



2023-2024
Annual Impact Report
LEGACY OF GRACE



Message from the President

Our vision of developing spiritual leaders in every nation is coming close to reality as the message of Grace reaches 147 nations! We are grateful for your faithful partnership in fulfilling the Great Commission.

This year, we are celebrating the highest number of graduates who are now equipped to leave an indelible mark in their countries. Our students and alumni are being equipped to champion the truth of God's Word and lead others to experience the love of Christ, a love that cannot be earned and cannot be lost.

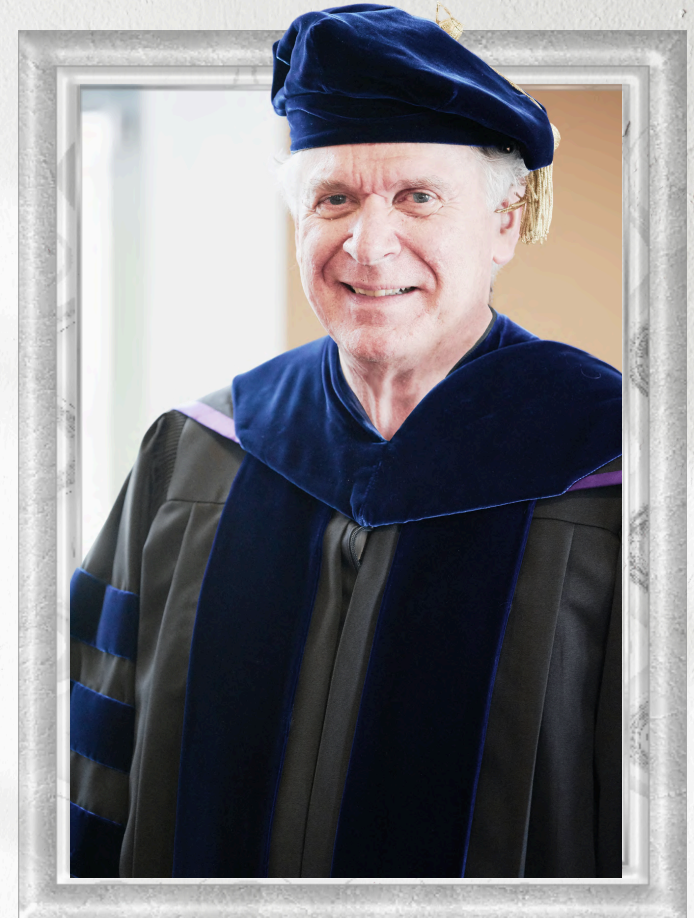
Through our non-degree learning opportunities, we are breaking new ground in countries we have not reached before. Taking advantage of the unprecedented connectivity the world has today, an increasing community of believers from around the world is coming together to grow a deeper love for Christ and gain a greater desire to go and make disciples.

The multiplying effects of the spiritual leaders God is developing through Grace will leave a legacy of Kingdom impact for generations to come. And that is thanks to YOUR steadfast prayers, financial support, and continued fellowship as you have engaged with our educational offerings at various levels!



David R. Anderson, Ph. D.

Founder and President
Grace School of Theology



For by grace you have been saved through faith; and this is not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

Ephesians 2:8-9 NASB

Learn more about what we believe in through this chapter excerpt on Free Grace Theology



Vision

Grace School of Theology develops spiritual leaders in every nation who can teach others about the love of Christ, a love that cannot be earned and cannot be lost.

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A Global Legacy

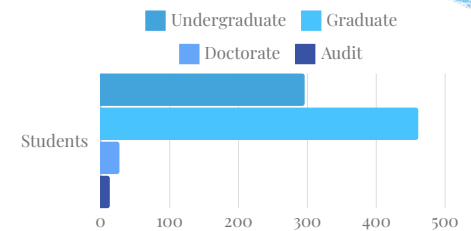
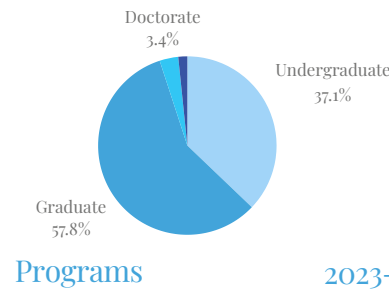
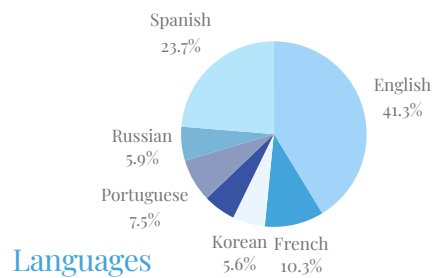
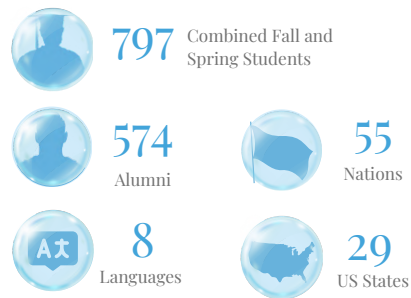
DEVELOPING SPIRITUAL LEADERS IN 147 NATIONS

