

# GRACE NOTES

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**“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God.” - Ephesians 2:8 NRSV**

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*Luke 1:28 - And the angel came in unto her, and said, Hail, thou that art highly favoured, the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women.*

*Luke 1:37 For with God nothing shall be impossible.*

One of my favorite verses is Luke 1:37 which comforts me when life takes a downward turn. God is always in control not me. God was in control when He sent Gabrielle to ask Mary to be the mother of Jesus.

He knew she'd need to be strong in faith and heart to endure the grief of his death. He chose the right mother. Mothers make many decisions daily and we pray they are the right ones. I've told my son many times: "I made the best decision I could at the time with the knowledge I had then." Because some decisions were not the best, maybe because I didn't listen to God's voice giving me advice.

Mothers form their children's and grandchildren's lives – for the good or bad – as well as their fathers do. We teach them compassion for others, when to stick up for themselves, when to say no and when to say yes. They learn more by watching us as we live our daily lives...we are their teachers. Please teach them about God and How HE is our leader, creator and Father in Heaven.

God Bless,  
Nancy Ashworth

	Current	Missions	Cap. Imp	Total
<b>Budget</b>	<b>2,309.68</b>	<b>269.24</b>	<b>288.46</b>	<b>2,867.38</b>
<b>05/15/16</b>	<b>1,403.35</b>	<b>165.10</b>	<b>82.55</b>	<b>1,651.00</b>
<b>05/22/16</b>	<b>1,565.70</b>	<b>184.20</b>	<b>92.10</b>	<b>1,842.00</b>

Openers/ Closers	May 29 Roger McKee	June 5 Ed & Barb Lusk
Greeters	May 29 Roger & Sandi McKee	June 5 Ed & Barb Lusk
Visitors	May 29 Mike & Marylou Reiter	June 5 Don & Ina May Fakhoury
Cleaners	May 29 Karen	June 5 Dave & Roxie Jones

<b>ATTENDANCE</b>				
	S.S.	SUNDAY SERVANTS	WORSHIP	
<b>05/15/16</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>66</b>	English
<b>05/15/16</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>101</b>	Karen
<b>Total</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>167</b>	
<b>05/22/16</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>72</b>	English
<b>05/22/16</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	Karen
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>172</b>	

### PRAYER CONCERNS



#### HEALTH

Nancy A.  
Breena  
Mildred B.  
Kenzie B.  
Randi C. (Amber S. Friend)  
Bonnie & Troy D.  
Bev D. (Barb L. Friend)  
Peggy D. Brother-in-Law  
Neil F. (Mike R. Friend)  
Charlotte H.  
Howard (John A. Friend)  
Vic H. (Vangie W. Brother)

Sam & Margie H.  
Jim & Lisa  
Roxie J. Mother  
Darlene M. (Ed L. Sister)  
Eloise M.  
Terry O.  
Anita P.  
Carol Ann R.  
Sam & Ruth S.  
Ron S.  
Ruth S.  
Wanda (Linda B. Sister)

#### OTHER

American Voters  
Bethel Building Renovations  
Children's Sunday School  
Christian University in NE India  
Katilyn D. (Personal)  
Family Promise & Families  
Mike & Carl G. (Personal)  
Myra J. (Bereavement)  
Jerri K. (Adjustment)  
National Conflicts  
National Leaders

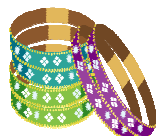
Japan & Ecuador (Earthquake)  
New Church Members  
Our School Systems  
Search Committee  
Troy (Personal/Jean T. Brother)  
World Conflicts  
Our Missionaries-Baits-Buttry-  
Longkumer-Ngwemi



**ITEMS FOR OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD FOR MAY:** Useful items for older boys like small tools (no sharp knives), watches, fishing items

like hooks, lures, fishing line, bobbers, weights.

**JUNE:** Useful items & accessories for older girls like monthly use items, head bands, bracelets or other inexpensive jewelry, hair clips, watches, sewing kits.




