

GRACE THAT IS GREATER THAN ALL MY SIN

If you had to define grace in one sentence, could you do it? I know you believe in it. I know you know that without grace you would be lost (Eph. 2:8). But can you explain it? If not, why not?

Confusion about grace is as old as the New Testament. The apostle Paul, a man who embodied saving grace more than anyone in Scripture, explained the fundamental aspects of grace in Romans chapter 5. He said that sin brought death (v. 12), Jesus brought life (v. 17), and grace abounds in those who were made righteous in Christ (v. 21). Upon hearing that wonderful news of salvation, many would think that grace is just a synonym for permission. Someone might say, “I can sin all day every day because grace allows me to do so.” Paul disagreed. He knew that sin—no matter if it’s practiced by a lost sinner or a saved saint—is a disgusting transgression from God’s will and should be avoided. So, in order to combat that notion, Paul reminded them of their baptism. He stated: “Are we to continue to sin so that grace may increase? May it never be! How shall we who died to sin still live in it? Or do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus have been baptized into His death?” (Rom. 6:1-3).

In Titus 2:11-12, Paul wrote: “For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all men, instructing us to deny ungodliness and worldly desires...” It seems clear from Paul’s writings that grace should cause one to avoid sin, not relish every opportunity to commit it. The Prodigal Son had no interest in returning to the pig pen. He knew the joy, peace, and comfort that he found at home...and he didn’t want to leave.

The grace of God saves us, and it motivates us to live righteously in the present age.

By James Hayes

Sunday Morning
Attendance & Contributions

Sunday Morning, 7/5.....	126
Offering, 7/5.....	\$3992
Sunday Morning, 7/12.....	177
Offering, 7/12.....	\$4239

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CHURCH OF CHRIST AT LIBERTY HILL

July 19, 2026



Our Mission Statement:

Beginning in the Fairview area, the Liberty Hill congregation seeks to make disciples, as well as build up the faithful, all focused on the love of Christ.

Service Schedule

Sunday:
Morning Bible Study, 9am
Morning Worship, 10am
Evening Bible Study, 6pm

Wednesday:
Evening Bible Study, 7pm

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Welcome Visitors!

We are glad you are here, and happy to serve you. Please let someone know of your needs. Restrooms are located down the hall on either side of the pulpit. The men’s restroom is before the second door. The ladies’ restroom is after the second door. There are also restrooms to the left side of the auditorium, down the hall, turn right, ladies’ on the left and men’s on the right. We have a nursery down the hall to the right of the pulpit (first door on the right). And a nursery to the left of the auditorium, down the hall, turn right, first door on the right. Diaper changing stations are in all restrooms. There should be bags at all changing stations for your waste diaper disposal.

Events for the Week

Sunday July 19 - Visitation Team #2

Monday July 20 - Young At Heart Group will go to Ryan’s Steakhouse in White Bluff. All seniors 55 and older are invited. See Rita Sullivan for more information.

Thursday July 23 - SYS

Prayer Requests

Please contact **Andrea Lampley** with new prayer requests or prayer updates.

Sandra Welch was scheduled for knee surgery on Friday July 17.

Russell Spicer was hospitalized for a possible heart attack. That was ruled out. He is at home. Further tests are being done.

Judy Clifft (Mother of Mitzi Mangrum) appreciates all the prayers. Her medication is doing good for now.

Susan Malone (Sister of Mitzi Mangrum) was scheduled for a biopsy this past week. She had breast cancer several years ago.

Reba Stinson is now home.

Wanda Johnson fell and broke four ribs.

Melissa Sullivan (Cousin of Rita Mangrum) is home following a seven week stay at NHC for an infection. She does still have the infection, but is improving.

We express our sympathy to the family of **Dottie Holland** (SIL of Wendy Verchota) who passed away. **Douglas Holland** (Brother of Wendy Verchota) will need help with his care. Wendy will be traveling back and forth to Texas to help.

