

NEW HERE? WELCOME!

We warmly welcome you to Grand Rapids Evangelical Free Church (GREFC)! We're so glad you've joined us today. If this is your first visit, please check out our Welcome Center and grab a few brochures to learn more about us.

We would love to connect with you! Please fill out a **blue Connect Card** and drop it off in an Offering Box so we have a record of your visit, we can thank you for coming, and give you some next steps. We sincerely hope you will come back to visit us again next Sunday. Relax and enjoy the service.

OUR VISION

We strive to be...

Together, living with purpose, by:

- Building a community that loves everyone deeply;
- Developing personal relationships that lead others closer to Jesus and;
- Equipping each generation to follow Jesus and become disciple-makers.

KIDZ ON SUNDAY

Please check in your kids BEFORE the service starts.

Check-in stations are located in the Foyer, the Nursery and at the KidZone Check-In Desk. You may check in all your kids at any of the stations. Kids are dismissed from the service to Pathfinders after worship music ends.

9:00 am Service

10:30 am Service

Nursery (0-36 months)

Pathfinders 1.0 (Age 3-Grade 1)

Preschool A - Room 103

Preschool B - Room 101B

Grades K/1 - Room 106

ORDER OF SERVICE

Announcements & Prayer - Elder Kevin Geisler

Worship Music

Kids Dismissed/ Ministry Moment

Message - Pastor Micah Labovitch

Worship Music

Benediction

COMING SOON!



Today is the last day of Summer Pathfinders. There will be no classes throughout August and Labor Day weekend (nursery will still be available). Instead, we encourage you to have your kids with you in the service where they will get to hear a message tailored just for them by Pastor Micah.

For more details on any event, visit grefc.org/events/ Register for events at the Welcome Center or at grefc.org/register/

THIS WEEK

TODAY

Missions Committee Meeting// 12:00 pm / Pine Room

TUESDAY

Elder Board Meeting// 6:00 pm / Youth Room

SATURDAY

Playground Workday// 9:00 am - 12:00 pm / Parking Lot

EACH WEEK

- MONDAYS:** Men's Church Softball League// 6:00-10:00 pm/ Portage Park
- TUESDAYS:** Summer Family Park Dates// 9:00 am-12:00 pm/ Rotating Parks
- TUESDAYS:** Young Adult Ultimate Frisbee// 7:00 pm/ Fairgrounds
- WEDNESDAYS:** Student Summer Games// 5:30 pm/ Various Locations
- WEDNESDAYS:** Women's Weekly Walks// 7:00-8:00 pm/ Rotating Trails
- THURSDAYS:** Worship Team Practice// 7:00 pm/ Worship Center



All men are invited to share a meal and toss a few bags. We'll connect over a meal of Brats & Beans, enjoy a tournament style competition of cornhole toss, then share about what the coming men's ministry season will be like. Join us on Monday, August 28 at 6:30 pm.

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Pray With Us For...

Family: Josh & Kelly Villebro

Missions: Tom & Cheri Howard - World Team Cambodia

Ministry: Abbey Kunnari - Children's Ministry

LAST WEEK @ GREFC

Giving

Last Week Actual	Weekly Budget
\$8,235.50	\$8,365.38

YTD Actual	YTD Budget
\$260,655.97	\$250,961.54

Attendance

9:00 am - 182 **10:30 am** - 99

Online - 12 **Total** - 293

WAYS TO GIVE



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Offering Box



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218-376-7072

FIND US ONLINE



Go to the Online Events Calendar

Go online to find events for everyone in the family, with more details than what we can give in the bulletin.

The Weekly Round Up is our online bulletin. Find church news, serving opportunities, photos of ministry events, and helpful links. Every Friday in your email inbox!



