



November 8, 2020



Want to help an under-resourced family for the holidays? For only \$20 you can provide a food basket for a family in need. Check with Alene in the lobby to purchase one.

We will be collecting articles for our troops serving abroad. We need your help in order to complete this project by December 3, 2020.

1. Military box and list of items can be picked up in the foyer
2. If you would like to make a donation please make check to grace community and note on check Christmas Soldier boxes in the memo
3. Christmas cards are supplied on our table to complete for our soldiers
4. If you know of someone serving in the military and would like for them to receive box, please supply me with their address.

If you have any question or concerns, please contact Debbie Wooldridge



LET'S GIVE THANKS AND BE MERRY

THANKSGIVING DINNER

Nov. 18, 2020 16:30 PM
GraceCommunity Church of Riverton
FOOD CATERED BY GOLDEN GOODIES

RSVP PLEASE (620) 848-4077

PLEASE RSVP ASAP!

(DID WE MENTION **GOLDEN GOODIES** IS CATERING THE MEAL THIS YEAR?)

Since we are catering the banquet this year it is very important for us to have an approximation for how many people Golden Goodies needs to prepare meals.

Please help us out by either signing the signup at the information station

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

December 24th 7:00



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High School students are welcome to join Book Club as we go through Ray Pritchard's book He's God, We're Not.

We meet every other Sunday Morning @ 9:15
BOOK CLUB MEETS TODAY @ 9:15

Tuesday Night Fever

What it is: As adults tuned in to (or, in record numbers, turned off) election coverage on Tuesday night, teens were congregating on TikTok to hope, wish, and pray for the ballots.



Why it's a sweet thing in a sour season:

TikTok creators banded together to create a welcoming and communal atmosphere that was equal parts celebratory and cynical as the polls closed. While the Biden coalition had a strong showing on the app, conservative and libertarian "hype houses" (groups of content creators) made sure there was a space for teens of every political stripe. One core value of Gen Z is being politically informed, but many of them are not old enough to vote yet. Having a place to vent, worry, and of course, post memes about their preferred election outcome gave them a sense of agency, and it was a meaningful distraction on a difficult night for our nation.

CAT-ON-A-BANJO

(middle school Bible class) meets upstairs after the worship set every Sunday except the last Sunday of the month.



MS/HS Students meet

upstairs every **Wednesday**.

7:00-8:00 for games, groups and a message.

THIS WILL BE OUR LAST GROUP MEETING BEFORE WINTER BREAK

While we are taking a break from our regular Wednesday meeting after this week, our GraceYouth Sunday mornings will not change. Katalambano, Book club, (and a possible new offering for High School may be coming) will continue as usual.





The November Sunday series is called Breaking News:

Kids may not be absorbing the news cycle like adults are, but they are experiencing the news cycle through others around them. It's tough to know what news is helpful and what news is true. This month, kids will have a chance to journey with a few prophets – Micah, Amos, Zephaniah, Ezekiel, and Isaiah – to discover news they can count on. Breaking News will help them develop a strong identity in an ever-changing world. Kids will learn that when things go wrong, they can choose what's right; when they worship God, they can be sincere; when times are tough, they can count on God; when they are lost, God will guide them, and that they can be faithful just like God is faithful

The KidMin Christmas Program is December 16th. If your kiddo wants to participate, please sign them up at the check in counter. Also, if they have anything special they would like to share that night, please contact me. I would be happy to include as many special things as we can. I am tentatively planning to practice on December 2nd and 9th from 7-8pm and again after church on the 12th. More details will be announced once we know how many are wanting to participate.



WHAT IF

A GRACEKIDS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM



Operation Christmas Child Packing Party is this week, November 11th from 7-8pm, and YOU ALL ARE INVITED to participate!

Parents/guardians we would love to see you stay and pack a box with your kiddo. We will have all the supplies here at the church. While you're packing, you can also enjoy some hot cocoa, cookies and christmas music. We are taking extra precautions this year to make this safe for your family to come and enjoy. This is always an amazing night for our kids and I can't imagine anything better than to open it up for the whole family to do together. You can also bring items that night or can donate items at the booth outside the sanctuary. You can also contact me or Alisha to donate money to go towards purchasing more items or to cover shipping costs.

FAMILY SUNDAY IS COMING!

**NOVEMBER 29TH
ONLY NURSERY & TODDLER
CLASSES WILL BE OPEN.**



Melissa "MJ" Smith