

"He is not here; **HE HAS RISEN**, just as He said"

Happenings @ Grace

March



Grace Community Church
overbrook, ks

for the sinner. for the saint. for the savior.

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KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

**FRIDAY
APRIL 12**

**ASK ABOUT
TUITION
ASSISTANCE**

**SESSIONS AT
9AM & 1PM**

**Celebrating
God's
Rainbow**

**PLEASE REGISTER AT:
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- Small Class Sizes•Bible-Centered Curriculum
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Now accepting students who will be 5 years old by September 1, 2024.



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CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL**
Christ-Centered Academic Excellence

**(785) 670-6403
310 E 8TH ST
OVERBROOK,
KANSAS 66524**

Sunday, March 31 @ 6:45 AM

SUNRISE SERVICE

HE IS RISEN

Please meet at the Overbrook Lake Pavilion
(south end of the lake near the ball park)
Join us for breakfast following the
service

Because **HE** lives, we can face tomorrow!

Ladies Night Out

Monday, March 12, 6:30 PM (Potluck)

He Lives Celebration Luncheon Sunday, March 3

Ham and trimmings provided by the
hospitality team.

Please bring vegetables, salads and desserts



“Morning Glory”

Sunday, March 17

9:45-10:10 AM



Celebrating Our Senior Citizens Potluck Luncheon

Sunday, April 7

ATTENTION: **EVERYONE**

We need a copy of your graduation
or senior picture **by April 21!**

Make sure your name is on the back of the photo if you give it to us. (Photos will be returned.)

Send to Carl Fowler at graphicsppt@gmail.com

OR give to Joyce Collins or Carl Fowler.



Community Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, March 30 @ 11:30 AM

**Overbrook Lake Pavilion
(South end of the lake near the ball park)**

**We will be filling over 5,000 eggs.
Donations of small pieces of candy are needed.
Please drop off at the office or on Sundays
at the Children's Kiosk**



Ladies Bible Study

Thursdays @ 9:00 AM



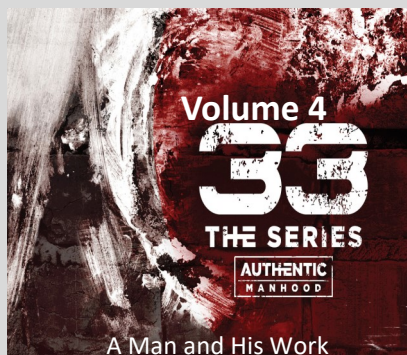
Better understand the cultural significance and how these seemingly obscure Old Testament feasts relate to the rest of the Bible in this 8-week study!

THE POWER OF PRAYER

Calling all prayer warriors in the Overbrook and surrounding areas to join us. This is an exciting opportunity to be part of a community prayer group, regardless of where you worship on Sunday mornings!

This group meets at 6:15 PM every Wednesday evening.

Band of Brothers



The series is designed to inspire and equip men to pursue authentic manhood as modeled by Jesus Christ in His 33 years on earth.

In this fourth volume of 33, God created man to work, and His Word instructs men on how to engage and enjoy work and provides insight into some of the ways men can find both their best fit and fulfillment in work.

Each Participant will learn the four “faces” of manhood and how to anticipate and transition through the specific seasons of life.

Meets Wednesday Evenings at 6:00 PM

Join us on Thursday, March 29, 7:00 PM

MAUNDY THURSDAY



ENROLLING FULL & PART-TIME STUDENTS NOW!



**COMMUNITY
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SCHOOL**

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Mrs. Becky Florance
LEAD TEACHER

Please email Becky at:
ccs.kansas@gmail.com



God instructed us to pray for our **DAILY** bread,
not tomorrow's bread.

The Bible is meant to be our daily bread,
not cake for special occasions.

