



growing together in grace

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Our Story

Jonathan & Julie Moran

Plus Five: Hannah, Noah, Adin, Libby, Luke

Jonathan and Julie Moran have served in almost every capacity of ministry for close to three decades, including 13 years as senior pastors. Jonathan was raised in a church-planting family in California, where his love to see the kingdom of God advance began. Julie was raised in Illinois in a faithful and committed family where her passion for ministry began. They met in 1994, were married in 1997, and now have five amazing children as a testimony of the goodness of God.

IN 2022, GOD GAVE THEM A DESIRE AND BURDEN TO RELOCATE AND PLANT A CHURCH IN THE WEST COUNTY AREA OF ST. LOUIS.

As they spent time in prayer and exploring the area, they felt an immediate connection to Wildwood. After several months and many undeniable confirmations, the family made the move in July 2023.

Over the years and through various stages of ministry, raising children, and personal development, God has equipped them with the tools needed to see a thriving, Spirit-led church in this community.



Mission

Helping people find God, grow in their faith, discover their purpose, and make a difference.

Vision

A church that impacts our community today and transforms lives for eternity through God's grace.

Metro

2.8 MILLION

Residents in Greater St Louis

Target City

35,000

Residents in Wildwood

Surrounding Communities

80,000+

Residents

50% of all residents in this area have no religious affiliation

9,104 Ellisville • 31,283 Ballwin • 19,161 Manchester
8,592 Des Peres • 11,064 Town & Country

Romans 5:2 says, “we have gained access by faith into this grace in which we now stand.”

The pattern of grace is echoed throughout the Bible. In Scripture, grace is God's unmerited favor toward us—freely given through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

**WE ARE HERE BECAUSE OF GOD'S GRACE
AND WE WILL STRIVE TO BE A CHURCH
THAT EXTENDS HIS GRACE TO EVERYONE.**

That is made even truer to us because of Calvary's hill. At GraceHill Church, we are reminded that it is through the love and grace poured out on that hill that we find hope, forgiveness, and new life. Our name reflects this beautiful truth – it's not about what we can earn, but about what Christ has already done.

Core Values

These are the values that we want to define us. We hope you experience each of these during our gatherings:

- We place Jesus at the center
- We practice generosity
- We worship responsively
- We honor and celebrate others
- We serve with excellence
- We demonstrate God's grace

Christian Leadership Scholarship

As a church, we desire to see every generation find their purpose in Jesus Christ. **With this in mind, we're excited to share the Christian Leadership Scholarship. Our desire is to see young Christian leaders thrive and become who God has called them to be.**

To help with this effort, we're committing a percentage of our annual budget to a scholarship fund enabling students who desire to further their education by attending a Christian University.

At GraceHill Church, we know God has called us to be leaders in His kingdom, and we count it an honor to impact the generation that follows us.

Through this scholarship, we will help fulfill our vision of making a difference in our community and impacting eternity.



Launch Plan

PHASE 1 - JANUARY - MARCH 2025

- Assemble Launch Team
- Raise Funds
- Relational Outreach
- Begin Team Training

PHASE 2 - APRIL - JUNE 2025

- Start Up Events
- Vision / Worship Nights
- Community Outreach
- Establish Connect Groups

PHASE 3 - JULY - SEPTEMBER 2025

- Finalize Launch & Core Team
- Finalize Location
- Preview Services
- Purchase Equipment
- 21 Days of Prayer & Fasting

Official Launch OCTOBER 5 2025

- Weekly Sunday Gathering
- Growth Track Class
- Launch Fall Connect Groups



Join The Team

We believe the best way to **LAUNCH** GraceHill Church is with a God-given, Gospel-inspired, Grace-filled **TEAM** of believers.

Launch Team

TEMPORARY TEAM (ENDS AT LAUNCH)

- Open to anyone
- Focused on outreach and community connections
- Meets to plan and engage in Launch Events
- Meets on public open formats

Core Team

OPEN ENDED (FOUNDATIONAL FAMILIES)

- Open to committed disciples of Christ
- Meets for spiritual growth and development
- Helps lead core areas of the Sunday gathering
- Consistently engages in prayer and support

TO LEARN MORE OR JOIN THE TEAM,
please call 219.771.2162, or email info@gracehill.info

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Launch Budget

Generosity is the only way **GraceHill Church** will **launch** and become an **established church** in Wildwood. Prayerfully consider financially supporting the following needs and be a part of our journey to launch.

TOTAL BUDGET
\$165,000

To give, visit our website for details

www.GraceHill.info



Remember the truth of **Matthew 19:26**,

"With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible."

Interest Phase

Advertising / Marketing Expenses: \$5,000
(print, video, social media, etc.)

Signage: \$3,000
(banners, sidewalk signs, etc.)

Merch / Giveaways: \$3,000
(t-shirts, hats, stickers, etc.)

Interest Meetings: \$4,000
(rent, food, supplies, etc.)

Total: \$15,000

Launch Phase

Advertising / Marketing Expenses: \$5,000
(print, video, social media, etc.)

Merch / Giveaways: \$5,000
(t-shirts, hats, stickers, etc.)

