

Sunday, November 10

8:15 a.m. Common Grounds Café

8:30 a.m. Lily Pad open all morning (6 weeks to 4 years old)

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service – Sanctuary

9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service – Sanctuary

12:00 p.m. CAYAC Lunch – Gym

1:00 p.m. Jr. High Service Project – Offsite

Today, the Sunday School Pre-K through 5th Grade focused on:

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God can provide beyond our expectations.

Monday, November 11

8:30 a.m. Monday Morning Work Crew

6:45 p.m. Women’s DVD Bible Study: The Quest – FH

7:00 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting – CR 206

Tuesday, November 12

9:45 a.m. Women’s DVD Bible Study: The Quest – CR 206

6:00 p.m. Sr. High Snow Camp Planning Meeting – The Bridge (Basement)

6:30 p.m. Women’s Ministry Planning Committee Meeting – Library

7:00 p.m. Sr. High Youth Group – The Bridge

7:30 p.m. Nominating Committee Meeting – Room 206

Wednesday, November 13

12:00 p.m. Bulletin announcement submission deadline

6:30 p.m. AWANA

6:30 p.m. Jr. High Youth Group – The Loft

6:45 p.m. PointMen Study – Room 132/133

7:00 p.m. Sr. High Hard Core Bible Study – The Bridge

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal – Sanctuary

Thursday, November 14

9:30 a.m. Mom’s Morning Out – Rooms 132/133

10:00 a.m. Decorating Church Foyers for Christmas – Alcove

6:30 p.m. Missions Committee Meeting

6:30 p.m. Worship Team Rehearsal – Sanctuary

7:00 p.m. Celebrate Recovery Men’s Step Study – The Loft

Saturday, November 16

9:00 a.m. Open Prayer-All Welcome – CR 206

10:00 a.m. Pie Baking for Thanksgiving Eve Service – Upper Kitchen

Sunday, November 17

8:15 a.m. Common Grounds Café

8:30 a.m. Lily Pad open all morning (6 weeks to 4 years old)

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service – Sanctuary

9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages

9:45 a.m. Explore GracePoint Class – Gym

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service – Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. LPAC (Ladies Praying for Adult Children) – Room 131

“Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.”

~ 1 Peter 1:3



8:30 Traditional Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Hymns Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty (#323)

Let God Be God (#81)

Scripture John 11:17-24

The Apostles’ Creed (#137)

Choir Not Ashamed

Hymns There’s Something About That Name (#227)

Jesus Paid It All (#273)

Congregational Prayer

Offertory Beneath the Cross of Jesus

Flute Choir

Message Behold! The Resurrection and the Life

Benediction

11:00 Contemporary Worship

Prelude

Call to Worship

Songs of Worship Great Things

Raise A Hallelujah

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Offertory Death Arrested

Message Behold! The Resurrection and the Life

Benediction

Welcome to GracePoint!

Please use a Connection Card (in the pew racks) to request prayer, share comments; or, if you are a visitor, provide contact info.

Free Wi-Fi for GP Guest (password case sensitive): GracePoint

Go to your app store and download the ExploreGracePoint App to access sermon videos and audio files, event info, prayer requests, bulletins, and more.

Text to Give: 84321 (follow the prompts)

CAYAC Lunch – Today!

Sunday, November 10 | Noon | Gym
Sara Bowman | cayac@exploregracepoint.com

Our college age and young adult community is welcome to a free lunch right after the second service in the Gym. A shuttle is available after the lunch to bring you back to your campus. Come and meet some GracePoint attenders and fellowship with one another.

Married Couples Date Night – Today!

Sunday, November 10 | 9:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. | Front & Back door entrances
Bill & Christy Ojile | Bill cell: 612.309.1328; Christy cell: 763.639.5420
Hey Married Couples: Staying connected as a couple is important but not always easy. So...the Marriage Matters team is ready to send you on a date! We will be handing out “drive-by” date ideas by the front and back doors at GracePoint following each service. Ready? Set! Grab your date idea and have some fun! Questions? Contact Bill or Christy Ojile.

Operation Christmas Child

Sundays, November 10-24 | 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Lower Lobby
Joyce Thorin | j-thorin@bethel.edu | 612.781.4175

Last Sunday we had a wonderful response of people picking up shoe boxes to fill! We still have plenty of boxes to hand out. So stop by the OCC table and pick up a box or two with instructions on how to fill the boxes. You can also get information or labels online by using the Link on our website and app. These boxes will get into the hands of children who are in situations where a box filled with fun toys and other helpful items will be such a blessing and a very tangible example of God’s love.

Pick up boxes today and next Sunday. We will begin receiving filled boxes today through the last Sunday in November. Please remember not to include liquids, edibles or toothpaste in your boxes. Toothbrushes are encouraged. For more information, contact Joyce Thorin at 612.781.4175.

Sr. High: Snow Camp Planning Meetings

Tuesday, November 12 | 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. | The Bridge (Basement)
Christian Brands | christian.brands@exploregracepoint.com | 507.269.6689
It's time to start planning for Snow Camp 2020! This exciting annual retreat at Lake Beauty Bible Camp is led by our high school seniors, who will choose the theme, plan games and activities, and deliver chapel messages. Seniors, don't miss your chance to get involved! Here's how: 1) Keep January 24-26, 2020 open in your schedule. 2) Lend your creative input throughout the planning process. Planning meetings will be each Tuesday night before youth group at 6:00 p.m. in the Bridge. Come with an open mind and supply your ideas - we'll supply the food! (Please RSVP to Christian.)

