

This Week at AGCC

SUNDAY
Church Unplugged: Courtyard, 9:30 am Oakwood Village Service: 1:45 pm Summer Life Groups Begin: Week of June 30
TUESDAY
Twice a Month Men's Bible Study-Ephesians: 9:00-10:15 am, Room 200 Sewers & Rippers: NO MEETING TODAY
WEDNESDAY
Worship Practice: 6:30 pm Jr. High Youth: NO MEETING TONIGHT, resumes July 17 Sr. High Youth: West home, 6:30 pm
THURSDAY
Office closed: Happy Fourth of July! Men of Intention—Conquer Series: NO MEETING TONIGHT, resumes July 11
SATURDAY
Takin' it to the Streets: Meet in Auburn Greens on Park Drive in the parking lot at the park at 10:00 am to go door-to-door inviting people to church and sharing the gospel.
NEXT SUNDAY
Worship Services: 8:30 & 10:15 am Kitchen Keepers Luncheon Meeting: 11:45 pm, Room 200 MTM Meeting: 12:00 pm, Room 209

- ◆ **Jr. High Mission Trip Urban Hope LA:** July 8-13
- ◆ **Hymn Sing:** July 13
- ◆ **Access Conference 2019:** July 23-25
- ◆ **Family River Cats Game:** July 27
- ◆ **Mexico Mission Trip:** July 27-August 4
- ◆ **Family Camp:** August 2-4
- ◆ **Canada Mission Trip:** August 2-10
- ◆ **Worship Team Slovenia Mission Trip:** August 2-17
- ◆ **Handbell Choir:** August 21
- ◆ **Connection Fair:** August 25
- ◆ **Women's Fall Bible Study:** September 4
- ◆ **Wednesday Night Live Fall session begins:** September 4
- ◆ **Grandparenting Matters Seminar:** September 6-7
- ◆ **Connection Sunday:** September 22
- ◆ **Baptisms:** September 29
- ◆ **Men's Fall Breakfast:** October 12
- ◆ **Baby Dedications:** October 13
- ◆ **Women's Fall Retreat:** October 18-20
- ◆ **Sewers and Rippers Craft Fair:** October 25 & 26
- ◆ **Fall Family Fair:** October 31

Upcoming Events

Who Goes Where?	9:30 am Service	
	Nursery: Birth-Age 2	Room 104
	Young Preschool: 2—3 Yr. Olds	Room 101
	Older Preschool: 4 Yr. Olds	Room 102
	Kindergarten	Room 201
	1st Grade	Room 203
	2nd-3rd Grade	Room 202
	4th-6th Grade	Room 204
	7th-8th Grade	Room 207

Pastoral Staff
 Lead Pastor ~ Phil Sparling
 Executive Pastor ~ Dave Wickstrom
 Body Life Pastor ~ Greg Hummel
 Grandparent Ministry Pastor ~ John McIntosh
 Student Ministries Pastor ~ Steve West
 Children's Director ~ Terese Coburn
 Worship Leader ~ Brian Altizer



