

## 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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Have questions? Need prayer? Please contact our Elders & Deacons

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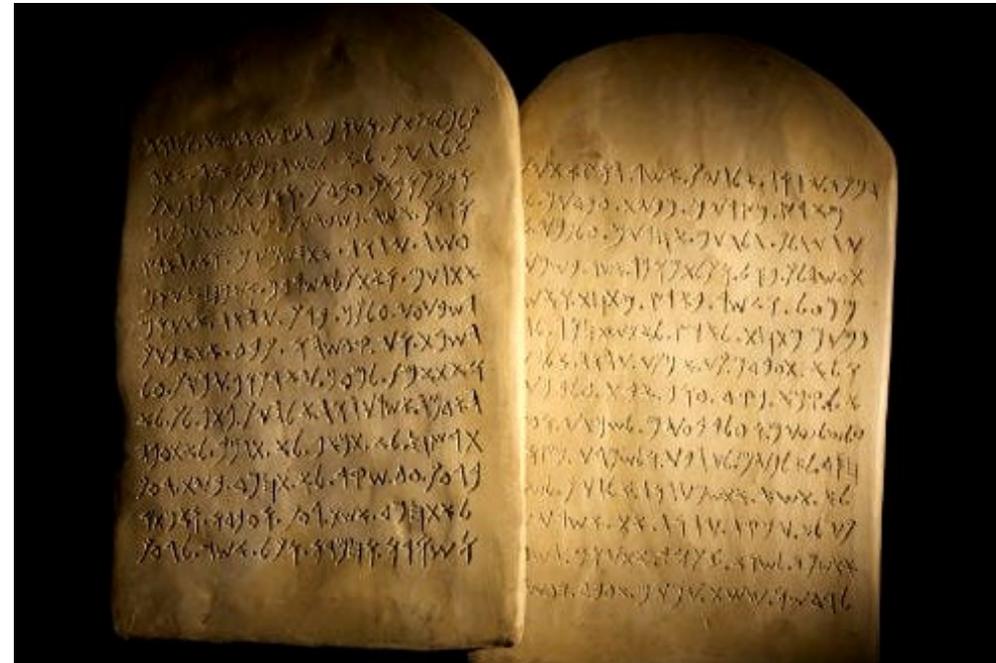
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# September 15, 2019

Service Time: 10:00 AM



# Beyond Law

## Mark 10:1-31

# Welcome to Sunday Morning Worship

## September 15, 2019

# FALL KICKOFF

## 2019

### Call to Worship

*This Is Amazing Grace  
Lead Me To The Cross  
Forever Reign*

### Children Dismissed

*(Newborn – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade)*

### Scripture Reading

*Psalm 32:1–7*

### Offering & Prayer

*Jesus Paid It All  
Behold Our God*

### Message

*Beyond Law  
Mark 10:1-13*

### Communion

*Behold Our God*

### Fellowship

*Coffee & refreshments in the lobby*



Mark is relentless in presenting to us the servant Son of God, Jesus Christ. Relentless in action, in focus, in a single-minded purpose that we might trust in this Savior who is unstoppable for us, forever.

One of our main pitfalls is that we don't see ourselves as we are. We hold out hope that our lawkeeping is enough, that our behavior and morality is what keeps us with God. Jesus today takes one of life's institutions—marriage—and shows us our problems run deeper than we imagine. Our only hope is to be like little kids, and to openly receive what Jesus will do for us. The best of us are lost and unable, stained beyond rescue; yet with God all things are possible. In Christ we live.



Groups are starting this week! Now's the time to check out where the nearest group is for you and when it starts up. You can look online at [www.gracebellingham.org](http://www.gracebellingham.org) or visit the info desk today. And let us know right away if you'd still like to lead a group! We are looking forward to another great year of fellowship together.



September 21<sup>st</sup>, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM @ Grace Church Bellingham

**Brunch & Shower** benefiting **Whatcom County Pregnancy Center** and **The Foster Closet**. We'll shower these two ministries with much-needed supplies. Brunch will be served, and representatives from both ministries will be with us to share what God is doing. We'll also look at the amazing truth of our being adopted by God. Please **register** for planning purpose and choosing a dish to share. There is **no charge** for this event.

September 26<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 AM or 6:30 PM @ Grace Church Bellingham

Women's Bible Study will run **9 weeks**. We will be meeting at Grace Church on Thursdays either morning or evening studies. **Free childcare** will be provided for the morning study. I am excited to dive into the wisdom literature in Ecclesiastes and Song of Songs! Please register, **\$10 book charge**. –Robyn Kindlund

Register for both events in the lobby or on our website: [gracebellingham.org/events](http://gracebellingham.org/events)



**MomSpot** is the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of every month starting **September 24<sup>th</sup>, 9:45-11:45 AM**. Come be encouraged as you meet other moms in our community and share in the joy and struggles of this season of life. Our meetings include coffee, a light snack, fellowship, crafts, special events, and dynamic speakers. **Register** today.

### INFORMATION

**Communion:** Gluten Free options are located on the back table.

**Listening assist devices** available at the sound booth.

**Connecting via Wi-Fi:** join Gracechurch\_2.4. The password is *gracetruth*.

**Livestream:** Join us 10:30 AM Sundays on Facebook.

**Need Prayer?:** Email our prayer team at: [prayer@gracebellingham.org](mailto:prayer@gracebellingham.org)

### HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, 6:30 PM	TGP: Middle School Youth Group
Tuesday, 8:00 PM	<b>Young Adults</b> @ Flat Iron Woods (Downtown)
Wednesday, 7:00 AM	<b>Prayer</b>
Wednesday, 6:30 PM	<b>The Corner:</b> High School Youth Group
Thursday, 6:30 AM	<b>Men's Morning:</b> Book–Seculosity, by: David Zahl
Thursday, 10:00 AM	<b>Ladies Prayer</b> @ Grace
Friday, 6:30 PM	<b>The Corner:</b> Home Fellowship Night @ Margeson's
Saturday: 10:00 AM	<b>Women's Brunch &amp; Shower</b> @ Grace
Saturday: 7:00 PM	TGP: Corn Maze – Meet @ GCB, Cost \$6