

## Welcome to Grace

"For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not of your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one can boast." (Ephesians 2:8-9)

We welcome you to Grace Church today, where we invite you to receive God's grace. This congregation has worshipped and served the Lord in Northeast Reading since 1882. May God bless you as you join us today!

## Times and Locations

### Sunday School

**9:30-10:15 AM**

*Nursery (0-36 months)	203 - 1st Floor, South Wing
*3 & 4 Yr. Olds	204 - 1st Floor, South Wing
K - 2nd Grades	302 - 2nd Floor, South Wing
3rd - 5th Grades	303 - 2nd Floor, South Wing
6th-12th Grades	301 - Balcony

\* During Sunday School and Worship Service

### Fall Adult Electives (Sept. 4 - Nov. 27)

**9:30 AM - 10:15 AM**

*Daniel* | *Randy Beaver*

Sanctuary

*The Sexual Revolution* | *Lincoln Fitch*    Overflow

### Worship Service

**10:30 AM**

### Sunday Evenings

**6:30 PM**

**Small Groups** September - May

**Times Vary**

## Staff and Leaders

### Senior Pastor

Randall Grossman

### Associate Pastor

Bryan McNally

### Secretary / Bookkeeper

Hannah Merrick

### Music Director

Mimi Fairbanks

### Lambs

### Preschool Director

Trisha Maples

### Sunday School Superintendent

Bryon Kauffman

### Librarian

Carl Weston

### Elders

Greg Fairbanks  
Tim Faust  
Bryon Kauffman  
Charles Lavigna  
Rick Paquette  
Ron Reed  
Glenn Ruoss  
David Siegfried  
Greg Tuke

### Deacons

Steve Gibson  
Marty Green  
David Lengel  
Shawn Lintz  
Stacy Maples  
Chris Merrick  
Dale Pollock  
Mike Siatkowski  
Trevor Smith  
Jeff Wike



## The Week of September 25, 2022

### Today

6:30 PM Small Groups in the Fellowship Hall and in private homes

### Wednesday

5:00 PM Dinner: Baked Potato Bar  
\$4/Adult \$2/Child | Max \$15/family  
6:00 PM Rock of Grace Youth Group | 7th-12th Grades  
6:00 PM Awana Clubs | Meet in the Gym  
6:15 PM Adult Prayer Meeting | Sanctuary Overflow  
Topic: Children & Teen Ministry Leader: David Hottel

### Thursday

6:45 PM Choir Practice | Sanctuary

### Next Sunday

9:30 AM Sunday School for all ages!  
10:30 AM Sunday Worship | Humbled & Exalted  
1 Peter 5:5-11 | Pastor McNally  
6:30 PM Pastor McNally speaking

## Find Us

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## Announcements

### SAVE THE DATES!

#### October

- 19 Friends Helping Friends at Boscov's | OCC Fundraiser
- 21 Light the Night Trunk or Treat | 6 - 8 PM
- 26 Operation Christmas Child Packing Party
- 28 Rock of Grace Youth Corn Maze | 6 PM
- 29 The Man Games | 10 AM - 3 PM | Kauffman's Home

#### November

- 5 The Fall Family Fling | 1 PM | Merrick Farm

**NEEDED: tech help!** If anyone is interested in learning how to run the slides or the livestream during the worship services, please talk to Greg or Mimi Fairbanks.

**CALLING ALL SINGERS!** Choir is resuming on Thursday, September 29th. We will be rehearsing on select Thursday evenings from 6:45-8:00pm, and childcare will be provided. If you are interested or have any questions, please speak to Mimi Fairbanks.

**Light the Night!** We are looking for donations of candy (for example dum-dum lollipops) and single serving drinks (smaller than 4 oz.). If you are interested in helping please contact Kathleen Weidner at 610-779-9359.

**Hannah's Hope Ministries will be having their Annual Fall Brunch** on Sunday, October 30th from 12:30-2:30 PM at the Double Tree by Hilton. The event is \$100 per guest. All the proceeds go to Hannah's Hope and their ministry to single mothers in our community.

Send a note to...

Charles Lavigna  
(recovering at home)

#### Financial Report:

Year to Date Giving: \$351,258.76

Year to Date Need: \$354,740.00

Online Giving: [give.gracebfcreading.org/Text-to-Give](http://give.gracebfcreading.org/Text-to-Give): 84321  
Or download the Church Center App from Planning Center on your phone.

## Worship Service

### Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Grossman

### Worship in Praise

#### Call to Worship

Philippians 2:5-11

Pastor McNally

#### Hymn #43

*All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name*

#### Chorus

*Name Above All Names*

#### Reading #308

*There Is A Redeemer*

#### Hymn #560

*More About Jesus*

*(Children's Church for grades Kindergarten - 2nd Grades is dismissed)*

### Worship in Giving

#### Tithes & Offering

#### Offertory

*Just Over in the Gloryland*

Judy Koch

### Worship in Prayer

#### Minute for Missions

Marc & Elizabeth Hoyle

#### Pastoral Prayer

Pastor Grossman

### Worship in the Word

#### Scripture Reading

Luke 1:1-4

David Siegfried

(Pew Bible p. 855)

#### Message

"An Orderly Account"

Pastor Grossman

#### Hymn #540

*My Hope Is In The Lord*

#### Benediction

Romans 11:33-36

Pastor Grossman

### Reminders

- The balcony is available for parents with small children.
- The Mary Melcher's Mothers room is located off the south foyer for mothers to use for nursing or sleeping infants.
- The Sunday messages from our pastor and a Sunday School elective each week are posted on [sermonaudio.com](http://sermonaudio.com). Spread the word concerning this way of sharing the gospel!

### This Week - 9/25

#### Nursery:

SS: Linda Byrne & Mimi Fairbanks

C: M Beaver, R Ulrich & S Witmer

**Check-Ins:** Jen Lengel

### Next Week - 10/2

#### Nursery:

SS: Heather Faust & Holly Witmer

C: A Maples, H Merrick & A Salti

**Check-Ins:** Bekah Manwiller