



GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

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Grace Notes

**Welcome*

**Worship*

**Praise*

Grace Baptist Church

An American Baptist Church

www.grace4u.net

Office Hours

Monday/Tuesday

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Wednesday/Thursday

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Sunday

9:30AM - 11:30 AM

Phil Simcosky

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Bill Turnage

Moderator

Juliann Hansen

Custodian

Worship

10:15 a.m.

Video Worship

grace4u.net/media/videos

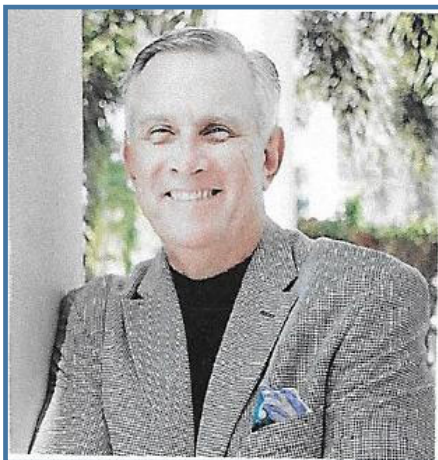
*These commandments
that I give you today are
to be on your hearts.*

Deuteronomy 6:6

May 12, 2021

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Interim Pastor—Phil Simcosky



We welcome the Reverend Mr. Phil Simcosky as our Interim Pastor this week. He will have office hours on Monday and Wednesday and will always be available to the congregation in case of an emergency.

Pastor Phil moved back to Missouri a year ago last January after retiring from the East Naples Baptist Church of Naples, Florida where he had been since June of 2007. He had previously served several churches in

Missouri and one in Illinois. Phil was born in Independence, Missouri and graduated from Wm. Chrisman High School. He went on to attend MU and graduate from Wm Jewell College with a degree in Music Education. He earned an MDiv from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and Doctor of Ministry from Midwestern Seminary and was ordained by his first church in 1979. He has taught at the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary Diploma Program, served on the board of the Naples Rotary Club, taught a young married Sunday school class, participated in writing *The Quest* for Beacon Hill Press and preached at revivals in Arizona, Missouri, Texas, and Puerto Rico.

He and his wife, Julie, have two sons, Jonathan and Joshua, and two granddaughters. Julie is also a graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, a chaplain for Marketplace Ministries and a licensed funeral director. Julie is interested in women's ministries and enjoys mentoring other women in their faith walk.

We will have a short meet-and-greet time after the worship service on Sunday. Please take this opportunity to introduce yourself and get to know him and his wife. You will be blessed.

	Current	Missions	Cap. Imp.	Total	Attendance	Worship	Sunday School	Video
Budget	2409.10	269.23	192.31	2870.64				
5/9/2021	1179.98	143.90	115.12	1439.00	5/9/2021	63	0	17

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NARTHEX NEWS

Greeters this Sunday, May 18: Jody McLaughlin

Abby Quiroz

Abby passed away on April 13th. The church expresses our sorrow and condolences to the Quiroz family. Abby will be a part of our prayers.



Sizzle Into Summer Memorial Day BBQ

Wednesday, May 26th, 5:30 PM

Jean Tysdal is leading the hospitality committee in promoting an outside event at the church. The menu will include hamburgers, salads, and, dessert. This will be the first Wednesday evening event since before the pandemic. Mark your calendars to be there!

Pool Director Needed

Sherwood Family Rec Center is in need of an Operations Pool Director for the summer. Please send prayers; if they are unable to find someone they will not be able to open this year. If you know of anyone, please call the Rec Center at (816) 455-0420.

Spring Fling Fair at Wexford Place

May 15, 2021 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

This event will be outside with educational speakers inside with social distancing observed. They will have crafts, music, jewelry, food, coffee, and more. As a proud sponsor of the Alzheimer's Association they will be collecting donations on their behalf. Music will be provided by Michelle Hawkins from 1:00-2:00. If you are interested in attending, please see Tara for more information.

Charles Hedrick—Author, Theologian, Bible Scholar, former theology professor at Missouri State University in Springfield

Charlie Hedrick did a podcast that aired on May 5th. You can listen through this link. <https://www.dropbox.com/s/b7tkopxdc9vgei2/Shirley%20-%20Charles.mp3?>



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PRAYER REQUESTS

Health: Jeff Ashworth, Beth Sigley, Bonnie, Caroline, Peggy Dunn, Gisela Gruschka, Reece Hall, Bonnie Hespelt, Dave Hoitenga, Jim, Ima Jean, Pat Kirk, Larry Merriman, Elaine Mills, Mike Nelson, Sharon Patterson, Scott Pulido, Doug Stallard, Gerry Stallard, Larry Stallard, Mark Stallard, Steve, Stephanie, Troy, Ruth Turnage, Jean Tysdal, Don Wenger, Vangie's Sister

Other: ABW, Burma, Chinese friend of Dennis Farabe, NE Christian University/India, Disasters in the USA, Family Promise, Grace Baptist Church/Interim Pastor/Sunday School/Day Care/Diaconate, Law Enforcement, Leaders of Nation and State, Medical Staff Workers/First Responders, Refugees, Ruth Naw, Search Committee, Shootings - World Conflicts, Our Missionaries Buttry-Longkumer-McCurdy-Ngwemi-Sonna, Those Traveling, Garmai Wilson

Bereavement: Judson University Students, Harold Smith Family, Abby Quiroz, Colleen Pine