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MESSAGE NOTES

The Gospel of Matthew: Will You Believe King Jesus? #8
Sermon: Expanding Opponents to King Jesus
Scripture: Matthew 13:53-14:12 (Matthew 10:16-25)

Think about it:

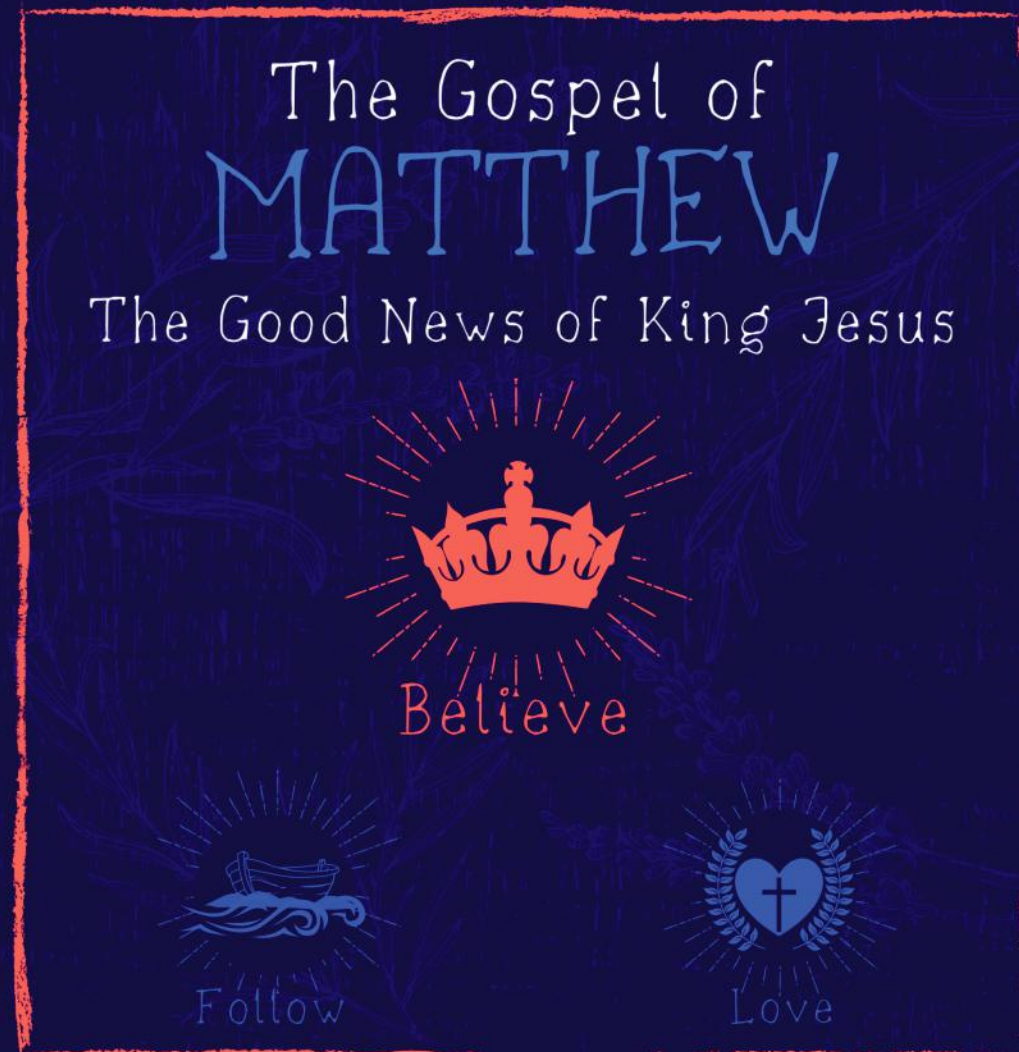
Hometowns and Households (13:53-58)

Governors and Kings (14:1-2, Luke 9:7-9, 23:6-12)

The Forerunner's Fate (14:3-12)

Weekly Memory Verse: Matthew 13:57 (ESV)

And they took offense at Him. But Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor except in his hometown and in his own household."



July 30, 2023

Join Us Sundays!

Services at

9:00 am & 10:30 am

In Person or Online on  & 



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