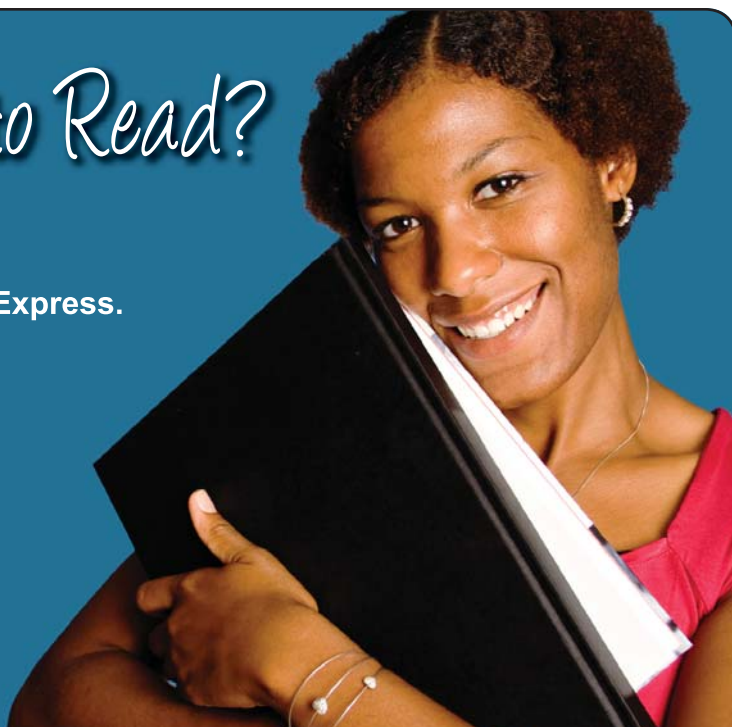


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CHARLES H. COPPES

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Charles H. Coppes has been a licensed securities and precious metals broker with national firms and is currently president of IDP Consulting Group. A *summa cum laude* graduate with a degree in Christian Apologetics he has been a featured guest on nationwide radio programs. For more information visit his website at www.chuckcoppes.com.

Friday, February 8, 2008

7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. (with intermission)



New to Grace Church? We're glad you came!

If you are a new or a returning guest, please join Pastor Shawn at the Information Center located in the Atrium following the morning services. We would like to meet you and give you a free gift. It's a New Living Translation of the Bible on CD-ROM, plus a special audio CD featuring some music from Grace Church with a greeting from Pastor Phil.

Stewardship and Money Matters

The ABCs of



Next week, Pastor Phil will start “Stop and Think”, a 4 week series teaching us how to deal with temptation.

Today At Grace

8:30 & 10:30 a.m.

- Worship Service
- Kids' Church

9:45 a.m.

- Chat Time, *FLC*

4:00 p.m.

- Orchestra Practice, *WC*

6:00 p.m.

- Jubilate, *Room ED211*
- LifeSport (Kids), *FLC*
- Grace Student Ministries
- Adult Bible Studies

This Week At Grace

Monday

9:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

- Grace Quilters
Room WC114 & 115

Tuesday

6:30 a.m. - MUGs

9:00 a.m. - Women's Bible Study

Wednesday

6:00-7:00 p.m.

- Praise Band Rehearsal
- Handbell Rehearsal

6:45-8:15 p.m.

- Student Ministry (6th-12th grade)
Room ED204
- Awana (K-5th grade)

7:00 p.m.

- Pastor's Bible Study, *WC*
- Adult Bible Classes
- Choir Practice, *WC 117*

Thursday

7:00 p.m. - Ethos (College Ministry)

Friday

7:00 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery

General Information

Snow Cancellation Policy

It's that time of year when the weather could provide us with a sudden surprise snowstorm. If there is snow or ice and you question whether or not we will have church, follow the steps below:

1. Listen to WHO Radio (1040 AM) or watch KCCI or WHO television for cancellation announcements. *As a rule, we will only cancel when the roads are closed.*
2. Sign-up for our e-mail alert and receive an e-mail notification when we cancel. To sign-up go to the church's web site (www.gracehome.com) or write your e-mail address and E-MAIL ALERT on your Care Card.

Grace Quilters

Have you a desire to learn to quilt or do you already know how? Along with other projects, Grace Quilters are now working on missionary quilts for the Missions Conference in April. You are invited to attend. We meet on Mondays, 9:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. A sewing and fellowship party is scheduled for February 1 from 6:00 p.m. to midnight. For more information, contact Lynda Charleston at (515) 967-3946.

Single Ladies

Mark your calendars for Sunday, Feb. 24 at 1:00 p.m. We will be going to HuHot Mongolian Restaurant. We will meet at the restaurant and all sit together. Don't let the name scare you. It is meat, vegetables, and rice.

Special Message - Girls of Grace

Hey Girls!! This is Alyssa Miller, and as a part of the event team, I want to personally invite you to the Girls of Grace Simulcast: How You Live 2008. It will be an exciting Saturday with music from Point of Grace and other great artists and encouragement from awesome speakers! Hope you can come and join us as we learn more about being bright, shiny and Godly girls in a not so bright world! Sign up for this event at the Resource center. Cost is \$15 per girl, and lunch is included. Hope to see you there!!! Your Sister in Christ, Alyssa (P.S. Mom's are invited too!!!)

