

GRACE EVAN SENIOR HIGH

SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER

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10 Todaya Special Brinner	11 Monday Coffee Shop	12 *Fight Club	13 Youth Group @6:30	14	15	16
17	18 Monday Coffee Shop	19 YSE	20	21	22	23
24 Taste of Grace Fight Clube'	25 Monday Coffee Shop	26 *Fight Club *SE	27 *Jr. Guys Dinner Youth Group @6:30	28	29	30

THE DETAILS

SUNDAY MORNINGS @9:30: It's no replacement for corporate worship, but it sure is important. Don't miss an hour designed to speak directly into the lives of high school culture.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS @6:30: Gather together for an hour to refocus on truth and spend time in community. It's a refreshing place to be in the middle of your week.

YSE TUTORING: TUESDAYS, we welcome YOU to serve the youth of Frayser by tutoring students on Tuesdays weekly. Meet in Mike's Place at 3:30pm.

SOPHOMORE SOCIAL: Meet at Grace at 7pm on Friday the 8th for a trip to Golf and Games on Summer Ave. Bring \$15 to play!

JR. GIRLS DOWNTOWN LUNCH: Saturday the 9th, meet at Grace at 12:30pm— bring money for lunch and wear your tennis shoes:)

FR/SR BRINNER: Sunday the 10th at 6pm, join us at the Crigler home for breakfast for dinner! (9453 Hedgegrove Cove)

MONDAY COFFEE SHOP: Come on over to Mike's every Monday (except the 4th) from 3:30-5pm to study, eat cookies, drink coffee and hang out!

FIGHT CLUB: Tuesday, the 12th and 26th, all 10th-12th grade dudes are invited to sharpen each other as we learn to fight the sin that dudes are uniquely susceptible to. Starts at 7p and we're done by 8:30p.

JR. GUYS DINNER: Wednesday, September 20th– Jr Guys will meet at Grace at 5pm for dinner with Kyle. **FIGHT CLUBE:** Sunday, October 1st, all GALS are invited to sharpen each other as we learn to fight the sin that ladies are susceptible to. Starts at 6:30pm in Mikes Place.

BOOK OF THE MONTH

Why We Pray

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Prayer is essential to the Christian life, but sometimes it seems hard. Why We Pray doesn't simply tell us why we should pray, but instead focuses on four blessing-filled reasons that will help us want to pray.

Rather than feeling discouraged and disheartened by your inconsistency in prayer, you'll feel reinvigorated to approach God with confidence and joy, delighted by the privilege of talking directly to our loving heavenly Father.

Ben Hunter	9/4	Miller Riggs	9/18		
Molly Rose Hamm	9/5	Molly Ward	9/21		
Bella DePriest	9/8	Landon Nelms	9/22		
Andrew Votsmier	9/10	Sam Haddow	9/22		
Maddie Bundy	9/10	Emma Martin	9/26		
Alyssa Hausmann	9/11	Emmerson Powell	9/27		
Grace Bennett	9/11				
Muireann Baker	9/15				
Gracie Makinster	9/18				

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SERIES (630P)

SUNDAY MORNING SERIES (930A)

SCANDALOUS GRACE

The Minor Prophets

RANDOM THOUGHTS

When hippos are upset, their sweat turns red.

A BRIEF THOUGHT

Romans 7

Timothy S. Lane

Paul continued to struggle with loving and obeying Christ throughout his life (Romans 7). Notice that Paul's struggles moved him closer to Christ and closer to other believers. The Christian life is lived in community. If your struggle with temptation is moving you in these two directions, God will change your desires. You might not notice this from one day to the next, but over the years you will look back and be thankful for the work the Spirit has done in you. The Spirit is the one who is able to fix our eyes on Jesus instead of on our own desires and/or failings. Paul closes Romans 7 by saying, "What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to Godthrough Jesus Christ our Lord!" (Romans 7:24-25). Don't lose hope. You and your sin are no match for God's goodness, power, holiness, and grace! The promise of the gospel is that God moved toward you before you wanted a relationship with him. Paul says, "For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly" (Romans 5:6). This is your comfort and your motivation in your daily fight against temptation. Don't lose heart; look to Jesus, the author and finisher of your faith (Hebrews 12:2).

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