Our Congregation

Tracy Lampley, Kim Estes, Peggy Spicer, Tony Mangrum, Marlee Nye, Sophie Keithline

Our Extended Family & Community

Steve and Janet Sisson, Janit Hall (Cousin of Gordon Mangrum and Josh Bradford), **Tommy Hulan** (Father of Nina Graham)

Shut-Ins/Assisted Living

The Pear I - **Peggy Sharp**, Room #105
Darryl Kilgore, Room #115

Missions We Support

Our Military and Government

Missions We Support

Apologetics Press

Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort

Gospel Broadcasting Network

Healing Hands International M.A.G.I. Boxes

The Jenkins Institute

World Video Bible School

Bible Study

Sunday Morning Classes 9am

Cradle Roll (Sitting Up-23 Mo.)	1st on right
2 & 3 Year Olds	#6
Pre-K & Kindergarten	#2
1st & 2nd Grade	#1
3rd thru 5th Grade	#5
All Middle School	#3
All High School	#4
Adults	Auditorium

Sunday Evening Classes 6pm

Cradle Roll (Sitting Up-23 Mo.)	1st on right
2 & 3 Year Olds	#6
4 Year Old thru 2nd Grade	#5
3rd thru 5th Grade	#1
Middle/High School Boys & Girls	#3
Adults	Auditorium

Wednesday Morning Class 9:30am

Adult Ladies

Wednesday Evening Classes 7pm

Cradle Roll (Sitting Up-23 Mo.)	1st on right
2 & 3 Year Olds	#6
Pre-K & Kindergarten	#2
1st & 2nd Grade	#1
3rd thru 5th Grade	#5
All Middle & High School	#3
Young Adults (20's/30's)	Extension Classroom
Adults	Auditorium

News

Happy Birthday!

7/19 Karen Parente

7/20 Tammy Green

7/21 Rita Sullivan

Sandra Welch

7/25 Lindsey Kelly

Happy Anniversary!

7/23 Chad & Kathy Spicer

Young At Heart Group

The Young at Heart Group will go to Ryan's Steakhouse in White Bluff on Monday July 20. All seniors 55 and older are invited. See **Rita Sullivan** for more information.

Guest Speaker

Blake Donaho (Intern from Freed Hardeman and Walnut Street church of Christ) will be our guest speaker on Sunday Morning July 26, for Worship Service.

SR Youth SYS (Summer Youth Series)

All SR Youth are invited to join us each Thursday Night starting May 28. Each week our departing time will vary depending on the distance we will have to travel. See **Josh Bradford** for more information.

M.A.G.I. Ministry

We have started collecting items for this ministry. There is a list of items needed on the back board and table. We will collect items until the end of September. This ministry has been going here for over 10 years. See **Mitzi Mangrum** for more information, or if you have already purchased items for this year.

Ice Cream Social

Join us on Saturday August 8 at the Annex for our Annual Ice Cream Social, from 5pm until 8pm! We will have food, fellowship and, of course, homemade ice cream for dessert! Food Sign Up Sheets are on the back board. See **Tony Parente** for more information.

News

Assisted Hearing Devices

We have Assisted Hearing Devices available iin our Audio Visual area.

Upcoming Events

Sunday July 26 - **Guest Speaker Blake Donaho**

Thursday July 30 - **SYS**

Sunday August 2 - **Visitation Team #1**

Sunday August 2 - **Ladies Card Ministry**, 4:30pm

Thursday August 6 - **SYS**

Saturday August 8 - **Ice Cream Social**

Sunday August 16 - **Visitation Team #2**

Monday August 17 - **Young At Heart Group** at 12pm (Noon)

Deacons

Caleb Duke	SR Youth Education Van Use & Maintenance
Caleb Garrett	Education Safety Worship Service Coordinator
Nick Green	Building Maintenance The Annex The Learning Center
Troy Hudlow	Safety Ladies' Ministry Building Use
Gordon Mangrum	Treasurer Missions The Learning Center
Tony Parente	Audio & Visual Fellowship Events Lord's Supper
Britt Sullivan	JR Youth