

STAY CONNECTED

Guests: You are invited to stop by the Welcome Center located by the Main Entrance and by the Grace Land Entrance! We want to give you a personal welcome, a gift and thank you for coming to Grace today.



We would like to get to know you a little better!
Please scan and fill out our contact card!

Connections: If you have any questions about Grace, make sure you visit Connections located in the lobby adjacent to the Coffee Bar.

Sermon Notes: Fill-in-the-blank sermon notes are inside your bulletin. You can also access them, along with the scriptures for today's message, through the Bible App ("Events" and "Grace Fellowship").



Please scan the QR Code to access our
Sermon Notes on the Bible App

Prayer Requests: Go to our website, click on "Prayer Requests" at the top of the Home Page and let us know how our staff and Prayer Team can pray for you! Our website: www.gracefellowshipatmore.com

Giving Options: In addition to the Offering Boxes located in the lobby and auditorium, you can give your offering by visiting our website and clicking on the "Give" link at the top of the Home page. You will then go to Give Online and click on "Give HERE".

Our website: www.gracefellowshipatmore.com

Stay Connected: Stay up to date with what's happening here at Grace through:

- **Facebook** – Like and Follow our page:
(facebook.com/gracefellowshipatmore)
- **Email** – sent out weekly on Wednesday and Friday mornings. Email gracefellowshipatmore@gmail.com if you are not receiving these weekly emails!
- **Website** – www.gracefellowshipatmore.com
- **Text** - Text "GFCONNECT" TO 94000

Knowing Jesus

A JOURNEY THROUGH

The First Epistle of John



September 20, 2026

Get to know Grace Fellowship!

Our Purpose - Know God. Follow Jesus. Love People.

Our Offering - We don't take a public offering. Rather, we have "Offering Boxes" located in the lobby and the back of the auditorium for tithes and offerings. Offering envelopes are available beside the "Offering Boxes" for those who would like a receipt for cash contributions. We trust that God will meet our financial needs through those who call *Grace* their church home.



To Give Online -
please scan the QR code.

Our Children's Ministry - *Grace Land* is where we communicate God's love and truth in a dynamic way that kids are able to understand. Classes for birth through 5th Grade begin at 10:00 am. If you are new to Grace, please go to the Grace Land check-in counter so that we can meet with you briefly to get important information about your child's needs and preferences.

KIC (Kids In Christ): 6th grade (and 11 years old) - 8th grade: meets every Wednesday from 7:00 - 8:30 pm.

Ignite Student Ministries: 9th grade (and 14 years old) - 12th grade: meets every Wednesday from 7:00 - 8:30 pm.



Groups provide a positive opportunity to build relationships with other Christians and to grow spiritually. If you have questions, would like more information or would like to connect with a Group, please contact our Associate Pastor Raja Atallah at raja.gracefellowship@gmail.com.



The church office is open from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm Monday – Friday.
Contact us: 251-368-4463 gracefellowshipatmore@gmail.com

Groups @ Grace: If you are currently not in a Group, but would be interested in joining one, sign-up TODAY for the Fall Semester (October 4th - November 8th)! Go to Grace's website and select the Groups link to sign up or stop by the table in the lobby TODAY.

AACCM Food Drive: Atmore Area Christian Care is a ministry that gives food and other help to those in the community who are in need of assistance. We are having a food drive to assist them in restocking their shelves during the month of September! Please pick up a brown bag from the table in the lobby, fill it with food, and bring it back by the end of September OR feel free to make a monetary donation.

Grace Softball: Players should be present and warmed up 20 minutes prior to game time. **Please bring your own water.**

Week 3 - September 20th

2:00 pm - GREEN VS. ORANGE

3:30 pm - ORANGE VS. BLUE

Picnic in the Park: To finish off the softball season, Grace Fellowship is having a picnic at Tom Byrne Park on Sunday, September 27th. The picnic will be at 5:00 pm. Grace Fellowship will provide hot dogs, condiments, drinks, & paper supplies. Please bring a side dish and dessert. Bring your lawn chairs and come out for an afternoon of fun & fellowship!

Guy's Campout: October 9th & 10th at Magnolia Branch. Check in @ 2:00 pm on Friday and checkout at 1:00 pm on Saturday. Cost is \$10 per person (if you plan to stay the night) or just \$5 to join us for dinner on Friday night. If you plan to bring an RV, you will need to call Magnolia Branch and make reservations of your own. We ask that each person/family that stays the night to please bring water, tea or soft drinks to share. Sign up at Connections TODAY!

Triumph Through Trials: Ladies, come thou and gather for an evening most sweet, wherein Triumph Through Trials shall be proclaimed, and ice cream sundaes most generously served. Join us on Monday, October 19th at 6:30pm. Bring with thee a friend, a neighbor, or any gentlewoman who standeth in need of hope and encouragement. Childcare will be provided for ages 10 and below.

Annual Mission Multiply Fundraising Banquet: You are invited to come hear stories and video testimonies from countries around the world on Thursday, October 22nd. The doors will open at 5:30pm and dinner will be served at 6:00pm.

SERMON NOTES

Our Advocate and Atonement

1 John 2:1-2

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1. John wrote to proclaim that Jesus, the eternal _____
_____, came physically in _____ and
_____, to atone for our sins so that we can have
_____ with God, and share in the _____ of
the gospel.

2. Sin is spiritually dangerous and destructive and damages your
_____ with God. Sin, at its core, _____
_____ in your life and places yourself in
His place.

3. As our _____ before the Father, Jesus points back to
His _____ sacrifice on the cross for our sins.
"_____."

4. Jesus has provided the _____
_____ for the guilt of sin.

So confess your sins, because He is faithful and just and will forgive your sins and purify you from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:9)

