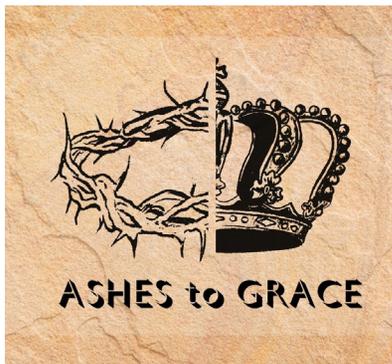


# COMMUNITY @ UPPC.ORG/EVENTS



## New Series for Lent

### Ashes to Grace

This Lenten series explores the theology of grace in Paul's letter to the Romans and brings it to life through the flesh-and-blood stories of Jesus in the Gospels. Each week traces Paul's sweeping vision of God's saving work while pairing it with a Gospel encounter that helps us see, feel and experience grace in action. As we journey toward Easter, we will discover that grace is not just a doctrine to understand, but a gift to receive and embody.

## Hope Inspired | Worship Night

February 28 | 6-9pm

Join us for this one-night Women's event with dinner, fellowship, teaching and extended worship. Much like previous *Hope Inspired* events, this evening is designed to create space to slow down, connect with one another and encounter God together. Invite the special women in your life! Register today in the Lobby or at [UPPC.org/events](http://UPPC.org/events).

## Essentials

March 8 | 3-7pm

Have you considered the next step toward membership? The Essentials membership class is a great way to discover how you fit into this community of believers and Christ-followers. There IS a place for you, and Essentials helps to explore the opportunities. Please register at [UPPC.org/events](http://UPPC.org/events).

## Family Sacraments

March 8 & 15 | 9:30-10:30am

Join us for the Family Sacrament Experience as children and their parents explore the meaning and traditions of baptism and communion. Families will have the opportunity to participate in the sacraments at the end of the workshop. This two session experience is geared toward children in grades 1-4 and will be led by Pastor Tina. Register today at [UPPC.org/events](http://UPPC.org/events)!

## Selma Movie Screening

March 15 | 1pm

Step into a pivotal chapter of our nation's story. Bring your lunch and join us for a viewing of the Academy Award winning film *Selma*, which tells the story of the historic Selma to Montgomery marches. UPPC's Peacemaking Team invites you to engage this important moment in history through film, reflection and guided discussion. Friends and neighbors welcome. Come ready to learn, listen and consider how the past continues to shape our present. RSVP at [UPPC.org/events](http://UPPC.org/events).

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# PRAYER

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**UPPC is a praying church. Contact Jill McMullen to join the prayer chain. If you or someone you know would like to receive prayer, please reach out to us or visit [UPPC.org/care](http://UPPC.org/care).**

## CONDOLENCES

Our sympathy to Robin (Jocelyn) Fawcett, Kristel Fawcett and Felicity and Asher Fawcett at the loss of their father, husband and grandfather, Phil Fawcett, on February 16, 2026.

Our sympathy to Mary (Edward Kitema) Kamau, Mary Kamau, Tashlyn and Tylan Mwaniki and Martin Githinji at the loss of their father and grandfather, James Ndung'u, on February 16, 2026.

## CELEBRATING NEW LIFE

Tyson Townsend, son of Jason and Leilani Townsend, was born February 13, 2026. His proud grandparents are Don and Christine Krause and big brothers are Jason, Jr., Trey and Raymond.

**WE SHARE**  
**WE Love Kids**  
**we are in it together**  
**WE embrace WE MESSINESS**  
**WE create WE MAKE ROOM**

## GriefShare

Starts March 8 | 1:30-3PM

Join us for GriefShare, a seminar and support group designed to offer help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. Learn more and register at [UPPC.org/events](http://UPPC.org/events).

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**Ashes to Grace**  
It's All A Mess  
Romans 1:16-23, 2:1-4, 3:3-9

**9:30AM SERVICE**

\*Please stand if able

**Prelude:** *Amazing Grace* | Newton-Hayes

**Comforter**

**Welcome & Call to Worship**

\**Come Christians, Join to Sing, #150*

\**Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah, #281*

\**Jesus, Lord To Me*

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 18:9-14

**Prayer for the Children & Greet One Another**

**Message**

\**Come, Thou Almighty King, #139*

**Offering & Prayers of the People**

\***Blessing**

**Postlude:** *Toccata in A* | Paradisi

**11AM SERVICE**

**Open The Eyes Of My Heart** | Paul Baloche

**Welcome & Call to Worship**

**Firm Foundation (He Won't)** | Cody Carnes

**Speak O Lord** | Keith and Kristyn Getty

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 18:9-14

**Prayer for the Children & Greet One Another**

**Message**

**Heart of God** | Hillsong

**Offering & Prayers of the People**

**Blessing**



**UNIVERSITY PLACE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

February 22, 2026

*We believe the Lord brought you here!*

Welcome to UPPC! We are so glad you are here, and if you are a guest today or we haven't met you yet, we would love to greet you. Fill out the CONNECT CARD in your pew and visit the Welcome Center near the front doors so we can treat you to a beverage from the Wayside!

We hope your time with us today creates a meaningful encounter with Jesus.

Rev. Aaron Stewart | Senior Pastor  
Rev. Mike Moffitt | Associate Pastor  
Rev. Tina Osterhouse | Associate Pastor