

This Week at AGCC

SUNDAY
Worship Services: 8:30 & 10:15 am Canada & Slovenia Mission Trip Training Luncheon: 12:00-1:30 pm, rooms 200 and 209 Oakwood Village Service: 1:45 pm
TUESDAY
Access2019 Conference Sewers & Rippers: NO MEETING TODAY, resumes July 30
WEDNESDAY
Access2019 Conference Worship Practice: NO PRACTICE TODAY, resumes July 31 Jr. High Youth: Lion King Movie Night. Time TBD. Sr. High Youth: 'Youth on the Lake', 6:30 pm, Hudek home, 530-906-9662, rpennington@auburngrace.com
THURSDAY
Access2019 Conference Men of Intention—Conquer Series: A Christ-centered quest for sexual purity, 7:00 pm, Room 207 Young Adult Life Group: 7:00 pm, The Café
FRIDAY
HSM—Mini Golf & In-n-Out: 7:00 pm, Meet @ Sunsplash, Roseville
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 Mexico Mission Trip: Begins today through August 4 Family River Cats Game: Raley field, Sacramento
NEXT SUNDAY
Worship Services: 8:30 & 10:15 am Oakwood Village Service: 1:45 pm

- ◆ **Family Camp:** August 2-4
- ◆ **Canada Mission Trip:** August 2-10
- ◆ **Worship Team Slovenia Mission Trip:** August 2-17
- ◆ **Women's Meet & Greet:** August 11
- ◆ **Japanese 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

Upcoming Events

Who Goes Where?	8:30 am Service	
	Nursery: Birth-Age 4	Room 104
	Discovering God Class	RESUMES THIS FALL
	Intersections Class	RESUMES THIS FALL
	10:15 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
	9th-12th Grade	Room 205
Ambassadors Class	Room 200	
Generations Class	Room 209	

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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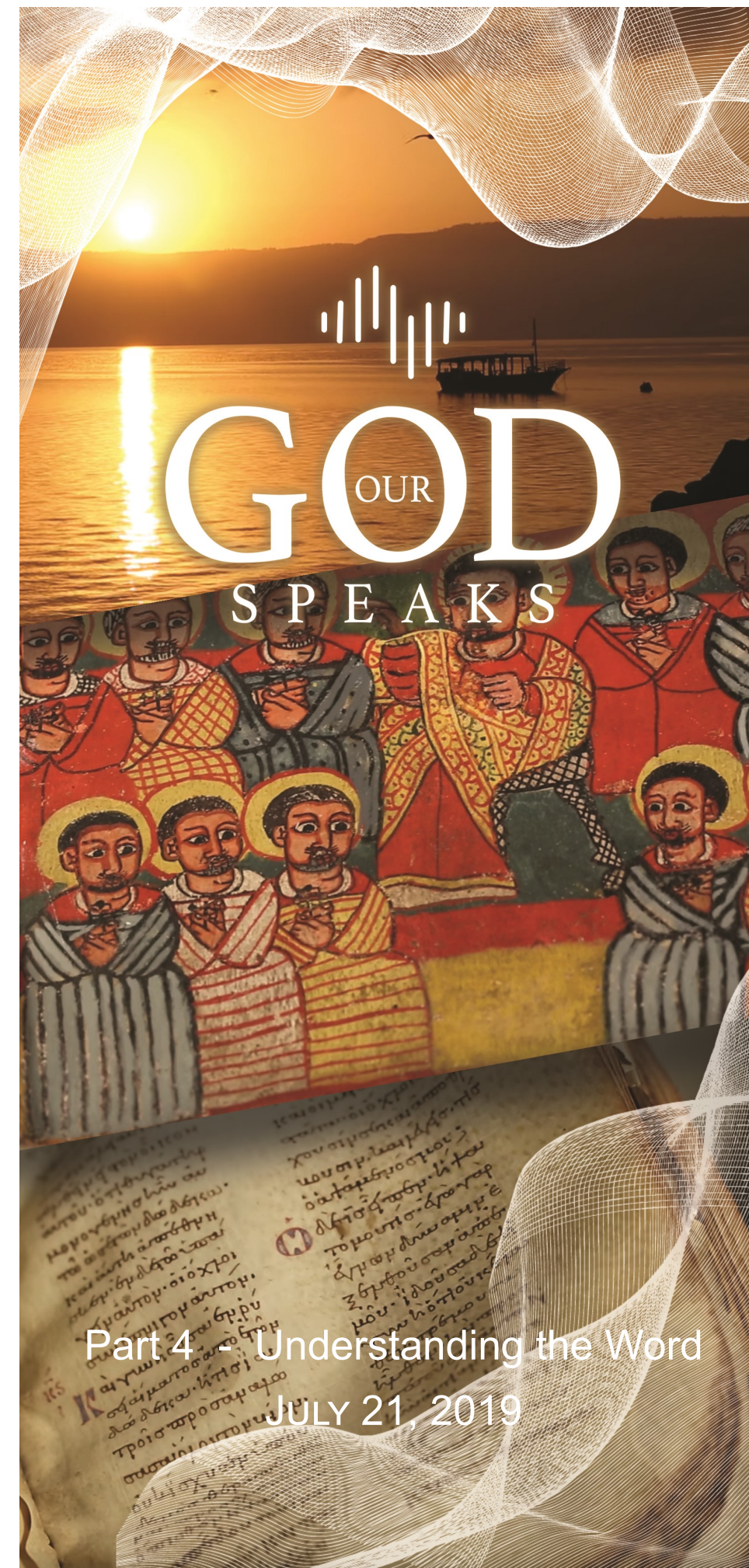


