



YOUR MOST STRATEGIC INVESTMENT

WHY, HOW, AND WHAT TO PRAY FOR YOUR SPIRITUAL LEADERS

WELCOME

We hope you find this place welcoming and filled with excitement about what God is doing here. If we can help you, please don't hesitate to ask. Welcome home!

IN EACH SERVICE

KIDS AND YOUTH: Age-appropriate classes are available for kids, birth – 5th grade, during both services. Junior High and High School students meet at 9 AM in the south building. Guest Services will show you the way to your kid's class. We will make sure your kids are safe and cared for while they are here.

CONNECT CARD: There are many ways to connect at Grace. The Connect Card is our primary way of ensuring that you are cared for and plugged-in to our community. Simply fill out a Connect Card and drop it in the boxes as you leave today. One of our leaders will contact you during the week.

PRAYER: If you need prayer, you can share that need confidentially with men and women available at the front of the Worship Center after each service. You may also share your need by filling out the Connect Card. Drop your card in one of the boxes as you leave today.

GIVING: Grace Chapel is using Pushpay to make online gifts easier. Simply text "gracechapel" to 77977 or visit our website at [GraceChapel.org/Give](https://www.GraceChapel.org/Give) and choose the "give now" button to set up giving.



GRACE CHAPEL APP: Download our church app for your Apple or Android device! You can listen to past sermons, follow along with the sermon notes, see our upcoming events, give, and more! Just go to the app store on your device and search for "Grace Chapel Denver!"

HOW TO MAKE GRACE CHAPEL YOUR HOME

ATTEND

Come to an event where you meet others.

CONNECT

Find a group to join and foster meaningful relationships.

SERVE

Use your talents and time to help others and further our mission.

BELONG

Become a vital part of our family by leading, giving, and praying.



SUMMER SOIREE • JULY 25 • 6:30–8:30 PM

It's time for a salsa fiesta! Come meet some new friends, eat some delicious salsa, and hear about all we have planned for the fall.

Register at GraceChapel.org/Women



PRAYER AND WORSHIP NIGHT • JULY 2

DINNER AT 5:30 PM • WORSHIP AT 6:30 PM

If you are joining us for dinner, please R.S.V.P. online. We will meet in the Upper Lobby Hub.

GraceChapel.org/RSVP

► WOMEN

SUMMER SOIREE • JULY 25 • FREE

6:30–8:30 PM • UPPER LOBBY HUB

Señoras and señoritas...it's time for a salsa fiesta! You'll need a siesta after this fiesta, but don't worry, we'll be eating the salsa and not dancing it. Come on over for a fun evening of delectable salsas, discovering new friends, devouring chips and guac, and debuting our fall opportunities. Bring a check or credit card for a special Soiree only sale price for the Fall Retreat on September 20–22. R.S.V.P. online.

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► PRAYER AND WORSHIP

JULY 2 • 5:30–8 PM • UPPER LOBBY HUB

Instead of proclaiming our "independence," let's proclaim our dependence on God! Come early and join us for dinner (minimal cost) at 5:30 PM. Prayer and worship will begin at 6:30 PM. The kids class on prayer will begin at 6:30 PM. Please note: We are moving our prayer and worship nights from the first Thursday of every other month to the first Tuesday starting in July. Upcoming dates: September 3 and November 5. **Please R.S.V.P. online if you will be joining us for dinner.**

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► MEN

SUMMER CAMPOUTS • \$85 EACH

GOLD RUSH (FATHER/SON) • JULY 12–14

SILVER RUN (FATHER/DAUGHTER) • JULY 26–28

It's time to go camping! Fathers, come experience God's creation with your kids! These campouts are a great way to connect with your kids and other Grace families. Enjoy many activities such as hiking, horseback riding, biking, and more! Fees may apply for some activities. Sons and daughters must be at least five years old to participate in these events. Register online or in the Upper Lobby Hub today.

GraceChapel.org/Men

► ROCKIES GAME

The Rockies tickets are sold out. We can't wait for a fun day of getting to know other Grace families!

