

How Do I Become a Christian?

- A** - **Admit** to God you are a sinner - that you do bad things and deserve His punishment.
- B** - **Believe** that Jesus died on the cross for your sins and paid the penalty of your punishment in full and is raised from the dead to give you the gift of eternal life. Believing means placing your trust in Jesus alone for your salvation.
- C** - **Confess** Jesus as your Lord! An appropriate way is to come forward during the time of invitation and tell one of the pastors that you have placed your trust in Jesus as Lord - the ruler of your life.

How Do I Become a Member of Grace?

- ◆ Mark on your Friendship Card that you are interested in joining the church.
- ◆ A staff member or elder will contact you to go over some information about the church.
- ◆ Attend a new member class which will give you an opportunity to ask any questions you may have.
- ◆ After you've completed the class, you simply come forward during the time of invitation, so that the church body can celebrate with you in joining our fellowship.

Sunday Spanish & Asian Ministry Worship

We are excited to welcome our Spanish Ministry led by Leo & Haydee Chavez & our Asian Ministry led by Pastor Timothy Luong to our campus!!!

<u>Spanish</u>	<u>Asian</u>
9:00 am - Connect	10:30 am - Worship Service
9:30 am - Bible Study	
10:30 am - Worship Service	

Announcements

Growth University Classes for Adults

Level 1 - Baptist Doctrine	CC Room 511
Level 2 - Biblical Finances	CC Room 510
Level 3 - Bible Resources	CC Room 501
Level 4 - Dealing with Stress	CC Room 513

TODAY! Missions Lunch with Guest Speaker in the FC

Today after worship there will be a special guest speaker, **Robin Robinson** and lunch for only \$2 per person, with proceeds going to our Missions fund. Come join us!

December 13th (Thursday) Prime Time Lunch @ 10:30 am

All those 60 & older are invited to join us in the Fellowship Center @ 10:30 am. The Daybreak Baptist Church Sr. Choir will be our guests with a potluck. If you haven't signed up for a dish, please contact Sharon @ 368-2698 to see what is needed. Our charity: Homeless Center for women & children.

December 14th (Friday) Young Couples Fellowship (YCF)

All couples age 18-39 yrs. old & their families, are encouraged to join us for a **family** outing to CALM. We will meet @ CALM at 6 pm. Sign up outside **today** or call Jerry @ 345-9264. The cost will be reflected in the # participating.

December 16th (Sunday) Children's Christmas Program

Join us for our Children's Christmas Drama @ 10:30 am. Our children & teachers have put a lot of work & practice into bringing this drama for your enjoyment, so we hope to see everyone there! Bring your homemade cookies & join us in the Fellowship Center following worship for cookies & refreshments.

December 20th (Thursday) Grief Share in the Grace Place

If you or someone you know has lost a spouse, child, family member or friend find support with this group. We meet in the Grace Place @ 6 pm. This is our last meeting for Dec. Our full 13-week session will begin on Jan. 10th.

December 24th (Monday) Candlelight Christmas Service

Come & Adore Him through an inspirational message, special music & candle lighting. It is an hour service, starting at 4:30 pm, where you will be drawn closer to Jesus as you Worship Him & celebrate His birth!

This Week's Schedule

SUNDAY	9:00 am - Connect
	9:30 am - Growth University Classes
	Children's Church
	Sunday School
	JR/SR High School
	10:30 am - Worship Service
	After worship service: Mission Lunch with Guest Speaker in Fellowship Center
	5:00 - 7:00 pm - Elevate Youth
TUESDAY	6:30 am - Men's Prayer Breakfast
WEDNESDAY	5:00 pm - Dinner: Pot Roast, Potatoes, Salad Bar, & Dessert
	6:00 pm - Community Connect
	6:00 pm - GraceKids Ultra
	6:00 pm - Elevate Youth D Groups
THURSDAY	10:30 am - Prime Time (Choir & Potluck)
	6:30 pm - Refuge (College/Career Ministry)
FRIDAY	6:00 pm - Young Couples Fellowship @ CALM

~ Small Group Nursery Schedule ~

Today	LeaAnn Gause
	Donna Shepherd & Janine Lopez
Next Week	Melissa & Jeff Salters
	McKenzie Ranjel

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Welcome to Grace!

Welcome to Grace Baptist Church, where God is doing great things in the lives of our people! Our desire is to be authentic Christians! We do this through a simple process that is the vision of our church . . .

Love God • Love Others • Reach the World

We hope you will feel "at home" at Grace and that you will experience God's love for you today. If you feel led, we would love to have you join us on our journey in becoming authentic Christians.

Parents

GBC loves children! We enjoy caring for your children in nursery and preschool. However, if you desire, you are welcome to have them with you during our worship services.

This Week's Ministry Highlight



GBC Missions Lunch & Speaker

When: TODAY!!

Where: In the Fellowship Center

Time: After 10:30 am service

Cost: \$2 per person

Special Guest Speaker: **Robin Robinson**

Come Support our Missions!

SERMON NOTES

What Child Is This? Part 1

Isaiah 9:6-7

Isaiah 7:14

Matthew 1:18-25

I. _____ was _____

A. _____

B. _____

II. _____ is _____

III. _____

Is Jesus your _____ and _____?

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

D. _____



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**December 9th, 2018
Worship Service
@ 10:30 am**

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