5th -12th Grade

Connect

HABITS - Spiritual Practices to

Deepen your Faith

deepen your faith

Contact Crystal (785)670-6456

BIBLE STUDY CALENDAR

Day	Morning Study	Evening Study
1	Numbers 26,27	Mark 8:22-38
2	Numbers 28,29	Mark 9:1-29
3	Numbers 30,31	Mark 9:30-52
4	Numbers 32,33	Mark 10:1-31
5	Numbers 34-36	Mark 10:32-52
6	Deuteronomy 1,2	Mark 11:1-19
7	Deuteronomy 3,4	Mark 11:20-33
8	Deuteronomy 5-7	Mark 12:1-27
9	Deuteronomy 8-10	Mark 12:28-44
10	Deuteronomy 11-13	Mark 13:1-13
11	Deuteronomy 14-16	Mark 13:14-37
12	Deuteronomy 17-19	Mark 14:1-25
13	Deuteronomy 20-22	Mark 14:26-50
14	Deuteronomy 23-25	Mark 14:51-72
15	Deuteronomy 26,27	Mark 15:1-26
16	Deuteronomy 28	Mark 15:27-47
17	Deuteronomy 29-30	Mark 16
18	Deuteronomy 31,32	Luke 1:1-23
19	Deuteronomy 33,34	Luke 1:24-56
20	Joshua 1-3	Luke 1:57-80
21	Joshua 4-6	Luke 2:1-24
22	Joshua 7,8	Luke 2:25-52
23	Joshua 9,10	Luke 3
24	Joshua 11-13	Luke 4:1-32
25	Joshua 14,15	Luke 4:33-44
26	Joshua 16-18	Luke 5:1-16
27	Joshua 19,20	Luke 5:17-39
28	Joshua 21,22	Luke 6:1-26
29	Joshua 23,24	Luke 6:27-49
30	Judges 1,2	Luke 7:1-30
31	Judges 3-5	Luke 7:31-50



JOIN US FOR

Fishers of Men, led by Cliff Fischer
meeting in the East Center Conference Classroom
Study: *New Testament Studies*

God's Vessel, led by Bessie Bauer
meeting in Room B-7
Study: *30 Life Principles*

GracePoint, led by Frank Rhodes
meeting in Room C-26
Study: *Leviticus*

Young at Heart, led by Jim White
meeting in Room B-5 (Library)
Study: *Matthew*

Sonlight Seekers,
led by Pastor Adam Johns, Brian Spencer
meeting in the Worship Center
Study: *Biblical Doctrines*

Women's Study, led by Angela Spencer
meeting in the Office Conference Room
Study: *Philippians*

Grades 7-12, led by Stan Friesen
meeting in the Lighthouse
Study: *Answering Hard Questions*

Grace Kids - Preschool-6th, led by Crystal O'Brien
meeting in the Grace Kids Loft

Men's Ministry Work Day

Saturday, March 16, 8:00 AM

Work day to help on projects for widows and elderly that need help around their home. In case of inclement weather, we will move the date to March 23rd. Men of GCC—we need manpower, chain saws, skid loaders, and any other lawn tools. There are also a couple of small carpentry jobs if you're more gifted in that area. Bottom line, **MEN**, we need your help. Whether it's for a few minutes, a couple of hours, or several hours, your effort will make a huge difference. Sign up at the Welcome center and let us know what resources you're able to provide.

**THANK
GOD**



**YOU and
BLESS!!!**

Come and Join Us!

REMEMBER:

- *Pray for the unsaved
- *Pray for our nation and its leadership
- *Pray for our military
- *Pray for our church and its leaders
- *Pray for our pastoral staff, church staff and their families
- *Pray for our Sunday School teachers, children's ministry workers and small group leaders



Lions Den Prayer Group

March 5 & 19 @ 9:00 AM

All adults are welcome to attend

“Let us pray together”

Please meet in the Office Conference Room



Card Ministry Work Night

Activity Center
All are welcome to
attend

Please contact Teresa Clary if you
have any questions (785)224-6040.

