Announcements

- **Church Office** The office will be closed this week.
- Wednesday Night Activities no regular activities this week
- Christmas Project Christmas boxes for Pakistani families donations will be collected through next Sunday, November 25
- Guatemala Mission Trip deadline for application and deposit is December 2
- Christmas Banquet <u>Friday</u>, December 7 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary — for all adults and youth (those 7th-12th grades) — sign up for attendance and food at the back table
- Children's Christmas Party Friday, December 7 6:15 pm Infants-K-5 at Grace 1st-6th grades at the Belk Center (Bower's Park) sign up for attendance at the back table

For further details on these and other announcements, please see the Friday Email.

Prayer Needs

- Malia, infant niece of Paul Norton, is in PICU at a Mobile hospital with complications from bronchitis.
- **Reed Pate**, 17-month-old grandson of Carla and Rusty Gray, is recovering from surgery to remove a brain tumor.
- Sam Richey is slowly recovering from pacemaker surgery.
- Dan Young is recovering at home from back surgery.

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WORSHIP GUIDE

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WORSHIPERS IN COMMUNITY, ENGAGED IN MINISTRY

Order of Worship

Pre-Service Song

Welcome Tim Wilson

Call to Worship Psalm 100

Children of Grace Singing "Psalm 100"

Worship Through Singing "Thank You Lord"
"How Great Thou Art"
"It Is Well (Bless the Lord)"

Lord's Supper Marc Sherrill, Elder
Colossians 1:11-14 (NLT)

Worship Through Giving

Children K-4 through 1st grade dismissed for Children's Church

Worship Through Singing "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Benediction Colossians 3:15-17

Grace Church Staff

Ben Talmadge, Senior Pastor
Nita Hallman, Administrative Assistant
Shannon Gray, Children's & Women's Ministry Director
Leslie Hoyle, Music Director



Thanksgiving Sharing

It is always a blessing to hear the thanks given to the Lord for what He has been doing in our congregation. Consider the following thoughts as we give thanks to Him today:

Remember the Year

It is often hard to remember what happened last week, much less over the past year. So, take time to think through what has happened in your life this year. Ask the Lord to remind you of what events He has used to shape and form you this year.

Remember the Lord

Paul reminds us in Romans 8:28-29 that those who are in Christ can trust that every life experience is intended to be used by God for His purposes. So, as you recall specific experiences of the past year, ask the Lord to help you see His purposes in each of them.

Remember Each Other

The verse above connects giving thanks with encouraging others to seek the Lord. May we remember, as we share with others, that our goal is not to bring attention to ourselves, but to make much of God so that others will more deeply desire to follow Him.