

October 14, 2014

Dear Grace Church Family and Friends,

Jesus loved to party.

That is what my rector used to say, and he was right. Throughout the Gospels, Jesus could often be found sitting at a table with friends, all of them sharing a meal together. Those moments were an important part of Jesus' life and ministry; they helped define who he was and what he was about; and ever since, fellowship has been a central aspect of the Christian life.

At Grace Church, we know this, and we live this. We love to party, too, because when we are gathered as a community, eating and drinking and having fun, Jesus is with us. He is in our presence when we are all together.

I say all that because on Saturday, October 25, we are holding our annual Harvest Dinner. The Harvest Dinner is the party of the year, an evening when we all come together to thank God for being part of Grace Church. It is a great night of food, fellowship and dancing. Everyone is invited to attend. We provide childcare at the church in order to help parents, and we can provide transportation to and from the dinner in order to help those who need a ride.

I hope you will join us.

If you would like to attend, just let me know by replying to this email.

See you there,
Andrew