# **WAYS TO GIVE**

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# **NEED TO KNOW**

## THIS IS US

JAN 7 / 9 & 10:30 Services
With the new year brings a new
message series called This is Us.
We will explore who we are and
what life looks like when we are on
mission together. Grace Kids is
starting a series on prayer called
Pirates that Pray, and Grace Youth
is getting ready for their Winter
Retreat.

## **SMALL GROUPS**

**JANUARY** 

Men and Women's Small Groups are kicking off their Bible Studies the first week of January. We also have a 4th & 5th grade group, youth groups that meet weekly, and we offer groups for young adults. More details are on the website.

## **BAPTISM SUNDAY**

JAN 7 / 9 & 10:30 AM

Baptism is a public declaration of your faith once you have decided to follow Jesus with all your heart. If you are ready to get baptized, let us know. You can sign up online.

#### FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

Starting JAN 21 / 1-3 PM
This 9 week class will change your financial future. You will take control of your finances, pay off debt, and build stability and freedom. You can learn more and sign up on the website.



# DEC 24 // LAUGHING ALL THE WAY WEEK 5 // PASTOR JOE BOYD

## What if Christmas did not exist?

# Why did God create Christmas?

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made. In Him was life, and that life was the light of all mankind. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. **John 1:1-5** 

He came to that which was His own, but His own did not receive Him. Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God—children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God.

John 1:11-13

Not everyone is a child of God, but everyone can be.

The Word became flesh and made His dwelling among us. We have seen His glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. John 1:14

## How many good people go to heaven?

"No one is good - except God alone." Mark 10:18

For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life. **John 3:16** 

Admit we can't make it without Jesus.

### Which religion leads to eternity?

Jesus answered, "I am the Way and the Truth and the Life. No one comes to the Father except through Me." **John 14:6** 

Believe that there is hope in the birth, life, death, and resurrection of Jesus.

If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. Romans 10:9-10

# How can I know for sure I will go to heaven?

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— not by works, so that no one can boast. **Ephesians 2:8-9** 

**Commit** your life to Jesus and follow Him.