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## Discover Grace THIS Sunday!

Discover Grace, THIS Sunday, September 23, 4PM is your chance to learn from our leadership about Grace's mission and ministries, ask questions, and see how you can get involved. Dinner for all attendees and childcare for ages 4 and under will be provided. Kids 5+ have their own class. Sign-up online [here](#) or call the church office at 703-670-5032.



## New York City (NYC) Day Trip

**New York City Day Trip** - Join *Women of Grace* on *Saturday, October 13*, as we spend the day in New York City. We will travel by chartered bus and be dropped off and picked up at Macy's on 34th Street. All women 18 years and older are welcome, and we are excited about this opportunity to invite that friend or neighbor you've been thinking about. We will depart Grace parking lot at 5AM on October 13 and return at 12:30AM on October 14. We have 45 spots available for \$50 and registration must be complete by September 23. In order to reserve your spot for the trip you must register and pay in advance, click [here](#) to register. If you have any questions please contact [womenofgrace@gracehome.org](mailto:womenofgrace@gracehome.org).



## New Home Group Study Beginning

The Mohr Tuesday Home Group will begin a new study Unshakable HOPE Building Our Hope on the Promises of God by Max Lucado. This Dumfries/Triangle home group meets every other Tuesday and will kick-off on September 25 at 7PM. For more information or for the location to join, email Dennis Mohr at [dennis.r.mohr@gmail.com](mailto:dennis.r.mohr@gmail.com)

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*"But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ"*

- 2 Pet 3:18

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## See You at the Pole

See You At the Pole (SYATP) - Wednesday, September 26, is a Global Day of Student Prayer. Students meet 30 minutes before school starts at their flagpole to gather and pray for their school and students. For more information click [here](#).



## Infant/Child Dedication Ceremony - October 13/14

Infant/Child Dedication Ceremony is October 13/14. This is an opportunity to thank God for entrusting you with the precious gift of your child (Psalm 127:3); publicly declare your intentions to raise your child in a Christian home in front of your church family; and commit yourselves to abide by Biblical principles and to raise your child according to God's standards. Email Nancy Turner at [nturner@gracehome.org](mailto:nturner@gracehome.org) for more info or if you are interested in participating in this special ceremony, email Marie Humston at [mhumston@gracehome.org](mailto:mhumston@gracehome.org) or call the church office 703-670-5032 by Monday, October 1. The next Dedication will be in May, 2019.



## Parenting with Paul Tripp

Hey Parents! We all know that parenthood is probably the scariest hood you'll ever go through, so let's do it together!

On Friday, October 5 (7PM - 9PM) and Saturday, October 6 (9AM - 11AM) Grace will be offering a parenting seminar called "Parenting with Paul Tripp". With years of experience as a parent, author, professor, and much more, Dr. Tripp will be guiding 4 video sessions (two on Friday night and two on Saturday morning) on the following subjects:

Session 1 - Behind your relationship with Jesus, nothing is more important in your life than being a parent. Dr. Tripp will warn you of the most common distractions that take your focus away from your primary calling.

Session 2 - As a parent, if you aren't resting in your identity in Christ, you will naturally look for identity in your children. Dr. Tripp will reveal 5 signs that you are asking your kids to supply you with

meaning and purpose.

Session 3 – Every child needs authority in their life, and God's call is for a parent to represent His authority in a beautiful way. Dr. Tripp will show you how to express grace-based authority in the home.

Session 4 – For a lasting change to take place in the life of a child, they must understand the desires of their heart. Dr. Tripp will teach you how to communicate this theology and prepare them for the war against sin.

In addition to the content from Dr. Tripp, you will have the opportunity to connect with others, just like you, who could use some tips and insights for more effective, Biblical parenting. So, whether you're a rookie parent or a seasoned veteran, there's something here for you!

Cost of event:  
\$30 for individuals  
\$50 for couples

Cost includes the event, dinner Friday night and breakfast Saturday morning, child care and a copy of Dr. Tripp's book, "Parenting".

Click [here](#) to register for this event.



## Sight and Sound Theater Trip

The Joyful Bunch is hosting a trip to Sight and Sound Theater in Lancaster, PA on October 31, to see the 3PM showing of the play JESUS. We will stop for lunch and shopping around 12:30PM at the Hershey Farms Restaurant Smorgasbord before heading to the show.

Cost is approximately \$100 (\$20 deposit requested) and final payment due October 2. Transportation costs may vary depending on the number of people going, so be sure to invite friends.

Email Debbie Lemons at [deblem58@gmail.com](mailto:deblem58@gmail.com) to sign up for this trip.



## Join Wednesday Prayer

Join us for Bible study and prayer every Wednesday from 7PM - 8PM in Room C111. We are currently doing a series on 1 Samuel. All are welcome. Contact Fred Affeldt at [w4jfa@verizon.net](mailto:w4jfa@verizon.net) for more information.



## Weekly Worship Sets

Heard a song you like in worship this week? Would you like to listen to these songs during the week as part of your personal worship? The weekly worship sets are now on Spotify and the list of upcoming songs is posted on the website [here](#) every Thursday.



## Serving Opportunities in AWANA

AWANA has begun but still has several serving opportunities for Leaders/Listeners:

- Younger Elementary (3 Adults)
- Older Elementary (3 adults)

No experience needed. For more info or to volunteer email Commander Beth Maddrey at [gracebaptistawana@gmail.com](mailto:gracebaptistawana@gmail.com).

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