



A family-oriented, multi-cultural, Bible-based community committed to  
Knowing God, Worshiping Him, Growing in the faith and  
Sharing the Good News about Jesus Christ

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Pastor Abe Bigornia

**SUNDAY, February 23, 2025**

*A GRACE-full WELCOME TO ALL*

For the love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them.

**2 Corinthians 5:14-15**

## WORSHIP CELEBRATION

**Welcome / Opening Prayer:** *Oliver Apacway*

**Praise and Worship:** *Praise Team*

**Announcements:** *Berna Serrano*

**Year 2025 Theme:**

*GAC on the Same P.A.G.E. (Purpose Aligned with God Entirely)*

**February Theme:** *A Church Rooted In God's Love, Living Out Christ's Love*

**Message:** *Living Under Christ's Love's Control*

*2 Corinthians 5:14-15*

*Pastor Abe Bigornia*

**Closing Song**

**Offertory Prayer:** *Jun Caceres*

**Offertory Song**

**Closing Prayer/ Benediction:** *Rolando Caparas*

## CHURCH LIFE

1. **Dinosaur Party in Children's Church!** Calling all young adventurers! Join us for a ROAR-some Dinosaur Party in Children's Church next Sunday, March 2! Don't forget to bring a friend—it'll be dino-mite!
2. Join us next **Sunday School** at 9:15am as we kick off an exciting **new series: *Challenges to the Faith***—a deep dive into the book of Jude! Come ready to learn, discuss, and grow as we explore how to contend for the faith in today's world. Don't come alone—bring a family member or a friend and let's seek God's truth together!
3. **Regenesis.** Saturday March 8, 7am – 12pm
4. **General Leadership Meeting,** Sunday March 16 after the service
5. **Choir Practice for Easter Cantata** every Sunday after the service as we offer our best praise.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL (ADULTS AND SENIORS)

Themes and Primary Scriptures for each week:

- **Feb-23:** Priscilla, Aquila, and Apollos-Acts 18:1-4, 18-21, 24-28
- **Mar. 2:** Beware of False Teachers-Jude 1:1-13

# OUR PRAYERS

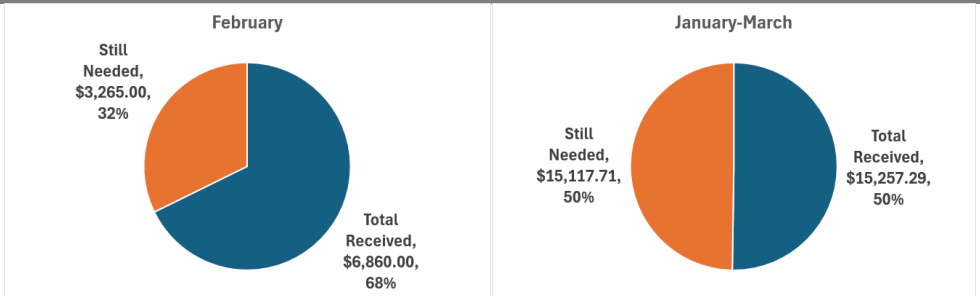


Please submit prayer requests and answered prayers at [www.graceabounds.church/prayer/request](http://www.graceabounds.church/prayer/request)

Join us every **Wednesday at 7:00 PM** for a powerful time of prayer, worship, and encouragement as we stand in the gap for our church, community, and beyond by lifting up a complete list of prayer requests, celebrating amazing testimonies of answered prayers, praising God through songs, and receiving a short devotion to strengthen and uplift our faith.

1. **Praises:** Manor at Jersey Village Apartments – bible study • GAC new visitors • Six baptismal candidates • West Rd. GAC signage • **Choudhari Family** – new apartment
2. **February Celebrants:**
  - **Birthdays:** Jaimie Suello – 6, Jun Caceres – 9, Nathaniel Victoriano – 12, Verlyn Apacway – 17, Deogracias Caporal – 18, Dale Edwards – 20
  - **Anniversary:** Samuel & Jennifer Choudhari – 8

# STEWARDSHIP



**Online giving:** [www.graceabounds.church/give](http://www.graceabounds.church/give) (for general fund, tithes, offerings, and missions).

# PASTOR'S CORNER

*14 For the love of Christ controls us, having concluded this, that one died for all, therefore all died, 15 and He died for all, so that they who live might no longer live for themselves, but for Him who died and rose again on their behalf. – 2 Corinthians 5:14*

The word "control" in this passage means "to hold together," reminding us that apart from Christ, we are scattered and lost in sin (Isaiah 53:6). Yet, through His love demonstrated on the cross, we are united in Him when we believe in His saving work. No longer living for ourselves, we are bound together under His love for His glory—so let us live under His control and Live Out His Love.

– Pastor Abe Bigornia

# VISION & MISSION STATEMENTS

## Our Vision:

Grace Abounds Church exists to glorify our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, by fulfilling His Great Commission and living out His Great Commandment to make, mature and multiply disciples of all people groups.

## Our Mission:

To magnify our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, by

- drawing people to become BELIEVERS in Jesus Christ
- directing believers to become life-long LEARNERS of God's Word
- developing learners to be DOERS in various church ministries
- deploying church members as REPRODUCERS of disciples

## WEDNESDAY SERVICE 7-8:30PM, FEBRUARY 26

**Welcome/Opening Prayer:** *Rolando Caparas*

**Praise and Worship:** *Praise Team*

**Announcements:** *Stela Suello*

**Message / Devotion:** *Butch Suello*

**Prayer Time** *(Break into Groups)*

**Closing Song**

**Closing Prayer:** *Pastor Abe Bigornia*

## GET CONNECTED

### SUNDAY

Sunday Morning Prayer	9:00 am
Sunday School for all ages	9:15 am
Worship Celebration	10:15 am

### WEEKDAYS

Wednesday: Mid-Week Worship and Prayer Service	7:00 pm
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(Prayer Request)



(Calendar)



(Giving)