A Note from Pastor Phil - A Little Help Please!

If you are looking for an area of service that will have both spiritual and cultural impact, please come and help for 2 hours at the Women's Tuesday Bible Study Nursery. It is definitely a next generation focus with vital impact. Opportunities are weekly, bi-weekly or monthly. Please contact: Karen Sage, Nancy Walters or Bonnie Winfield through the church office at (515) 265-0199. Thanks so much.

RAGBRAI

RAGBRAI Team Impact is a Christ centered bicycle club planning for our 25th RAGBRAI. An information and sign-up meeting will be held Tuesday, February 12 at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall at First Assembly of God, 2725 Merle Hay Rd. For additional information, contact gerald.graves@mchsi.com or 515.996.2539.

Grace Basketball

Sign up to play in the Grace Basketball League starting today at the Resource Center. Cost is \$20 and includes game shirt. For entire team sign up and questions contact Aaron Moulton @ 515-265-9103 or email at aaron@moultonmortgage.com

Help Needed

If you would like to serve as a referee or score keeper for the Grace Basketball League, contact Aaron Moulton (see contact info above). Referee's will receive a small compensation for each game they ref.

Grace Pee Wee Basketball League

The Grace Pee Wee league has been changed to a 4 week basketball camp for 3 year olds to 2nd graders. The camp begins Thursday, Jan. 31 at 6:00 p.m. There will be no fees and a free will offering will be taken to offset the cost of the program. Basic basketball skills will be taught with a short Bible lesson. If you have questions please contact Pastor Shawn Kinnison at skinnison@gracehome.com or 515.265.0199.

Kids' Church



Bible Quiz Team

Congratulations to the Awana Bible Quiz Team that competed yesterday at Federated Church in Bondurant. They all worked very hard preparing for this competition, reviewing dozens of verses and dozens of practice questions many times over. They represented Grace Church very well!

Book 1 Team (Girls)

Julia Polson
Victoria Austin
Bre Walters
Ginny Forbes
Natalie Boucher
Brittney Fazio

Book 1 Team (Boys)

Caleb Schultz
Shaalim Payne
Alek Gill

Book 2 Team (Girls)

Sofia Rossi
Delaney Novy
Lydia Shepley
Lexi McKinney

Book 3 Team (Boys)

Brendan Miller

Book 4 Team (Girls)

Rebekah Foster

Book 4: (Boys)

Joshua Schultz
Caleb Wade
Jaxon Payne

Notes / Reminders

1. The Awana Grand Prix has been rescheduled for Saturday, February 9.
2. First Steps Class for children interested in baptism: Feb. 6 or Feb. 20. See Karla Kincaid for more details.

Ministry Statistics

Grace Newton Offering \$1,107.72

Grace Church Offering \$34,564.55

Last Week's Attendance:

Worship Services 1,155

Wednesday Evening 425

Grace Newton 122

Grace Church offers online giving through our web site at www.gracehome.com.

Click on "Online Giving" in the left column. If you have any questions see Pastor Paul Dykstra.

Coming To Grace

February 2008

Elders' Meeting 6
Awana Grand Prix 9
Grace 101 10
Deacons' Meeting 10
Daddy's Little Girl Banquet 15
Girls of Grace Simulcast 23
Baptism 24

March 2008

Speaker: Stuart McAllister 2 & 3
Elders' Meeting 5
Grace 101 9
Deacons' Meeting 9
Awana Leaders' Banquet 10
Ignite Youth Conference 15
Palm Sunday 16
Easter Musical - "The Sacrifice"
Good Friday Service 21
Easter Sunday 23
Baptism 30

April 2008

Deacons' Meeting 6
Elders' Meeting 9
World Missions Conference 9-13

Family News

Hospitalized This Week:

Gary Park
Ron Anderson

Note: Please e-mail your prayer requests and hospital news to Kim Jarrell at kjarrell@gracehome.com.

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Grace Student Ministry

Tonight This is a great chance to bring friends! Sr. High has the small group lip sync social followed by snow-tubing at Sleepy Hollow. Activities kick off in the youth room (204) at 6:00 p.m. We will be leaving for Sleepy Hollow at 7:00 p.m. and plan to be finished there by 8:30 p.m. for parents to pick students up. The cost of tubing is \$10. Jr. High has a gym night from 7:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. following their small groups. The Jr. High small group series "Searching for Truth" continues.

Also Tonight Join us in prayer for Saydel High School at 5:00 p.m. in the youth room (204). The Lord continues to open doors for us to begin a Bible study there. Let's continue to be faithful in prayer.

Wednesday The Gathering (Wednesday night youth group's new name) begins at 6:45 p.m. in the youth room (204). Our series "Twisted" will continue with a lesson on entertainment: "Message or Amusement?" (1 Peter 2:9-12)

Next Sunday Sr. High and Jr. High Small groups will be in homes for Super Bowl parties. Stay tuned to your small group leaders for more information. Sr. High will also be starting a new study on Temptation (Matthew 4:1-12). There is a luncheon for the adult Sponsor team and the YMT at 12:30 p.m. in the youth room (204).

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