Your Next Step to Membership at GracePoint

Sunday, November 17 | 9:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Gym
Pastor Steve Young | steve.young@exploregracepoint.com | 651.633.7515
Are you ready to consider membership at GracePoint? The first step is to join us for an Explore GracePoint class on November 17. This is a Sunday morning class that provides you with an opportunity to know us better and to understand what it means to be a member at GracePoint Church. To sign up for the class, you can stop by the Event Center, register through the app or contact Pastor Steve.

Thanksgiving Eve Service and Pie Social

Wednesday, November 27 | 6:00 p.m. | Sanctuary, Gym

Join us for a time of counting our blessings at the Thanksgiving Eve Service and then enjoy visiting during the pie social afterward.



Seeking Thanksgiving Pie Bakers

Saturday, November 16 | 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Upper Kitchen
Saturday, November 23 | 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Haley Thannum | hospitalitydeacon@exploregracepoint.com | 605.545.1713
Each year at GracePoint we do a Thanksgiving Eve Service followed by a Pie Social. If you are interested in baking pies at the church on Saturday, Nov. 16 or Saturday, Nov. 23, OR helping serve pie at the event, please email our Hospitality Deacon, Haley Thannum. If no interest is given for pie baking, we will not open the kitchen on those days for baking. Another option is to donate a pie for the social! To sign up for pie donation go to the Events Center or contact hospitalitydeacon@exploregracepoint.com by Sunday, November 17.

Pack a Thanksgiving Bag

We are partnering with churches throughout the Twin Cities to provide bags of groceries for the Union Gospel Mission. This will enable the Mission to provide tangible assistance to the individuals and families they serve for Thanksgiving. A list of grocery items to pack is located at the Event Center, on our website at www.exploregracepoint.com/ugm-thanksgiving-bags/, or on our church app. We’ve been given an extra week so **please bring bags to church by Tuesday, November 19**. You can place your bag on the counter near the Event Center or drop it off at the church office. The Union Gospel Mission thanks you!

Thanksgiving Offering – Hope International

HOPE International, Inc. will be the GracePoint Thanksgiving offering recipient this year. In obedience to Christ’s command to love our neighbor and make disciples of all nations, HOPE International provides discipleship opportunities, training, a safe place to save, and loans. HOPE International’s desire is to see men and women around the world find their soul’s satisfaction in Christ and become dignified, hope-filled providers in their families and communities. More information will be coming; please prayerfully consider how you would like to give at Thanksgiving.

Children’s Christmas Program

Sunday, November 17 | 12:00 p.m. | Fellowship Hall to pick up music
Saturday, December 14 | 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Pre-K – 5th gr. | Rehearsal
Saturday, December 14 | 11:40 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Turtle & Frogs | Rehearsal
Sunday, December 15 | 6:00 p.m. | Christmas Program
Marie Reynolds | marie.reynolds@exploregracepoint.com | 651.478.7645
All children ages 2nd-5th grades are invited to join us for our Christmas Program, “Christmas Cupcake”. Please join us next week on Sunday, Nov. 17th, in the Fellowship Hall after the 2nd service to pick up the music. If you will be out of town next Sunday, please contact Marie to pick up the music. We will have rehearsal on Dec. 14, Pre-K-5th Grade 9:30-12:00 and Turtle and Frog Friends at 11:40. The Christmas program will be on Dec. 15 at 6 p.m. If you wish to participate in the program, the rehearsal and learning the music is required.

Resignation of Judy Wise Yantos

Judy Wise Yantos, our Senior Communications Specialist, will be resigning on November 22nd. Judy has been an exceptional blessing to our staff and church. We have been profoundly impacted by her gifts, talent, and passion. During the course of her time on staff, in addition to her regular responsibilities, Judy has also launched our church app and worked very hard to create a newly designed website. We are happy she and Tim will continue to call GracePoint home!

Lost & Found Available Today

Please check the coat rack in back of the Café near the stairwell for any items you may have lost. Anything remaining will be donated on November 11. Please note that this will be the new location for Lost and Found items year round.

Trunk or Treat Thank You

Thank you for your support of last week’s community outreach event. It was a fun-filled night with over 20 creative trunks. We were blessed with many kids and their families – a high majority from our surrounding community. Thank you for your prayers, candy and creative ideas.

Evergreens Needed

If you are planning on trimming your evergreens soon and have no need for the branches, please contact Pat Comfort at 651.486.2979. She is trying to keep costs down on the outdoor Christmas planters, located at the front and back entrances. Thank you for your help.

GLOBAL PARTNER OF THE WEEK
Kyle and Matilda Tromanhauser

The Tromanhausers (including college and high school age sons Kyle, Jr. and Konner) are under Converge Worldwide, in Munich, Germany, and will serve with the Federation of Free Evangelical Churches of Germany. They are preparing to plant an English-speaking, cross-cultural church in Munich, Germany. 400,000 expats, speaking 180 languages, live in Munich, so English serves as the best language for interaction. Dozens of businesses from over 100 countries have their headquarters in Munich. Imagine reaching 180 nations with the Gospel, in one city! Kyle and Matilda are themselves a cross-cultural couple (USA and Albania), and have extensive experience working in Europe. Pray for their church plant (Mosaic International Fellowship), for development of key relationships, and for significant funding challenges (Munich is expensive). They have already shared about exciting encounters with spiritual seekers through involvement with the Global Citizen community in Munich. They believe the Spirit has given them favor with many whom they have encountered. Kyle and Matilda have formed a core Genesis Life Group called "Ask - Critical Life Questions," and have many other outreach strategies to reach those who are open to the Gospel.



Please check the binder in the church office for more detailed information about all the global partners GracePoint supports prayerfully and financially.