

What Is Grace Reformed Presbyterian Church?

GRPC is a Bible-believing Church. We hold that the Bible is the infallible, inerrant Word of God. We hold to the truths that God's Word teaches us: that God created man, that man fell into sin, that Jesus Christ came to save those whom God has called His own, and that one day He will return again.

GRPC is a *Reformed* Church. Our heritage traces back to the practice and teaching of the churches of the Sixteenth Century Protestant Reformation.

GRPC is a *confessional* Church. We hold to the system of doctrine contained in the Westminster Confession of Faith and the Larger and Shorter Catechisms.

GRPC is an *Orthodox Presbyterian* Church. "Ortho" comes from the Greek language and means "straight." "Dox" is also a Greek term and means "thinking." "Presbyterian" is derived from another Greek word, "Presbyteros," meaning elder.

GRPC is governed by a Session of Elders, whose primary task is to care for the spiritual well-being of her members.



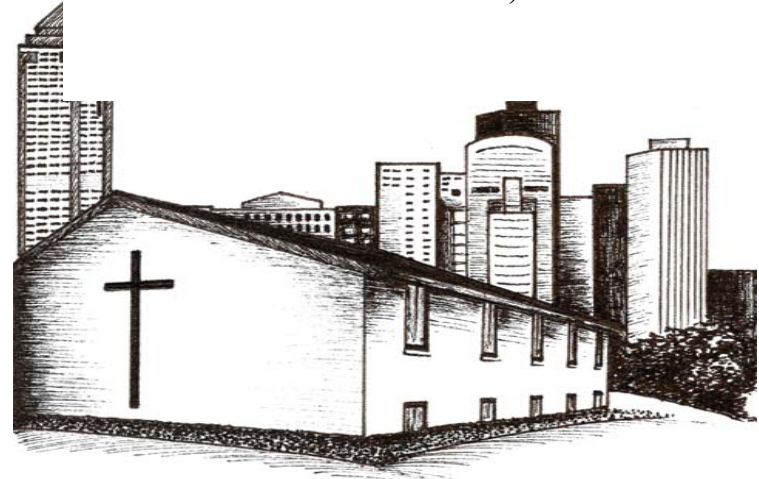
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Worship: 10:15 AM
Bible Study: 6:00 PM
Sunday School for all ages: 9:15 AM

Our Officers:
Rev. Rodney T. King, Pastor
Rev. Chuck Muether, Church Planter
Elder Mitchell Mahan
Elder Mike Nop
Deacon Don Frye, Chairman
Deacon Bill Smith, Secretary
Deacon John Bockert, Treasurer
Church website: Gracereformed.org
Denominational website: opc.org

GRACE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 14, 2010



**Kings of the earth and all peoples,
princes and all rulers of the earth!
Young men and maidens together,
old men and children!**

**Let them praise the name of the Lord,
for his name alone is exalted;
his majesty is above earth and heaven.**

**He has raised up a horn for his people,
praise for all his saints.
for the people of Israel who are near to him.
Praise the Lord!**

Psalm 148:11-14

Morning Worship

March 14, 2010

God Calls Us to Worship

Psalm 148:11-14

We Bring Our Hearts to Him in Prayer

God Greets us with Blessing

We Sing Praise to God

Hymn 53 *Hallelujah, praise Jehovah*

God Calls us to Confess our Sins

Lamentations 3:40-45

Let us test and examine our ways,
and return to the Lord!

Let us lift up our hearts and hands
to God in heaven;

We have transgressed and rebelled,
and you have not forgiven.

You have wrapped yourself with anger and pursued us,
killing without pity;

you have wrapped yourself with a cloud
so that no prayer can pass through.

You have made us scum and garbage
Among the peoples.

We Confess Our Sin in Prayer

“The Nature of Faith”

Hebrews 11:1-6

How important is “Faith”? What is it?

I. The Importance

A. Personally

B. God’s good-pleasure

II. Faith’s Character

A. Knowledge and Response

B. Peculiar Knowledge

C. Consequences

God Gives Assurance of Grace

Lamentations 3:55-58

I called on your name, O Lord,
from the depths of the pit;
you heard my plea, ‘Do not close
your ear to my cry for help!’
You came near when I called on you;
you said, ‘Do not fear!’
You have taken up my cause, O Lord;
you have redeemed my life.

We Respond in Song to God

Hymn 419 *I need thee*

We Bring God’s Tithe and Our Offerings

Psalm 123:2

Behold as the eyes of servants
look to the hand of their master,
as the eyes of a maidservant
to the hand of her mistress,
so our eyes look to the Lord our God,
till he has mercy upon us.

We Sing in Gratitude to God

Hymn 422 *As when the Hebrew prophet raised*

God Speaks to Us through His Word

Hebrews 11:7-31

We Go to God in Corporate Prayer

God Speaks to Us through Proclamation

Hebrews 11:1-6

“The Nature of Faith”

We Close in Song to God

Hymn 454 *My faith looks up to thee*

Benediction

Announcements

We welcome all who come with us today to worship our God.
May this service be pleasing to God and spiritually profitable for
us all.

Please be in prayer for our presbytery as it meets this week in
Momence, IL. There are a number of important matters to
consider. Pray also for traveling safety for all who attend.

Evening Service

Hymn 239 *The mighty God*

Opening Prayer

Congregational Hymn Selection

Prayer Requests

Prayer of Intercession

Message:

Luke 17:11-37

“Two Surprises”

Hymn 241 *Day of judgment!*