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Grace Notes

*Welcome

*Worship

*Praise

Grace Baptist
Church

An American Baptist
Church

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Sunday School
9:00 a.m.

Worship
10:15 a.m.

Karen Worship
2:00 p.m.

"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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Grace Happens Here

This Sunday, February 17, we will remember why our congregation is named Grace. Our worship hour will focus on the meaning and expressions of Grace as reported in scripture and in community. One of my favorite authors is Max Lucado and he wrote a book that could be the motto for our church: *Grace Happens Here*. In this devotional classic he tells the story that defines our name:

We had been in San Antonio only a short time and I decided I should buy a new jacket for Easter. Where we served as missionaries in Brazil, no one wore coats and ties, so I didn't have many. Hence, I went to buy one. At the rack I realized I was standing next to a well-known citizen, Red McCombs. He owns car lots and at one time owned an NFL football team in Minnesota.

We exchanged greetings and niceties. He told me about his brother, a pastor. I told him how happy I was to be living in San Antonio. After a moment we returned to our shopping. I selected a jacket, went to pay for it, and was told these words, "Your jacket has already been paid for. The man you were talking to covered your bill." My first thought was, I should have picked out some slacks also.

Think about what happened to me. I was in debt. Then, all of a sudden, I found that my debt had been paid. I could deny the gift or accept it. The decision was easy. The gift giver had ample resources with which to pay for the coat. I had no reason to doubt his sincerity or ability.

Nor do you. God has ample ability to love and care for you. (pp. 176-177)

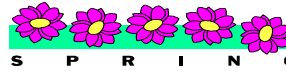
God's Grace is at work in this good congregation through our missions and ministries, our work and worship, our praise and prayers, our teachings and our testings. Grace happens even in the death of our triumphant saints and our tiny sons. We will look closely for the Grace of God through these next few days.

Jerry Cain,
Pastor

	Current	Missions	Cap. Imp.	Total
Budget	2,799.44	288.46	192.31	3,280.21
02/03/19	4,109.84	501.20	400.46	5,012.00
02/10/19	1,378.42	168.10	134.48	1,681.00

ATTENDANCE				
	S.S.	SUNDAY SERVANTS	WORSHIP	
02/03/19	38	-	56	English Service
02/10/19	26	-	47	English Service

Openers/ Closers	February 17 Ina May Fakhoury	February 24 Donna Pyle
Greeters	February 17 Lillian Gage & Sharon Thompson	February 24 Linda Biancavilla & Pat Kirk
2nd Hour Workers	February 17 Lillian Gage & Pweh Ku	February 24 Jackie Villanueva & Kaw Thaw Htoo



35 days until Spring!

PRAYER CONCERNS



HEALTH

Ashley
Nancy A.
Bonnie
Austin
Edna B.
John B.
Dan B.
Randi C.
Peggy D.
Hans & Gisela G.
John H.
Evie H. Mother
Helen J.
K. Jones
Landon K.
Ethlyn M.

Imogene M.
Terry O.
Sharon P.
Diana R.
Mike R.
Linda S.
Doug S.
Gerry S.
Larry S.
Mark S.
Steve
Tyler
Betty V.
Fred V.
Caroline W.
Wynette
Rose Y.

OTHER

ABW
Accompanist
B Family
Bethel Building Renovations
Christian University in NE India
C. Family (Bereavement)
Disasters in the USA
Family Promise
Family Minister/Young Adults/Singles/SS
Grace Baptist Church & Pastor
Law Enforcement
Ethlyn M. Niece's Family (Bereavement)
Leaders of Nation and State
New Church Members

Nominating Committee
Don P. Family (Bereavement)
Q. Family (Bereavement)
Refugees
School Systems
Shootings
Those Traveling
Our Missionaries--Buttry-Longkumer-McCurdy-Ngwemi

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
February		12	13 9:00a Prayer Circle 6:30p Choir Rehearsal	14 Valentine's Day ♥	15 1p Visitation 2p Service Bronson Knoxx Coughlin	16
17 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	18 Presidents' Day 1p Day Care Board	19	20 9:00a Prayer Circle 6:30p Choir Rehearsal	21	22	23
24 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	25 Noon Grace Notes Deadline	26 9:30a DorSew	27 9:00a Prayer Circle 5:30p Dinner 6:30p Program 7:00p Choir Rehearsal	28	Food Pantry Canned Soups	ABW Bible Book Joel

I'm so
Loved
JOHN 3:16



Our Christian Love and Sympathy is expressed to Al and Abbie Quiroz on the death of Abbie's brother, David.

