

Celebrate Recovery!

The purpose of the Celebrate Recovery ministry is to become free from our hurts and our addictive, compulsive and dysfunctional behaviors through fellowship and God's healing power in our lives.



Friday Nights in Room ED204

Celebrate Grace Café
(6:15-7:00 p.m.)

Small Groups
(8:00-9:00 p.m.)

Large Group with the CR Band
(7:00-8:00 p.m.)

Dessert / Fellowship
(9:00-9:30 p.m.)

childcare provided

Meet Our Team

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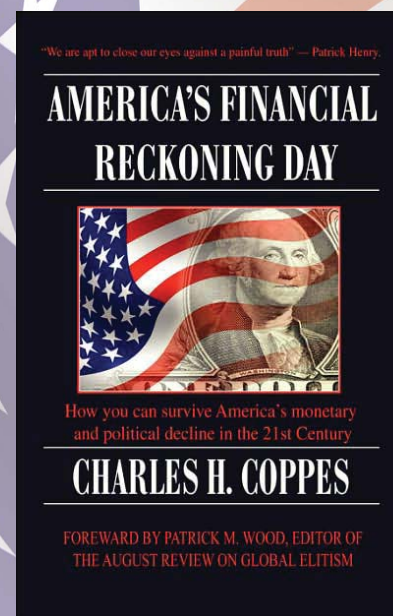
Noel Shepley

Women of Grace
Tuesday Morning
Bible Study
9:00 a.m.

Grace Church Presents

"A Monetary & World Affairs Briefing"

with Charles H. Coppes, author of *America's Financial Reckoning Day*



You will not want to miss this exciting and compelling Power-Point presentation that provides viewers with an intriguing background of monetary history, central banking, macroeconomics and geopolitics that are shaping our world. For the baby-boom generation this is a serious wake-up call that domestic and foreign issues are converging to script the perfect financial storm that includes everything from asset bubbles, trade deficits, unfunded liabilities and derivatives exposure to an eventual bond liquidation, currency collapse and hyperinflation. For safety and sensible stewardship various investment and hedge strategies will be offered for contrarian investors.

With exacting detail Chuck will present a clear case for America's moral and political decline in the 21st century along with the rise of the European Union as a new superpower, China's growing influence, the politics of oil, and the prophetic implications of war in the Middle East. Presented from a distinctly Christian worldview similar to the Left Behind series, this two-part lecture will conclude with an inspirational message that points to Jesus Christ as our eternal hope. Please plan to attend and invite your family and friends!



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)

Welcome to Grace!



Dealing With Temptation

41 Days

Next Right

Soul Provider

10

Proving Ground

17

King of the Hill

24

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

No Ethos (College Retreat)

Friday

7:00 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery

Ministry Statistics

Grace Newton Offering\$2,668.92

Grace Church Offering\$39,422.95

Last Week's Attendance:

Worship Services 1,321

Wednesday Evening 503

Grace Newton 115

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.

Children's Ministry



Bible Quiz Team

Congratulations to the Awana Bible Quiz Teams!

Grace Church was represented by 17 children in 5 different teams at the Central Iowa Bible Quiz. All the teams worked hard and competed well. Out of those teams, Book 2 Girls earned a 2nd place score and Book 4 Boys/Girls earned a 1st place score. Great job to all the Awana Bible Quiz Clubbers!

Elisha's prayers in 2 Kings 6 stopped the invasion of the Syrian army. Did you realize that prayer could be so powerful? It's true; you've got the power, too! You have the power of prayer. At any time, in any place or situation, you can pray to God and He will hear your prayer and answer you! You can take every need to Him, and He will listen, understand and help in the way He sees best. Sometimes He'll even let you see the angels that are protecting you, just as Elisha did.

Notes / Reminders

1. The Awana Grand Prix has been rescheduled for Saturday, Feb. 9.
2. First Steps Class for children interested in baptism: Feb. 6 or Feb. 20. See Karla Kincaid for more details.
3. Easter Fest is an outreach to the children of our community. It will be held on March 22. Donations of candy and toys are needed. See Pastor Josh or Karla Kincaid for more information.

Grace Student Ministry

After Church There is a luncheon today at 12:30 p.m. for the adult Sponsors and the Sr. High Youth Ministry Team in the Youth Room (ED204)

Tonight Small Group Super Bowl parties will be going on in homes (**see the GSM Super Bowl insert**).

Wednesday The Gathering begins at 6:45 p.m. Both Sr. High and Jr. High will dive into a new series. Sr. High will begin a series on Worship starting with a lesson called "Giving God the Glory due Him." Jr. High begins a series called "Bodybuilders: Finding the strength to fight temptation".



www.gracestudentministry.com

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.

Temptation: Need Help?

Our bookstore in the Atrium has several books available to help you learn more about Dealing with Temptation. Written by trusted pastors and teachers like Charles Stanley and Bruce Wilkinson, you will find both encouragement and solid Bible teaching on the subject of temptation.

Grace Quilters

Do you have 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. For more information, contact Lynda Charleston at (515) 967-3946.

Girls of Grace Simulcast

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. Moms are invited, too.

RAGBRAI

RAGBRAI Team Impact is a Christ centered bicycle club planning for our 25th RAGBRAI. An information and signup 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.

Ethos Super Bowl Party

Tonight Grace's College Ministry (Ethos) is having a Super Bowl party at Sam Wing's house beginning at 5:30 p.m. The address is 613 22nd Ave. SW, Altoona. This is a party for all college age students. There is no cost and food will be provided. For more information, call 515.979.8713.

College Retreat

On February 8-10, Grace's College Ministry, Ethos, will be going on a Spiritual Renewal Retreat to Moody Founder's Week in Chicago. The cost is \$100 and covers all transportation, housing, and most food. If interested, see Pastor Jonathan or Sarah Linser.

Daddy's Little Girl Banquet

The Daddy's Little Girl banquet is coming quickly! Friday, February 15th, at the Embassy Suites on the river, in Downtown Des Moines, starting at 6:00 p.m. Sign up and purchase tickets at the Resource Center. Please remember to submit a picture of you and/or your daughter(s) to ahooover@gracehome.com. Childcare will be provided, the night of the banquet, at Grace Church. If you are not participating in the program, but are a Grandparent or relative you may attend the banquet as well. The cut-off date for purchasing and paying for tickets is Wednesday, February 13th.

Vehicle Needed

Charles Coppes will be in need of a car while he is here (Feb. 6-9). If you have one that he could use, please contact Pastor Chris at celler@gracehome.com or 515.265.0199. Thanks!

Food Staples Drive - February 17

Hope Ministries Facility serves over 120,000 meals per year. James and Cindy Dick are asking you to help serve those meals by donating the following items on Sunday, February 17:

- Mayo
- Ketchup
- Mustard
- Jelly/Jam
- Pancake syrup

Together we can partner to minister to the hurting, hungry, and homeless right here in central Iowa. Food Staples Drive - "That was easy!"

Coming To Grace

February 2008

Elders' Meeting 6
Speaker: Charles Coppes 8
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
Jim Myers

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

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