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Grace Christian Assembly *Community Connections*

COMING SOON!

**Tuesday Evenings
Sept. 22 to Dec. 1, 2026**

Join us in any of the following events:

- FREE Family Dinner5:15 p.m.
- Kids Club (ages 6 to12)6:00 p.m.
- ESL Class by ZOOM6:00 p.m.
- Teen Bible Study.....6:00 p.m.
- Adult Bible Institute Courses.....6:45 & 7:30 p.m.
- Ladies Bible Course (Wednesdays).....8:00 p.m.

GCA Elders and Deacons

Elders: Brian H. Grant, Pastor • George Peters, Pastor • Jim McConnell, Elder Emeritus • Dr. Elijah Korich • Dr. Raphael Thomas • Nicolas Grant.

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Brian H. Grant, Pastor

**Sunday
September 6, 2026**

**Making an IMPACT for GOD
in a Hostile**

WORLD

≧ Esther 3:1-15 ≦

Order of Service

* Please do not enter or leave the sanctuary.

* Call to Worship ~ Dr. Darryl Brown

♪ Praise & Worship

*♪ Ministry in Music ~ Youth Ensemble

Missions Moment ~ Sis. Sharon Henry

Intercessory Prayer ~ Bro. Chet Carter

*♪ Offering & Cong. Hymn ~ "I Need Thee Every Hour"

Scripture Reading ~ Bro. Keyshawn Ancrum

*♪ Ministry in Music ~ Youth Ensemble

Message ~ Pastor Brian Grant

Welcome & Announcements ~ Dr. Darryl Brown

*♪ Closing

Next Week ~ Bro. Chet Carter



WELCOME VISITORS!

We are happy to have you visit us today. Please make sure you receive a GCA Welcome Packet from one of our ushers or greeters and fill out the Visitor Information Card so we can update you on our church activities. You may return the card by leaving it at the Information Desk.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Children's Church** is held on the lower level for students in grades 1 through 4. **Nursery and Preschool** are held on the main floor for children ages 0–5 years old. **You must sign your children in and out.**
2. **Summer Bible Power-Up:** Join us on ZOOM at 7 p.m. this Tuesday September 8th. We will begin with devotions until 7:30 p.m. Following the devotions, we will Power-Up with prayer from 7:30 to 8 p.m.
3. **GCA Daily Devotional (Sept. to Nov. 2026)** is now available in the lobby or at the church office at the cost of \$2 each. Get your copy and additional copies to share with your co-workers, friends and family.



Pray for Our September Missionaries

Pete & Dee Campbell - Mexico

NE Mission Conference - Jamaica WI

4. **Our Sincere Condolences** to Sis. Joy Gaddie and family in the passing of her brother-in-law, Dr. Edgar Rainford on Friday, Aug. 21st. The funeral service was held on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 2nd and 3rd in Toronto, Canada. Sis. Joy, her sister Marjorie Rainford and family would appreciate your prayers and expressions of sympathy during their time of grief.
5. **Community Connections Outreach** begins on Tuesday, Sep. 15th with a BBQ at 5:30 p.m. on the lawn of the Mission Center. Come enjoy an evening of free food, fun, fellowship and the return of the ice cream truck. Remember to invite your family and friends. Classes begin on Tuesday, Sept. 22nd. The schedule is as follows: **5:15 p.m. FREE Family Dinner; 6 p.m. Kids Club; Youth Bible Study and ESL Classes; 6:45 p.m. one in-person and ZOOM Adult Bible Institute class, "Bible Prophecy". 7:30 p.m. two ZOOM Bible Institute classes, "The Letter to the Romans, Part 2" and "Exodus, Part 2." An 8 p.m. Ladies-Only ZOOM Bible Study** TBA on Wednesday, Sept. 23rd.
6. **Friends and Family Day** is Sunday, Sept. 20th. This will be a special day to invite your friends and family members to join us at 10 a.m. for our morning worship service, which will include Breaking of Bread and special music by Mosaic from NY City. Following the service, you are invited to join us for a free delicious fellowship lunch. Invitation cards are available at the Information Desk for you to hand out to family and friends.
7. **Keiyo Soy Ministries (KSM) Annual Luncheon** will be held here at GCA at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 10th. Suggested donation is \$20. Save the date and plan to attend and support the ministry in Kenya, East Africa. KSM has enabled many schools to have access to clean water and has affected the lives of many including the youth and pastors. For more information, call KSM at 267-528-8285.
8. **Monday:** 10 a.m. **FREE food giveaway** in the Fellowship Hall.
9. **Wednesday:** 12 noon **Lunchtime Prayer Hour**. The call-in number is 774-267-4072.
10. **Thursday:** 7:30 p.m. **Voices of Praise choir rehearsal** in the sanctuary
11. **Saturday:** 4 p.m. **Weekly Prayer Time**. The call-in number is 774-267-4072.



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Esther 3:1-15
Pastor Brian Grant

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ii. God has entrusted His _____ with the _____ of salvation and eternal life. Acts 4:12

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3. We must determine to activate the power of _____ and _____. Esther 4:15,16. James 5:16

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