

Welcome

to



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CHURCH

Encountering Grace through Jesus, right where we are.
Being moved by Grace toward all God has for us.

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WELCOME TO GRACE UNION

Thank you for joining us today! If it's your first time with us, please stop by the Connect Center in the lobby for a free gift. We'd love to meet you.

GU News & Events



Goliath
Must
Fall

JUN 23-AUG 1
Winning the Battle Against Your Giants

Fear. Rejection. Addiction. Anger. Comfort...Must Fall. These adversaries establish a foothold, holding us back from the freedom that Jesus intends for us. This message series and small group study is helping us learn how to break out of these patterns once and for all! Study guides are available for purchase in the lobby.

**** THIS IS THE LAST WEEK FOR SUMMER SMALL GROUPS and Children's programs until September. Youth services will continue Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.**



 **GUstudents**
YOUTH MINISTRY

CITY MUSEUM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4 \$15 FOR LUNCH & ENTRY



LABOR DAY

Picnic

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

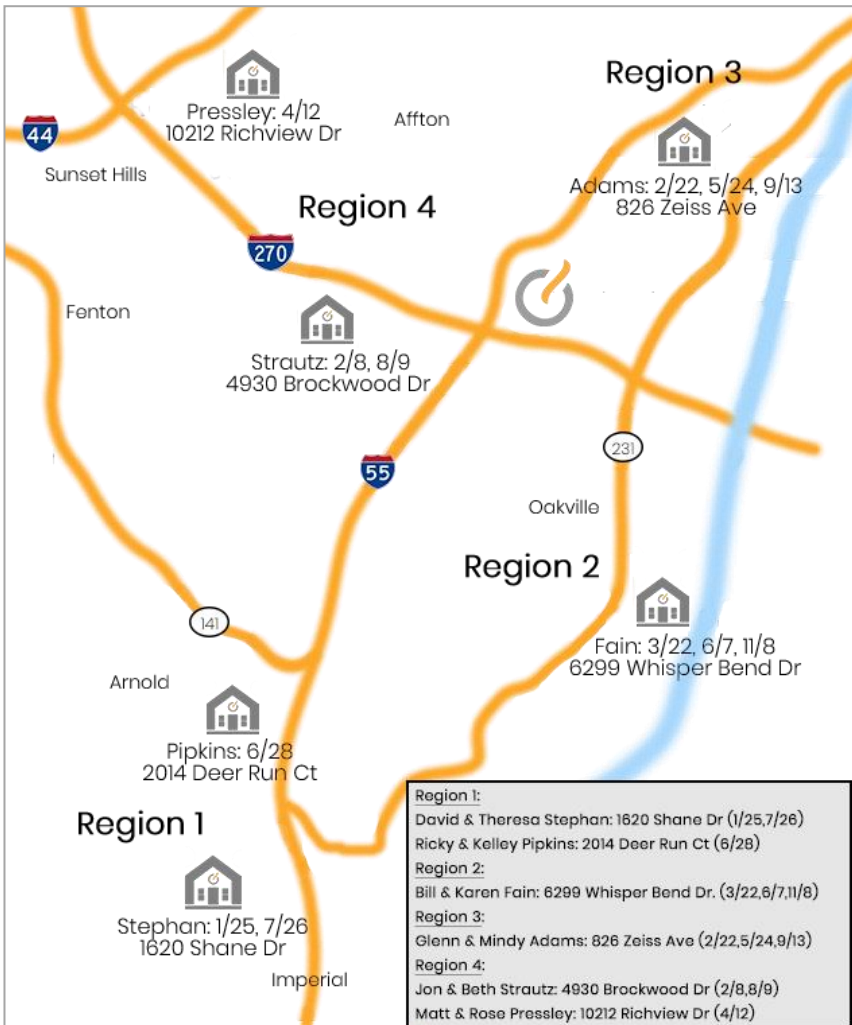
REGIONAL PARTIES



Get to know your GU neighbors with our Regional House Parties! See the map and schedule below to find your Region, host addresses and 2019 dates. Parties begin at 6:30 p.m. Bring a snack to share if able. If not, that's ok. Don't let that stop you from coming!

UPCOMING PARTIES:

- Aug 9:** Region 4 - Jon & Beth Strautz
Sep 13: Region 3 - Glenn & Mindy Adams
Nov 8: Region 2 - Bill & Karen Fain



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SMALL GROUP SCHEDULE

DAY/TIME

LOCATION

CONTACT

Sundays @9am

GU Church
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Sundays after church

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Sundays @6pm

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Wednesdays @6:30pm

GU Church
Ministry Hub

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Thursdays @6:30pm

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Goliath Must Fall (Part 6): New Normal

1 Samuel 17:41-53

Story of David's Fight

- David did not win the entire war by himself.
- God used David's victory to change the expectations of the Israelite army.

I. **Everyone is a Leader. The only question is what we are leading people towards.**

Proverbs 27:17

As Iron sharpens Iron, so One person sharpens another.

- A. Every step closer to Victory over your Giants is a step into a LEGACY of freedom for those around you and after you.
- Saul was not just affecting Saul in his fear and complacency
 - David was affecting more than just David in his courage and assertiveness
 - The actions of both men deeply and concretely impacted those around them.

Hebrews 10:24

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds.

- B. We are cementing and passing on a LEGACY. The only question left to us is, WHICH DIRECTION is my Legacy leading people?

II. **Question: Why remove the Giant's Head?**

- A. David is simply being sure the job is finished.
- **This giant will not show back up on the battlefield later.**

III. **Establishing "Normal" is a Shared Responsibility. Each of our lives casts One Vote in that process.**

- A. Every victory we win empowers those coming after us to carry the victory even further than we did.
- B. The thing about "Normal" is that it is a very Malleable Concept.
- For good or for bad, Normal is constantly being reestablished and reinforced.
- C. Your life and my life are a vote for what is Normal.

2019

PRAY PURSUE PARTY

AUGUST

- 4 Healthcare Team Meeting
- 4 GUStudents City Museum
- 9 Regional House Party (Strautz)
- 11 Men's Event
- 18 Who We Are Lunch
- 23 Leadership Appreciation Night
- 24 Men's Breakfast (Golden Corral)
- 25 Water Baptisms
- 25 Ladies Retreat Registration Opens
- 5,12,19,26 Food Addicts Anonymous

SEPTEMBER

- 1 LABOR DAY BBQ
- 8 Kids Christmas Play Viewing
- 11 Fall Wednesday Night Experience
- 13 Regional House Party (Adams)
- 15 Christmas Play Practice
- 22 Child Dedication
- 26 Men's Dinner
- 27 Family Movie Night
- 29 Ladies Retreat Deadline

* See graceunionstl.org or [Facebook.com/graceunionstl](https://www.facebook.com/graceunionstl) for details about these and other GU Events! *

WAYS TO CONNECT



SUNDAYS @ 10AM
WEDNESDAYS @ 6:30 PM
Nursery-Elementary



SUNDAYS @ 9AM
WEDNESDAYS @ 6:30 PM



SUNDAYS (Middle School) @ 10:15
WEDNESDAYS (Gr 6-12) @ 6:30PM



DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN
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