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Grace Notes

*Welcome

*Worship

*Praise

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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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LET LIVING
WATER
FLOW JOHN 4:14

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 World Mission Offering bring our congregation into partnership in God's mission with International Ministries global servants and partners world wide. Each of us has an essential role, and none can be considered insignificant.

HOW ARE MY GIFTS FOR WMO USED?

WMO gifts, like all gifts to the IM General Fund, are used 84% for mission program (global servant, partner and other ministry support), 10% for administrative support and 6% for development costs.

WHY DO GLOBAL SERVANTS AND IM BOTH RAISE FUNDS?

As the body of Christ, we are in partnership with those in the field, those in the home office, those in the local churches and individual doors. When each area contributes, no one group carries the full burden of expense. IM does not ask global servants to raise all of the funding that they need, but comes alongside them in financial support as well as in ministry.

WHAT ELSE DO MY WMO GIFTS DO?

Whenever personalized funding falls short, the WMO gifts fill the gap so that global servants can stay in the field, continue in ministry; receive income and benefits; and cover ministry expenses such as education, visas and passports. WMO gifts also fill the gaps in funding for other IM expenses so that International Ministries can continue to support global servants with services such as training, networking, promotion and pastoral care; address crises whenever they arise; and so much more.

Each year, IM raises approximately \$1.3 million in World Mission Offering funds, which, together with individual gifts, investment income, legacy gifts and ongoing development and fundraising, keeps the work of IM's global servants and partners and other ministries moving forward. We are grateful for your part and thankful for every gift that has allowed IM global servants to serve over 200 years in global mission.

Prayerfully consider YOUR gift to this year's World Mission Offering.

Our Goal: \$2,000.00

	Current	Missions	Cap. Imp.	Total
Budget	2,799.44	288.46	192.31	3,280.21
09/29/19	3,210.30	391.50	313.20	3,915.00
10/06/19	2,189.40	267.00	213.60	2,670.00

Openers/ Closers	October 13 Bill Turnage	October 20 Roger McKee
Greeters	October 13 Bill & Marty Turnage	October 20 Linda Biancavilla & Jean Tysdal

ATTENDANCE				
	S.S.	SUNDAY SERVANTS	WORSHIP	
09/29/19	25	-	48	English Service
10/06/19	35		59	English Service

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“My Almighty God Eternal Always 4ever”

PRAYER CONCERNS



HEALTH

Ron A.
Nancy A.
Austin
Bob
Bonnie B.
Max B.
Dan B.
Darlene C.
Barbara C.
Cecil
Dallas
Joni D. Family
Kathy D.
Don
Peggy D.
Gisela G.
Jerry H.
Justin H.

Tommy H.
Michelle H.
Gary J.
Helen J.
Jackie's Son
Jo
Kris
Landon K.
Ray K.
Mike
Imogene M.
Norman
Frank P.
Al Q.
Raymond
Rhonda
Risa
Mike R.

Harold S.
Carol Ann S.
Jo S.
Toni S.
Staci
Doug S.
Gerry S.
Larry S.
Mark S.
Steve
Tony
Marty T.
Justin T.
Fred V.
Jackie V.
Wanda
Jean W.
Marcia W.

OTHER

ABW
Accompanist
Bernie - Bereavement
Charlie
Christian University in NE India
Disasters in the USA
Family Promise
Family Minister/Young Adults/Singles/SS
Linda F. Family- Bereavement
Grace Baptist Church & Pastor
Law Enforcement
Leaders of Nation and State
Martha (Unspoken)
Nominating Committee
Refugees
Robert L.

School Systems
Shootings – World Conflicts
Matthew S. - Personal
Our Missionaries--Buttry-
Longkumer-McCurdy-Ngwemi

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			9 9:00a Prayer Circle 6:30p Choir Reh.	10	11	12
13 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	14 Columbus Day	15	16 9:00a Prayer Circle 6:30p Choir Reh.	17	18	19
20 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	21 Noon Grace Notes Deadline	22 9:30a DorSew	23 9:00a Prayer Circle 5:30p Fish Fry 6:15p Program 7:00p Choir Reh.	23	25	26
27 9:00a S.S. 10:15a Worship Noon Karen Youth 2:00p Karen Worship	28	29	30	31 Halloween	Food Pantry: Peanut Butter	ABWM Bible Book: Ecclesiastes



Dear Friends:

Thank you for your cards, calls and prayers. I greatly appreciate the care and concern you have shown following my surgery.