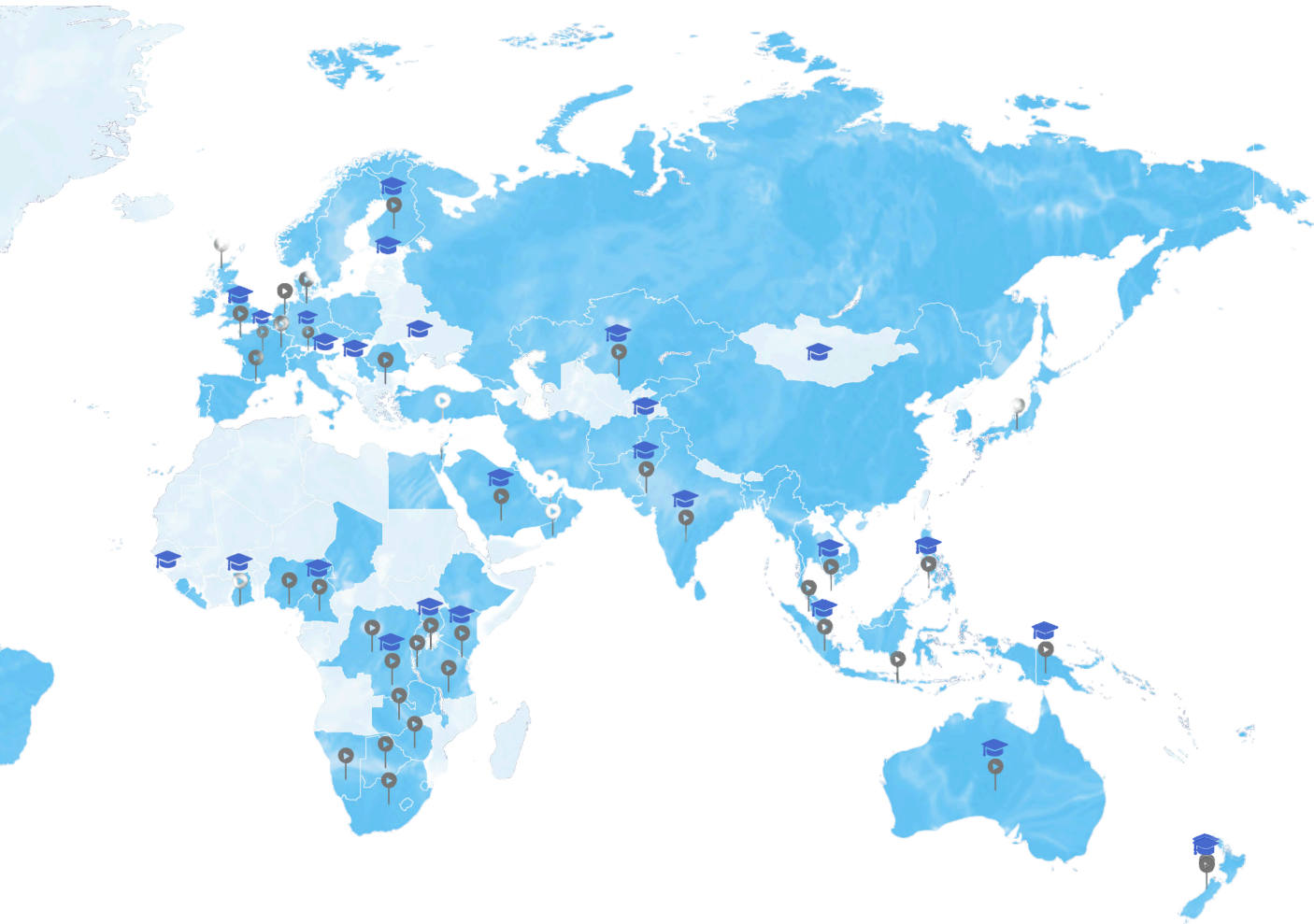
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Albania	The Cayman Islands	Faroe Islands ⁺	Italy	Mongolia [^]	Russia	Switzerland [^]
American Samoa	Chad	Fiji	Jamaica ⁺⁺	Myanmar ⁺	Rwanda ⁺	Taiwan ⁺
Angola	Chile [^]	Finland ^{^+}	Japan ⁺	Namibia ⁺	Saint Kitts and Nevis	Tajikistan [^]
Antigua and Barbuda ⁺	China [^]	France ⁺	Jersey	Nepal [^]	Saint Lucia ⁺	Tanzania ⁺
Argentina ⁺⁺	The Cocos Islands	Georgia [^]	Kazakhstan ⁺⁺	The Netherlands ⁺	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	Thailand
Australia ⁺⁺	Colombia ⁺⁺	Germany ⁺⁺	Kenya ⁺⁺	New Zealand ⁺⁺	Samoa	Trinidad and Tobago ⁺
Austria [^]	The Comoros	Ghana ⁺⁺	Kiribati	Nicaragua [^]	Saudi Arabia [^]	Turkey ⁺
The Bahamas ⁺	Congo ⁺	Grenada	Korea ⁺⁺	Nigeria ⁺	Senegal [^]	Uganda ⁺⁺
Bahrain	The Cook Islands	Guam	Kuwait	Norway	Serbia	Ukraine [^]
Bangladesh	Costa Rica ⁺	Guatemala ⁺⁺	Kyrgyzstan [^]	Oman ⁺	Seychelles	United Arab Emirates ⁺
Barbados	Cuba [^]	Guinea	Lebanon ⁺	Pakistan ⁺⁺	Sierra Leone	The United Kingdom
Belgium ⁺	Curacao	Guyana ⁺	Lesotho	Panama ⁺⁺	Singapore ⁺⁺	US Minor Outlying Islands
Belize ⁺⁺	Czechia	Haiti [^]	Liberia	Papua New Guinea ⁺⁺	Sint Maarten	United States of America ⁺⁺
Bermuda	Denmark ⁺	Honduras [^]	Macao	Paraguay [^]	Slovakia	Uruguay
Bolivia [^]	The Dominican Republic ⁺⁺	Hong Kong ⁺	Malawi	Peru ⁺	Slovenia	Venezuela ⁺⁺
Botswana ⁺	Ecuador ⁺⁺	Hungary [^]	Malaysia ⁺	The Philippines ⁺⁺	Solomon Islands	Viet Nam
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Burundi ⁺⁺	El Salvador	Indonesia ⁺	Martinique	Portugal	Spain [^]	Virgin Islands (U.S.)
Cambodia ⁺⁺	Eswatini	Iran	Mauritius	Puerto Rico [^]	Sri Lanka	Zambia ⁺
Cameroon ⁺⁺	Ethiopia	Ireland [^]	Mexico ⁺⁺	Qatar ⁺⁺	Suriname	Zimbabwe ⁺