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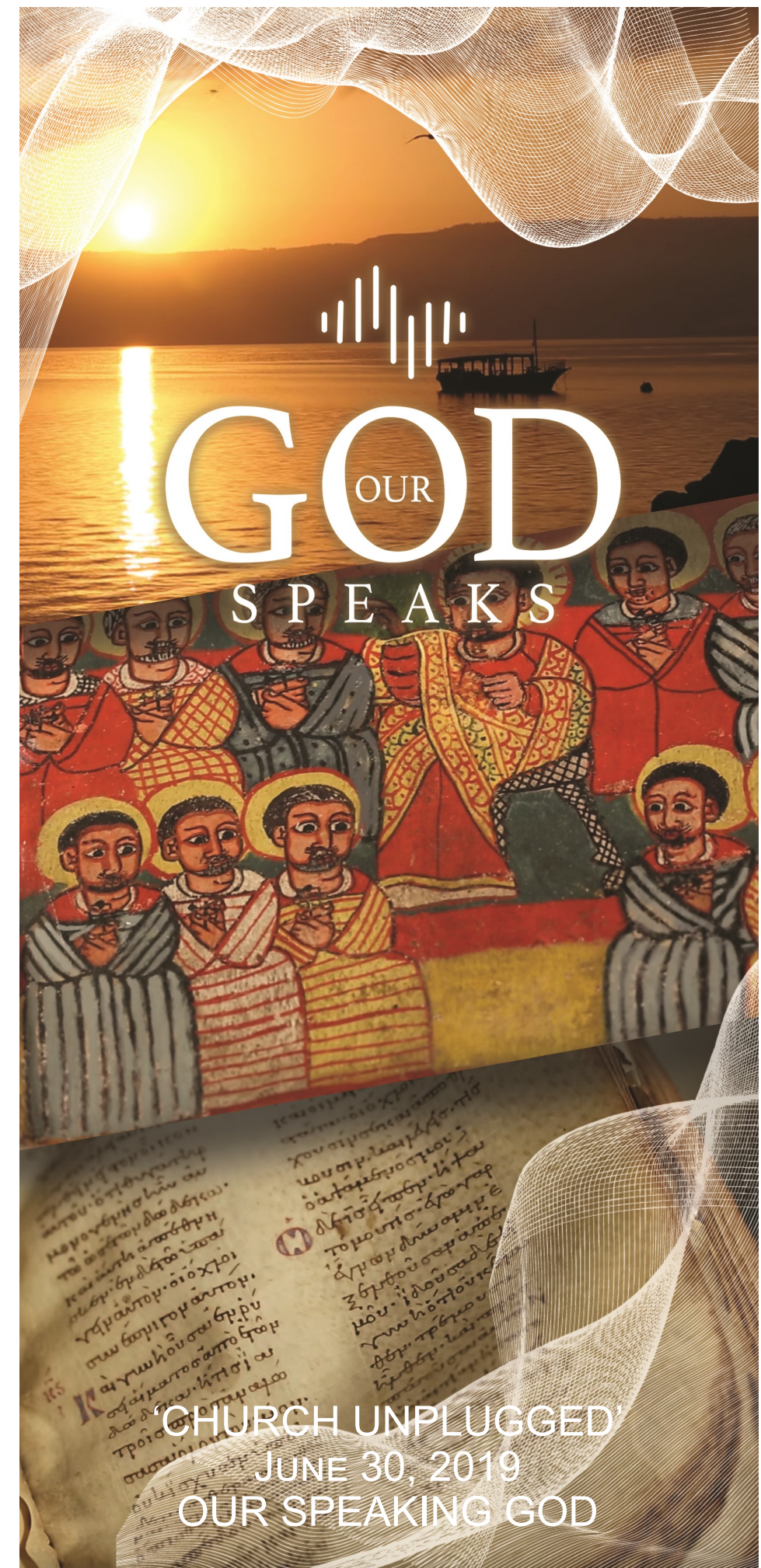


AUBURN GRACE
Community Church

“Making Jesus Famous by Connecting, Growing and Serving”

OFFICE HOURS Monday - Thursday 9 AM - 4 PM	MAILING ADDRESS PO BOX 6446 Auburn, CA 95604	LOCATION 3126 Olympic Way Auburn, CA 95603	CONTACT US (530) 823-8330 agcc@auburngrace.com
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WELCOME

We are glad
you're here

VISITING FOR THE FIRST TIME?

Make sure you pick up a Welcome Packet in the Lobby!

If you have a question about becoming a Christian, baptism, baby dedications, a prayer request, or would like to receive our email notices, **please fill out the Response Form** located in your bulletin and place it in the offering or a Response Box located in the Lobby and someone will respond to your request. Should you have a prayer request need during the week, please call or email the Church Office.

Please join us for refreshments
following the service in the Courtyard.

Wifi: Choose **AGCCguest**; password **agcc8330**

Nurse care, children, youth and adult class schedules
are listed on the back of the bulletin

There is a private **Family Room** upstairs in Room 208 for nursing moms and those with infants. Please feel free to use this room should you need to take care of your baby outside the main service.

Hearing assistance devices available for checkout at the Welcome Center.

Our **AGCC Resource Center** is located in Room 206, upstairs. If you would like a CD of today's message (or prior messages), please stop by and place your order. Cost per CD is \$1.00.

HOW TO GET CONNECTED

DOWNLOAD THE AUBURN GRACE APP!

Download our app on your phones to have easy access to our website, the Bible, online giving, audio sermons, pastor's blogs, our calendar, and more!

JOIN US FOR LUNCH AT OUR NEXT

CONNECTION SUNDAY

12:00-1:30 pm, September 22

Includes a workshop called **Connecting to Our Family** which welcomes new families into AGCC and provides a brief overview of the people, history and beliefs of Auburn Grace. Sign up online at auburngrace.com.

