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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 SUNDAY SCHOOL 2019-2020

Stakeholders in our Grace Sunday School have worked through the month of August to shape our Christian Education program for 2019-2020. Here is a summary of those decisions. The program will launch on Sunday, September 8. Please find your group and join us at 9:00 a.m.

Builders

Ina May Fakhoury

(We are blessed that Ina May does not believe in retirement and has volunteered to be the discussion leader for the Builders Class. Their curriculum will continue to be the Connections Lectionary-Based Bible Study published by Smith & Helwys.)

Parables

Vangie Webb & Bill Turnage

(A big thank you to Vangie and Bill who will tag-team this class for yet another year. Their curriculum will also be the Connections materials published by Smith & Helwys.)

Seekers

Robert Lee, Anthony & Emily Welcome

(Our YAAS class has been rebranded as the Seekers Class and will move to the Northwest classroom across the hall from the Builders Class. This curriculum will be a video based six-week rotation of topics and studies selected by the group. Members of the Parables and Builders will be invited to join for a six week session. Beginning September 8 the class will review and discuss "Faithful but Flawed: A Study of Simon Peter."

Youth (Middle School, High School)

Marylou Reiter, Dexter Ray

(Marylou and Dexter will lead our youth Sunday School this year and will meet in the Friendship Room. Their first study will be the Book of James that our adults did this summer. It is an excellent video taught by Matt Chandler.)

Children (2 years through Grade 5)

Under discussion

(Judy and Carolyn have watched over these precious children for over 13 years and now get a break. We are in discussion with young adults who will teach these classes. More on this as it is resolved.)

Nursery for Infants

Eh Poe

(Isn't it nice to have babies in the church and two more on the way?! Eh Poe will continue to be our nursery worker and care lovingly for these gifts from God.)

	Current	Missions	Cap. Imp.	Total
Budget	2,433.62	288.46	892.65	3,614.73
08/18/19	1,527.66	186.30	149.04	1,863.00
08/25/19	2,402.60	293.00	234.40	2,930/00

Openers/ Closers	Sept. 1 Lori Hill	Sept. 8 Vangie Webb
Greeters	Sept. 1 Joe Hunter & Dennis Farabee	Sept. 8 Roy & Joni Davis

ATTENDANCE				
	S.S.	SUNDAY SERVANTS	WORSHIP	
08/18/19	29	3	69	English Service
08/25/19	36	2	62	English Service

MAGE-A4 "My Almighty God Eternal Always 4ever"

PRAYER CONCERNS



HEALTH

Nancy A.
Bonnie
Austin
Barton
Dan B.
Darlene C.
Barbara C.
Cecil
Joni D. Family
Peggy D.
Gisela G.
Gary J.
Helen J.

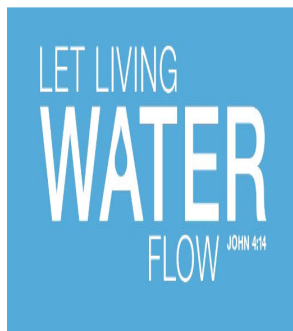
Jackie's Son
Joe
Landon K.
Mike
JoNay M.
Imogene M.
Norman
Al Q.
Raymond
Diana R.
Mike R.
Jo S.
Tony S.

Staci
Doug S.
Gerry S.
Larry S.
Mark S.
Steve
Justin T.
Fred V.
Jackie V.
Wanda
Jean W.
Marcia W.

OTHER

ABW
Accompanist
Rick A. Family - Bereavement
Challenge to Humanity
Christian University in NE India
Joni D. Family-Bereavement
Disasters in the USA
Family Promise
Family Minister/Young Adults/Singles/SS
Linda F. Family- Bereavement
Grace Baptist Church & Pastor

Homecoming 09/08/19
Leroy H. Family-Bereavement
Law Enforcement
Leaders of Nation and State
Julia Moore's Family-Bereavement
Prayer Vigil 09/04/19, 10a-10p
Refugees
School Systems
Shootings – World Conflicts
Matthew S. - Personal
Our Missionaries--Buttry-
Longkumer-McCurdy-Ngwemi



This year's **World Mission Offering** is themed around Jesus' words to the woman at the well, "Whoever drinks of the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life." (John 4:14 NIV) Our thirst for more is much like the woman at the well. We desire to know our true purpose, and once our Creator meets that need and heals our brokenness, we cannot help but rush to spread the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ so that others can know Jesus as well. Our church's gifts through the IM World Mission Offering brings our congregation into partnership in God's mission with IM's global servants and partners worldwide. Each of us has an essential role, and none can be considered insignificant. Grace Baptist will be receiving the World Mission Offering during September.


September 8. Launching the New Sunday School Year



OLD FASHIONED HOMECOMING AT GRACE BAPTIST

Sunday, September 8th, 2019
Sunday School Kick Off – 9:00 a.m.
Homecoming Service 10:15 a.m.
Family Photos – Lunch – Time of Sharing
Come, Share in this GREAT DAY!

INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	ABW Bible Book II Chronicles FOOD PANTRY: Canned Tuna or Chicken		28 9:00a Prayer Circle 7:00p Joint Choir Concert 🎵	29	30	31 7A-8P Karen Youth Region Bible Study Using Church Bldg.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Communion 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	2 Offices & Day Care Closed 	3	4 9:00a Prayer Circle 10:00a-10:00p Prayer Vigil 6:30p Choir Reh.	5	6	7 9:00a ABW Breakfast
8 Sunday School Launch & Homecoming 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Lunch Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	9 Noon Grace Notes Deadline 1:00p Day Care Board	10 7p Priscilla Circle	11 9:00a Prayer Circle 6:30p Choir Reh.	12	13	14
15 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Business Mtg./ Lunch Provided Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	16	17	18 9:00a Prayer Circle 6:30p Choir Reh.	19	20 5p Set Up for Wedding	21 10:00a Wedding (Tea Moo Paw & Euslie Heh)
22 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	23 Autumn  Noon Grace Notes Deadline	24 9:30a DorSew	25 9:00a Prayer Circle 5:30p Dinner 6:15p Program 7:00p Choir Reh.	26	27	28 1-5p Birthday Party at the Church
29 ABWM Sunday 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship/Ruth Clark, Speaker Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	30	FOOD PANTRY Canned Corn	ABW BIBLE BOOK Revelation		September	

BIRTHDAYS

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|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| 3 Landon Kirk | 16 Shwe Htoo Hae | 22 Jody McLaughlin |
| 5 Kbaw Thu | 16 Law Rena Jury Htaw | 27 K Nyaw Paw |
| 9 Jeanette Messina | 19 Kathy Hodge | 29 Carolyn Cook |
| 10 Marylou Reiter | 21 Khee Lar Ze Thaw Klow | 29 Klay Se Paw |
| 13 K Paw Klay | | |



ANNIVERSARIES

- 1 Kenny & Linda Smith
- 12 Glen & Vicki Dixon
- 15 Landon & Pat Kirk

September 4. Praying for Unity and the New Sunday School Year

On Wednesday, September 4, 2019, you have the opportunity to spend time alone with your Savior and best friend. Colossians 3:14 tells us to be of one spirit in the church (the body). On Sunday there will be a chart for you to sign as to when you can come and pray. In our Father's House (the sanctuary) there is room for more than one to be praying at a time. More than one can sign in a time slot. We will have 30 minute blocks. Sign as often as you want and stay as long as you want. Come, spend time with our Lord, praying, reading and talking with Him.

We would like someone in the sanctuary for the entire 12 hours, 10:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m. All pray for Unity and Guidance from the Holy Spirit as we start the fall and praise God for our blessings through the last Spring and Summer.

VERY IMPORTANT UPDATE....

Dear Friends in Ministry,

THE ABCGRR OFFICE IS MOVING TO Elliott Avenue Baptist Church, 501 W. Elliott Ave. in Springfield. During the past year, the Region has been in discussion with church leaders about this possibility. Elliott was facing serious financial issues and explored options with the Region. After months of meetings, discussions, and much prayer, an agreement was reached.

Elliott Avenue Baptist Church will gift the Region their property and buildings, but continue to hold worship services in the church temporarily. The Region will relocate the GRR Office to Elliott, and sell its present building. The Region Ministry Board approved this in July. We are so thankful to the leadership and members of Elliott Avenue Baptist Church for their generosity and cooperation. God's hand was in all of this.

The office will move during the second week of September. There are a few changes that will be made at Elliott to allow for the Region to be there, but most of the changes have been made in a way that helps both groups. **After September 10 the new physical address of the regional office will be at 501 W. Elliott Ave., Springfield, IL 62702. The PO Box will remain the same until further notice.**

Please be praying during this transition. **Especially be praying for our office staff as they will be most affected and will still be doing their jobs during the relocation. There is much work leading up to this, the move itself, and then getting resettled in a new place.** We will be having an open house later in the year.

Remember, be rightly related to God and find your joy there and out of you will flow rivers of living water. Be a vessel that Jesus can pour His love through.

Rev. Paul H. Gibson
Regional Executive Minister

David Bilyeu
ABCGRR Board President

September 1. Planning for the New Sunday School Year

I am eager to talk through the new plans for our Sunday School Year on the first Sunday of September. I hope you will join us at 9:00 a.m. for a joint adult Sunday School event at which we will explain the next 18 weeks of Christian Education. We look forward to dividing up into three classes and rotating curriculum in 6 week increments. The plan is to give our Sunday School teachers a break and let all our three classes meet folk from the other classes. Our focus is spiritual growth and that emphasis will be strengthened through this fall semester. Pastor Jerry

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