[^] Degree students
⁺ Non-degree students

Academic Program 2023-2024 HIGHLIGHTS

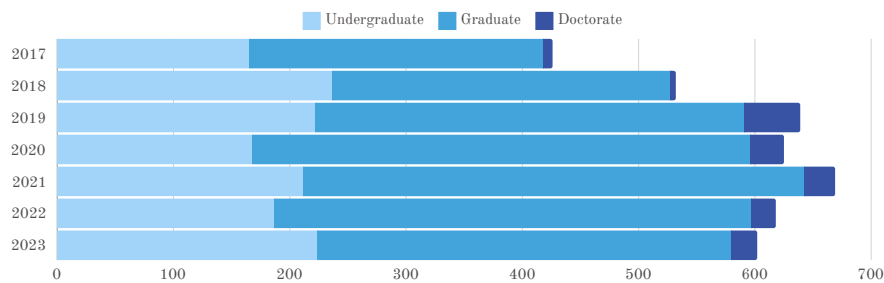




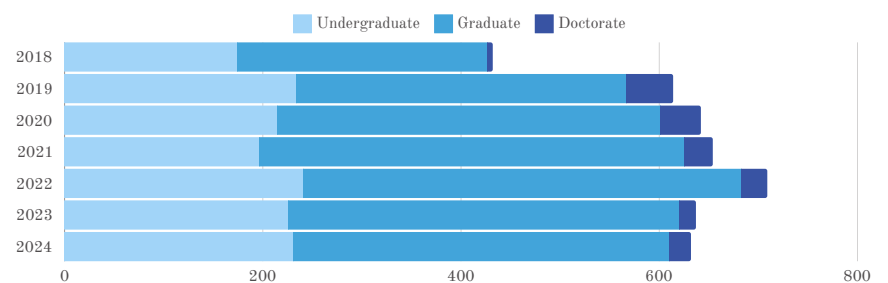
-  55 nations with degree students
-  62 nations with non-degree students
-  139 nations with informal learners
-  48 nations unreachable

“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to follow all that I commanded you; and behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

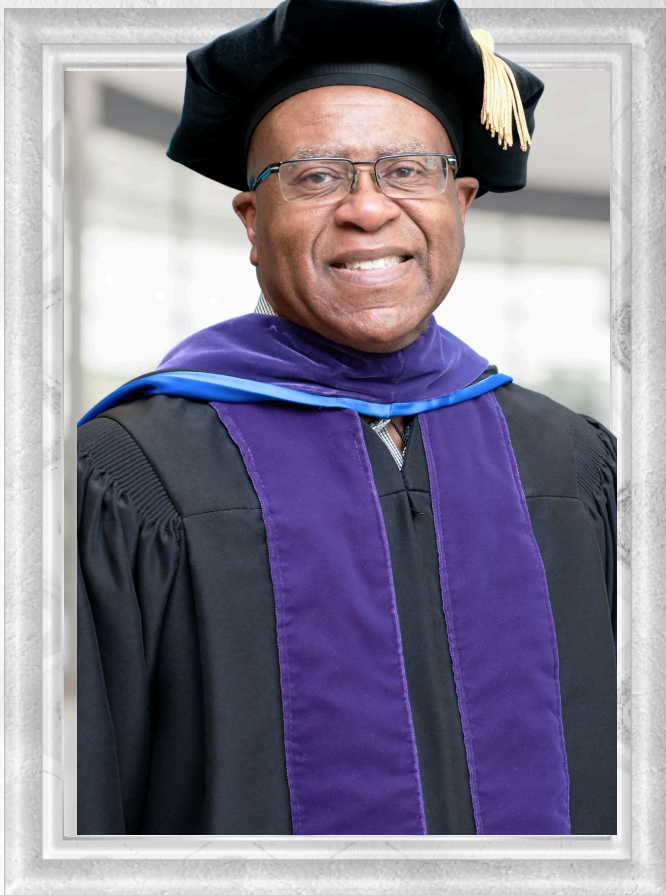
Matthew 28:19–20 NASB



7-Year Fall Enrollment



7-Year Spring Enrollment



The things which you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, entrust these to faithful people who will be able to teach others also.

2 Timothy 2:2 NASB

Creating A Legacy of Truth and Grace

In 2 Tim 2:2, Paul instructed Timothy to take the truths he (Paul) taught him (Timothy) and introduce them to trustworthy people who will pass them on to others. This is the model Grace School of Theology implements, and, as a result, we are witnessing a global impact from our efforts.

From the seminary to the sanctuary, we observe students learning in our classrooms and applying those principles and practices in their church and parachurch ministries. God is eliminating biblical illiteracy in the pulpit and pews through our degree and non-degree educational programs at Grace.

Our faculty and staff are dedicated to training spiritual leaders in every nation who can teach others about the love of Christ, a love that cannot be earned or lost. Additionally, we enjoy other people and ministries supporting our global reach by generously donating their resources to perpetuate our Grace initiatives. We praise God for the significant impact Grace is making around the world.

