

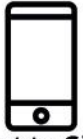
## WAYS TO GIVE



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## MESSAGE NOTES

**Christmas Songs: The Scriptures Sing of the Son #6**

**Sermon: The Song of the Bride**

**Scripture: Revelation 19:1-10**

Think about it:

The Hallelujah Chorus (19:1-5)

The Testimony Chorus (19:6-10)

**Weekly Memory Verse: Revelation 19:9 (ESV)**

**And the angel said to me, "Write this: 'Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.'" And he said to me, "These are the true words of God."**



# Christmas Songs



THE SCRIPTURES SING OF THE SON

December 31, 2023

## Join Us Sundays!

Services at

9:00 am & 10:30 am

In Person or Online on  & 



Grand Rapids Evangelical Free Church



# 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.

## KIDS & STUDENTS @ 9:00 AM

**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.

**Nursery** (0-36 months) ..... Room 108

**There are no kids programs today.  
Classes will resume next Sunday, Jan. 7.**

Preschoolers through Grade 5 attend worship time with their families in the worship center, then are dismissed to class. BRICK students start promptly at 9:00 am.

## ORDER OF SERVICE

**Announcements & Prayer** - Elder Paul Huttner

**Worship Music**

**Children's Message** - Lead Pastor Micah Labovitch

**Message** - Lead Pastor Micah Labovitch

**Worship Music**

**Benediction**

## COMING SOON!



All men are invited for a little friendly competition and to hear the outlook for Men's Ministry in 2024. If you're a cook and can handle the heat (pun intended) sign up to bring a pot of chili. If you'd rather be a taste tester, still sign up so we know how much to have on hand.

*For more details on any event, visit [grefc.org/events/](http://grefc.org/events/)  
Register for events at the Welcome Center or at [grefc.org/register/](http://grefc.org/register/)*

## THIS WEEK

**MONDAY**

Church office closed for New Years Day holiday.

**WEDNESDAY**

MidWeek Meal and Kid Groups Resume



## EACH WEEK

**SUNDAYS** Jr. High & Sr. High Youth Groups// 5:45 pm/ Youth Room

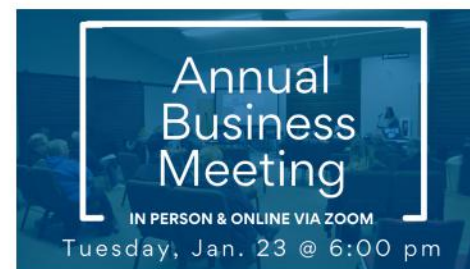
**TUESDAYS:** Young Adult Volleyball// 6:30 pm/ Worship Center

**WEDNESDAYS:** MidWeek Meal// 5:15 pm/ Community Room

**WEDNESDAYS:** Kid Groups// 6:15 pm/ Various Rooms

**THURSDAYS:** Women's Bible Study Fellowship// 6:00 pm/ Rooms 102, 104, 106

**THURSDAYS:** Worship Team Practice// 7:00 pm/ Worship Center



Plan to join us on January 23 for the GREFC Annual Business Meeting. Come hear stories of how God has moved in our ministries in 2023 and what's ahead for 2024. Members will vote on the proposed budget for 2024.

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## Pray With Us For...

**Family:** Joel & Laura Boyd

**Missions:** Deeper Life Bible Camp

**Ministry:** Ben Nissen - Men's Ministry

## LAST WEEK @ GREFC

### Giving

Last Week Actual	Weekly Budget
\$11,267.00	\$8,365.38

YTD Actual	YTD Budget
\$442,913.49	\$435,000.00

### Attendance

**9:00 am** - 295      **10:30 am** - 207

**Online** - 13      **Total** - 515