► KIDS

GCKIDS FAMILY LUNCHEON • JULY 21

12:30–1:45 PM • ROOM 314 (COMMUNITY 300s)

Join us for a family luncheon as we share our plans for mid-week programming coming up this fall. We have big ideas to reach the whole family in a program we are calling "Family Fuel." This is a strategy shift from any mid-week programming we have done before. Our goal for the luncheon is to get you excited as we share our vision to partner with parents to lead their kids to find and follow Jesus.

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► COLLEGE

COLLEGE COMMUNITY GROUP

SUNDAYS • 5:30 PM

Are you college age? Do you like food, people, places...things? We are meeting every Sunday night in the summer for dinner, Bible discussion, and then going to a park. Text Kurt Roberts at 559.859.2147 or Steve Whitlock at 303.775.0663 for more details.

► GC SPORTS

NEW LEAGUES STARTING

We have a volleyball, soccer, and golf league starting up for the summer. For more details, visit our website or contact Kyle Carlson at info.gcsports@gmail.com.

GraceChapel.org/GCSports

► FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Social media is a great way to get connected at Grace. Be sure to follow us on Facebook and Instagram for important updates, inspiration, events, pictures, sermons, and all things Grace Chapel. Go to Facebook.com/GraceChapel or Instagram.com/GCDenver to get connected today.

► CARE – HAVE A NEED?

Whether it's personal care from a Pastor, prayer from a team of dedicated men and women, or financial assistance in stressful times, let us know how we can support you.

Email LGoorabian@GraceChapel.org

► OFFICE CLOSURE

The church office will be closed Thursday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day. If you have an emergency (hospitalization, death in the family), please contact the Pastor on Call at 303.799.4900.

► THE GOSPEL DAILY

Join Pastor Josh, Monday through Friday at 7:30 AM on 990 AM, or at 9:00 PM on 94.7 KRKS, as the Gospel is applied to our daily lives. Find more info at GospelDaily.org.

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► SERMONS

WEEKLY SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

Ever feel like sometimes hearing isn't enough? We offer a Weekly Discussion Guide related to each sermon. This is your opportunity to process, journal, or talk through the sermon. Maybe you want to do that with your family, in your devotional time, or with a group. You can download the guide as a PDF each week from our website.

GraceChapel.org/Sermons

► CONNECT BOOKLET

The new summer connect booklet is out! Find out what's happening July through September at Grace! Pick one up as you leave today.

► GRACE ORIENTATION (GO)

JULY 28 • 12:15–3 PM • MCKIBBEN CHAPEL

GO is a great way to learn more about our church and how you can get involved. We enjoy lunch together with staff and Elders as they walk through how to connect, serve, and belong at Grace. Childcare is provided. R.S.V.P. online.

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Your Most Strategic Investment
Why, How, and What to Pray for Your Spiritual Leaders
Romans 15:30–33
Daniel Henderson, StrategicRenewal.com

WiFi access is available.
Password: **graceworship**

Text a question to **303.335.9484**

INTRODUCTION:

“Paul knew that talking to men about God is a _____ thing. But talking to God about men is the _____ thing.”

_____ we should pray for Christian leaders. – v. 30a

- Our _____ to pray.
- Our _____ for Christ.
- Our _____ for the Spirit.

_____ we should pray for Christian leaders. – v. 30b

_____ we should pray for Christian Leaders. – vv. 31–32

- Prayers for _____.
- Prayers for _____.
- Prayers for _____.

CONCLUSION:

What might happen if we consistently made our most strategic investment?

- The result for Paul: Acts 21:15–28:31
- The result for us: _____



THIS WEEK I WILL:

- Be reminded that I pray for spiritual leaders, ultimately because of the worthiness of Jesus. Write down as many truths about Jesus' character, works, and mission as I can. Use this as a starting place for my prayers.
- Take time every day, multiple times each day, to pray this prayer: "Lord, I pray for (name of a ministry leader), asking that you will protect them from (specific attacks from the enemies of the Gospel)."
- Paul admitted his need for personal refreshment from others. Be intentional to do one thing (text, email, note, gift, etc.) to refresh the heart of one of my spiritual leaders (pastor, elder, teacher, missionary).