

**Christmas Choir practice – Friday, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm**

**Almost to Bethlehem - Gracepoint Christmas Program**

Saturday, December 21, 10am to noon.

Come and share the true meaning of Christmas—invite your friends and family.

**Please bring your favorite Christmas treats to share after the service.**

**GRACEPOINT CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**December 21, 2019, 5:00 – 8:30 pm.**

**Food, fun, games, and cookie decorating. Please bring salads and bread to share! Drinks and cookies provided.**

**Please join us for New Year's Eve Agape Feast & Communion on Tuesday, December 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 pm.** We will enjoy hot soups and Mediterranean pita pockets. Please sign up in the foyer or on our new app with how many will attend. Please contact Brenda Groff for "what to bring." 916-508-4100.

**GraceSong, our new Kindergarten through Youth music continues at the beginning of discipleship classes** in the fellowship hall for snacks and music.

**Maranatha Gracepoint Family Mission Trip – Kajiado, Kenya.** Gracepoint invites you to join us on a family mission adventure to Kenya with Maranatha. Spend your family's spring break helping to build a high school classroom for the Kajiado Adventist School and Rescue Center. This trip is geared for families and the dates are March 15-29, 2020.

**Maranatha Paradise Shed Build Project | April 12 – May 1, 2020.** Here's something closer to home we all can do! Check out the details on their website: [www.maranatha.org](http://www.maranatha.org).

Amazon Shoppers | You can donate to Gracepoint Adventist Church by selecting our church at: [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com). Thank you!

**Join us every first Saturday for Fellowship Potluck.**

The Wednesday morning Bible study is canceled on Dec 25 & Jan 1.  
The Monday/Wednesday exercise class is canceled Dec 16 through Jan 3.



Sermon: Pastor Tim McMillen

Giving: Adventist Community Services

**December 14, 2019**

Welcome to Gracepoint Adventist Church! We are glad you've chosen to worship with us today and pray you receive a blessing. If you are a first-time guest, please see a greeter or deacon for an Information Card.

If you need a quiet area with your child during service, please use Classroom #2 located in the back left-hand side of the Worship Center when facing the front. Changing tables are available in both the men's and women's restrooms.

CD & DVD Recordings of today's sermon are available at the sound booth (suggested donation is \$2 for a CD, and \$5 for a DVD). Sermons (audio) are also available at [www.graceisthepoint.org](http://www.graceisthepoint.org), via podcast, and on YouTube.

Offerings are an opportunity for members and friends of the church to support this ministry. If you are a guest with us today, please accept this service as our gift to you.

Online prayer requests & giving: [graceisthepoint.org](http://graceisthepoint.org)

Gracepoint Live Stream – every Saturday at 10am.  
Subscribe to the channel and then you will be notified any time a live stream is starting.

### October 2019 Receipts

#### Church Operations

Budget	\$47,274
Received	17,356
Trust transfers	16,879
	\$34,235

Budget variance: (27.6%)

#### Fiscal Year to date:

Received	\$95,098
Budget variance:	(27.5%)

(July-June Fiscal Year)

## GRACEPOINT

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## Discipleship

### Children & Youth Classes

Beginner: 0-3 years old  
Kinder: 4-5 years old  
Primary: 1st - 3rd grade  
Junior: 4th - 6th grade  
Teen: 7th - 8th grade  
Youth: High School

### Adult Classes

*-New building-*

Young Adults (Room #1)  
Women's Study (Room #2)  
Knowing God (Room #3)  
Word of Life (Green Rm)  
2nd Look (Center Rt. Sanc.)  
Men's Study (Conference Rm)

### SATURDAY, December 14<sup>th</sup>

9:30 am Prayer Service  
10:00 am Worship service  
11:30 am Discipleship classes  
11:30 am GraceSong – fellowship hall  
6:30 pm Point Youth Christmas Party

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15<sup>th</sup>

7:30 am Rock Harbor Service

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 16<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am Exercise class-Canceled  
6:00 pm Pathfinder meeting

### TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17<sup>th</sup>

5:00 pm RH Youth & Jr High

### WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18<sup>th</sup>

9:45 am Bible Study  
11:00 am Exercise class-Canceled  
6:30 pm Music practice

### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20<sup>th</sup>

4:40 pm Sunset (approx.)  
6:30 pm Music practice

### NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>

9:30 am Prayer Service  
10:00 am Christmas Program  
12:00 pm Christmas Fellowship  
5:00 pm Gracepoint Christmas Party

### Office Hours this week:

10-5 Monday - Thursday  
10-1 Friday