Jesus Loves You



MARCH

SUN	MON	TUE	WED
3 He Lives Celebration Connect Youth, 5:30 PM Evening Service, 6:00 PM	4	5 Lions Den Prayer Group 9:00 AM Mission Task Force, 6:00 PM	6 Band of Brothers Prayer, 6:15 PM G.I.G., 6:30 PM
10 Connect Youth, 5:30 PM Evening Service, 6:00 PM Afterglow, 7:00 PM	11 Card Ministry Work Night, 6:00-8:00 PM	12 Ladies Night Out, 6:30 PM	13 Band of Brothers Prayer, 6:15 PM
17  Morning Glory Pastries Connect Youth, 5:30 PM Evening Service, 6:00 PM	18 Men's Night Out, 6:30 PM 	19 Lions Den Prayer Warriors, 9:00 AM	20 Band of Brothers Prayer, 6:15 PM
24 Palm Sunday Connect Youth, 5:30 PM Evening Service, 6:00 PM	25	26 Diaconate Meeting, 6:30 PM Cabinet Meeting, 7:30 PM	27 Band of Brothers Prayer, 6:15 PM
31 Sunrise Service, 6:45 AM Easter Sunday No Evening Service			

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EVERY LORD'S DAY:

Breakfast 8:00 AM
 Sunday School..... 9:00 AM
 Morning Worship 10:15 AM
 Connect Youth 5:30 PM
 Evening Worship 6:00 PM

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Children's Ministry

March News to YOU!

NURSERY CURRICULUM

In the lesson "A Happy Sunday," the littles will learn the Easter story of Jesus' resurrection. Jesus made a way for us to be God's friend when He died on the cross for all our sins. Let's celebrate the empty tomb and that Jesus is alive, even today!

Preschool and Elementary Curriculum

March 3-- Famous Last Words #3 -- "Hard Times Are Coming"

Bible Story -- Jesus Promises Peace to His Disciples
(John 16:31-33)

Power Verse -- John 16:33

Whatchagaddaknow -- "No matter what happens - Jesus gives me peace!"

March 10 -- Famous Last Words #4 -- "Watch and Pray"

Bible Story -- Jesus Prays in the Garden (Mark 14:32-42)

Power Verse -- Mark 14:38

Whatchagaddaknow -- "On my very worst day, you know I will pray!"

March 17 -- Finish (Stand alone Easter lesson)

Bible Story -- Jesus is Alive (all 4 Gospels)

Power Verse -- Philippians 1:6

Whatchagaddaknow -- "God won't quit until He's through!"

March 24-- CSI

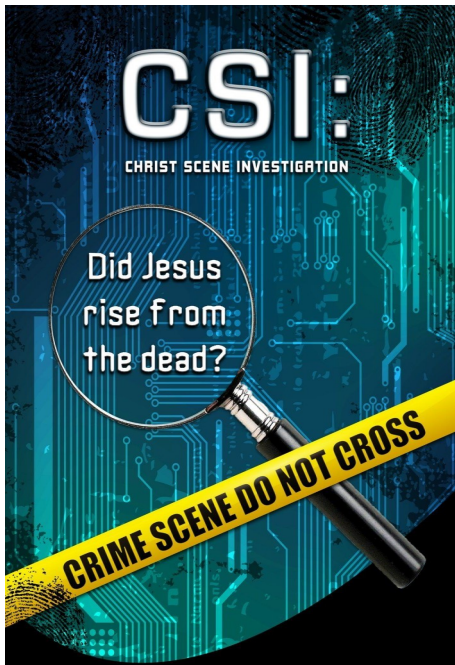
Bible Story -- Jesus' Death, Burial and Resurrection

March 31--5th Sunday (Easter) -- Worship as a family



God is always faithful to finish the good work He starts in our lives. It's easy for us to lose faith in that process, though. When things seem to be going wrong, we think God has quit on us. We think He has left us all alone.

The disciples probably felt that way after Jesus died on the cross. They thought He was gone...but Jesus rose from the dead on Easter Sunday to prove that what God starts, He always **FINISHES!**



Kids are invited to join the C.S.I. Team to investigate if Jesus rose from the dead. They'll examine three scenes to look for clues, collect evidence and talk with eyewitnesses. The evidence will lead them to make a decision about whether Jesus' resurrection is true and if they want to enter a relationship with Him.