Hymn Sing

River Cats

Access 2019

HSM

Family Camp

Save the Date

YOU'RE INVITED TO A SPECIAL HYMN SING NIGHT

Saturday, July 13, 7:00-8:30 pm

Join us in the auditorium to sing the songs you remember from the past. Evening includes special music and a time of fellowship.

FAMILY RIVER CATS BASEBALL NIGHT—July 27 LAST DAY TO PURCHASE TICKETS

Join us at the game for Faith & Family Night at Raley Field in West Sacramento. Early admission plus Christian music and post-game fireworks! Purchase your tickets in the courtyard after service. Reserved seats only \$22 each. Please note—Final ticket sales and all monies are due TODAY. For free carpool parking go to lasherautogroup.com/rivercats. This is an all church event sponsored by the Ambassadors of Grace. For more information, contact Stan Nelson at 530-367-4768.

ACCESS 2019 CONFERENCE

Auburn Grace has the privilege of hosting the *Access 2019 Conference* this July 23-25. This conference is for all Charis Fellowship church staff teams to meet together once a year to attend ministry cohorts and workshops. Folks will be traveling from all over the country to attend.

LOOKING FOR ADDITIONAL HOST HOMES

As the hosting church, we would love to offer free (or minimal cost) housing to these folks. If you are willing to offer a room in your home, an extra living space or even an RV, please complete a **Host Home Application**. Pick one up at the Welcome Desk, in the church office or complete online at auburngrace.com under Events. Your housing will then be offered to the conference attendees via the conference website (your address will be kept confidential). You will be contacted directly by interested parties. For questions, contact the church office. Thank you for your hospitality!

HSM YOUTH ON THE LAKE!

Wednesday July 10, 17 and 31, 6:30-9:00 pm

All incoming 9th graders through 12th grade come join us in July as we praise God, pray and take a look at what the Bible has to say about emotions. Bring your swim gear, towel, and a Bible! We will be meeting at the Hudek's home at 13443 Peninsula Drive, Auburn. For questions regarding lake days, contact Grace Hudek at 530-906-9662.

FAMILY CAMP - August 2 - 4

Location— Forward Bible Camp, Georgetown

Join our annual family camping experience this summer at Forward Bible in beautiful Georgetown! Don't miss out on this adventure. You will meet new friends and make lasting memories. Camping options include: RV spaces with full hookups; RV spaces for trailers with water; 10 cabins that sleep up to eleven (large separate restrooms with showers); a large home with private bedrooms and facilities. All options include access to the camp kitchen, BBQs, pool, zipline, climbing wall and so much more. The cost is \$125 per family for two nights.

SAVE THE DATE

Fall Women's Retreat
October 18-20
Zephyr Point Conference Center
Lake Tahoe

Voting Results

Missions

Life Groups

Craft Nights

Ancient Promise

AGGC MEMBERSHIP VOTE OUTCOME

As a result of our membership vote on Sunday, June 23
the following was accomplished:

- The 2020 budget was overwhelmingly approved
- Updates on the Constitution and Bylaws were overwhelmingly approved
- Congratulations to Steve Kellar and Chuck Townsend who were reconfirmed as Elders
- Congratulations to Kathe Beadle, Kally Bye, Carolyn Kellar, Donna Lee, Rod Lee, John Reinhardt, Marilyn Reinhardt, Dan Sanysidro, Elise Townsend, Kristie Vian and Scott Vian who were re-elected for an additional term as Deacon/Deaconess

Thank you to everyone attending our Congregational Meeting and to our Membership for casting their ballots.

SUMMER MISSION TRIPS

- Los Angeles Urban Hope/Jr. High Youth—July 8-13
- Mexico—July 27-August 4
- Canada—August 2-10
- Slovenia/Worship Team—August 2-17

For details about each trip, pick up a Mission Trip 'postcard' at the Welcome Desk! Indicate your interest on the Response Form.

LADIES CRAFT NIGHTS

Iglesia de Dios (Church of God) invites the women of AGCC to join them on Thursday nights from 4:00-6:00 in room 103 as they offer weekly classes of various arts & crafts. There is no cost. For details and a list of supplies needed, contact Lori Halbert at lhalbert@auburngrace.com. Please RSVP to Lori Halbert.

LIFE GROUPS - DISCUSSION NOTES ONLINE

If you are in need of Life Group discussion notes for the week, they are on our website, auburngrace.com, under the Resources tab. Extra copies are also available in the Lobby.