Dr. Mark Haywood

Provost, *Grace School of Theology*

Our Commitment to Providing Accredited Education

Grace School of Theology is committed to providing attainable, accessible, affordable, and accredited theological education for the ministry leader to the marketplace worker worldwide. Accreditation means the school holds a high standard regarding the truth of God, so students have confidence in what they are learning and applying.

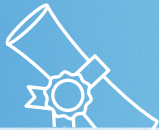
Being accredited also provides credible recognition from employers in churches, ministries, and the government. This would help students find the right opportunity to serve God wherever they are planted.

Class of 2024

Highest Number of Graduates

Degrees Awarded

28 Undergraduate



85 Graduate



8 Doctorate



Graduates



121

US States



13

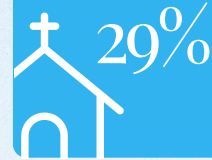
Nations



23

Planned Areas of Service

Church



29%

Parachurch



4%

Missions



9%

Academia



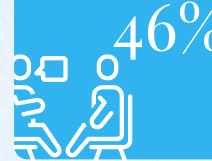
5%

Marketplace



7%

Not Specified



46%





The accessibility of resources, faculty, and support services has enabled me to succeed academically, even from a distance.

- **Alvin Ebreo**-
Philippines



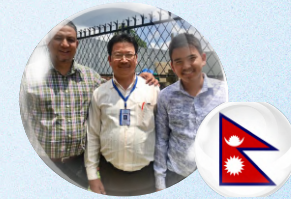
Grace has a theological teaching that goes beyond the academic and scientific and that drives us towards a daily life with God.

- **Lindemberg S. B. Fonseca** -
Brazil



At Grace, we began to see light because we were in darkness. That light shines on us, allowing us to see where and how to walk. The Bible is our food. It gives us life.

- **Merilus Joseph**-
Dominican Republic



Grace provided me with solid biblical teaching, and now I feel more confident and equipped for my calling. We are multiplying leaders and developing 2nd and 3rd generations of believers.

- **Jiwan Lama**-
Nepal

AROUND THE WORLD
WITH
Grace



The dynamic teaching methods and relevant coursework have equipped me as a women's ministry leader to address the unique needs of women in our congregation.

- **Kalina Mushchil** -
Kazakhstan



Our dream is to have our Bible school locally where we can train local leaders and partner with other churches. We need to stand and defend the gospel of grace in Burundi.

- **Anicet Ndikuryo**-
Burundi





Students & Alumni IN ACTION

From transforming inner-city communities in Houston, Texas, to planting churches in the mountains of Nepal, Grace School of Theology students and alumni are creating a legacy of grace in over forty nations, teaching and living out the love of Christ, a love that cannot be earned and cannot be lost.



Bryan Conard, AABS, BABS, MDiv
Senegal, West Africa



Bishwa Karmacharya, MDiv
Nepal



Linda Mathis, MABS
Louisiana, USA



Esthela Flores, MM, MABS
Panama



David Hill, MM
Texas, USA



Dennis Pueblas, MM
Philippines



Janea Christensen, MAC
Washington, USA



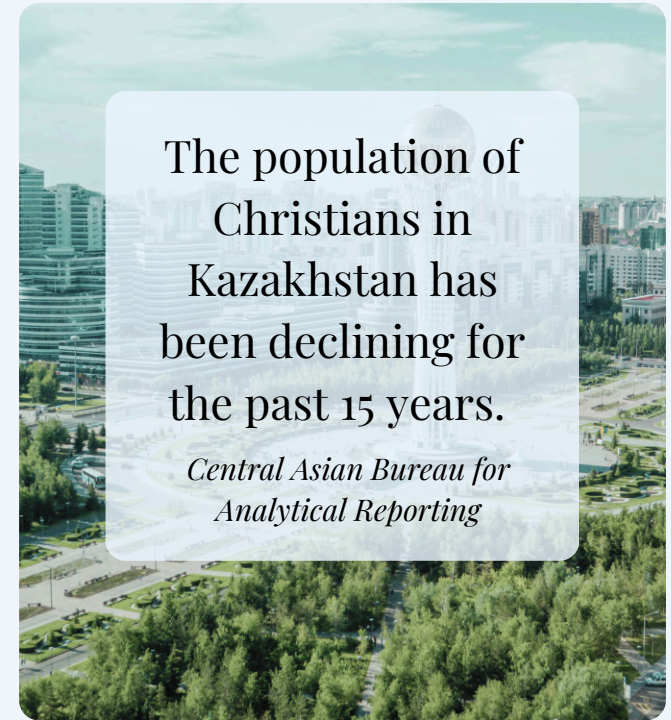
Janine McNally, DMin
Florida, USA



Equipping Spiritual Leaders Who Go and Make Disciples

“I felt the hunger for spiritual food because I could not find answers to my questions and challenges from my fellow ministers and leaders. Since the very start of my studies at Grace, I have experienced a genuine reformation of my worldview from a deeper understanding of Scripture to daily life in business and family. What I learn in my classes helps to reject the wrong conceptions and affirms the truth in my life. Studying at Grace Central Asia has been providing me with deep knowledge and practical skills to prepare sermons and lessons. The training is effective because my professors share their rich experience and give positive examples. It significantly improved the quality of my teaching and preaching.

“I believe that theological and leadership training of such quality I get at Grace is very important for every ministry of Jesus Christ in today’s world.”



The population of Christians in Kazakhstan has been declining for the past 15 years.

Central Asian Bureau for Analytical Reporting





Dongsoon and Inoak Kim
Cambodia

“As I take classes with missionaries currently serving in various countries, I hear that the number of people wanting to become missionaries is decreasing and missionary organizations are closing down, but it is my dream to be a missionary. India presented me with a host of new challenges in culture, language, environment, and more.

