

*April 3, 2016*

**THE  
GOD  
I WISH  
YOU  
KNEW**

# MESSAGE NOTES

## *The God I Wish You Knew | Part 1*

*Christ is the visible image of the invisible God.*  
Colossians 1:15a (NLT)

*One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say..."*  
Luke 11:1-2a (NIV)

*"Our Father in heaven..."*  
Matthew 6:9a (NLT)

### **What kind of God is "our Father?"**

**1. God is an \_\_\_\_\_ Father.**

*So let us come boldly to the very throne of God and stay there to receive his mercy and to find grace to help us in our times of need.*  
Hebrews 4:16 (LB)

**2. God is an \_\_\_\_\_ Father.**

*The Lord is near to all who call on him...*  
Psalm 145:18 (NIV)

**3. God is an \_\_\_\_\_ Father.**

*Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles...*  
2 Corinthians 1:3-4a (NIV)

**4. God is an \_\_\_\_\_ Father.**

*If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him!*  
Matthew 7:11 (NIV)

# GRACE NEWS

**DAIRY QUEEN TREATS** - Today between 11-2. Come support our youth as the DQ gives us a portion of their proceeds.

**2nd SATURDAY PANTRY** - Join us on Wednesday at 2:30PM to stock the shelves. Contact church office at 694-2797.

**CARING WORKSHOP** - April 16th from 9:30-12:30 PM. Speakers; Gwen Wilkenson, Tina Glenn and Pastor Shari.

**WOMEN'S 4th ANNUAL RETREAT TEA**  
Join us today in the Fellowship Hall and learn more about the Retreat! Important information will be shared.

**WOMEN'S 4th ANNUAL RETREAT** - May 14/15 (Saturday to Sunday) at DaySpring! All-inclusive cost is \$80.00. Come join the fun. Register online or at the Tea.

**PART-TIME OPENINGS IN THE NURSERY**  
Applicants must have Child Protection training. Email [pjones@egracechurch.com](mailto:pjones@egracechurch.com) for application.

**RECOVERY ROCKS** - AA open speaker meeting Saturdays at 7PM in the Fellowship Hall.

**WOMEN OF GRACE SPRING LUNCHEON VOLUNTEER MEETING** - Sunday, April 3 at 12:45 PM in Room 5 at the Cape Coral campus.

## LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BASKETS AS YOU EXIT

Date:     /     /

Service Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

- ☐ 1st time     ☐ 2nd time     ☐ 3rd time  
☐ Regular Attendee     ☐ Church Member  
☐ Male     ☐ Female

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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- ☐ Single     ☐ 18-23     ☐ 50's  
☐ Married     ☐ 24-29     ☐ 60+  
☐ Divorced     ☐ 30's  
☐ Widowed     ☐ 40's  
☐ Middle School     ☐ High School     ☐ College

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City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Please update my contact information

### MY DECISION TODAY

- ☐ I said **YES** for the first time,  
and became a follower of Jesus.  
☐ I decided to **RENEW** my relationship with Jesus.

*We have resources to help you with your decision.*

# PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAY FOR: \_\_\_\_\_

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☐ Public Prayer List    ☐ For Pastors Only

I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:

## GIVE BACK TO GOD ONLINE!

go to: [egracechurch.com/give](http://egracechurch.com/give)

An effective and time-saving way to give your tithes and offerings without carrying cash or writing checks.



1. Scan **QR CODE** with any Smart Phone.
2. Set up an **ONLINE** giving plan with Grace Church.



## WOMEN OF GRACE SPRING LUNCHEON

The Women of Grace invite you to join the ladies of Grace Church to the "Grow in Grace" Spring Luncheon on Saturday, May 7 from 10 AM to 1 PM at the Cape Coral campus of Grace Church. Tickets are available at all our campuses for \$10 each. Go to the information table in the Narthex.

## SCHEDULE

### Worship Times:

Sunday at 8:30am (Traditional)

Sunday at 10am (Contemporary)

### Grace Kidz/Youth

**Grace Place** (Infant – 5th grade): Sunday 9:45am

**PrE-Team** (3 - 4yo): Wed. 6-8pm

**E-Team** (5yo to 4th grade): Wed. 6-8pm

**TwEEN Team** (5th & 6th grade): Wed. 6-8pm

**Revolution** (7th grade - High School):

Wednesday from 6-8pm

### Recovery

**Sobriety Rocks:** AA Speaker Meeting Sat. 6:45pm

**A-Z Group:** Thursday 8pm

## ATTENDANCE

8:30am	10am	Wed.	Total
67	141	159	367

## GIVING

Shores General Fund	
Last Week	\$4,769

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