

This Week at AGCC

SUNDAY
Worship Services: 8:30 & 10:15 am
TUESDAY
Sewers & Rippers: 9:00 am-1:00 pm, Worship Center. All ladies welcome. For questions, call Marilyn Reinhardt, 510-246-7478 or Rhoda Staurseth, 530-878-5094 Twice a Month Men's Bible Study-Ephesians: 9:00-10:15 am, Room 200 Women's Retreat Team Meeting: 6:00 pm, Room 204
WEDNESDAY
Women's Bible Study-God of Covenant: 9:30-11:30 am, Auditorium Wednesday Night Live: 5:30-6:30 pm-Dinner; 6:25 pm-Children's Program and Nursery check in at KidCheck kiosk; 6:30-8:00 pm-Jr. & Sr. High Youth Groups, Adult classes; 8:00 pm-Fellowship Worship Practice: 8:00 pm, Auditorium
THURSDAY
Women's Grief Share: 10:00 am-12:00 pm, Room 209 Young Adults Life Group: 7:00 pm, The Café Men of Intention—Conquer Series: A Christ-centered quest for sexual purity, 7:00 pm, Room 207
FRIDAY
MOPS: 9:00 am, the Café
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 meeting and lunch: 11:45 am, Room 103 Ancient Promise Celebration & Send Off: 12:30 pm

- ◆ **Men's Fall Breakfast:** October 12
- ◆ **Baby Dedications:** October 13
- ◆ **456 Pumpkin Patch:** October 18
- ◆ **Women's Fall Retreat:** October 18-20
- ◆ **Sewers and Rippers Craft Faire:** October 25 & 26
- ◆ **Fall Family Fair:** October 31
- ◆ **Jr. High Pumpkin & Costume Party:** November 1
- ◆ **MOPS:** November 1
- ◆ **MTM Prayer Meeting:** November 3
- ◆ **Jr. High Tauren Wells Concert:** November 7
- ◆ **Gathering Inn:** November 6
- ◆ **MOPS, Mom's Night Out:** November 8
- ◆ **Thanksgiving Celebration Dinner:** November 10
- ◆ **Glory Boys Concert:** November 14
- ◆ **456 Operation Christmas Child Packing Party:** November 5
- ◆ **Children's Ministry Sock & Shampoo Drive:** Nov 17-24
- ◆ **HSM Enchilada Sale:** November 24
- ◆ **MOPS:** December 6

Upcoming Events

Who Goes Where?	8:30 am Service	
	Nursery: Birth-Age 4	Room 104
	Discovering God Class	RESUMES in January
	Intersections Class	RESUMES October 27
	10:15 am Service	
	Nursery: Birth-Age 1	Room 104
	Nursery: 1 - 2 (with diaper)	Room 101
	Young Preschool: 2—3 Yr. Olds	Room 102
	Older Preschool: 4 Yr. Olds	Room 203
	Kindergarten	Room 201
	1st Grade	Room 207
	2nd-3rd Grade	Room 202
	4th-6th Grade	Room 204
	7th-8th Grade	Room 204 - B
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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by Connecting, Growing
and Serving”