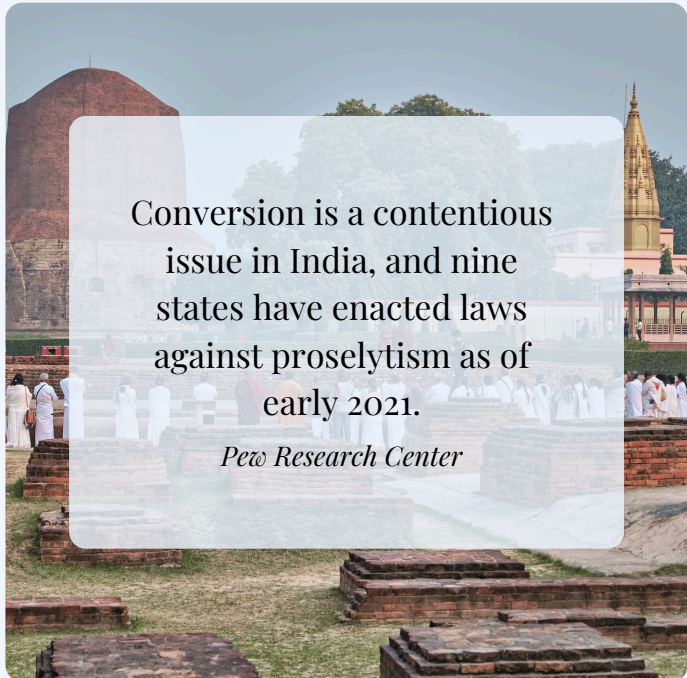
India is far from Korea, but now that I have experienced firsthand that I can continue my studies in India, I feel more grateful and attached to the school. God strengthened my heart through theological studies at Grace and gave me stability in my Christian life. Grace provides lectures online, so I was not limited by time or location.”



Seoung Choi
India



“I sincerely hope that green trees of righteousness will grow in this land devastated by killing fields. It was a land of death, but I believe that Jesus, the Living Hope, will save us.”



Conversion is a contentious issue in India, and nine states have enacted laws against proselytism as of early 2021.
Pew Research Center

“I’ve learned from Church History that many missionaries were ordinary believers who traveled for various reasons. Most importantly, they used their journeys as opportunities to spread the gospel. I am just an ordinary believer, but I am willing to be a vessel for spreading the gospel wherever it is needed.”

2002

- Under the name Houston Theological Seminary, we began offering classes at churches in the Greater Houston area.

2003

- Name changed to Grace School of Theology

2008

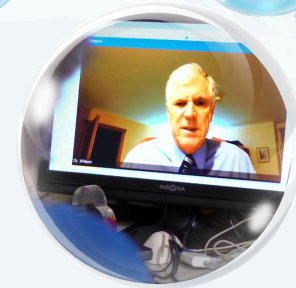
- Began offering classes at Faith Bible Church in The Woodlands, TX
- Began online classes

2009

- Launched extension site in Midland
- Launched extension site in Beaumont

2010

- Awarded first graduate degrees
- Implemented face-to-face video technology software



Through the Years

2016

- Launched extension sites in Cuba and Nepal
- Launched the Administrative Office and Extension site in Trussville, Alabama

2017

- Received 10-year Reaffirmation I from TRACS
- Received ATS (Association of Theological Schools) Accreditation

2018

- Launched the Discipleship and Mentoring Program for students
- Integrated Chaplaincy course offerings into our degree programs
- Established Grace Center for Spiritual Development to provide "learning beyond the classroom."

2019

- Launched the Portuguese Bible Program with its first students from Brazil

2011

- Enrolled first international student
- Hosted first graduation ceremony
- Launched extension site in San Antonio
- Awarded candidate status from TRACS (Transnational Association of Christian Colleges and Schools)

2012

- Opened current World Headquarters in The Woodlands, TX
- Received Graduate Program Accreditation from TRACS

2013

- Launched the Russian Language Academic Programs
- Received Undergraduate Program Accreditation
- Received Title IV Approval

2014

- Launched the Spanish Language Academic Programs
- Launched extension site in Puerto Rico

2015

- Opened international office in Manila, Philippines
- Launched the DMin Program
- Launched extension sites in San Diego, Honduras, Mexico, Panama, Spain, and The Philippines

2016



2017



2018



2019



2020



2022

2021



2023

2024

2020

COVID-19 Pandemic: Grace was prepared for the pandemic due to its innovative and tried-and-tested technology structure through the years.

2021

- Launched the Grace On Demand learning platform for non-credit offerings
- Launched the Student Technology Efficiency Program (STEP)

