



~ ~ ~ **WELCOME TO GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH!** ~ ~ ~  
 We're so thankful you're here to worship with us! Introduce yourself to Pastor Chris after the service for a small gift just for you. We pray that being here will help you to rest and rejoice in Jesus!

*a note from Pastor Chris:*

I was encouraged at our Illinois Baptist State Association annual meeting this past week to step out in faith in various ways. We can often get so comfortable in our routines that we miss great opportunities to glorify God in our daily lives. If you consider Jesus to be your Savior and Lord, don't just be willing to go where He might lead you; actively seek it out, so that you rejoice every moment in the grace of God given to you!

*upcoming events:*

**Operation Christmas Child Packing Night** / TONIGHT, 6:30 pm  
 Bring a few more items that we can stuff in boxes for the kids!!!

**Youth Food Pantry Scavenger Hunt** / Nov. 18, 4 pm  
 The Food Pantry needs to stock its shelves before Thanksgiving. Let's help!

**Food Pantry Service Project** / Nov. 18, 6 pm  
 Help the Food Pantry organize all the donated food!

**Community Advent Service** / Nov. 25, 6 pm // 219 S. Oak St, Nokomis  
 Begin to prepare your heart for Christmas

*today's volunteers:*

*Greeters:* Brenda Matthews & Karrie Tosetti  
*Next Week:* Donald Hill

*Special Music:* Pastor Chris  
*Next Week:* Nick & Sarah Merano

*Sunday School Nursery:* Alicia Brookens  
*Next Week:* Becky Warner

*Nursery:* Sarah Merano & Matthew Hill  
*Next Week:* Barb Thompson & Terrisa Kirchner

*Children's Church helper:* Anna Brookens  
*Next Week:* Jennelle Huff

*Order of Worship:*

- Call to Worship Hymn
- Opening Prayer
- Offertory Hymn
- Special Music
- Scripture Reading
- Praise Songs
- Children's March  
*(children exit to Nursery)*
- Sermon
- Closing Prayer

*last week at a glance:*

**Worship Attendance:** 65

**Offering:** \$935.00

*Sermon:* "We are Church" (Ephesians 2:17-22)

*Notes:*

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*Next week:* "Reconciling the World" (2 Corinthians 5:17-21)

