### WELCOME

Welcome to Grace Community Church of Englewood! We're glad you're here today. This celebration is a great time to connect with God and His people. We hope you'll find our time together encouraging and that you'll sense the presence of God. Let's worship together!

Date August 24, 2025

**Welcome and Prayer** 

**Announcements** 

**Opening Songs** Psalm 100

He Has Made Me Glad

**Children Dismissed to Sunday School** 

**Sharing Time and Pastoral Prayer** 

**Offering** (Yellow envelopes = Grace, Blue envelopes = First Baptist)

Song of Praise and Worship Joyful, Joyful

Scripture Reading Hebrews 1:1-3

Sit & Listen Song and Video

Sermon Pastor Ian

Apologetics 8 – The Bible Part 1 – Fact or Fake

News?

Closing Song New Name in Glory

**Benediction** 

Coffee & Conversation at the back of the church

### **Announcements**

**Pioneer Days – September 1**<sup>st</sup>. We are participating again this year and we have an entry in the parade as well as a stand in the park afterwards. *We need volunteers!* Anything from helping to decorate the truck, being in the parade, helping to set up the stand, working at the stand – we will be handing out bags with candy, stickers, tracts, Bibles in them and we will have water to hand out to visitors to our stand. It will be a fun day and even more fun with many of us involved! *A sign up sheet is on the bulletin board by the coffee area.* 

**Saturday, August 30**<sup>th</sup> – We will be filling the bags for Pioneer Days at the church at 10am. Everyone is encouraged, if you have an hour to spare, to come along and help us get these bags filled. It is a fun time of fellowship! Just show up!

Upcoming	. Events	September	1 st
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Englewood Pioneers Days, volunteers needed – sign up sheet on the bulletin board

See Linda S
September 13<sup>th</sup>

Ladies' Luncheon. Venue to be advised. See Nada D if you need more info. A sign up sheet will be on the bulletin board soon.

November 8th

Yard Sale at the church

See Linda S

# **Birthdays**

8/4	Wes Gittins	9/5	Joy Stone
8/13	Belinda Obenauer	9/10	Cora Evans
8/18	Dakota Ervin	9/19	Bill Prevatte
8/18	Sherry Holden	9/24	Anabel Merwin
8/19	K (Cowboy) Smith	9/24	Bob Morris
8/22	War Harris	9/27	Kathy Krey
		9/29	Danna Gittins

#### Regular Week at a Glance

**Tuesday** 10:00 am - Bible Study with Pastor lan, at church

11:00 am - War Room with Pastor Ian, at church

6:00 pm - Weekly Prayer, at church

**Wednesday** 9:00 am - Ladies at Culture Coffee on Dearborn

**Thursday** 2:00 pm – Ladies' Bible Study

Saturday 8:00 am - Men's Breakfast at Stefano's Sunday 10:30 am - Morning Worship Service

6:00 pm - Bible Study with Sam, at church

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#### **Church Council Members:**

Ian Burbridge – Pastor and Elder

Darrell Decker - Elder

Nada Decker - Children's Ministry

Diane Nordquist – Missions

Chuck Shelton - Finance

David Nordquist - Finance

Linda Burbridge - Women's Ministry, Administration, Publicity & Advertising

Ray Forster - Maintenance, Building Committee

Bev Alston - Outreach

Wendy Gaynor – Building Committee Linda Szafranski – Events Coordinator

Members interested in viewing the budget may do so by contacting either David Nordquist or Chuck Shelton.

Financial Statement -	- at July 31, 2025	at June 30, 2025
Operating Fund	\$ 4,983.16	\$ 3,654.86
Emergency Fund	29,291.53	32,823.81
Benevolence Fund	3,190.08	3,190.08
Missions Fund	8,210.87	8,491.60
Building Fund	82,682.59	82,682.59
Total	<u>\$128,358.23</u>	<u>\$130,842.94</u>