April 6, 2025 – Grace Bible Conference

9:30 am

■ "O Church Arise" by Keith Getty & Stuart Townend © 2005 Thankyou Music CCLI #801260

O Church Arise and put your armour on Hear the call of Christ our Captain For now the weak can say that they are strong In the strength that God has given With shield of faith and belt of truth We'll stand against the devil's lies An army bold whose battle-cry is Love Reaching out to those in darkness

Our call to war to love the captive soul But to rage against the captor And with the sword that makes the wounded whole We will fight with faith and valor When faced with trials on every side We know the outcome is secure And Christ will have the prize for which He died An inheritance of nations

Come see the cross where love and mercy meet As the Son of God is stricken Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet For the Conqueror has risen And as the stone is rolled away And Christ emerges from the grave This victory march continues till the day Every eye and heart shall see Him

So Spirit come put strength in every stride Give grace for every hurdle That we may run with faith to win the prize Of a servant good and faithful As saints of old still line the way Retelling triumphs of His grace We hear their calls and hunger for the day When with Christ we stand in glory

Message: "Living The Gospel With One Another" Rev. Nathan Currey

10:40 am

Announcements / Call to Worship

"Grace Greater Than Our Sin"

Words by Julia H. Johnston and Music by Daniel B. Towner ©1986 Word Music CCLI#801260

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord, Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt! Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured There where the blood of the Lamb was spilt.

Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that will pardon and cleanse within, Grace, grace, God's grace, Grace that is greater than all our sin!

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold, Threaten the soul with infinite loss; Grace that is greater - yes, grace untold Points to the refuge, the mighty cross.

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide What can avail to wash it away? Look! there is flowing a crimson tide Whiter than snow you may be today.

Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace, Freely bestowed on all who believe! You that are longing to see His face, Will you this moment His grace receive?

- Scripture Reading Isaiah 53
- Offertory Prayer

"Abide With Me"

Words by Henry Lyte alt by Justin Smith, Music by Justin Smith. © 2007 Justin Smith Music CCLI #801260

Abide with me: fast falls the eventide the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide. When other helpers fail and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, abide with me.

Thou on my head in early youth didst smile And though rebellious and perverse meanwhile Thou hast not left me oft as I left Thee On to the close Lord abide with me

I need Thy presence every passing hour. What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's pow'r? Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be? Through cloud and sunshine, abide with me.

I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless, Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness. Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes. Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies. Heav'n's morning breaks and earth's vain shadows flee; In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

Confession / Lord's Supper - <u>Confession of Sins</u>

Merciful God,

We confess to you that we have sinned in thought, word and deed.

We confess the sins that no one else knows,

But you know them all, Lord.

We confess the sins that are a burden to us, and the sins that no longer bother us because we have grown used to them; we have

found ways to excuse them.

Forgive us for hiding our sin.

We confess our sins as a church

We have not loved one another as Christ loves us.

We have not forgiven one another as freely as we have been forgiven.

We have not given ourselves in love and service for the world as Christ gave Himself for us.

Forgive us, Father.

Send your Holy Spirit to fill us, and give us power to live new lives! Renew our minds with your Word that we might live to the praise

of Your glory in all things.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray. Amen

"In Christ Alone"

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In Christ alone, my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song; this Cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease! My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone - who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless Babe! This gift

of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save. "Til on that cross, as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied; For every sin on Him was laid. Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, Light of the world by darkness slain; then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again! And as He stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me; for I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me; from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand; 'til He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

"His Mercy Is More"

Words and music by Matt Papa, Matt Boswell © 2016 Common Hymnal Publishing CCLI #801260

What love could remember no wrongs we have done Omniscient, all knowing, He counts not their sum Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam What Father, so tender, is calling us home He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

What riches of kindness he lavished on us His blood was the payment, His life was the cost We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

Praise the Lord His mercy is more Stronger than darkness, new every morn Our sins they are many, His mercy is more

- Message: "Grace Trained Lives" Rev. Nathan Currey
- Closing Hymn
- Benediction

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THIS WEEK AT ROCKPORT

Sunday, April 6, 2025

Grace Bible Conference

- Living the Gospel with One Another	9:30 AM
- Grace Trained Lives	10:40 AM

Today's Greeters - Alex Starkey & Anja Woelm Today's Tellers - Herman Meyer & Jonathan Gunby Today's Nursery - Victoria Bartels & Athena Kesselring

Please Note: Nursery care during worship is for children up through age 2

Prayerfully consider Rockport's Budget Needs

Rockport Weekly Budget Goal	\$6,710.00
March Weekly Average	\$8,243.63

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Rockport's Fellowship Meal & Semi-Annual Meeting Due to Grace Bible Conference being on the first Sunday, the "First Sunday Fellowship Meal" for April will be immediately following Morning Worship and before the Semi-Annual Meeting on Sunday, April 13th
- Good Friday Celebration / Concert Friday, April 18th at 7pm
- Save the Dates for upcoming Wedding & Baby Showers
 Saturday, April 12th at 6 PM for Shealyn & Jaxon Dinkins (Wedding)
 Friday, April 25th for Paige (& Nate) Baechle (Baby)
 Friday, May 16th for Julian (& Will) Pierce (Baby)
 Saturday, June 7th for Tony Koranda & Sydney Dinwiddie (Wedding)
- Mark your Calendars Rockport's Annual Family Camp dates have been set for Thursday, September 25th through Sunday, September 28th. Watch for more details!

A Word from Pastor Scott:

Sunday, April 6, 2025

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Colossians 3:16-17

Thank you Rockport and all of you who helped prepare for this year's *Grace Bible Conference*. I am so grateful for the effort so many of you have given to getting it all together and keeping it going. It is wonderful to be able to serve with this congregation and watch you grow and deepen in your love for one another and for the Lord. I am filled with joy at the way God's Spirit has worked through your preparation and that of our special guest, Nathan Currey, as he has led us in this exploration of Biblical Counseling. I pray the Lord will fill us with a greater love for Christ and a deeper desire to see Him glorified among us here at Rockport because of what we have been considering this weekend.

I am especially grateful for all of you who have worked hard behind the scenes planning, organizing, serving, cooking, cleaning, helping, preparing and leading worship and making sure everything was in order. There really is no way to adequately express the depth of my gratitude. Thank you also for our guests who joined us! And of course, we thank God for Nathan and his wife, Janey, for taking time away from their church and family to be with us this weekend. What a blessing! It is by God's word, carefully studied and faithfully proclaimed that the Lord instructs and leads His people in paths of righteousness. My prayer is that you will continue to think about and praise God for the things He has shown us this weekend. And if you missed anything of the messages you can find the by visiting our website (rockportbaptist.org), our *Sermon Audio* page (sermonaudio.com/broadcasters/rockportbaptist) or our *Youtube* channel. We hope to have everything posted online within the next few of days.