## CELEBRATING OUR *60th* WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

*You are invited to  
a reception in honor of  
Don and Ina May Fakhoury's  
Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary  
on Saturday, June 11th, 2016  
2:00 to 4:00 p.m.  
at Grace Baptist Church*

No Gifts Please



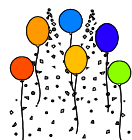
**HEALTHY SNACK MONTH FOR BETHEL** - Pretzels, Cheezits, Raisins, Natural Microwave Popcorn, Peanut Butter or Cheese Sandwich Crackers, Chex Mix, 100% Fruit Juice, Granola Bars, Triscuits or Peanut Butter.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>May</b>			25 9:00a Prayer Circle	26	27	28  3-5p Karen Youth
	29 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship/ <b>Daphne Braswell</b> 2:00p Karen Worship 3:00p Family Promise	30 <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b> Office & Day Care Closed 	31 Secretary Off  6:30p Search Committee		<b>FOOD PANTRY</b> Canned Tomatoes	<b>ABWM Bible Book:</b> Nahum

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<b>JUNE</b>	<b>FOOD PANTRY</b> Dry Biscuit Mix	<b>ABWM Bible Book</b> Numbers	1 9:00a Prayer Circle  Family Promise ----	2	3	4 3-5p Karen Youth  <del>3-5 ABW GRR Conf. Effingham, IL</del>
	5 Communion 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship/ <b>Dave Davis</b> 2:00p Karen Worship	6 11:30a-1:30p Shepherd's Center Noon Grace Notes Deadline	7 Secretary Off 6:30p Search Committee 7p Day Care Committee	8 9:00a Prayer Circle 12:45p Day Care Staff	9  7p Diaconate	10
12 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship/ <b>Stephen Barbee</b> <b>Business Mt./Lunch Provided</b> 2:00p Karen Worship	13  11:30a-1:30p Shepherd's Center	14 Flag Day Secretary Off 6:30p Search Committee 7p Priscilla	15  9:00a Prayer Circle	16  Noon Day Care Fathers Barbeque	17	18  3-5p Karen Youth
19 <b>Father's Day</b>  9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship 2:00p Karen Worship	20 11:30a-1:30p Shepherd's Center Noon Grace Notes Deadline	21 Secretary Off  6:30p Search Committee	22  9:00a Prayer Circle	23	24	25  3-5p Karen Youth
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**BIRTHDAYS**

11 Paw Ler  
13 Ma Re Fre Dah  
13 Anita Parkins  
16 June Joy Htoo  
29 Maxwell Ray



**ANNIVERSARIES**

9 Don & Ina May Fakhoury  
10 Don & Donna Pyle  
19 Bill & Marty Turnage  
29 Roger & Sandi McKee

## Grace Baptist Welcomes Daphne Braswell Sunday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 10:15 a.m. Worship




Daphne A. Braswell is a native of Kansas City, Kansas. She graduated from Bishop Ward High School in Kansas City, Kansas and received her Bachelors in Business Management from Pittsburg State University. Daphne completed her degree requirements for a Masters of Human Resources Management at Keller Graduate School of Management.

For over 38 years, Daphne has been active in ministry. She served as President of the Senior Usher Board for over 15 years and was a Sunday School teacher for adults for six years. She is a member of First Baptist Church in Overland Park.

An employee of Sprint for 20+ years, Daphne currently works in the Human Resources Department as a Human Resources Manager. She also serves on the Board of Directors at Bethel Neighborhood Center in KCKS.

Scripture: Judges 4:17-24

Message: "Seize the Moment"



**FAMILY PROMISE** is seeking support for their Golf Tournament on June 6, 2016 at Tiffany Springs, from 7:15 a.m. to approximately 3:00 p.m. If you can volunteer to help with the tournament in any way, please contact Carl Prather, (816) 560-1908.

A Croquet Tournament is also scheduled for June 9, 2016. Carl can give you more information.



The **ANNUAL MUSIC CONCERT** has been tentatively set for Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016. Be watching for more information.

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and feet of Christ*