May God Bless each one of you,
Joni Davis

Fall Preaching Schedule

(The Sanctuary Windows of Grace Baptist Church)

September 15	Words from the Windows:	Trinity
September 22	Words from the Windows:	Spirit
September 29	Baptist Women's Day	
October 6	Words from the Windows:	Communion
October 13	Words from the Windows:	Lamb
October 20	Words from the Windows:	Hand
October 27	Pulpit Guest	
November 3	Words from the Windows:	Church



Thank You So Very Much

Thank you for allowing us to use the church to celebrate our Mom's birthday. Beth, thank you for all the help in getting it arranged. We are so appreciative of the church and how much you mean to our Mom.

Thanks for everything,
The Pat Kirk Family



WEDNESDAY FISH FRY



Wednesday, October 23rd will be our monthly meal and will be hosted by Ron Stallard who will fry his summer catch of fish for the entire congregation. Jean Tysdal and the kitchen team will supply the rest of the meal. Mark your calendar!

SOUP & BAKE SALE

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 2, 2019
Pre-Order Pick Up on Friday
5:00 to 6:00 p.m.



Welcome Children's Sunday School Leadership

We eagerly welcome Joseph Buhlig and Cassie Vivian as the new leaders in our children's Sunday School. They started in September and will be filling this role through May to build our children's enrollment and teach the treasures of our Christian faith.

Joseph is a graduate of Liberty High School and William Jewell College and currently is employed by Lowe's Hardware. Cassie is from Dixon, Illinois, and graduated from the University of Illinois in Champaign. She is a para-professional in the Liberty Public Schools. Joseph and Cassie met while serving at Kodiak Baptist Camp in Alaska and will be married on October 27 in Dixon, Illinois. We welcome them as new members to our congregation.

A special thanks to Carolyn Cook and Judy Summers for their faithful leadership in our children's program over many years. They have laid a strong foundation upon which Cassie and Joseph can build. "A good teacher is like a candle. It consumes itself to light the way for others." We are grateful for these retiring teachers and these new teachers for our children at Grace.

NEWS FROM OUR MISSIONARIES



kikalakasa greens

“Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you who belong to Christ Jesus”. 1 Thessalonians 5:18

Dear Loved Ones,

Greeting. Almost 22 years of ministries in Haiti, we have not yet seen a crisis of this proportion. Three weeks of locked down country where nobody knows what tomorrow will be made of.

If one is lucky to find a gallon of gas on the black market, he has to buy it for over US \$10. Some Good Samaritan motorcyclists helping people with short distances are asking too much money most of our common folk people cannot afford. The prices of what one can find today on the streets or in the boutiques have gone way up. I wanted to buy a young female goat for a child to raise. The owner asked US 150 for it.

Yesterday (Wednesday) our university closed its doors sending all the students home until Monday. Those who are courageous enough to walk – catch moto-walk-catch moto have gone but some are trapped here on the campus.

The university has fuel for almost 15 days with a good and reasonable rationing of light and water. Once it runs out of that fuel and if the situation does not improve, the authorities will have to take drastic measures (maybe) to close for the semester. There will be no way to keep close to 2000 students with no water, no light and no food.

Talking of food. We have a medium bag of charcoal, bulgar flour, balk beans and a garden richly blessed with sweet potatoes leaves, sour leaves, manioc or cassava leaves, liane panier leaves and kikalakasa leaves-all yummy and organic food. We are good until the university runs out of fuel. The nature has forces us to go veggie.

Three courageous nurses went to the eye clinic where they treated 9 desperate patients Tuesday and Wednesday.

Who pays the high price for this mega crisis: patients who can’t find doctors and medication, poor people who live on day to day basis, and students who can’t go to school risking losing the semester.

Greeting. Yesterday, Saturday and today Sunday were peaceful around our area. We had a nice three and half hours church service. Beside the infants’ dedication and the Lord’s Supper, the message from Isaiah 1:1-9 and Matthew 5:13-16 stressed on the corruption that has gained everybody in the country. We need to change our ways and God will heal our country.

During the preaching, the preacher, Dr. Jules Casseus, the former President of our university and the senior pastor of our Baptist Church of Haut Limbe, shared two messages his wife got this morning on her phone. The first was asking everybody to go back to work as usual. The second said that any institution that opens tomorrow, Monday, Oct. 11 will be burned to ashes. Nobody knows how our tomorrow will be like. Most of our students have gone home, hoping to e back on the campus tonight for the classes tomorrow. Those from far away are here on the campus with us. We are fine.

Yours in Haiti, Nzunga & Kihomi

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