#### **Sermon Notes**



### March 5th, 2017

The Ministry of the Gospel—Ephesians 3:7-13 • Pastor Mike Hovland Next Week: Ephesians 3:15-19 • Pastor Mike Hovland

#### Welcome to GraceLife

Thanks for joining us today, we are glad you came! If this is your first time here, or if you haven't taken advantage of it already, please fill out an honoured guest registration card available at the Visitor and Membership Reception Desk. We have a free gift for you.

At our Visitor and Membership Reception Desk you can find . . .

Membership booklets and applications

Locations and times of our mid-week Bible Studies

Sign-up Sheets for various ministries and opportunities

#### This Week

<u>Wednesday</u>—Women of Grace potluck and prayer 9:30-11:30am. Please sign up at welcome center or contact Erin Coates at <u>womenofgrace@gracelife.ca</u>.

#### **Coming Up**

**Spring Conference April 21-23**—We will be hosting a Spring Conference on Evangelism with Mike Riccardi.

#### **Announcements**

**Library Meeting**—There will be a meeting of current librarians & library helpers immediately following the service today. Those interested in helping in the library are encouraged to attend as well.

**Fidgety Children**—Children 4 & up may go to *classroom #4* if they are restless/ noisy, with parental supervision. There will be colouring pages and crayons for them, and the sermon is clearer in there.

**Bible Study Host**—We are looking for a Bible Study host in the South East part of town or in Beaumont or Leduc. If you are interested contact <a href="mike@gracelife.ca">mike@gracelife.ca</a>.

**Directory & Newsletter**—the new directory and latest edition of the *Currents* newsletter are now available at the Welcome Center!

**Volunteers Needed**—We are looking for ladies to help in a few areas: Decorating Committee & Kitchen Helpers. Contact Jenn Ford at (780) 777-9302 or at <a href="mailto:jenn@gracelife.ca">jenn@gracelife.ca</a> for more information.

# There are blue recycle bins in the foyer to put your bulletins in when done. Thank you for your cooperation!

## Soup & Sandwich Sunday

Thank you to all who made our first Soup and Sandwich Sunday a success, and for bearing with us as we streamline this monthly fellowship event! This month's Soup and Sandwich Sunday will be on March 26th. According to last name:

A-M bring 2 loaves of roast beef sandwiches N-Z bring a crock pot of vegetable soup

If you have dietary restrictions, please contact Tasha Chomiak at 587-879-3251.

## **Annual General Meeting on March 19th**

Pursuant to the By-Laws of GraceLife Church of Edmonton, the Board of Elders have approved the following as Elders, Deacons, and Deaconesses:

**Elders:** Paul Claassen, James Coates, Mike Hovland, Ruthven Shepherd **Deacons/Deaconesses:** Matthew & Dawn Fox, Dorothy Wassenaar

In accordance with the By-Laws, the Board of Elders hereby present the above slate of nominees to all members of GraceLife Church of Edmonton for the purpose of affirming the decision of the Elders. Affirmation by the membership shall be assumed unless the Board of Elders receives an accusation with respect to a nominee(s) in accordance with 1 Timothy 5:19 on or before March 18th, 2017.

Please note that the Elders intend to hold a congregational Q&A after the meeting. We invite members to submit any questions or concerns they would like to have answered or addressed as part of this event. Pastor Mike's specially-crafted "Question Box" will be at the reception desk to submit your questions in. We look forward to a wonderful time of worship and conversation as part of this annual meeting.

Ministry and program leaders, please prepare and forward your annual overviews and summaries of this past year's ministry to your respective supervising elders. Thank you!