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Matthew 13:24–30, 36–43

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What's True in the Bible?

Understanding the Parable of the Wheat & Weeds

1. The _____

Matthew 13:24–30

2. Jesus' _____

Matthew 13:36–43 / Daniel 7:13

3. Our _____

Matthew 13:24–43 / John 16–18

What's Real in my life?

- Why did the Disciples want Jesus to explain the parable? What does this teach us?
- Why would the Disciples give the title of “the parable of the weeds,” and not mention the wheat? What does this say about their understanding?
- In what ways does this parable challenge me or raise questions for me?

What's Next?

Grace Community

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Love God, Love people, and Lead others to do the same.



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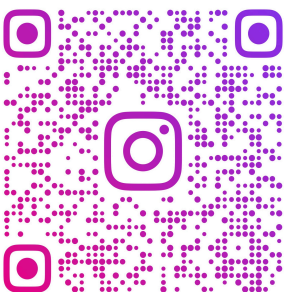
Welcome to Grace

Hello! We are so glad you're joining us this morning! We have a strong desire to know and experience God's love. It is His love for us which, in turn, inspires us to love God, love people, and lead others to do the same.

If you're a guest with us, we would love to hear from you! Go to gccnewton.com and click the blue button that says **Connect With Us** and tell us how we can serve you or pray for you. We would love to have you join us every Sunday at 9:00am or 10:45am!

If you have any questions or want more information about who we are and what we do, please take some time to browse our website at gccnewton.com or visit the connection desk in the foyer.

Connect With Us



INSTAGRAM

Stay connected with all things Grace related! We post spiritual encouragement, church updates, and the occasional dad joke; and who doesn't like a good dad joke?

Next step: Follow us on Instagram at [gccnewton](https://www.instagram.com/gccnewton) or scan the QR code to the left.

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Next Steps with Grace



Are you looking to get plugged in and use the gifts God has given you to serve? At Grace we believe we are called to be the church. We have several ministries that serve not only on Sunday mornings and in our church walls, but also to the community and nations around us.

Next Step: Visit online at gccnewton.com/serve for more information.

Giving to the Lord

We believe that regular giving to the local church is an essential act of worship in response to God's generosity and provision for us. You can give at gccnewton.com/give, in the Church Center app, or at one of the baskets by the exits of the Worship Center.

Fiscal Year as of April 30

Income: \$388,479
Expense: \$349,439
Budget: \$375,755

Attendance from May 21

627

Growing with Grace



Starting June 5th | 7 - 8:30pm | Fireside Room

Does the world seem to be falling apart? Will the evil we see ever stop? Does God even have a plan for all this? Are there lots of verses in the Bible about the future you don't understand? If these questions are your questions, there is a Bible study happening this summer you might like to be a part of.

Next step: Sign up at gccnewton.com/upcoming-events



Starting May 28 | C304/C306

Kids ages 3 years old through Kindergarten can attend Kids Church during the service. The children will attend Worship with their parents -during either service- and be dismissed for Kids Church after.

Next step: Parents, please register your child ahead of time at gccnewton.com/upcoming-events. If you have not registered, please make sure to go with your child the first time they are attending to get checked in!



June 4 - July 30 | 9am | Deck Room

We believe that everyone needs a biblical worldview, especially the next generation. "Proof" is a class, designed for 1st through 6th graders, about creation through a biblical worldview lens. This class aims to present truths and facts to prove that God is the Creator.



The New Hope Shelter is one of many local ministries that Grace supports. Their mission is to provide a sanctuary for those experiencing homelessness in Harvey, Marion, Butler, and McPherson Counties by uniting the local church into a nurturing community which restores hope through a growing relationship with Christ. Executive Director Brian Bisbee is sharing an update with us this morning.

Next step: Stop by the New Hope Shelter table in the foyer for more info!

For More Information

There are many opportunities for you to get connected and involved here at Grace! For more details, take some time to browse gccnewton.com. We especially recommend checking out the **Upcoming Events** page!