



DECEMBER 14

# LIFE CHANGE IS AN INVITATION AWAY



## CLAIRE DAIL

Before I trusted Christ I struggled with jealousy and anger. My family started going to church again, and I saw how fun it is to worship Jesus each week. I learned that Jesus is the only way to heaven and I wanted to follow Him. Jesus helped me become a kinder person and not filled with jealousy. I love reading my Bible and learning about God, and Grace Church has made it fun and understandable to worship each Sunday.

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## TAKE FIVE

**SHOP WITH A HERO** [December 13] - We are thankful for the opportunity to show that we are for our community - partnering with local first responders and law enforcement to allow children to purchase gifts for their families. Pray that God's love shines brightly at this event.

**ELECTIVES** - Pray for Re:gen as they finish up Steps 1-3 before Christmas. Also pray for those that are finishing GriefShare and DivorceCare in the hopes that they feel equipped for this new stage in life. Pray that all of those attending will have a clear next step to take as they complete these sessions.

**CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES** [December 21 - 24] - Pray for the new people who will walk through our doors this Christmas Eve, and for those who have yet to give their lives to Jesus. Ask that the gospel will be presented clearly and that hearts will be open to respond. We believe wholeheartedly in our value that "life change is an invitation away." This Christmas season, we encourage you to be bold in extending that invitation to family, friends, and neighbors who need the hope of Christ.

**CHRISTMAS IN GRACE KIDS** - Pray for the new families and children who will be introduced to Grace Kids through our Christmas Eve Services. Ask God to help us form meaningful connections with these families and to create an environment where kids can have fun, feel welcomed, and clearly hear the Good News of Jesus.

**KALAHARI RETREAT** [January 9-11] - Pray the retreat will be filled with leaders excited to invest in students and for students to take their next step! We are excited to see God work in the lives of students at Kalahari!

### GRACE CHURCH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

through 12/07/2025

Year-to-Date Giving \$2,418,120

Year-to-Date Budget \$2,405,426 \$12,693

NEXT Campaign Giving \$13,648,426