

2021 was a pivotal year for our church family as we took a big step forward into our future giving Jesus our biggest YES to date! These past two years have been a difficult season for every organization and business in America. Rather than face this moment with fear, we have moved forward in faith. As a church we have been dreaming about the next two decades and how Grace World Outreach Church will continue to reach our growing community.

We started sharing the vision for expanding our campus, connecting our facilities, and increasing ministry space. Our church responded with faith and generosity. I am excited that we will be breaking ground soon on the new facility.

Church, throughout this legacy report you have a chance to look back on this past year and see the goodness of God and the faithfulness of this church. Last year we saw 468 decisions made for the Lord. Our Grace Kids and Ascend students grew by 60% over the past year. We added new ministries like Grace Young Adults, Young Families, and Grace Collective. Though Sunday in person attendance has not yet returned to pre-pandemic numbers we have seen a 110% rise in our weekly engagement through the year! Our outreach to the community has expanded as well. The evangelism teams have knocked on thousands of doors throughout the community. Nature Coast Outreach is growing and reaching more families in need by the week.

Grace, I am genuinely overwhelmed by the testimony of our church! God is so good and there really is no place like Grace! Thank you for believing in the vision and being part of bringing it to pass. The best is yet to come!

Daniel & Jenna Norris

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ACQUIRE

"He is the one we proclaim"

The GOSPEL is the greatest message ever proclaimed and it is the message we carry. We never miss an opportunity to share the life changing news of the gospel with those who have yet to experience the abundant life Jesus offers. You see this in our weekend gatherings and our big outreach events. Evangelism is built into everything we do.

SUNDAY SERVICE

· 593 average in-person and online

GRACE KIDS

- · 145 average weekly attendance
- 18 kids baptized
- Weekly salvations
- Grace Kids continues to effectively minister to more kids than ever before!

ASCEND

- 2021 focus was rebuilding and making systems stronger
- 79 visitor bags delivered to schools
- 122 new guests on a Wednesday night
- 149 students made a decision for Jesus
- 65 average weekly attendance

GRACE YOUNG ADULTS

- Launched in 2021
- 40 average monthly attendance

LIGHT THE NIGHT

- 6 Neighborhoods reached
- · 120 gallons of candy handed out
- · 800+ hot dogs served

All of these acquiring events resulted in:

Over **468** decisions for Christ, **48** baptisms (22 students), and **390** I'm New Here cards

CONNECT

"admonishing"

We must do more than simply reach people with the gospel, we also aim to connect them to Christ and connect them to His church. Because of that, we are purposely a large church made up of small groups, or as we call them, Grace Groups. We have many groups meeting throughout the Nature Coast where you can connect and serve.

GRACE KIDS

- · Launched Young Families
- · 5 events hosted that strengthened relationships within family
- 164 kids in attendance for Summer Fire Nights

ASCEND

- 300 contacts made by Hub leaders to new students
- 33 students & 6 adults attended City Week an additional 30 adults participating, 150
 bags of groceries given out, over 50 hygienic bags given out to the homeless, and 2 tents
 delivered and built for homeless community

GRACE CONNECT

- 31 new members
- 26 groups
- · 60 leaders
- · 133 average weekly group engagement

MEN OF GRACE

- 35 attended Super Bowl tailgate party
- · 25 attended The Better Men Event

WORSHIP NIGHT

- Hosted by Immerse the Nations
- · Monthly worship nights

TRAIN

"teaching everyone with all wisdom"

Jesus commissioned His church to make disciples, true Christ-followers. This is why we "labor with a tireless intensity to present to every believer the revelation of who they are in Christ" (Col 1:28). To do this we offer Grace Groups throughout the year that are focused on discipleship. For those who are called to full time ministry we also offer a fully accredited Bible College called SUM Nature Coast on campus.

GRACE EQUIP

- 54 classes offered throughout the year
- · 41 leaders invested their teaching gift to make disciples
- The Chosen was the largest attended group in the Dome during Summer Season

SUM

- · 32 students since launching in 2019
- Each student served 4-8 hours a week in various ministries
- · Launched "Anytime, Anywhere" online class format for both Bachelor and Master degrees
- 7 students graduating in June 2022

MEN OF GRACE

• 2 G-Men graduates

WOMEN OF GRACE

· 7 Titus Touch graduates



SEND

"that we may present everyone fully mature in Christ."

This is living life to its fullest! We want to help people discover not only who they are in Christ, but also to discover their unique purpose in the kingdom of God and be sent into that call. This could mean joining our Dream Team, leading a Grace Group, joining a ministry or serving in local or global missions.

COMPASSION FOOD

- 56,000 lbs. of food
- · 40 freezer chests of frozen meat
- · 1,500 dozen eggs
- · 426 turkeys distributed for Thanksgiving
- · 45 average monthly volunteers
- Prayer and gospel tracts with the plan of salvation given in every vehicle monthly

NATURE COAST OUTREACH CENTER

- · 3,725 hot meals served
- · 24,000 lbs of food distributed
- Distributed tents, sleeping bags, blankets, heaters, coats, gloves, tarps, bicycles, batteries, face masks, personal hygiene items.
- 75 families received gifts for Christmas
- · Bible study Thursday and Friday evenings

SUM

 Hosted the Evangelism and Outreach Conference (ECO). Worship, dynamic speakers, and evangelism training was provided via livestream from SUM Leadership team. Each day 14 students and 6 from Grace shared the gospel in shopping centers, parks, businesses. We prayed for 241 people, 2 received healing, 34 salvations, 1 rededication, and 2 filled with the Holy Spirit

MISSIONS

- \$305,511.13 to local, state, national, and foreign missions
- \$100 minimum given in monthly support to 108 ministries and/or missionaries
- 108 missionaries and ministries contacted to encourage and pray for them and their ministries

GRACE KIDS

- 27 families received gifts and the Gospel during the Christmas Gift Outreach
- \$2,535.83 given to BGMC

ASCEND

- \$256.48 given to Speed The Light
- \$100k pledged collectively for YES campaign
- \$1,500 first fruits offering

IMMERSE THE NATIONS

- 19 outreaches
- · 14 churches activated
- 4,185 families/homes reached
- · 152 decisions for Christ



WE SAY YES!

FAITH CAMPAIGN

\$335,024.03 of \$2,329,897.40 has been raised as of February 8, 2022!









GIVING TO THE KINGDOM

2020

Total Assets \$8,104,648.51

Tithes & Offerings \$1,758,775.20

Total Missions \$264,637.96 2021

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Total Missions \$305,511.13

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