Location: \$35,000
(rent/lease payments)

Sound/Lighting Equipment: \$55,000
(speakers, mics, in-ear monitors, etc.)

Media Equipment: \$35,000
(computers, projectors, cameras, screens, etc.)

Musical Instruments: \$15,000
(keyboards, drums, guitars, etc.)

Total: \$150,000

Get Involved

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PRAYING

Please commit to pray for the Moran family and the GraceHill launch team. Specifically pray:

- God leads us to the spiritually hungry
- Volunteers to help us plant in this specific community
- Wisdom, provision, and favor in selecting a meeting location
- Financial provision

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GIVING

Our goal is to plant GraceHill with excellence in Wildwood, MO.

Our goal is to raise \$165,000 for the initial Launch Budget.

We are partnering with a Church Planting Organization that will match up to the first \$50,000 raised. We are also seeking monthly partners for one year to support the initial launch phase.

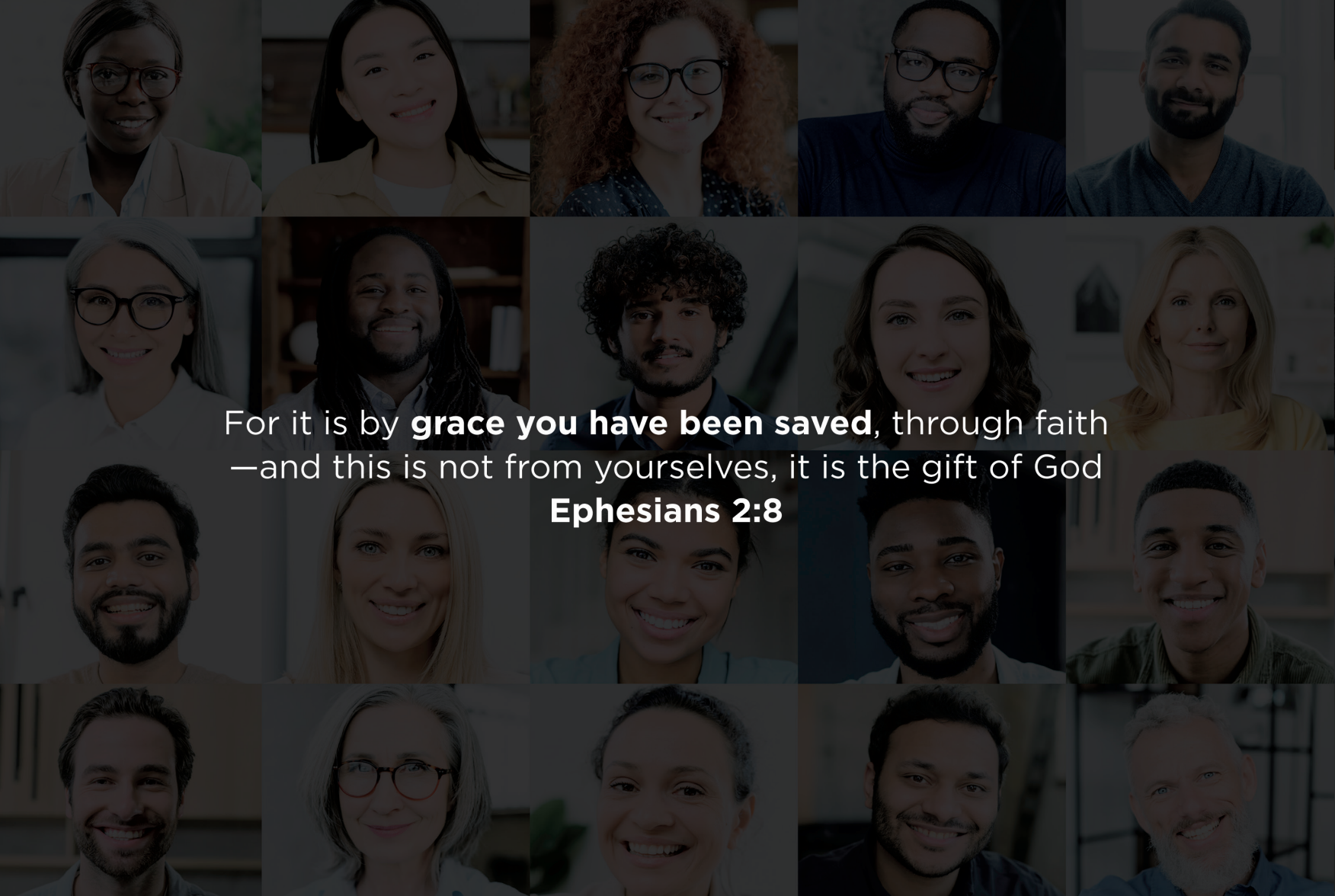
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GOING

When God called us to plant a church in Wildwood, **we believe He also called others to the same field. We cannot attempt this endeavor with out a team.** With the help of God, and in the spirit of humility and cooperation, we are seeking a diverse team of kingdom-minded people to come together to use their unique abilities to help launch GraceHill.

If you are interested in learning more, or joining us, please contact us to explore your next steps.





For it is by **grace you have been saved**, through faith
—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God
Ephesians 2:8