop Game Night: Tabletop, board, card games and other activities. Bring your favorite game, bring a snack, bring a friend. All ages welcome. Church Fellowship Hall on Saturday, October 28, 6:30 pm—10:30-ish. For details, call or text Devon Bretey at 712-340-3500.

You're Invited to a Bridal Shower honoring Natalie Adcox (Bride-to-be of Ethan Williams) on Saturday November 4th from 10:00-Noon at GracePoint Church. Natalie and Ethan are registered at Amazon. If you have questions, please contact one of the hostesses: Sandra Knop (712-249-4737), Sarah Altman (641-521-9136) or Christy Cunningham (712-249-4718).

Please check to see if you have any items on the lost and found shelf/box in the Fellowship Hall or hanging under it. Any items not claimed by the end of the month will be donated. Thank you!