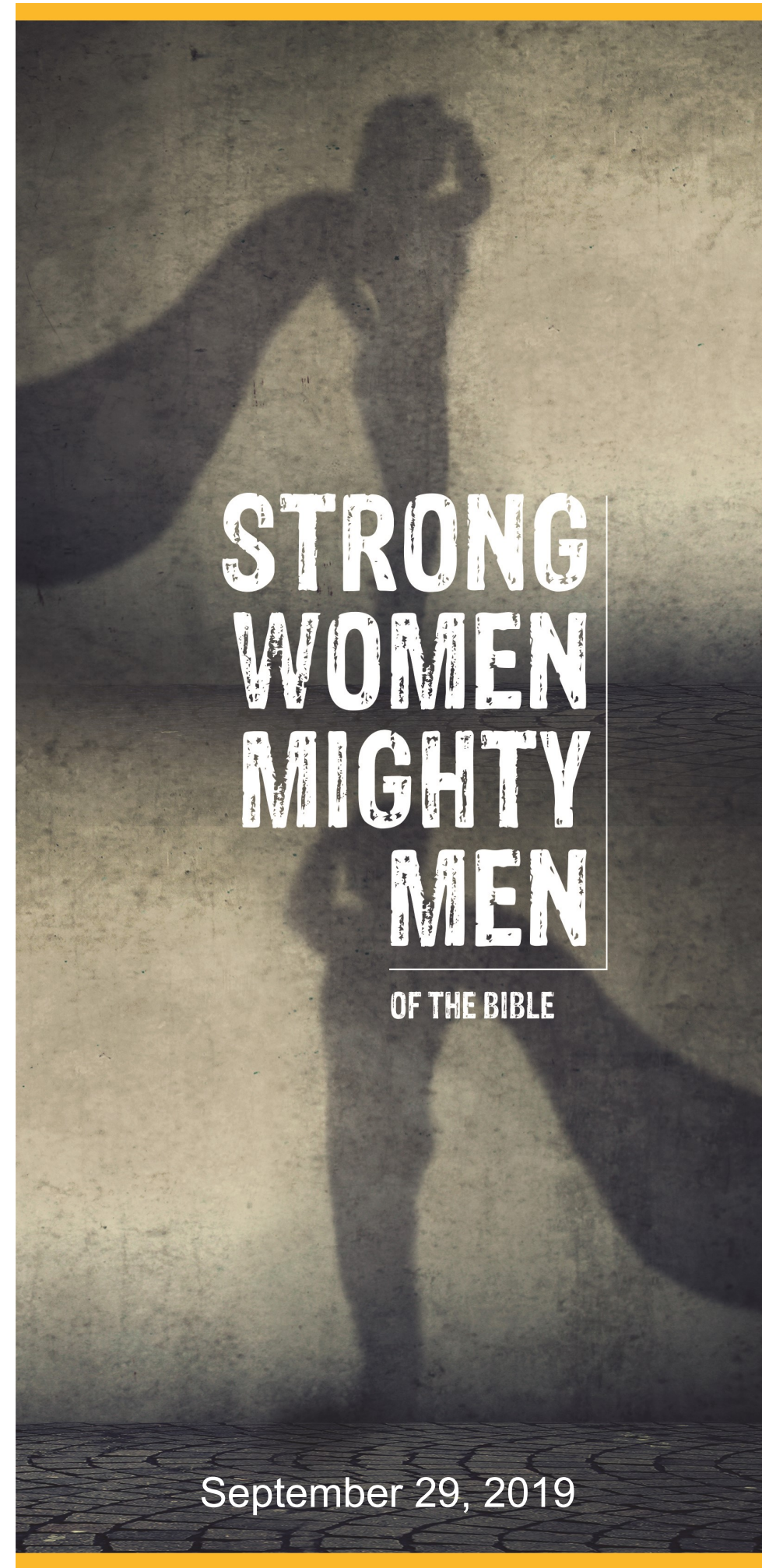
OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Thursday
9 AM - 4 PM

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**STRONG
WOMEN
MIGHTY
MEN**
OF THE BIBLE

September 29, 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, January 19

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.

Men

MEN OF INTENTION - ANNUAL FALL BREAKFAST

Saturday, October 12, 9:00-10:30 am

Guest Speaker - Tierce Green

Tierce is the Director of the Authentic Manhood Initiative out of The Woodlands, Texas. He was the keynote speaker at our annual Men's Retreat at Woodleaf Conference Center in April of 2017 participated in our WNL "Speaker Series" and returned to speak in the fall of 2017. He is on the teaching team of **33 The Series, A Journey to Authentic Manhood** as modeled by Jesus in His 33 years on earth. Tierce also created and produced a 12-session video series for men called **Fight Club: Some Things are Worth Fighting For**. Fight Club has been adapted for use by the Mighty Oaks Warrior Programs helping military veterans in the battle with PTSD. We have used the 33 and The Fight Club curriculums over the last two seasons of WNL. Register to attend online at auburngrace.com, on the Response Form, or at the Men's Ministry table in the Courtyard today. \$5 suggested donation for breakfast.

