

# AMAZING GRACE

Summer Edition 2010

www.grace99.org

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## Grace Fellowship is family to many

At Grace, we try to help people experience the love of God in fresh, meaningful, and practical ways. Whatever your past spiritual or church experience, we are here to assist you in building your spiritual relationship with God. We want to help you seek to know Jesus, obey Him, and properly represent Him to the world.

A church family can share blessings and burdens and be a place where people establish life-long friendships. We would like to be a part of these things in your life. All people matter to God, therefore you matter to us.

## Grace's small groups help you get connected

Small groups offer a place to connect with other believers and grow in our understanding of the Bible.

### Ladies' Bible Study

- Thursdays 9:00-10:30
- Women with children welcome
- Bible & topical study
- Prayer and fellowship
- Contact Pam Finck

### Men's Bible Study

- Thursdays 6:00 a.m.
- Bible study
- Prayer and fellowship
- Contact Dan Pinkham

### Adult Group

- Meets twice monthly on Thursday evenings.
- Biblical discussion directly from books of the Bible.
- Consists of couples and singles.
- Contact Bill Walden

You are welcome to join any of these groups now! Call 527-2920 for more information.

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE 2009: 129

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE TO DATE 2010: 140

## Sunday Mornings at Grace

**Sunday schools**  
for all ages - 9:00

**Fellowship**  
Coffee, donuts, and juice  
9:45 - 10:15

**Worship @ 10:15**  
Casual dress, song, prayer, message

## GRACE SUPPORTS MISSIONS



*Mark and Jill Savage  
Hearts at Home Ministries  
Supports and encouraging mothers  
worldwide. Now ministering to the art  
of being married.*

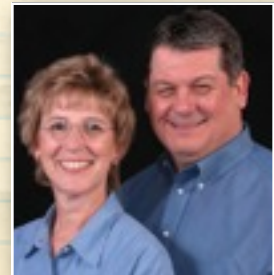
Kingdom Seekers Ministries  
Nancy and Steve Jeffreys of  
Gridley, Illinois.  
Mobilizing disciples for a global  
harvest.

*Mark & Jill Savage will be speaking at  
Grace on Sunday, August 15th during  
our regular worship service.*

*Nancy and Steve Jeffreys  
Kingdom Seekers Ministries*

*Your local Food Pantry  
Operated by Sheri and Darrel Duley  
148 E. Main  
Donations can be drop off donations  
at your convenience in the rear  
windows.*

The Kovrov Church Russia



*Joy Care Center in Bloomington, Illinois. A Prisoner  
Support Group for families and friends of incarcerated  
individuals.*

## Sunday School an important part of Sunday mornings at Grace

If you are 4-years-old or older, you can join a Sunday School class at Grace. Classes meet for about 45 minutes beginning at 9:00 a.m. Some of our qualified teachers have been leading children for over 10 years!

Exciting classes for Junior High, Senior High and adults delve deeper into the hard questions Christians ponder. We alternate between apologetics, life skills, and bible study.

## Junior and Senior High Youth Groups teach kids to grow personally and spiritually

Sixth, seventh, and eight grade students get together every Sunday evening at 6:30 at Grace to learn how to put Jesus first and have fun!

### July 22nd

Jr. High Rock Climbing at Upper Limits.

### August 6th

Family Movie Night at church or in park. More info TBA.

### August 9th-12th

Jr./Sr. High School Service Week.

More info TBA.

### August 14th

Youth Group Trip to Six Flags

(Family Christian Day)  
\$35 due by August 3!



*Bryce and Mandy Pitlick*

Senior High Youth group meets from 7 to 9 Wednesday evenings at Grace. Fun fellowship and biblical teachings.

## Adult Fellowship and Community Outreach Vital at Grace

### IRON CHEF CONTEST AUGUST 21ST

Teams, high school and above, will come up with salads and side dishes from a list of ingredients. This list will be kept secret from everyone until the event. Teams will then have 2 hours to construct a dish from the ingredients. Start putting together your teams now! Invite your non-Christian friends!

## VBS Annual Outreach

This year's VBS; High Seas Expedition begins July 26 and continues through the week. Children from 3 years to entering 4th grade will hear the Gospel taught through song, skits, crafts and games. It's not too late to sign up! Phone 527-2920



*Senior Pastor Dan Giese sports a green wig at the "sliming" VBS fundraiser even in June. Pam Fever does the honors.*

**CORN FESTIVAL TEAMS FORMING SOON!**

**WATCH YOUR BULLETIN AND NEWSLETTER FOR DETAILS.**

## Fun and singing won't stop with VBS!

Be on the lookout for choir season this fall! We have an adult choir, a young children's choir, and a youth (older kid's) choir. Worship and glorify God through song. You can check for updates at [www.grace99.org](http://www.grace99.org)