2022

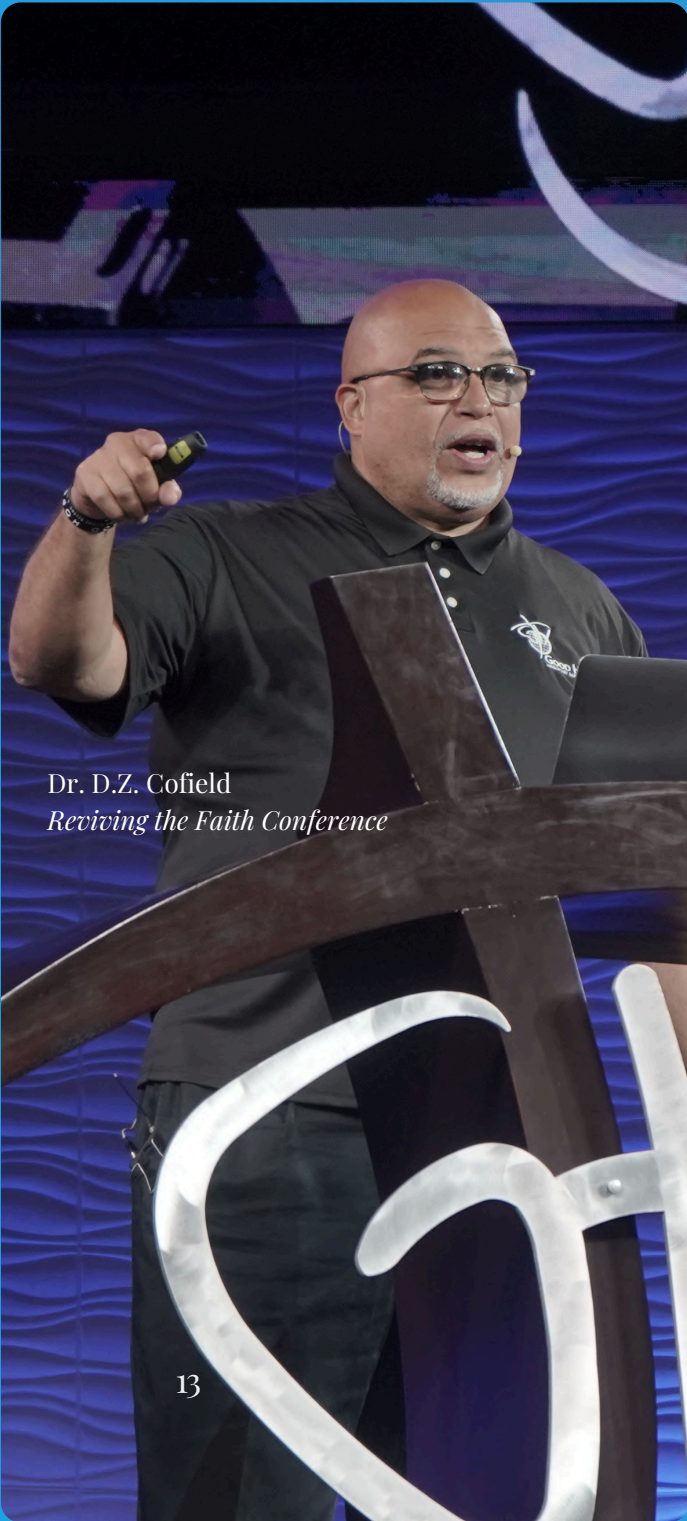
- Launched the Student Success Office
- Launched the Black Church Studies Program

2023

- Launched PACE Academy

2024

- This year, we sent off the largest graduating class.



Dr. D.Z. Cofield
Reviving the Faith Conference

PACE ACADEMY

Pathways for Accelerating Christian Education

Due to various factors, many ministry leaders in the United States may not have the opportunity to pursue a seminary degree but are in dire need of quality theological education as they are already entrenched in a variety of ministry settings.

Through PACE Academy, Grace redefines the education process as it provides current and future church leaders with expedited pathways to potential accredited degree programs. This is accomplished through micro-credentialing of practical ministry skills and knowledge that are often overlooked in a typical seminary.

With the depth and richness of traditional theological training alongside competency-based learning experiences, PACE students are equipped to effectively build ministry opportunities and address issues that churches face today.



Earn Badges by finishing the APTÉ requirements such as readings, lectures, and practicum work.

Each Endorsement is made up of two required and two elective badges.

Each Certificate includes a group of Endorsements. Assessments are also embedded within our Endorsements to ensure that students can apply their learning.



Debra Palms
Biblical Counseling Instructor

“Starting the Biblical Counseling class was a way for me to find out how to help myself and siblings get through the tragedies we all had in the past few years, but after the first class my eyes were opened to so many opportunities to help others outside of myself and siblings.

The Holy Spirit has shown me that there are so many people around me who are going through a lot, and knowing how to help them navigate and include God in every aspect of the journey has truly blessed my life. My prayer life has grown so much while taking this class.”

Andrea Thomas
Biblical Counseling Student

“My understanding of the New Testament has been completely transformed. I can now dive into the original text with confidence and uncover the beauty within. Dr. Mallory-Greene teaches in such a way that makes learning a foreign language easy. I took his technique for learning the Greek alphabet and applied it while I was waiting in line for my food order. By the time I got my food order, I knew the Greek alphabet.”

Shay Williams
Greek for Ministry Student



Dr. Elliot Mallory-Greene
Greek for Ministry Instructor



 **2.3**
MILLION

Subscriptions to our 201 YouVersion Bible Reading Plans in 4 languages: English, Spanish, Tagalog, & Russian



3,332

Registrants of Bible Studies and Webinars from 139 nations



2,367

Unique Grace On Demand students



2,755

Unique Saving Grace Podcast followers from 28 nations on Spotify

Breaking Down Barriers to Learning

Creating Christian learning materials that are accessible through various communication channels is paramount in fostering widespread spiritual growth and understanding. By offering resources in diverse formats such as books, podcasts, videos, and online courses, GCS D helps individuals from all walks of life engage with God’s Word in ways that resonate with them personally.

Your partnership with Grace helps break down barriers to learning, reaching those who may not have access to traditional educational avenues or who prefer learning through modern mediums. We also ensure that the timeless message of the gospel of Christ remains relevant and applicable in an ever-evolving digital landscape. Through your continuous support, individuals can deepen their understanding of God’s Word, strengthen their relationship with God, and apply these teachings to their daily lives, ultimately enriching both their spiritual journey and their communities.

Dr. Mark Rae

Vice President of Community Development, *Grace School of Theology*
Executive Director, *Grace Center for Spiritual Development*



All Scripture is inspired by God and beneficial for teaching, for rebuke, for correction, for training in righteousness; so that the man or woman of God may be fully capable, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 2:16-17 NASB

Engaging a Growing and Going Community

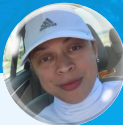
Through various learning resources, Grace Center for Spiritual Development has opened doors for many believers to develop a deeper love for Jesus and a greater desire to share the love of Christ to others.



