

## This Week "at Grace"

### TODAY, SUNDAY, March 22, 2026

Bible Study (Berean Class) ..... 9:30 A.M.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 A.M.  
Food Pantry ..... After the Service

### MONDAY

Elder ..... 6:00 P.M.

### TUESDAY

### WEDNESDAY

Praise Team Rehearsal ..... 6:00 P.M.

### THURSDAY

### FRIDAY

Fasting Friday .....

### SATURDAY

The office will be open this week:

Tuesday to Friday, from 8:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

Elder/Deacon..... Monday, March 23, at 6:00 P.M.

### KIDS MINISTRIES TODAY

Children in grades K to 5th, "Kids Quest," may be dismissed after the Pastoral Prayer

**Nursery Available Open at 10:30 A.M. Please pick up no later than 12:15 P.M. Thanks**

### Giving at "Grace"

Budgeted Weekly: \$4,153.84

Tithes & Offering Last Week: \$2,548.00

Budgeted Monthly: \$18,000

Rent & Building Use this month: \$5,464.00

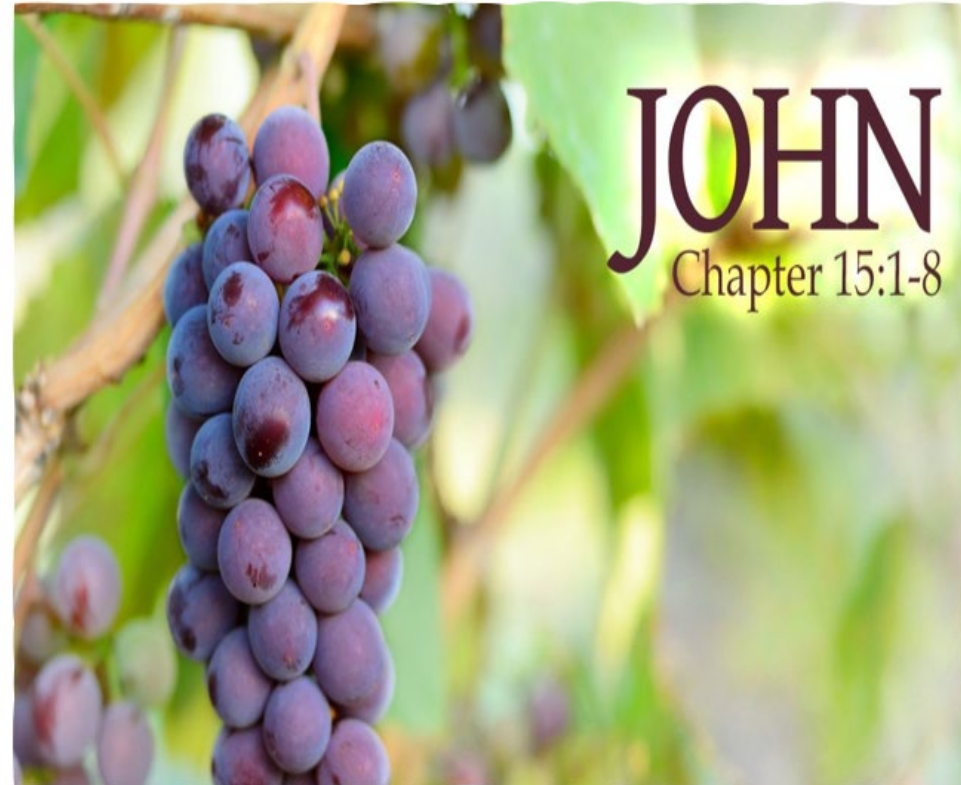
Received –Giving and Rent- Last Month: \$20,613.42

**ZELLE ELECTRONIC GIVING IS NOW AVAILABLE**

Send the money to Grace Missionary Church at our email: [gmczion@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gmczion@sbcglobal.net)

**Please write your name or giver # on the envelope so the office can register your donation properly.**

# "TAKING THE NEXT STEP



## John 15:1-8

March 22, 2026



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## Notes and Announcements

March 22, 2026

### ➤ Call To Worship

### Singing His Songs...

Come, Now Is the Time to Worship  
How Great Are You Lord  
Great Is Thy Faithfulness  
As The Deer

### ➤ Welcome & Giving His Tithes and Our Offerings...

- Announcements

### ➤ Message— Pastor Doug Carlson

“TAKING THE NEXT STEP”  
John 15:1-8

### ➤ Closing Song

Abide

### **Week 4 Missionaries**

*All our ZEMA missionaries:  
Richard & Geraldine Akers  
Jon & Lauren Emanuelson  
Greg & Carlene Seghers*



*The church collected a total of \$823.68 for the Family Resource Center Baby Bottle Campaign. Thanks so much for your support!*



### Palm Sunday Brunch

Join us for a **Palm Sunday Brunch** on **March 29, 2026**, immediately following the morning service. Gluten-free options will be available, and everyone is welcome to attend.

Sign-up sheets will be available to indicate attendance and for those willing to volunteer for the clean-up crew after the brunch. Thank you for helping make this a wonderful time of fellowship!



### Good Friday Service

We will be holding a Good Friday Service on April 3 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel. We invite everyone to join us for this special time of reflection and worship.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

**Today:** Food Pantry

**March 29:** Palm Sunday Brunch, more details to follow in next week's bulletin

**April 3:** Good Friday Service at 7:00 P.M.

### Verse of the Week:

Psalm 84:11

For the Lord God is a sun and shield;  
the Lord bestows favor and honor;  
no good thing does he withhold  
from those whose walk is blameless.

Grace Prayer Sheet for the Month of  
March 2026

**This month's Ongoing Needs**

*Paul Helm*                      *Darlene Werner*  
*Luz Maria Martinez*        *Carissa Brown*  
*Ellen Gilroy*                 *Donny McGlamery*

**This Month's Pressing Needs**

*Leah Stevens*  
*Dorothy Senter*  
*Garret Carlson*  
*Nan Muro*  
*Jim Watson*

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**Nursing Homes/Assisted Living/At Home**  
*Marilyn Muro, Violeta Mendez, Yolanda Balitchik,*  
*Betty Dickinson, Wendy & Ben Meyer*

If you have any prayer need and want us to add it to the prayer chain and this prayer sheet, please look for a prayer form in the offering table, fill it out, and place it on the offering plate or the office mailbox. Thanks

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