AUBURN GRACE
Community Church

"Making Jesus Famous
by Connecting, Growing
and Serving"

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

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Part 4 - Understanding the Word
 JULY 21, 2019



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.

Welcome

Family

Access2019

Women

Outreach

GUEST SPEAKER - Colonel George Youstra

United States Air Force Lieutenant Colonel George Youstra was promoted to the rank of Colonel in a commissioning ceremony in 2015. Prior to entering the Air Force, he served in the United States Army for fourteen years in Special Forces, Infantry, as a Military Police Officer and as Chaplain. He has served as a Chaplain in the USAF and at the Pentagon as the Joint Staff Chaplain and Chief of Religious Affairs on the Joint Chiefs of Staff. He is currently stationed with the special forces units in Florida. He is married to Rose and they have two sons, George and Taylor. We are privileged to welcome again to AGCC, Col. Youstra and Rose.

FAMILY RIVER CATS BASEBALL NIGHT – July 27

Your River Cats Baseball tickets are ready for pick-up in the Courtyard after service **TODAY!**

YOU ARE INVITED TO ACCESS2019 CONFERENCE!

There is space available for our congregation to attend the general sessions! Please join us for any of the following Celebration services. We will worship Jesus together through song and special speakers. There is no cost to our congregation.

Celebration @ 09:30 - 10:45 AM

Tuesday morning - Jeremy Wike and Jason Brown
Wednesday morning - Bob Wriedt and Jordan Bakker
Thursday morning - Tim Clothier and Dan Gregory

Celebration @ 07:30 - 9:30 PM

Tuesday evening - Isaac Whiting and Daniel O'Kane
Wednesday evening - Mike Sciarra and Jeff Bogue

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY - 'GOD OF COVENANT'

A Study of Genesis 12-50 by Jen Wilkin

Wednesdays 9:30—11:15 am September 4 - November 13

There are no minor characters in the story of God. Beginning with Genesis 12, walk alongside the fathers of our faith—Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph—to discern Jesus in the stories of His people. Over 10 sessions, discover how God orchestrates everything for His glory and the good of His people, and see how the God of creation and covenant is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

Winter and Spring studies also available! \$20 per study. Childcare available (no cost). Go to auburngrace.com for details. Contact Claire at cmalarae@auburngrace.com for questions.

WOMEN'S MEET & GREET

Sunday, August 11

Meet in The Cafe after second service for a mix and mingle with the women of Auburn Grace. We will be serving refreshments and snacks and sharing exciting new updates to Women's Ministry!

COMMUNITY CONNECTION OPPORTUNITY!