Judy M.

My heart is always touched by God's word taught by Mark. I leave each week wanting to have a closer relationship with God and to live a life worthy of Him.

Noemi C.



Another topic we discussed that wasn't always clear to me was whether or not you can lose your salvation. Great scripture references and points to ponder on.



Cathie M.

It has been a great week looking into the glory of God, what it is and how we can reflect His glory in our dark world. Our world needs His light and life and hope! Thanks for all the comments. Your thoughts and stories of God working have been inspiring!

Yvonne W.



Now I see and know better how much God's grace has made available to me and through me to others. Thank you for devoting your time to bring to us these revelations on the grace of God. A true Christian life greatly depends on knowing and living them.



Dawn P.

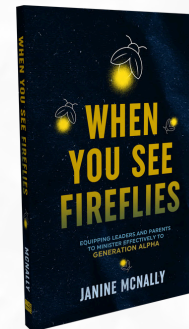
With every study, I grow, transform, and get equipped to teach the Word and apply it to my life. I am grateful for GCSD.

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Timeless Grace.

When You See Fireflies

Dr. Janine McNally



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So well-written and relevant!

Reviewed in the United States on May 9, 2023

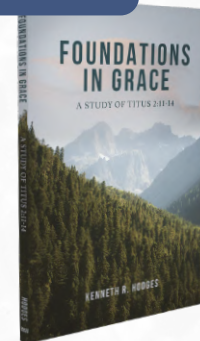
A must-read for anyone working with today's youth, Janine captures the issues caused by a world distracted by social media and shares practical tips to make the church relevant and attractive to kids, **keeping Jesus at the forefront.**

Kevin, *Amazon Customer*

Foundations in Grace:

A Study of Titus 2: 11-14

New Book!



When we are walking in fellowship with God, we are in the place where we can grow to maturity in Christ. As we become more like Jesus, grace will grip our hearts and lead us into a life of humble service. The more like Christ we become, the more gracious we will be.

Dr. Kenneth Hodges

Author and Speaker



www.gracetheology.org

FY 2023-2024 Financial Accountability

Grace School of Theology is financially accredited as a member of the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability. ECFA provides accreditation to leading Christian nonprofit organizations that faith- fully demonstrate compliance with established standards for financial accountability, transparency, fundraising, and board governance. The Christ-centered ministries accredited by ECFA include churches, denominations, educational institutions, rescue missions, camps, and many other types of tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organizations.



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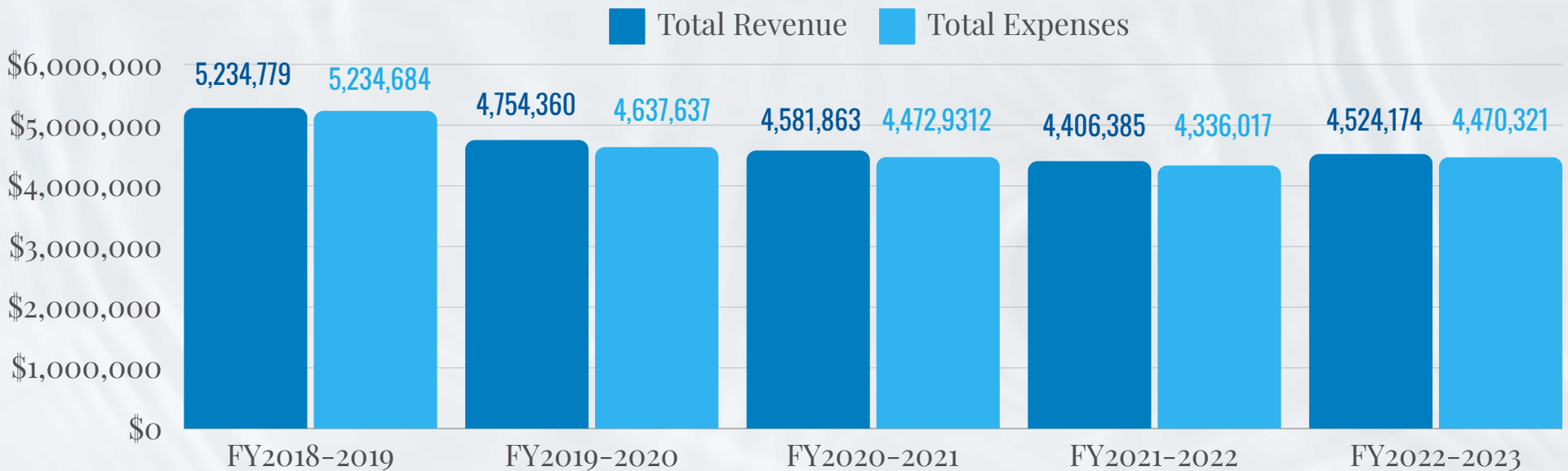


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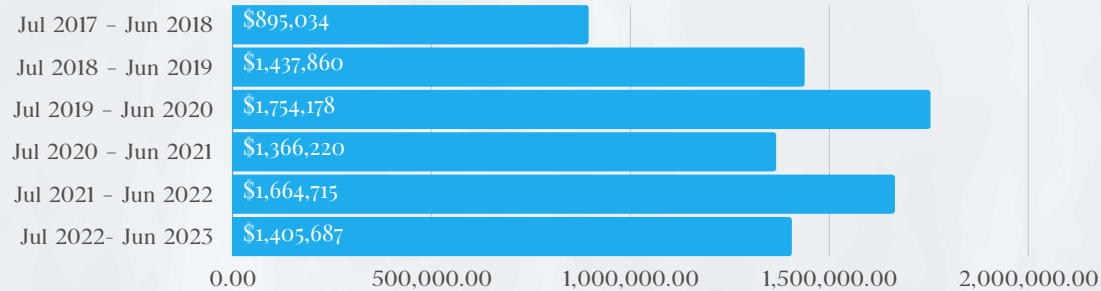


MINISTRYWATCH
ministrywatch.com

5-Year Financial Overview



Tuition Assistance Impact



Taking Kingdom Ground

Partners of Grace, you are making a remarkable Kingdom impact through your financial support. The Kingdom return on your investment is expressed in the millions of lives that have been reached, trained, and transformed through the ministries of Grace School of Theology in 147 different countries. That is more than half the world!