This lesson is also a great way to teach kids apologetics for the resurrection. It takes kids on a deeper dive to help them understand how they can know Jesus rose from the dead.

Church Services and Events Currently Available Online:

GCC Web Site: www.gccinoverbrook.com

Sunday Morning Services: 10:15 AM Sunday Mornings, Live Stream Online at <https://gccinoverbrook.com/media> or on YouTube at: youtube.com/@gracecommunitychurchoverbrook (please subscribe) or Facebook live

Sunday Morning Services: Archived video is available on YouTube for viewing at any time after presentation:



youtube.com/@gracecommunitychurchoverbrook
(please subscribe)



Archived Sunday Morning and Evening Services (Audio Only) are available on Sermon Audio at: https://www.sermonaudio.com/source_detail.asp?sourceid=gccinoverbrook

Sunday Evening Services: (Limited to Audio Only) will be available on Monday or Tuesday at <https://gccinoverbrook.com/archived-sermons>

Grace Kids – Look for Grace Kids on the GCC Facebook page

Become A Friend and Follow GCC on Facebook,
Grace Community Church in Overbrook



GCC “SCRIP” PREPAID GIFT CARD PROGRAM



Purchase and use prepaid gift cards from our **SCRIP** program for dining out, groceries, special outing, birthdays, weddings, home improvement projects, etc.

Purchase prepaid gift cards here at GCC and spend them as you would cash for the card's face value. The retailers return a portion of your purchase back to the church. Some retailers give 2%, 4% but sometimes as much as 15-20%. GCC benefits from each and every **SCRIP** card purchase, and it doesn't cost you a thing!!

Some of the retailers available are: **Amazon, Walmart, Office Depot, Target, Kohl's, Home Depot, Menards, Longhorn, Red Lobster, Texas Roadhouse, Applebee's, Subway, Panera Bread, Taco Bell, Chili's, On the Border** and many, many, more restaurants, motels, movie theaters, cosmetics, on-line shopping, etc.

Enrollment Code is: 44E857231L3L7

***Stop by the SCRIP table at the Information Center on
the first Sunday of each month.***

March 3

Worship Leader: Frank Rhodes

Elders of the Week: Jim White, Marshall Madill

Security Team: Skip Courtois

Medical Response Team: Taylor & Elaina Zimmerman

Worship Team Leader: Marshall Madill

Worship Team: Kathy Henkensiefken, Brian Spencer, Gary Collins, Michele Miller

Vocalists: Beth Nelson, Marshall Madill

Special Music: Kathy Henkensiefken

Sound: David Reed

Video Computers: Shane Toomay/**Stream:** Patrick O'Brien

Camera: Carl Fowler

Information Center: Leslie White

New Visitor Welcome Table: Becky Florance, Kelli Forbes, Beth Nelson

Bulletins: Melissa Bame, Teri Wolfe, Cheryl Garrett

Greeters: Lloyd Nelson, Ray Shumate

Worship Nursery: Jadyn Anderson, Susan Stromgren

Children's Church - **Preschool:** Sherri Rhodes, Hannah Boland, Drake Glaser

Children's Church - **Elementary:** Crystal O'Brien, Catherine Fowler, Billy Glaser

Evening Service: Will Nicoll (Worship Leader) Angela Spencer (Pianist)

March 10

Worship Leader: Brian Spencer

Elders of the Week: Cliff Fischer, Frank Rhodes

Security Team: Marc Forbes

Medical Response Team: Taylor & Elaina Zimmerman

Worship Team Leader: Stan & Debbie Friesen

Worship Team: Kathy Henkensiefken, Brian Spencer, Gary Collins, Michele Miller

Vocalists: Shane & Chris Toomay

Special Music: Gary Collins

Sound: Cole Duncan

Video Computers: Glen Fager/**Stream:** Chad McClay

Camera: Phillip Duncan

Information Center: Karen Shumate

New Visitor Welcome Table: Becky Florance, Kelli Forbes, Beth Nelson

Bulletins: Laurie Zimmerman, Ray Shumate, Teri Wolfe

Greeters: Rhonda Hawkins, Debbie Ansley

Worship Nursery: Jessica Childers, Micha McClay

Children's Church - **Preschool:** Betty Bowers, Lyla Boland

Children's Church - **Elementary:** Crystal O'Brien, Sara Blair, Billy Glaser

Evening Service: Glen Nelson (Worship Leader) Beth Nelson (Pianist)