Backpack "Bonanza" Time

It's time for our annual 'Back to School' outreach to young students at Rock Creek Elementary School and The Arab-American Learning Center (AALC) in Sacramento. Suggested items: backpacks, college or wide-ruled paper, crayons, markers, pencils and pencil bags, rulers, pens, glue sticks, white glue, colored pencils and your great ideas! For questions please contact Brooke Bye at bbye@auburngrace.com. There will be a receptacle in the courtyard for receiving your generous donations today and next Sunday, July 28.

Concert

Young Adult

Grandparents

Family

Jr. High

High School

A SUMMER NIGHT LIVE EVENT

Concert & Dinner - Wednesday, August 21

If you have not heard a handbell choir before, you will be in for a GREAT treat! The Handbell Choir from Meiji Gakuin High School in Tokyo, Japan will be performing Wednesday, August 21 in our Auditorium. For their visit, we are looking for families to host two or more students in their home **August 19-23** and for volunteers to help with transportation and other needs. Please RSVP for dinner and also indicate your interest in hosting/transportation on the Response Form. Questions, contact Matt Sparling, sparling@auburngrace.com, for more information.

YOUNG ADULTS

We are beginning a Young Adults Life Group! The group meets on Thursday nights at 6:30 pm in the Outreach Cafe. Come join us as we enjoy coffee and Godly discussions and strengthen each other to be effective young people for Jesus! **Text AGYOUNG to 97000** to sign up and receive more details or talk to Brian Altizer (AGCC Worship Leader) after service.

GRANDPARENTING MATTERS SEMINAR

September 6, Friday, 6:30-9:00 pm

September 7, Saturday, 8:30 am-12:30 pm

Grandparents play a unique and profoundly influential role in the lives of their grandchildren, but often grandparents themselves don't understand their enormous potential to influence the generations.

\$15 Single / \$25 Couple, includes continental breakfast

Register online at auburngrace.com. Questions, please contact John McIntosh at jmcintosh@auburngrace.com. For more information on the 'Legacy Coalition' please visit their website at legacycoalition.com

ANNUAL FAMILY CAMP - August 2 - 4

A few spots still available! Join us this summer at Forward Bible in beautiful Georgetown. 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. Sign up in the courtyard after services today!

SUMMER NIGHTS FOR JUNIOR HIGH

This Week, Wednesday, July 24

We are meeting at the church and then off to see Lion King! Evening show time to be determined. Sign up in the classroom or on the Response Form if you are coming so we can purchase the tickets in advance. Cost is \$10.00/ticket (covers movie ticket, bring extra for snacks). For questions, contact Terese at tcoburn@auburngrace.com.

HSM YOUTH ON THE LAKE

Wednesdays in July, 6:30-9:00 pm

All incoming 9th graders—graduated 12th graders, 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. Gate code required.

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 _____

Jr. High 'Lyon King' Movie night: 7/24

youth attending _____

◆ **Summer Night Live - Handbell Choir Concert & Dinner: 8/21**

attending _____

◆ **Meiji Gakuin High School Students from Japan: 8/19-23**

Yes, we would like to be a Host Family, please contact us.

of students _____ Girls____ or Boys____

Assist with transportation to events.

OUR GOD SPEAKS

Part 4 – Understanding the Word
Colonel George Youstra

Life Group Discussion Questions – July 21, 2019

2 Timothy 2:15 *Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth.*

QUICK REVIEW

1. How is God speaking to us today through the person and life of Jesus?
2. How is Jesus the 'topic' of the Old Testament? How is Jesus the 'purpose' of the New Testament?

MY STORY

1. When God to speak to us, it shows that He desires to be understood? What does this tell us about Him?
2. When we talk about the clarity of Scripture we do not mean that everything in the Bible is 100% understandable, but that God communicated exactly what He wanted to speak. Do you have a Biblical truth that is still confusing to you?
3. Can you name a time when you thought the Bible said something, but when you later studied the Bible directly, you realized it did not say what you thought it said?

GOING DEEP

1. Read 2 Timothy 1:13-14. What does this passage show us about being determined to interpret the Bible accurately?
2. Understanding your Bible requires a few simple tools of study? How familiar are you with these tools?
3. What are the dangers of studying the Bible all alone or without using the proper study tools?
4. Read John 14:26 & 16:13-16. What do these verses tell us about the role of the Holy Spirit when we study the Bible?
5. Read Acts 2:42. Why did the early Christians sit under Bible teaching together? What benefit is that to the church?

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?