

PRAYER

Our Highest Privilege

Dr. Nate Bosch
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Welcome! Thanks for joining us today.



New to WL?

We'd love to meet you! **Stop by the Connections Desk in The Commons** (right across from the café). We're here to answer any questions you have about WL—and we have a welcome gift just for you.

Got Kids?

Kids from **infants to 6th grade** have classes available during **all three services**. Students in **grades 7-12** meet in **The Hub at 10am**.

Ways To Connect



Connect Card

If you're new today, have recently moved, changed your email, or just want to connect, please scan the QR code or stop by the Connections Desk across from The Café. We want to help you connect at WL.



Thank you for your generosity!

There are three ways to give: On our website at wlgrace.com/give, through the Church Center app, using the QR code, or in person using one of the black giving boxes throughout the building.



Serving Opportunities at WL

We'd love to help you step into serving at WL! One of our values at WL is, "Everyone has a part to play." Let us know how we can help you find your place.

Other Ways to Connect...

You can find more information about us and ways to connect at wlgrace.com, Winona Lake Grace Church on Facebook, and [wlgracechurch](https://www.instagram.com/wlgracechurch) on Instagram.



Upcoming Events



Ladies Winter Gathering

Join us for a cozy Ladies' Winter Gathering on Friday, January 23 from 6:30-8:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. We'll enjoy a warm dinner together, create a fun craft, and spend meaningful time in fellowship together.

Come, relax, and connect - we'd love to have you join us! Register on the Church Center app by January 18!



Church Business Meeting, Sunday, January 18

On Sunday, January 18, at 6pm, we will hold our annual Church Business Meeting.

You won't want to miss the ministry stories that will be shared, celebrating all that God has been doing in and through our church.

We will also provide a six-month financial update and hold an affirmation vote for several leadership roles. You do **not** need to be a member to attend the business meeting. In fact, we encourage everyone to come and be encouraged by the reports and stories of God's work at WL. We hope to see you there!



Moms Connect

Join us as we start the new year with Moms Connect on Tuesday, January 13 at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall. We'll continue with our theme: "The Common Lies Women Believe." Moms Connect welcomes moms with kids of all ages, from infants through high schoolers. We meet the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. We look forward to connecting and growing with you.



It's Huddle Time!

Registrations are now open for **Men's and Women's Huddles**. These short-term groups are a great way to connect, grow, and be encouraged alongside others.



Most groups will meet from mid-February through mid to late March. You can register on the Church Center app. We'd love for you to be part of a Huddle this season!



Moms Connect

Our annual opportunity to encourage and bless our brothers and sisters at the First Baptist Church in Moa, Cuba, is coming up at the end of January. The leadership of the Moa church has asked us to provide training in strengthening marriages and to provide training to a group of their leaders in basics of biblical counseling. The team we are sending includes Daniel Sandoval, Tom & Rhonda Edgington, and Bruce Barlow. The dates are January 29 to February 3. We will again deliver medicines and vitamins to the church for them to use to help their people. Almost nothing, even the most basic home medicines, is available in Cuba. You'll find a list of the items needed at the **WL Central Desk**.

REMEMBER, bring your donations to the church by January 25!

Elder Bios

Joel Hocking

Family: Married to Lily and blessed with three children—Tobe, Malachi, and Gwen.

Work: Senior Consultant with Sogeti, supporting Johnson & Johnson.

Current Involvement at WL:

I currently serve as the Men's Ministry Coordinator, help lead WL Students' Bike It to Momentum, and enjoy volunteering at the WL Café.

Previous Involvement at WL:

Over the years, I've been grateful to serve in several areas, including WL Youth Staff, Living Room Tech/Food, Kidmo Volunteer, and Student Leadership.

Community Involvement:

I enjoy supporting neighbors and friends in practical ways such as tech help, yard work, tree cutting, and moving. I also love staying active by participating in 5K-10K races (including Blackburn R4O and the Donut Dash) and biking events with 2nd Mile Adventures like Trail Fest, Fat and Skinny Tire Fest, and Storm the Fort.

Education:

Bachelor of Science from Grace College, majoring in Information Science with a minor in Business.

What I Hope to Bring as an Elder:

I hope to bring a deep passion for seeing men and women grow in their faith, strengthening marriages, and discipling families. I'm excited to learn more about the history of our church and to see our church family continue to grow and go into the world together.

Rod Wilson

Family: Married to Becky and blessed with three children—Josh, Luke, and Abby.

Work: Vice President of Supply Chain at Rea Magnet Wire, headquartered in Fort Wayne.

Current Involvement at WL Grace:

I currently serve on the First Impressions Team, co-lead a life group, and am part of the Fairlane Ministry Team.

Previous Involvement at WL Grace:

In the past, I have served as an elder and have been involved in children's ministries, the Evangelism & Discipleship Committee, and the Strategic Transition Team.

Education:

I earned degrees in Business Administration and Counseling from Grace, followed by an MBA from the University of Notre Dame.

What I Hope to Bring as an Elder:

I desire to keep the gospel at the center of our church life and ministry, to help meet the needs of those who are less fortunate, and to use my administrative gifts and experience to help strengthen and build the church.