This would not be possible without your faithful and generous giving. By partnering with Grace, you are actively fulfilling the Great Commission of Matthew 28:19-20, spreading the gospel and making disciples of all nations. This global impact, achieved through education and spiritual growth, demonstrates that partnering with Grace might be one of the greatest expressions of Jesus' command to teach and baptize all peoples everywhere. Every financial investment helps empower and equip believers worldwide to be able to know and teach others about the love of Christ, a love that cannot be earned and cannot be lost.

Thank you for using your earthly riches to be rich toward God (Luke 12:15, 21). May He bless you with mountains of rewards!

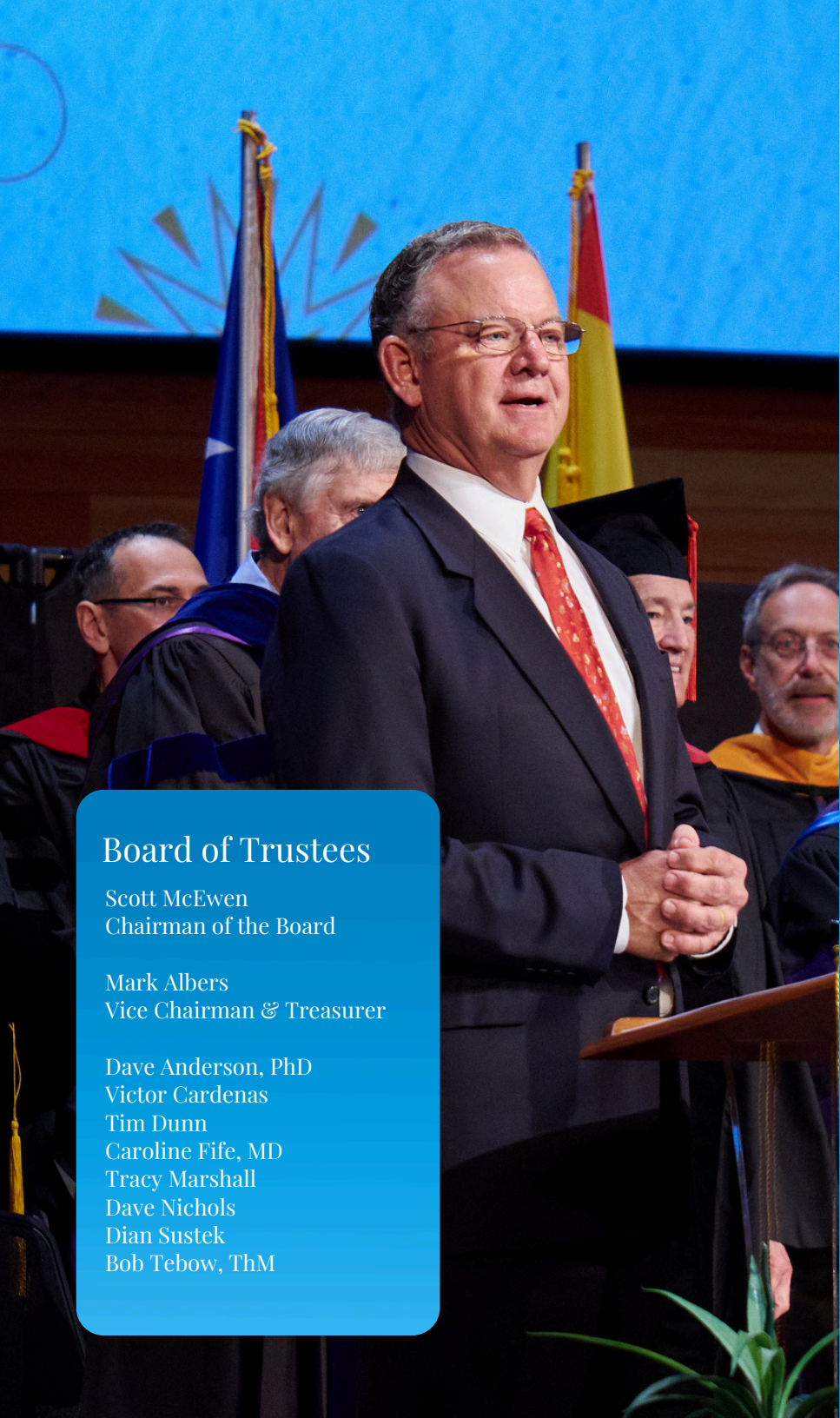
Jay Richardson

Vice President of Advancement, *Grace School of Theology*



For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life.

Galatians 6:8 NKJV



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Titus 2:11-14

For the grace of God has appeared, bringing salvation to all people, instructing us to deny ungodliness and worldly desires and to live sensibly, righteously, and in a godly manner in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Christ Jesus, who gave Himself for us to redeem us from every lawless deed, and to purify for Himself a people for His own possession, eager for good deeds.



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