March 17



Worship Leader: Stan Friesen

Elders of the Week: Glen Nelson, Jim White

Security Team: Skip Courtois

Medical Response Team: Taylor & Elaina Zimmerman

Worship Team Leader: Stan & Debbie Friesen

Worship Team: Brian Spencer, Gary Collins, Michele Miller

Vocalists: Patrick O'Brien, Kathy Henkensiefken

Special Music: Angela Spencer

Sound: Randy Roberts

Video Computer: Barb Roberts/ **Stream:** Hilario Reyes

Camera: Cheyenne Miller

Information Center: Leslie White

New Visitor Welcome Table: Becky Florance, Kelli Forbes, Beth Nelson

Bulletins: Chris Toomay, Cheryl Garrett, Bob & Linda Simpson

Greeters: Lloyd Nelson, Kelli Forbes

Worship Nursery: Brenda Courtois, Kim Spillman

Children's Church - Preschool: Crystal O'Brien, Gracyn Anderson

Children's Church - Elementary: Stacia Spencer, Kelli Forbes, Madison Scott, Billy Glaser

Evening Service: Will Nicoll (Worship Leader) Connie Dillard (Pianist)

March 24

Worship Leader: Pastor Adam Johns

Elders of the Week: Pastor Adam Johns, Marshall Madill

Security Team: Daniel Webb

Medical Response Team: Taylor & Elaina Zimmerman

Worship Team Leader: Stan & Debbie Friesen

Worship Team: Brian Spencer, Gary Collins, Michele Miller, Kathy Henkensiefken

Vocalists: Pastor Elvin Dillard

Special Music: Geri Rumold

Sound: Keith Engler

Video Computers: Shannon Engler/ **Stream:** Cheyenne Miller

Camera: Billy Glaser

Information Center: Karen Shumate

New Visitor Welcome Table: Becky Florance, Kelli Forbes, Beth Nelson

Bulletins: Melissa Bame, Laurie Zimmerman, Cheryl Garrett

Greeters: John Schierling, Debbie Ansley

Worship Nursery: Beth Nelson, Lynne Boland

Children's Church - Preschool: Crystal O'Brien, Debra Arnold, Shane Branson, Greyson Webb

Children's Church - Elementary: Amy & Micha McClay

Evening Service: Glen Nelson (Worship Leader) Angela Spencer (Pianist)

March 31



Worship Leader: Pastor Elvin Dillard

Elders of the Week: Jim White, Marshall Madill

Security Team: Skip Courtois

Medical Response Team: Taylor & Elaina Zimmerman

Worship Team Leader: Stan & Debbie Friesen

Worship Team: Kathy Henkensiefken, Brian Spencer, Gary Collins, Michele Miller

Vocalists: Shane & Chris Toomay

Special Music: Easter Choir

Sound: David Reed

Video Computers: Shane Toomay/**Stream:** Patrick O'Brien

Camera: Carl Fowler

Information Center: Leslie White

New Visitor Welcome Table: Becky Florance, Kelli Forbes, Beth Nelson

Bulletins: Melissa Bame, Teri Wolfe, Cheryl Garrett

Greeters: Lloyd Nelson, Ray Shumate

Worship Nursery: Jadyn Anderson, Crystal O'Brien

Children's Church - Worship as a Family

Evening Service: No Evening Service

Mission Task Force Meeting

Join us for our next
Task Force Meeting
Tuesday, March 5
@ 6:00 PM

Two Ways to Give

Text

Give 2 Grace

@73256

Or

ONLINE GIVING

www.gccinoverbrook.com

"Give"

Sunday morning breakfasts for March sponsored by the Men's Ministry

Come to church early and enjoy a hot breakfast served by the Men's Ministry every Sunday morning from 8:00 AM to 8:45 AM. This is a really good time to fellowship with your church family before heading to Sunday School.

