

HATERS GONNA HATE

John 15:17-16:4
Pastor Jeffrey Wohlfert

I. The _____ of Persecution

- A. A _____ warning - vs. 15:20
- B. A warning with _____ - vs. 16:1, 1 John 3:12
- C. A warning with _____ - Rom. 13:18, 1 Tim. 2:1-2
- D. We should not be _____ by persecution.

II. The _____ of Persecution

- A. _____ will persecute us? - vs. 16:2
- B. _____ will they persecute us? - vs. 15:18a
- C. _____ they persecute us? - vs. 15:18b, 21, 23

III. The _____ during Persecution

In the midst of persecution, we must remain:

- A. a _____ of Jesus,
because Satan would love to _____ - vs. 16:1
- B. remain a _____ of Jesus,
because Satan would love to _____ - vs. 15:26-27

TODAY

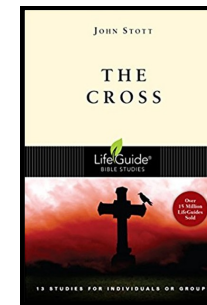
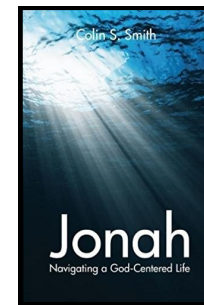
- ◆ **If You Are Visiting Grace Community Church** for the first time, we are so glad you are worshipping with us!
- ◆ **Please fill out a visitor information card** and either place it in the offering basket or drop it off at the Information Center.
- ◆ Pass the **Attendance Binders** and *include all family members*.
- ◆ **Children’s Activity Bags** are available near the double entry doors!
- ◆ **Children’s Church** following the scripture reading. This is a special worship service for our children which includes music, teaching, activities, and an offering. To help prevent distractions, please leave toys and phones with parents/guardians. Children’s Church will be held for children 4 years old through 2nd grade. Sermon note sheets are available for children sitting with the adults during the sermon.
- ◆ **Benevolence Offering** will be taken next Sunday.

Getting to Know Grace luncheon: Today after church

Getting to Know Grace is an event scheduled every odd numbered month of the year. It’s specifically designed for newcomers to Grace Community Church. It’s a way to learn more about the church, its core values, and the different ways people can get plugged in, all while enjoying a meal and some fellowship. If you are new to GCC, we encourage you to attend the Getting to Know Grace luncheon so we can get to know you better.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

- ◆ *Jonah: Navigating a God-Centered Life*
Taught by Pastor Tim Trudeau and Heather Westfall
Meet in the Worship Center
- ◆ *The Cross*
Taught by Pastor Jeffrey Wohlfert and Rick Gustafson
Meet in the Fireside Room



We are planning to hold a baptismal service after church on **Sunday, April 8**. If you are interested in being baptized, please fill out an application for baptism found at the Welcome Center, and submit it to Pastor Tim by **Sunday, April 1**.

GRACE CALENDAR

Tuesday, March 20

- ◆ Men’s Weekly Prayer Group
6:00 AM ~ 122 Marshall St.
- ◆ Moms 4 Moms
9:00-10:30 AM ~ GCC
- ◆ Financial Peace University
6:30-8:00 PM ~ GCC Fireside Room

Wednesday, March 21

- ◆ Launch Youth Ministry
5:30 PM ~ Evening Meal
6:00-8:00 PM ~ Middle School
6:30-8:30 PM ~ High School
- ◆ Women of the Word Bible Study
6:30-8:00 PM ~ 513 S. Delaware St.

Friday, March 23

- ◆ Women’s Bible Study
10:00 AM ~ GCC Library

Saturday, March 24

- ◆ Men’s Bible Study
8:00 AM ~ GCC Library
- ◆ Women’s Bible Study
9:00 AM ~ GCC Classroom

Sunday, March 25

- ◆ 9:00 AM ~ Fellowship Time
- ◆ 9:15 AM ~ Sunday School, all ages
- ◆ 10:30 AM ~ Worship
- ◆ 12:00 PM ~ Taco Buffet/
Dessert Auction
- ◆ Benevolence Offering

BUDGET NUMBERS

YTD Budget: \$62,884.60
YTD Income: \$54,396.93