456 Kids

456 GRADERS

Dave's Pumpkin Patch

Friday, October 18 - 3:30—9:00 pm

Corn maze, BBQ dinner, bounce houses & more! Cost \$20. We will leave AGCC at 3:30 and plan on arriving at the corn maze by 4:30. RSVP early to reserve your spot and to ensure we have enough drivers. Sign up in the classroom, on the Response Form, online, or by email to Terese, tcoburn@auburngrace.com

Women

WOMEN'S FALL RETREAT

"Daughters of Zion"

October 18-20 at Zephyr Point, Lake Tahoe

YOU are invited to join the women of Auburn Grace for a weekend away in the mountains. Let's connect with one another and our Lord. Learn how to abide in Him as daughters of the King who are adored, cherished, and forgiven. Cost: \$215. If you would like to "share a bed" you may sign-up with a friend and the cost for each will be \$150. Register online or in the courtyard today. For questions and scholarship information, contact cmalarae@auburngrace.com

Craft Faire

SEWERS & RIPPERS ANNUAL HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIRE

October 25-26

Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm, Saturday 9:00 am-3:00 pm

Start your holiday shopping early! All kinds of homemade and up-cycled items, garden art and succulent bar, crafting and sewing supplies and much much more! Also available for purchase will be a delicious array of our most popular bake sale items! Join us for an all-you-can-eat lunch of homemade soups and breads (\$5.00 Adults, \$2.00 Children 12 and under). The Resource Center will be open for purchasing Bibles, books and gifts. Buy raffle tickets to win one of two quilts (\$1/ticket or \$5 for 6 tickets). The raffle benefits scholarships for Jr. Sewers & Rippers participants. Drawing at 1:00 pm on Saturday (need not be present to win). Raffle tickets will be available for purchase at Wednesday Night Live. The proceeds of this Faire go to purchase supplies to produce quilts for local children and orphans around the world. **Thank you in advance for your support!**

Concert

BABY DEDICATIONS - Sunday, October 13

If interested in having your child dedicated, please indicate your interest on the Response Form and someone from the office will contact you.

FALL FAMILY FAIR

Thursday, October 31 - 5:30-8:00 pm

Mark your calendars now to come and enjoy a **FAMILY NIGHT OF FUN**. There will be something for all ages! We will have games where kids can win candy, a cake walk, food (plan on eating dinner here, it's FREE!), a cake decorating contest and more. Why not **volunteer** to serve at the game booths, hand out candy, or assist in a variety of other ways. Please refer to the Response Form for more details and to sign up to work a shift. We are now accepting candy donations as well (you can give to Terese, Children's Director, or drop off in the bins in the Lobby, Courtyard or Church Office). We are looking forward to our annual **Fall Family Fair!**

TIM & THE GLORY BOYS CONCERT

Thursday, November 14

Concert 7:00 - 9:15 pm—Doors open at 6:30

\$5 / General Admission - Everyone Welcome

Tickets on sale now at auburngrace.com

Tim & the Glory Boys are independent recording artists based out of Abbotsford, BC. Lead singer, Tim Neufeld, has toured the world for over a decade, shared the stage with countless Canadian Country, Roots and Gospel artists, and won multiple JUNOS, Dove, and Covenant awards. The Glory Boys are a Canadian Bluegrass Trio of backwoods hillbillies with world-class facial hair and infectious on-stage energy. Together, the guys have been entertaining live audiences across Canada since 2013 with their unique blend of boot-stompin' country bluegrass, elaborate production elements and a healthy dose of blue-collar humor.

LOOKING TO GET CONNECTED AND SERVE?

Join our SET-UP TEAM!

We are looking for folks to be part of a crew that will set up for special events and Sunday services. This is not a weekly commitment. You will be contacted as needed. If interested, contact Jeff Grady at jgrady@auburngrace.com or sign up on the Response Form.

ANCIENT PROMISE CELEBRATION AND SEND-OFF

Join us in the courtyard on Sunday, October 6th at 12:30 pm. Come enjoy a pulled pork lunch (\$5 donation suggested) and learn how the people of Uganda and Tanzania have been impacted for the Kingdom of God, and what is planned for the ministry's future in Mexico. RSVP to kristie@ancientpromise.org.

