

## THE LORD'S DAY

September 7, 2025 at 8:30 AM & 10:15 AM

### PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Piano

Wendy Baldwin

Prayer

John VanderMey

Scripture Reading – Psalm 65 page 892 in the pew Bible

Hymn 303

Worthy Is the Lamb

Hymn 302

Lamb of God

Announcements

VBS Songs led by Dean Arnold

Pastoral Prayer

Message A Soldier, an Athlete, a Hard-Working Farmer

2 Timothy 2:1-6

Rev. Cal VanderMey

Hymn 548

As the Deer

Benediction

Postlude

### WESTMINSTER CATECHISM

Q. 66. What is the reason annexed to the fifth commandment?

A. The reason annexed to the fifth commandment is, a promise of long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory and their own good) to all such as keep this commandment. Ex. 20:12; Deut. 5:16; Eph. 6:2-3

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Tuesday – Precept on Zoom Revelation Part 3, 6:30 PM

Wednesday – Men's Bible Study 10 AM

Thursday – Precept 8:15 AM

Thursday – Choir Rehearsal 6:30-7:45 PM

Friday - 20s & 30's Bible study – 7-8 PM

### LOOKING AHEAD

September 16 - Youth Group 5:30-7 PM

September 17 - Ladies of Grace 1:30 PM

September 20 – Ladies Luncheon 12:30 PM

September 27 – Men's Breakfast 9-10 AM

September 28 - Niagara Gospel Rescue Mission Dinner 5 PM

Need volunteers to cook, serve or pick up supplies

October 3 – Chowder Night 6 PM

## MISSIONARY CORNER

Each week we focus on Missionaries and Organizations we support as a local church.

Grace to You Ministry Update

In recent weeks, many of you have reached out with words of love, encouragement, and prayer. On behalf of our family and the entire Grace to You team—thank you. Your partnership in this ministry has always meant more than you know, and never more so than now.

I've had the great privilege of serving alongside my dad for many years and of sitting on the Grace to You board for more than 25 years. Like so many of you, I've loved this ministry all my life. And while these days are marked by both sorrow and joy, I want you to know that I am more committed than ever to the work God entrusted to us through my father.

Grace to You exists to unleash God's truth, one verse at a time—a mission anchored in our steadfast commitment to Scripture and carried forward by my father's faithful preaching of the Word for over 56 years. That mission will not change. We are not looking for an alternative voice or a different teacher. Our purpose remains clear: to preserve John MacArthur's teaching ministry and make it available to as many people as possible, worldwide, for generations to come.

Our archive of my dad's Bible teaching includes hundreds of sermons we have not yet aired on Grace to You. John MacArthur pastored Grace Community Church for more than five decades, and for most of that time he prepared and preached two fresh sermons every week. There are about 3,600 distinct sermons in our archive. In other words, Grace to You can keep producing new broadcasts for decades to come. So we intend to keep doing precisely what we have always done, for as long as the Lord permits—and for as long as friends like you want to hear and support our ministry.

We are already well underway with an effort to translate and record at least 600 essential sermons from the Grace to You archive into as many languages as possible. With your ongoing support, we will continue that work until the entire world has access to this amazing body of teaching.

Alongside Phil Johnson, Jay Flowers, and our remarkable leadership team, I consider it a profound honor to lead Grace to You into the future. We are confident that this ministry, by God's grace, will continue to bear fruit for decades—faithfully declaring the truth of God's Word to the ends of the earth.

Thank you for standing with us. Your prayers, generosity, and unwavering support make this work possible.

Yours for the Master,

Matt MacArthur