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THE GOOD LIFE: High Returns

1 Corinthians 9:6-11, Luke 6:38

1. You _____ what you _____.
 - a. Give from the _____.
 - b. Give _____.
2. You receive _____ you _____.
3. You receive _____ than you _____.
4. God enjoys _____ through _____.

Next Steps

1. Do you have any skills or activities you can use to connect and care for others?
2. Which person can you give forgiveness or acceptance?
3. Rate yourself on a scale of 1-5 of how tired or “empty” you feel (5 is exhausted). Based on your score, ask God to reveal where He is in this season of life. You may want to ask Him, “Why am I not receiving what I think I need from you? Help me to receive from you.” Or you may feel grateful and say, “Thank you for your generosity. Where can I join You in what You’re doing?”

*You can listen to sermons on our website gcc-online.org/sermons.
CDs may be purchased at the Connection Desk.*

October 8, 2017

THE GOOD *life*

HIGH RETURNS LUKE 6:38



TODAY@GRACE - October 8, 2017

Let's Worship Together! (9am & 10:30am)
Nursery & nursing mothers room available

Let's Grow Together! (9am & 10:30am)
Adult & Children's Sunday School
Complete list of classes available @ Connection Desk
New Class: Pilgrim's Progress (9am ~ Room 200)

Middle School Igniter (9am ~ Garage)
"Angry Birds" / *Dependence on Jesus*

Baptism Prep Class (4pm ~ Fireside Room)

High School Igniter (6:30pm ~ Activity Center)
"4 Square-in-the-Air" / *Living in Line with the Gospel*

sign up station in the foyer
Men's Prayer & Fellowship Breakfast and Fall Shoot

child dedications
10:30am
-Maddox Easton Busenitz, son of Stuart & Jessica
-Ruthie Ava Good, daughter of Bill & Olivia
-William Dean Kurtz, son of Loren & Anne

Dear Guests,

Thank you for worshiping with us. We realize there are many places you could be on a Sunday morning. We are so glad you are here! If you need any assistance, please see an usher or visit our Connection Desk.

*If you are a **first-time guest**, please complete the Communication Card (attached to this program) and bring it to the Connection Desk in the foyer to receive a free gift as a thank-you for visiting.*

*You may notice that no **offering basket** is passed during today's service. Baskets are at the doors. We invite guests to receive the blessings of this morning's service without feeling compelled to give.*

Grace Community Church Family

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college night at Norm's

October 10 | 7:30pm | Norm's Coffee Bar
If you're 18-28 come over to Norm's Coffee Bar (613 N. Main) for an evening of relaxing and hanging out.

new women's sunday school class begins

October 15 | 9am | Room 205
Come enjoy an in-depth study of the book of Mark using Kay Arthur's study as a guideline; taught by Donata Girard.

amigo 20 adult & family mexico mission trip

Registration deadline October 22
Our annual trip to Children's Haven International is scheduled for March 1-9, 2018. Registration deadline is October 22. Brochures are available at the Connection Desk.

women's crafternoon

October 28 | 2-5pm | Fireside Room
Fall and Christmas will collide at the women's Crafternoon! Ladies will be able to choose between a fall tree craft or a Christmas wreath craft. Cost is \$10. Snacks will be provided. Please register online by October 18. Space is limited.

teambuild appreciation breakfast

October 29 | 9am | Activity Center
Volunteers in nursery, Sunday school, 1-to-1, Awana & Igniter are encouraged to attend this Sunday morning training and fellowship time. Come be encouraged and equipped for your role in serving our children and youth.

trunk or treat

October 31 | 6 - 8pm | N. Parking Lot
Join us for this is fun, free family event! It's an easy way to connect with our community and provide a safe alternative to door-to-door trick or treating! Sign up online to host a trunk or help with parking, greeting or welcome table. Donate candy now through Oct. 31 (leave in the tank outside the office). Contact Allison Entz for more info, allisonentz@gmail.com.

behold the lamb of god tickets

December 8 | 7pm | Worship Center
Andrew Peterson & friends are bringing "Behold the Lamb of God" back to GCC! It will be an incredible night of great music and fun for the whole family to prepare our hearts for the Christmas Season! We are expecting the concert to sell out again, so get your tickets in advance at www.itickets.com/events/382004

THIS WEEK & BEYOND

October

- 9 Growing in the Dark 7pm Norm's (613 N. Main)
- 10 College Night at Norm's 7:30pm 613 N. Main
- 12 Prayer Meeting 3pm Worship Center
- 21 Men's Prayer & Fellowship Breakfast with Fall Shoot 7:30am at Stan Jost's Farm (3821 SW 48th, Newton)
- 22 Baptism both services
- 26 Elder Meeting 6pm
- 28 Women's Crafternoon 2pm Fireside Room
- 29 Sunday School classes on break
- 29 TeamBuild Volunteer Inservice 9am Activity Center
- 31 Trunk or Treat 6pm North Parking Lot

November

- 16 Elder Meeting 6pm Fireside
- 17 Igniter Oasis Conference in Manhattan KS through the 18th
- 23 Office Closed through November 24
- 28 Legacy 6:30pm Fireside Room

Grace Community Church Ministry Team:

Lead Pastor: Jack Napier **Worship & Community Life:** Kyle Schanbacher
Founding Pastor: Dave Reimer **GraceKids:** Juli Dirks
Counseling, Discipleship: Steve Friesen **Nursery Director:** Lori Jordan
Student Ministries: Loren Kurtz

Grace Network Churches:

Grace Community Fellowship (Hillsboro): Search in process; Pastor Dave filling in
Grace Crossing (Moundridge): Jason Rains
New Anthem Community Church (Park City): Landon Jordan

Board of Elders:

Chairman: Mark Olsen	Vice Chairman: Marc Friesen	Secretary: Brian Loewen
Treasurer: Gene Pankratz	Steve Friesen	Dave Reimer
Mike Barter	Jeff Couchman	
Gary Jantz	Audrun Siebert	

STATISTICS FROM OCTOBER 1

Worship Attendance: 595 **General Offering:** \$20,970
Freedom 2017: \$514

GIVING

Automatic and online giving available at gcc-online.org.
Fiscal year as of 8/31/2017:
Income - \$682,169
Budget - \$826,078

Offering baskets are located at the doors inside the Worship Center.