



**“Preparing Through Prayer”**

*Psalm 30*

Ben Talmadge, *Senior Pastor*

1. \_\_\_\_\_ (1-3)

2. \_\_\_\_\_ (4-5)

3. \_\_\_\_\_ (6-7)

4. \_\_\_\_\_ (8-10)

5. \_\_\_\_\_ (11-12)



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**grace** AUGUST 12, 2018  
church

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WORSHIPERS IN COMMUNITY, ENGAGED IN MINISTRY



Welcome to worship at Grace Church...a special welcome to our guests. We are so glad to have you with us this morning. Join us as we lift up the mighty name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord!

**Sunday Schedule**—There will be **no Sunday School next week**. Pre-Service Prayer will be 9:30-10:15 am. Worship Service will begin at its normal time, 10:30. Fall Sunday School classes will begin on August 26. See today's insert for a list of our new classes, locations, and teachers.

**Wednesday Night Activities (Pioneer Clubs, Youth Group, and Shepherding Groups) begin on August 22!**

**Small Groups**—Our Shepherding Group Leaders are in the process of contacting those in their group. If you are a member or regular attender of Grace



Church and have not been contacted by this Wednesday, please call the Church Office. If you are new to Grace and are interested in participating, we will be happy to get you connected! You may call or email the Church Office or see Tim Thomassian today.



**THIS Wednesday — 6:30 pm**

As we prepare to begin our fall schedule, we will come together in a celebration of prayer. This church-wide prayer service will be a family friendly event. Those with children are encouraged to bring them (nursery

provided for preschoolers and below).

*Ladies' Beach Retreat*  
 Sept 27— Oct 1 • Gulf Shores • Cost \$165  
 Sign up at the back table or see your Friday Email to sign up online  
 Make checks payable to "Grace Church" and place in offering plate with "Retreat" on the memo line.  
 Need more info? See Denise Brown.

Date	Looking Ahead	Time
Aug 15	Prayer Service	6:30 pm
Aug 19	No Sunday School	
Aug 22	Wednesday Night Activities begin	6:15/6:30 pm
Aug 26	Fall Sunday School begins	9:15/9:25 pm
	Bridal Shower for Sarah Grace Kelley	2:00-4:00 pm
Sep 3	Church Office closed for Labor Day	
Sep 27-Oct 1	Ladies' Beach Retreat	



**Summer Schedule:**

**Sunday Mornings:**

- Pre-Service Prayer—9:30 - 10:15 am in the Parlor
- Coffee Bar—open 10:00 - 10:25
- No Sunday School until August 26
- Worship Service—10:30 am
- Children's Church

**Wednesday Nights:**

- No regular activities until August 22

**Prayer at Grace:**

- Men—Fridays 6:00 am—Parlor



**Prayer Requests:**

- **Dan Madison** has moved into assisted living at the Heritage Health Care Facility. Please pray for God's peace as he adjusts to his new home.
- **Marvin Bachtel, Denise Brown's stepfather**, went home to be with the Lord on July 31. His Memorial Service was last Sunday in NC.
- **Anne Lynch** continues to struggle with issues with her leg.
- **Frances McKenzie, Elizabeth Renicks' mom**—cancer treatment

**Ministry Teams:**

**Coffee**

**Aug 19:** Nate Thomassian, Craig Vail

**Greeters**

Scott & Jenifer Spears, Dan Madison

**Nursery**

**Today:** Minda Paxton/Captain, Donia Jones, Rachel Hill, Molly Schuckert, Katie James, Heidi Spears

**Aug 19:** Annette Sherrill/Captain, Meg Schuckert, Sara Rockarts, Camryn Sherrill, Anna Norris, Bethany Thomassian

**Prayer**

**Today:** Robert & Susan Griffith, Tim & Karlie Wilson

**Aug 19:** Jimmy & Elaine Moore, Rusty & Carla Gray

— **Year-To-Date Giving** —  
 10/1/17 - 7/31/18

**General Fund:** Giving \$465,835  
 Spending \$410,320

**Missions:** Giving \$56,572  
 Spending \$47,802