ENCOMPASS WORLD PARTNERS

INTERNSHIPS FOR 2019-2020

Are you interested in missions but don't know where to start? Encompass World Partners is the cross-cultural ministries arm of Charis Fellowship churches. They are currently taking applications for missions opportunities in places like France, Japan, Central Asia and even Atlanta, Georgia. It can be anywhere from 1 month to 9 months!

If you want to discuss the idea, please contact bbye@auburngrace.com or go online to: encompassworldpartners.org/internships

Concert

Serve

Missions

Dedications

Family Fair

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 _____

Men of Intention Fall Breakfast: 10/12

attending _____

◆ **Baby Dedication:** 10/13

Full Name of Baby/Child: _____

Which service do you prefer? 8:30 am 10:15 am

456 Dave's Pumpkin Patch: 10/18

youth attending _____

◆ **Fall Family Fair:** 10/31

◆ Face Painting 5:00-6:30 pm 6:30-8:00 pm

◆ Game Booths 5:00-6:30 pm 6:30-8:00 pm

◆ Greeters 5:00-6:30 pm 6:30-8:00

Set-Up Clean-up

I will bring:

Bags of Candy (bring prior to 10/31)

Pumpkins—all sizes (bring prior to 10/31)

Cornstalks (bring prior to 10/31)

Cakes for Cake Walk

I want to participate in the cake decorating contest

Best Fall Theme Most Colorful Most Unique

Special Events Set-up Team

STRONG WOMEN, MIGHTY MEN

Part 2.0 Deborah, Honey Bee or Hornet? Judges 4-5

The times of the JUDGES

- National CYCLES of relationship with God
 - Departure, Difficulties, DESPERATION, Deliverance
- The Role of 'prophetess' – judicial, political, SPIRITUAL, Commander-in-chief

The WOMAN Deborah

- She was the wife of LAPPIDOTH vs. 4
- She was a highly RESPECTED judicial arbiter vs. 5
- She was deeply CONNECTED to God vs. 6
- She understood her role in her CULTURE vs. 9
- She was a bold strategic NATIONAL leader vs. 14

The RESCUE of Israel

- God reveals His military LIBERATION plan vs. 6-7
- Deborah DELINEATE God's plan vs. 8-10
- Deborah and BARAK carry out God's plan vs. 12-16, 23, 5:31

The STRENGTHS Deborah possessed

- She only led as GOD led her
- When she knew what God wanted she moved CONFIDENTLY
- She FORESAW consequences of decisions
- She wants the BEST for others

Life Group Questions – September 29th, 2019

Judges 4:9, *'She said, "I will surely go with you; nevertheless, the honor shall not be yours on the journey that you are about to take, for the LORD will sell Sisera into the hands of a woman." Then Deborah arose and went with Barak to Kedesh.*

QUICK REVIEW

1. A woman's role in the home is so substantial that in some situations only she will be able to accomplish what no one else in the family can. Give some examples of these responsibilities.
2. Does God ever call us or allow us to step outside of normal boundaries to achieve a higher outcome? Why is this? What are some of these "normal boundaries"? What is meant by "higher outcome"?

MY STORY

1. Have you ever been thrust into service or responsibility in an unexpected way or at an unexpected time? How did you respond? In retrospect, do you think that specific aspects of this situation were God-ordered for you? In what ways?
2. Have you ever felt the need to know that God was with you in a particular season or situation? What did you do?
3. Who are the strong women in your life who have helped shape your life? If you were to write them a letter, what would you say?

GOING DEEP (read Judges 4)

1. Why do you think Barak wanted Deborah with him? What repercussions did Deborah say this would have for Barak? What is the significance of this?
2. In verse 14, Deborah says to Barak, *"Arise! For this is the day in which the LORD has given Sisera into your hands; behold, the LORD has gone out before you."* She was telling him, "Go, for the time is at hand!" Now was the time to do what Barak was ordained to do. Said another way, serving God takes action, doing something. How are you working to change the world now, and where might God be calling you to more action?
3. Re-read vv. 23-24. It's a summary passage that reminds us that God has been at work. How have you seen God at work in this story from start to finish?

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?