

Who Are We?

John 1:17 proclaims that *“grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.”* Because of this, in reliance upon the Holy Spirit, we commit our lives to

Grace

- in the joyful worship of our Savior who redeems us
- in authentic, patient living because our salvation is not of us
- in grace-motivated gratitude and obedience of our Lord
- in eager sharing of the gospel by genuine love of others

& Truth

- in focusing on expository proclamation of the gospel of truth
- in desire for growth in the true knowledge of Christ
- in living out truth by being authentic in our interactions
- in personal humility without compromising biblical reality

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January 6, 2019

Service Times: 8:45 AM & 10:30 AM



Leaning In, Part 2

Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

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Call to Worship

...In Song

Made Alive

How Marvelous

Glorious And Mighty

Children Dismissed

(2 Years – 5th Grade)

...In Prayer & Offering

2 Corinthians 5:11–21

...In Song

Jesus I My Cross Have Taken

Great Are You Lord

...In Proclamation

Leaning In, Part 2

Various Scriptures

...In Fellowship

Coffee & refreshments available in lobby

LEAN IN

10 YEARS OF GRACE

In 2009, in a museum hall downtown, our local body held its first service. We've enjoyed 10 years hearing of and living in the gospel of Jesus Christ.

This amazing truth of a Savior who loves and forgives—how does it affect us? One essential change is that he puts us together. We lean in around the gospel, made one in the truth of our salvation.

Over the next several weeks, and at points during our 10th year, we'll take time as a church family to think about leaning in, on each other, around the cross, experiencing afresh how the gospel shapes our community. Step back. Lean in. With us. Around the cross of our risen Savior!

INFORMATION

Gluten Free Communion: available in the back during times we take communion.

Listening assist devices available at the sound booth.

Connecting via Wi-Fi: join GraceChurch_2.4. The password is *gracetruth*.

CALENDAR

Sunday, 6:30 PM	TGP: Middle School Youth Group
Tuesday, 9:30 AM	MomSpot
Tuesday, 8:00 PM	After Hours, at Woods Coffee (<i>Flatiron, downtown</i>)
Wednesday, 6:30 PM	The Corner: High School Youth Group
Thursday, 10:00 AM	Ladies Prayer
Thursday, 6:30 PM	Grace Kids
Saturday, 9:00 AM	ALL YOUTH: Baker Day

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALL YOUTH EVENT

ALL YOUTH Mt. Baker Snow day is **Saturday, January 12th, 9 AM–5 PM**. Meet at the church at 9:00 AM. This is one of the most looked forward to events of the year! It starts with a fun ride up to the mountain and then sledding, and snow activities galore! We eat lunch together and will be back to Grace by 5 for pickup! Bring a sled if you have one and a sack lunch! Contact: Jonathan Morris (jonathan@gracebellingham.org, or 509.710.1470).

BAPTISM

Baptism straight ahead! This is one of the most amazing moments of your life — if you haven't been baptized, or have questions, see Pastor Dax (dax@gracebellingham.org).

SHOWERS

Join us in celebrating the upcoming marriage of Emily Laninga & Jared Norgren with a bridal shower. **Friday, January 18th, 7:30 PM**, at **Tracy Palmer's** home (*4221 Springland Lane, Bellingham*). The couple is registered on Amazon, and Bed, Bath & Beyond. Contact: Robyn Kindlund (rkk6465@gmail.com).

Graham & DJ Kent are expecting their first baby in February. Krista Beer is hosting a baby shower at her home (*1260 West Park St, Lynden*) **Tuesday, January 29th, 6:30 PM**. They are registered at Babylist.com, search for (*Donnajoy Kent*). If you can help with food at the shower, contact Britta ([253.315.4901](tel:253.315.4901)).

GRACE KIDS – HELP NEEDED

We need your help. Awesome opportunities available to share Christ with kids by your presence and energy! It's easy to be a blessing! If you are interested or have any questions, contact: Nathan Barbo (nathan@gracebellingham.org).

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SAVE THE DATE FOR 2019!

March 15-16: Ladies Retreat

May 4: Family Night @ Sports Plex

July 15-19: Vacation Bible School

July 28: Baptism & BBQ @ Padden

August 16-18: Church Campout @ Silver Lake