

WE EXIST TO... GROW IN CHRIST, LOVE LIKE CHRIST, LIVE FOR CHRIST

# **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2024**

WELCOME / PRAYER OF INVOCATION

**BY FAITH** Hymns of Grace, 361

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SERMON: "JESUS EQUIPS FOR GOSPEL MINISTRY" — LUKE 9:1–17

### **COMMUNION**

## **Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;
Who was conceived of the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day He arose again.
He ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, and He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy and universal Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

WONDERFUL, MERCIFUL SAVIOR Hymns of Grace, 162

> PSALM 23 Hymns of Grace, 168

### YOUR GRACE IS ENOUGH

Verse 1 Great is Your faithfulness, O God; You wrestle with the sinner's restless heart. You lead us by still waters into mercy And nothing can keep us apart.

Bridge So remember Your people, Remember Your children, Remember Your promise, O God.

Chorus 1 Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough, Your grace is enough for me. Verse 2 Great is Your love and justice, God of Jacob; You use the weak to lead the strong. You lead us in the song of Your salvation, And all Your people sing along.

Bridge

Chorus 1
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough for me.
[Repeat]

Bridge

Chorus 1
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough,
Your grace is enough for me.

Chorus 2
Your grace is enough;
Heaven reaches out to us.
Your grace is enough for me.
Your grace is enough;
I'm covered in Your love.
Your grace is enough for me, for me.

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#### BENEDICTION

Feb 16: Thrive, for students in 5th–12th grade, meets at the home of Richard & Chrissy Burns in Nobleboro from 630–8 PM

Feb 18:	Fellowship breakfast from 9–945 AM - please bring a dish to share	your child, please feel free to do so; but please know that you are welcome to rejoin the service at any time.	
Feb 21:	Foundations class: we would love to have you join us for a 10-week study of Philippians – morning class from 930–11 AM & evening class from 6–730 PM	Gospel Growth Communities (GGCs): GGCs are just one way you can purposefully & intentionally invest in your church family as we seek to grow in Christ, love like Christ & live for Christ. If you are interested in joining a	
Read Ahea Mark 8:27-	<b>d:</b> Luke 9:18–27 [Matt 16:13-28; 9:1]	GGC, please contact one of your elders. The Reed GGC meets Sunday evenings in Nobleboro. The Sorterup GGC meets Wednesday evenings in Damariscotta. The Holladay GGC meets Thursday evenings in Bristol.	
worship & v	We strive for family-friendly want to encourage parents to keep on in the sanctuary or East Hall for	Discussion Questions:  1. Who is God (what does this passage tell me about God's character)?	

worship & want to encourage parents to keep their children in the sanctuary or East Hall for worship. To help families, backpacks filled with a note sheet, a coloring page, and snacks are available for children Pre-K – 5th grade. Note sheets are available for children in 5th – 8th grade. The backpacks will be handed out prior to the sermon.

We also offer Rooted which is a time of teaching & learning for children in grades K-4 that meets downstairs in the Fellowship Hall classroom. The children who participate in Rooted will be dismissed by Pastor Phil prior to the sermon.

We also offer a volunteer staffed Nursery that meets in the Fellowship Hall during the sermon. We are thankful & appreciate the opportunity to serve you & your children.

We understand that children can get restless & squirmy, so if you have to leave the service with

3. Who am I (how does God's character and action shape how I see myself)?

2. What has God done (how do I see God's

character in action)?

4. What do I do (if I believe 1–3 how would I respond and relate to others)?

Notes:

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