Shop With Your Church Family First

**** Insurance (life, residential, auto, motorcycle, financial)***

***Integrity Insurance, Marshall Madill
Insurance, Inc., Dennis & Sean Donnelly***

**** Electricians***

Frank Rhodes, Frank Hess

**** Heating/Air Conditioning***

***Skip's Heating & Air - Skip Courtois
Barrington Heating & Air - Craig Barrington***

**** Cosmetics (MaryKay)***

Michele Miller

**** Realtor***

Shannon Engler

**** Stampin' Up***

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**** JML Engraving Sublimation Imprinting***

Melissa Bame

**** Lawn & Landscape***

Shawn Hiatt

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Sara Blair, Financial Associate

**** Xyngular***

Suzi Reed

****Longarm Quilting Services***

Dianne Yeagley

Happy Birthday

1. Ty Engler
2. Taylor Zimmerman, Jane Falley , Michael Curry
5. Kinsley Heckel, Blair Burkdoll
6. Cole Duncan
8. Billy Glaser
9. Auston Spencer, Hannah Powell
10. Teri Wolfe
12. Ruth Bryson
18. Deb Friesen, Laura Hart
20. Sylvia Morgan, Noah Hedgepath
24. Dennis Donnelly
26. Camden Barrington
27. Kathy Henkensiefken, Bessie Bauer

Happy Anniversary

4. Lonnie & Joyce Blackburn
10. Alan & Lisa Myers
11. Dustin & Kassie Barnhart
16. Tom & Twila Athon,
Jonathan & Jenna Fawl

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***Indicates those who have keys or key fobs which open exterior church doors.**

"For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." Ephesians 2:10

Missionaries that GCC Supports *(please be praying for them on a daily basis)*

Bob & Barb Bartz.....	Far East Broadcasting
Alan & Sarah Good.....	SonSet Solutions, Indiana
Philip & Rita Warkentien.....	Global Grace Fellowship, Brazil
Justin & Amy Culp.....	Pioneers, South Sudan
Luke & Jenna Fangman.....	Mustard Seed Network, Japan
Malachi & Carissa James	TEAM, Bulgaria
Solid Rock Action Center.....	Osage City, KS
Fellowship of Christian Athletes.....	Santa Fe Trail USD #434
Fellowship of Christian Athletes.....	Osage City USD #420
Osage County HELP House.....	Scott Perkins, Lyndon, KS
Topeka Rescue Mission.....	LaManda Broyles, Topeka, KS
Bill & Lora Durkes.....	Hope City, Kansas City, MO
Life Care	Ottawa, Kansas
Lifeline	Topeka, Kansas
Beni Kahamba (PHA.).....	Goma (DRC), Africa
Phil Wiebe (Church planting)	Utah
Christian Aid Mission	Supporting Indigenous Ministries
Alpha Christian Children's Home	Perry, KS
Jacob & Alyssa Friesen.....	Missions Pastor at K-State

He Lives Celebration Luncheon, Sunday, March 3

Lions Den Prayer Warriors, Tuesday, March 5 & 19 @ 9:00 AM

Mission Task Force, Tuesday, March 5 @ 6:00 PM

Card Ministry Work Night, Monday, March 11 @ 6:00 PM

Ladies Night Out, Tuesday, March 12 @ 6:30 PM

Men's Work Day, Saturday, March 16 @ 8:00 AM

Morning Glory Pastries, Sunday, March 17 @ 9:45 AM

Men's Night Out, Monday, March 18 @ 6:30 PM

Diaconate/Cabinet Meeting, Tuesday, March 26, 6:30 & 7:30 PM

Maundy Thursday Service, Thursday, March 28, 7:00 PM

Community Easter Egg Hunt, Saturday, March 30 @ 11:30 AM

Sunrise Service, Sunday, March 31 @ 6:45 AM

Senior Citizen Potluck Luncheon, Sunday, April 7