

MINISTRY UPDATE
Stephen Ministers
A caring ministry

Stephen Ministers are lay congregation members trained to provide one-to-one care to those experiencing a difficult time in life, such as grief, divorce, job loss, chronic or terminal illness, or relocation. Stephen Ministers come from all walks of life, but they all share a passion for bringing Christ's love and care to people during a time of need.

After being matched with a care giver, your Stephen Minister will meet on a weekly basis with you to listen, care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support. The caring relationship lasts as long as the need for care exists.

So if you or a loved one are in need of help, please contact our Stephen Ministers today by emailing: stephenministry@gracepointephrata.org or calling the office: 509-754-3351.

Stephen Ministers: *After People*

We are there

- the phone call you hoped you'd never get
- the divorce papers are served
- the funeral
- the dr says, "I'm sorry there is nothing more we can do"
- the nursing home welcomes you to your new home
- your child honks and drives away from home
- the gavel goes down and your loved one is led away
- the baby arrives and its harder than you imagine
- you find a pink slip with your final paycheck
- your family and friends have heard your story too many times, but you still need to talk.

Stephen Ministers are ready to come alongside you- or someone you know, to provide comfort and support for as long after as needed. To find out more about Stephen Ministry for you or someone you know, talk with one of our Stephen Ministry leaders: David Mayhugh and Judi Jensen, or by calling the office 509-754-3351 or emailing stephenministry@gracepointephrata.org.

Copies of the current financial statement and recent Elder Meeting minutes can be found at the Welcome Desk or by contacting the office.

CHURCH@GRACEPOINTEPHRATA.ORG ~
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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: MON-THUR 7:30AM-12PM

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FEBRUARY 22, 2026

PRELUDE

LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS

WELCOME & PRAYER

WORSHIP IN SONG

GOD IS FOR US

IT REALLY IS AMAZING GRACE

THE LORD ALMIGHTY

FELLOWSHIP TIME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

STEPHEN MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

MESSAGE

LIKE CHRIST

PHILIPPIANS 2:5-11

SONG OF RESPONSE

WHAT AN AWESOME GOD

STEPHEN MINISTERS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PRAYER
AT THE BACK OF THE SANCTUARY

LIKE CHRIST

Date: February 22, 2026

Passage: Philippians 2:5-11

Outline

Takeaways

WELCOME TO GRACEPOINT

- Have a prayer request or praise? Need to update your contact info? Please fill out the **"Connection Card"** or **QR link** and place them in the offering box at the entrance.
- Donations can be left in the offering box at the back of the sanctuary by the main door, mailed to the church office, or made online.



WEEKLY WORSHIP & FELLOWSHIP

Sunday Morning Prayer: Sundays at 8:30am.

Teen Class: Sundays at 9:00am

Bible Class: Daniel: Sundays at 9:00am

Youth Group: 5th grade - 12th grade. Sundays from 6:00-7:30pm

Mom's Group: Mom's of all ages. Wednesdays from 8:30-10:30am.

Wednesday Night Fellowship: Wednesdays from 5:30pm-7:30pm.

AWANA: Wednesdays from 6:00-7:30pm

Men's Breakfast: The 4th Saturday of each month at 7:00am. Men high school aged and beyond.

Go Team Lunch and Fundraiser

Mark your calendars for March 8th! Join us for an ALL CHURCH lasagna dinner sponsored by the GO Team, followed by our 4th Annual Delicious Donations Fundraising Auction. It's a wonderful time of fellowship while raising funds for GracePoint's Thailand mission team serving with Tim & Mollie Bohrer and Adrianna Simmons. If you'd like to contribute a "Delicious Donation" to the auction, please sign up at the Welcome Desk. Questions?

Call June at (509) 398-3425.

Baptism Sunday

Join us on Sunday, March 1st during our morning service for a special Baptism celebration as we witness and rejoice in lives being transformed through Christ. We hope you'll be part of this meaningful time together, with a reception to follow the service. Come celebrate with us!

Office Closed

The church office will be closed this coming Wednesday, February 25th.