ANCIENT PROMISE MINISTRIES CELEBRATION & SEND-OFF

Hear the personal stories behind the field reports and celebrate with us. Lunch will be provided for a \$5 donation.

Sunday, July 14th
12:30-2:30

Auburn Grace Community Church

To help support this 'Send-Off' - purses are available for purchase today in the Courtyard or you can join the *Sponsor a Pastor Campaign* for \$35.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT!

Join us in congratulating proud parents, Conrad and Kristin O' Brien and big sister Nora on the arrival of their twin boys, Dean, 6 pounds 14 ounces and Liam, 7 pounds 13 ounces, born May 29, 2019.

RESPONSE FORM

Please check the events you are interested in, place in the offering, a Response Box, or contact us at 530-823-8330 or agcc@auburngrace.com.

Name _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Sign me up for 'RightNow Media': (please provide email address)

◆ **Summer Missions Trips:**

Yes, I am interested in:

Los Angeles Urban Hope/Jr. High Youth, July 8-13

Mexico, July 27-August 4

Canada, August 2-10

Our Speaking God

1. **GENERAL** Revelation – God is, and has always been, speaking to **every** individual person, in **every** generation, in **every** land, to the ends of the earth.
 - God tells us that He **EXISTS** - Romans 1:18-23
 - External** creation reveals His **attributes**
 - Innate** conscious awareness **confirms** His existence
 - God tells us that He is **POWERFUL** – Psalm 19:1-6
 - Both **Macro**-creation and **Micro**-creation speak to us
 - God tells us that He is **LOVING** – Matthew 5:43-46
 - He sends **sunshine** and **rain** to people who love and hate Him

General revelation has **limitations**: It does not tell us **details** of who God is and what He is like; or how to have a **relationship** with Him; or how to get to **heaven** to be with Him.

2. **SPECIAL** Revelation - Information about God we could **never** know unless He told us! Hebrews 1:1-3
 - **Prophets** and **SCRIPTURE** – recorded words and actions **directly** from God
 - The **Person** and work of **JESUS** – God with us to see, touch, know, and worship
 - Special revelation is historical, **progressive**, accurate, purposeful, **sufficient**, and **authoritative**

Wrap up:

When any man, woman, or child examines **creation** and listens to their innate **conscience** they come to conclude that God exists, and that He is both powerful and loving.

When any man, woman, or child **pursues** God from General Revelation, He will lead them to **Special** Revelation, so they can know Him personally.

Life Group Questions

Romans 1:19-20 "...because that which is known about God is evident **within** them; for **God made it evident to them**. For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes, His eternal power and divine nature, have been **clearly seen**, being **understood** through what has been made, so that they are without excuse."

QUICK REVIEW

1. A week ago, last Sunday, Pastor Phil said that our God is fair-minded. This statement indicates that God is impartial. Is this true? Like Christians, wasn't Israel sanctified (set apart)? What is the basis for Phil's assertion?
2. Read Psalm 1. What does the term "walking in the counsel of the wicked" mean? What is the antidote? Can't we just take both the guidance of our smart unbelieving friends/family and the truths of God's Word into consideration? After all, that's integrating the best of both worlds, isn't it? Explain.

MY STORY

1. Read Romans 1:18-23. According to this passage, God tells us that He exists; that He has made Himself obvious to all of mankind. When did you first put God and creation together? In what other ways has God revealed Himself to you personally?
2. Creation also speaks forth of God's power and His love. Where do you see the supremacy of God in creation? Compare human love with God's love. How does His love impact your relationship with others? (see Matthew 5:43-46)
3. What would you say to someone who says that God is unknowable?

GOING DEEP

1. What are some of the limitations of general revelation? What is the difference between general revelation and special revelation? Why are the distinctions important?
2. Read Psalm 19:1-4. What does this passage show us about God's revelation?
3. What does God's speaking to humanity demonstrate about Himself? In what ways do you best hear God speaking to you? How much time do you spend listening to His voice?
4. It has been said that: "God gave up His personal privacy so we could know Him." How did He do this? How should we then respond to this impassioned gesture? How are you doing in your response to His desire for personal intimacy with you? What are some ways you can draw closer to God?

PUTTING IT TOGETHER:

1. What do you think are some of the challenges to living out each point?
2. Which of the above teaching points are most important for **you** to remember?