



A monthly newsletter for the Grace Wesleyan Family and Friends!

Prayer For National Spiritual Awakening

Faithful and loving God. Your law we have broken and Your name we have disgraced.

So, on behalf of my nation and myself, I repent, ask for mercy and humbly seek Your face.

Revive Your Church in my country; awaken sleeping members and leaders with Gospel zeal.

Raise the spiritually dead around us; convict our neighbors and nations that their sin and Your grace are real.

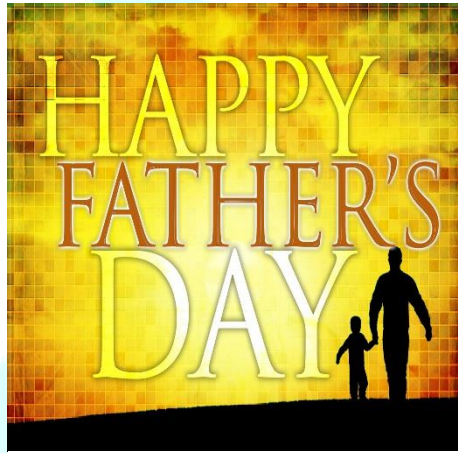
Reveal to us the beauty of Jesus; let Your love be proclaimed in His cross, let Your power be shown in His resurrection.

Defeat the enemy's strongholds in our nation with the Gospel; let good news be our greatest weapon.

Fill us Holy Spirit. Pour out Your presence and power on Your people, the church, and this country.

And cover the earth with Your glory as the waters cover the sea.

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June Birthdays:

- 1st – Denise Nonamaker
- 5th – Kathy Jacobs
- 6th – Sharon Adams
- 15th – Dora Romero
- 18th – Ruthie Hoskins
- 24th – Mark Burton
- 25th – Doug Timmerman



June Anniversaries

- 6th – Dora Romero
- 15th – Bob & Pam McKinnon
- 29th – Richard & Nancy Dechert
- 30th – Yasmin Herbert
- 30th – Brian & Mimi Rutherford

June Happenings

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT!

Helping Hands Food Drive Dates
 June 4th (Boca)
 June 18th (Davie)
 June 25th (Plantation)

Habitat for Humanity Build Date
 June 18th

Youth
 June 4th Helping Hands Food Drive
 June 26th, 5-7pm, Youth Group
 TBD – HOPE South Florida

Snacks

For Saturday Night and Sunday Morning Services!!!
 Several people have asked about bringing snacks for our services...
(What a great idea and opportunity for you to prepare that new recipe you have been dying to try out.)

Interested?

There are sign-up sheets for both services, on the kitchen window counter. Sign-up for a future date!!



PASTOR'S MOMENT

A message from our Senior Pastor, Rev. Myron Rhodes, Jr.

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Hello, Grace Wesleyan Family!

Summer is upon us! Our kids and grandkids are out of school (or soon will be) and family trips, reunions, and vacations will be in store for many in our church. We pray that everyone will have safe trips and gatherings!

You may be wondering about the seemingly out-of-place symbols placed on each page of this month's newsletter. What could the image of a gear or gears and the letters GDLT, and a man standing next to a question mark have to do with church? Curious? Keep reading and I will explain.

Recently, I was fortunate enough to attend a clergy meeting consisting of traditional Christian pastors from Dade, Broward, and Palm Beach Counties. Mr. Mart Green, of the Hobby Lobby founding family, was a guest speaker and he introduced us to his idea of **GDLT**, which stands for "Go Do Love Together" to the community and world we live in. The symbol for GDLT is a gear. The reason for the gear is that one gear by itself does not do much. However, when you put a bunch of gears together, of different sizes, but for one purpose when combined...the power is exponential!

We are preparing to enter the next season in the life of our church. That season will have each of us earnestly searching for ways to take the Kingdom of God to our neighborhoods and our community. We want to introduce Grace Wesleyan to our friends and neighbors, and we want to invite our future friends to come to church and join us! Additionally, we will seek places where we can be Christ's hands, feet, and heart to our community.

At Grace Wesleyan, we are going to have some conversations about what it will be like for us to be a welcoming community of believers sharing Christ's love, grace, and redemption with everyone in our neighborhoods and community. To help us, on June 18/19, we will begin a new sermon series, "Who We Are as Grace Wesleyan". Please join us each week through June and July as we explore who we are as a Christian Body here, in Fort Lauderdale. God has planted us in this place at this time, and we have much to do. Christ has instilled his Word and Spirit in our hearts, and he is depending on us to be His disciples!

Let us become ready to Go Do Love Together!

I love being your pastor,

Myron



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MINISTRY MINUTE

This month we are highlighting Habitat for Humanity of Broward. Habitat for Humanity was founded in 1976 by Millard and Linda Fuller. Habitat Broward was founded in 1983 as an independent affiliate. To date, they have served over 612 hard-working families. Habitat for Humanity of Broward brings people together to build homes, communities, and hope. Habitat Broward offers a “hand-up” not a “hand-out” to empower families who are willing to work hard to improve their family’s lives through affordable homeownership.

They provide the tools, building materials, and training. No construction experience is needed!

The Grace Wesleyan ministry contacts are Omyara Fuentes and Tony Ash. Several members of our church have participated in the past. You are welcome to join them on any of their upcoming builds.



Are you interested in participating in a Habitat for Humanity of Broward build? Contact Omyara or Tony for more information!



Habitat for Humanity of Broward Upcoming Build Dates

June 18th
August 27th
October 15th
December 17th

GDLT



Service Opportunities

outreach@gracewesleyan.org

What does Scripture tell us

Memory Verse

“Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.” (Hebrews 13:16, NRSV)

Reminder:

When you are purchasing things via Amazon to help some of our worthy ministries, don't forget to **SMILE!** Amazon smile that is... (use the link below)

https://smile.amazon.com/charity/my-impact?encoding=UTF8&ref=nav_cs_smile



Emmaus

Have you attended a Walk to Emmaus? If you have attended a walk in the past, we want to know. We are seeking to build an Emmaus Community at Grace Wesleyan. Please contact...

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Be sure to wear your Emmaus Cross on the 1st weekend of each month

GEMS!

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What's going on in your corner?

Studies Available

Men's Accountability group

Monday nights
7:00pm

Pastor's Bible Study

Tuesday nights,
7:00pm-8:00pm
(in person or via Zoom)

We will not meet on June 7th!

Wesley Study

(Every Other Thursday night)
June 2nd, and 16th
7:00pm – 8:00pm

Children and Youth Minister

Contact: Mimi Rutherford
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Teen Topics

We will have opportunities for service hours for teens again this summer. Watch for details



June 4th – Helping Hands Food Drive
June 26th- Youth Group Mtg, 5p-7p

Meetings

Executive Council

2nd Thursday of every month
June 9th

TBD- HOPE South Florida (watch for an email and the bulletin for details when finalized.)

