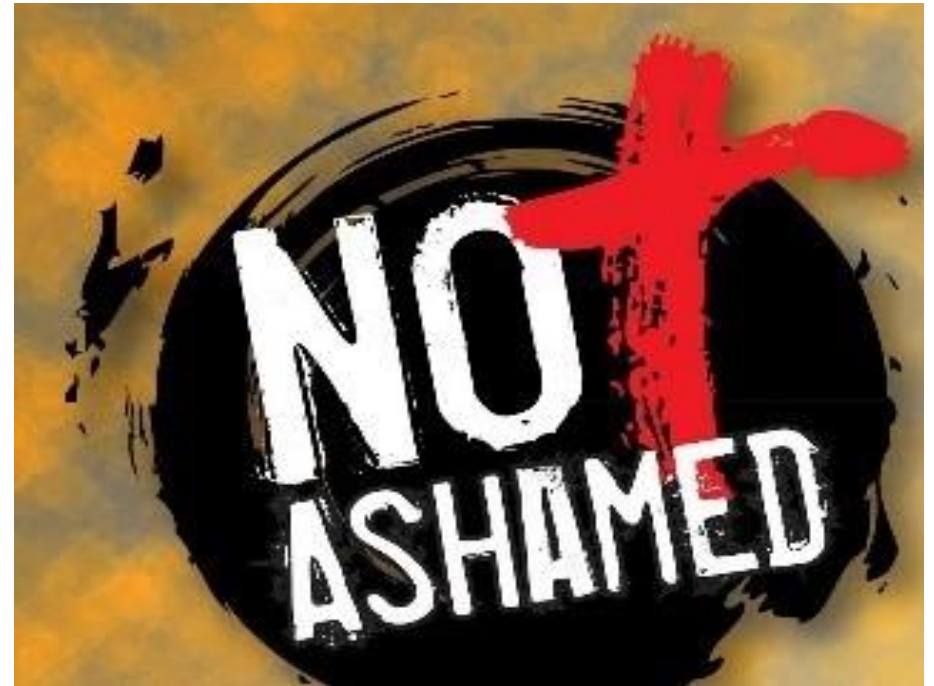


# *the Outsiders*




A green poster for 'IGNITE 2019' featuring a white diamond shape with a sun, mountains, and the text 'kingdom come'. Below the diamond, the text reads 'IGNITE 2019 APRIL 12-14 WHY KINGDOM COME? God advances His Kingdom agenda through the prayers of his people. WHAT IS IGNITE? A weekend to grow in your relationship with Christ, to grow in community with your student ministry & to serve our community. COST: \$45 Register with your church!'

# HOW CAN GOD ACCEPT US?




*"For I am **not ashamed** of this Good News about Christ. It is the power of God at work, saving everyone who believes..."*  
Romans 1:16

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*Church Office hours: Mon. – Thu. 8am-3pm*

February 24, 2019

## SUNDAY WORSHIP

*“By grace you have been saved through faith. An this is not of your own doing; it is the gift of God”*

### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING ONE ANOTHER – LUKE 24:36

CALL TO WORSHIP – PSALM 62:5-8

SONGS OF PRAISE TO OUR RESURRECTED KING

\*“The Reason”

\*“Grace Alone”

\*“Is He Worthy”

\*“Blessed Assurance”

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

CHILDREN’S LESSON – MARK 10:26-27

HEAR GOD’S WORD

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 7:6-11

New Testament Reading: Ephesians 2:1-10

SERMON – GRACE ALONE

MARK 10:17-27 - PASTOR ROBERT OLSZEWSKI

OFFERTORY - \*“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

*We offer ourselves to God, dedicating all to his service. Visitors, please feel no obligation to give to this ministry.*

\*BENEDICTION

*Elders will be available for prayer following the Service*

*\*Stand as Comfort Allows*

**In Reverence to the Lord and for the courtesy of other worshipers, please turn off or silence your cell phones and other electronics.**

## STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL PARKING

It is our pleasure to be able to park cars for the 4th year in a row for the Florida Strawberry Festival from **February 28 – March 10, 2019**. We are asking you, our church members, friends & family to volunteer and sign up for as many shifts as you are able.

*All money raised will go directly to our Youth & Children's Ministry!*

We have many volunteer opportunities available! We only have **47%** of our timeslots filled. Our biggest needs are in the afternoons during our busiest times! Want more information about volunteering, see Elder Rob Dusse or Kerry Bergman, Children’s Ministry Director!

**You can sign up at the WELCOME CENTER or online:**

<https://tinyurl.com/gp-parking>

We will have a **MANDATORY** meeting, led by Elder Rob Dusse, today; 12 pm in the Sanctuary where we will go over new policies and procedures that will be implemented this year. We will also hand out the new Volunteer shirts.



Are you new to GracePoint and want to learn more about who we are as a church? Do you want to become a member of GracePoint? **Join us March 3 thru April 7** during our Adult Education hour (11 am – 12 noon).