Please remember the family in your prayers. If you would like to send a note or card:

Albert and Abigail Quiroz
1501 NW 38th Street #402
Kansas City, MO 64116

The Book Study, "**Domestic Violence**", sponsored by the American Baptist Women's Ministries, has been rescheduled to March 2, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to noon, at the church. Mark your calendars and plan to attend!



Early registration is due by March 15, 2019. Prior to March 15, the registration fee for Delegates is \$149, and \$99 for Participants. After the Early Registration date of March 15, Delegate fees increase to \$199, and fees increase to \$149 for Participants. The Single Day Participant fee is \$50. The registration deadline is June 7, 2019. For more information and to register, visit www.americanbaptists2019.com

We are excited that the American Baptist Churches 2019 Biennial Mission Summit will feature an all new ABCUSA Biennial Academy-offering continuing education and spiritual growth opportunities for both clergy and Lay leaders.

Bring the whole family! Virginia Beach is a top family friendly destination. In 2019, exciting VBS style classes will be offered for elementary, middle and high school ages. Day care will be available.



Our Christian Love and Sympathy is expressed to the Family of Bronson Knoxx Coughlin, infant son of Nicole Moore and great grandson of Peggy Dunn, who passed away on February 11, 2019.

Visitation will be Friday, February 15, 2019 at 1:00 p.m. with Service following at 2:00 p.m. at Grace Baptist Church.

Please keep the family in your prayers.

Our Day Care children had their Food Drive for Metropolitan Lutheran Ministries in December with a total of 920 items collected. The 4's and 5's Class were the winners and were treated to ice cream! All the classes were treated to Pizza for their hard work.

Good work children!!



2018 Eye Clinic Results

“What do you want me to do for you?” And the blind man said to Him, Rabboni, “I want to regain my sight!” And Jesus said to him, “Go your way; your faith has made you well.” And immediately he regained his sight and began following Him on the road.” Mark 10:51-52

Dear Loved Ones,

On behalf of our eye clinic staff and all our patients we have come to greet you and to wish you a blessed and Happy New Year 2019. We continue to glorify God for your prayers and your support.

The year 2018 is now behind us. It is time to count our blessings. During this past year, we consulted with 6,274 patients; we organized 26 mobile clinics where we went out to treat people in their familiar villages. We operated on 215 persons, which is down due to difficulties in getting the AUROVISC medication needed for this operation. The laboratory realized 1520 different tests.

This would not be possible without your support. We say Thank You to each and every one of you.

Serving the Master In Haiti,
Nzunga & Kihomi



America for Christ and Florence Li

On Sunday, February 24, we will begin our annual emphasis on our ABC ministries through our Home Mission Societies. Dr. Florence Li, National Coordinator of Asian Ministries will be in our morning service at 10:15. You will enjoy her contagious enthusiasm.

She ministers with churches that serve first - second and third generation immigrant communities representing more than 20 different languages.

A member of the denomination's Burma Refugees Commission, she advocates for the ethnic people of Myanmar (formerly known as Burma), who have experienced religious persecution and human rights violations. Along with other commission members, she has traveled to the U.S. State Department in Washington D.C., the United Nations High Commission for Refugees in Malaysia and Thailand as well as to the U.S. Embassy in Thailand and Myanmar.

Her goal is to strengthen the ministries of Asian churches, empower their leadership and build relationships with the larger American Baptist family. “American Baptist Churches USA is such a diverse denomination, she says, but we are all one people under God, seeking to serve Christ and each other.”

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