### Wednesday Evenings Beginning March 13th

Join us for the start of a new 6-week series on March 13. Growing Together is a biblical approach to fruitful ministry in the body of Christ. There will be a women’s only and men’s only class offered for this series. *Note: There will be no Wednesday night meetings on February 27 & March 6.*

**SERMON NOTES**  
**HOW CAN GOD ACCEPT US? Mark 10:13-16**

1. Good works \_\_\_\_\_ save you
  - a. What must I do?
  - b. Who can be saved?
2. \_\_\_\_\_ is the conduit
  - a. Faith like a child
  - b. Children are helpless
3. \_\_\_\_\_ alone in \_\_\_\_\_ alone
  - a. Why did Jesus die?
  - b. Objective and Subjective reasons

**Quotes to Ponder**

"All that the Father gives me will come to me, and whoever comes to me I will never cast out." - John 6:37

"To be justified means more than to be declared "not guilty." It actually means to be declared righteous before God. It means God has imputed or charged the guilt of our sin to His Son, Jesus Christ, and has imputed or credited Christ's righteousness to us." - Jerry Bridges

"The truth is that, though we were justified by faith alone, the faith that justifies is never alone (it always produces fruit, "good works,"...a transformed life)." - J.I. Packer

"We are saved by faith alone, but the faith that saves is never alone." - Martin Luther

**Gospel of Mark Reading Plan 2019**

- Mark 1:16-3:6 – Good News (week of Jan. 20)
- Mark 3:7-5:43 – Who is Jesus? (week of Jan. 27)
- Mark 6:1-8:30 – Why did Jesus come? (week of Feb. 3)
- Mark 8:31-10:52 - Why did Jesus Die? (week of Feb. 10)
- Mark 11:1-33 – Why did Jesus rise? (week of Feb. 17)
- Mark 12:1-13:37– How can God accept me? (week of Feb. 24)
- Mark 14:1-16:20 - What Does It Mean to Follow Jesus (week of Mar. 3)

Download YouVersion for audio listening - <https://www.youversion.com/apps>

**P2P (PASTOR TO PEOPLE)**



Recently I took a DNA test with Ancestry.com to find out my actual heritage. The results were eye-opening, and it made me think about all the people that have gone before me. So many cultures and people groups have contributed to who I am today. I knew that I had a German heritage (51%) but I did not know about the following,

- Baltic States 29%
- Eastern Europe & Russia 13%
- England, Wales & Northwestern Europe 5%
- Sweden 2%

So this tells me about my physical heritage, but it doesn't speak completely to my spiritual heritage. Who do you belong to? Who did you descend from that has impacted you today? How about your spiritual heritage and connection to the local church? A week from now (Feb. 24) we will be offering a discipleship class called, "Discover GracePoint". This class will examine who we are as a local church along with our heritage, doctrine, and practice. We will also be looking at what it means to belong to GracePoint. Please prayerfully consider joining this class on March 3 for 5 sessions over 6 weeks. Hopefully you will learn who you are and who God wants you be a part of in His kingdom on earth.

Much love,  
Pastor Robert

## THIS WEEK

### Sunday, February 24 - Survey

- 8:45 a.m. Prayer Group in Chapel
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service
- 10:45 a.m. Sip 'n Chat
- 11:10 a.m. Sunday School (all ages)
- 12:00 p.m. Strawberry Festival  
Parking Volunteer Meeting

### Monday, February 25

- 7:00 p.m. Praise Team Practice

### Tuesday, February 26

- 9:00 a.m. Classical Conversations
- 10:00 a.m. Dorcas Circle
- 5:00 p.m. Exercise & Praise
- 6:00 p.m. Women's Study

### Wednesday, February 27

- 9:30 a.m. Cherup LifeGroup
- 5:30 p.m. Fellowship Dinner
- 6:15 p.m. Classes for all ages
- 7:30 p.m. Prayer Focus

### Thursday, February 28

- 9:00 a.m. Festival Parking
- 10:30 a.m. Exercise & Praise

### Friday, March 1

- 6:00 a.m. Sleep Warriors
- 9:00 a.m. Festival Parking

### Saturday, March 2

- 9:00 a.m. Festival Parking

### Sunday, March 3

- 8:45 a.m. Prayer Group in Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Festival Parking
- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service
- 10:45 a.m. Sip 'n Chat
- 11:10 a.m. Sunday School (all ages)

## GRACEPOINT PRAYER

If you have a prayer request or would like to be added to our email prayer chain, please email: [kbergman@gracepointpc.org](mailto:kbergman@gracepointpc.org).



...pray for Christina Wagner's step-mother, April. Has been diagnosed with Stage 4 breast cancer.

...pray for Denise, Ruth Cherup's daughter, as she continues to battle kidney disease

...Cheryl Kuck for health concerns.

...for our Congregation Members that will be working full time at the Strawberry Festival

...for Plant City as we prepare for the Festival and all the visitors to our City.

...for Sherry Scheitler's dad for health concerns.

...for the Simmons family as John leaves for California. Pray for endurance while he is gone for 6 weeks.

...Matt and Lauren Poulos, son-in-law of Keith and Lisa Kolakowski are expecting a baby girl in June. Pray for the family, including big brothers Hudson and Roman.

## SERVING GLOBALLY

### GUATEMALA DONATION PROJECTS

#### NEW AND GENTLY USED SHOES

All types of shoes are welcome: men's, women's, children's, sneakers, and boots. Just wrap a rubber band around them and **drop them in the red bin in the foyer every Sunday through February.**

#### STOVES

Most of you know that we are collecting money to buy stoves for the families associated with and/or live near the Little Lambs campus that we support in Guatemala. What a blessing for all involved! These stoves provide a much safer and healthier method for cooking. They ventilate smoke outside and use 64% less wood! They are only \$150 each and donations are also very much appreciated. You can make your check out to GPC and put Guatemala Stove on the bottom.

#### ELDER OF THE DAY

Larry Doak

#### DEACON OF THE MONTH

Kerry Beard

#### ACOLYTES

Peyton McNab

Mason Simmons

#### TODAY'S WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

##### *Special Needs Class*

9:30 a.m. Donna Howard

11:00 a.m. Shari Sun

##### *Children's Church*

Amanda Cox

##### *Sip n' Chat Cleanup*

Young Adults (Steve Smith)

#### THE WEEK THAT WAS — FINANCE

Weekly Income Budget	\$	9,616
Offering	2/17	\$ 4,492