

Welcome to Grace Bible Church!

Devices for the hearing impaired
are available at the sound booth.

New attendees are invited to fill out our
"Communication Card" located in the chairs.



Greeter's Today
Maurice & Ruth Hodges
Rita Kroeger

Sunday Morning Children's Ministry Workers
Sunday School Nursery: Amanda Hulet
Worship Service Nursery: Isabelle

Children's Church Today
2's & 3's: Lisa Cox & Megan Berry
4's, 5's & K: Ben Fisher & Maggie
1st-5th: Rob Jones & Jessamy



This Week December 8th-14th

Sunday

9:30 AM Adult Bible Fellowship &
Children's Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service

Monday

6:30 PM Knit/Crochet with Ben's
7:00 PM Men's Basketball

Tuesday

6:30 PM Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday

6:15 PM AWANA-Cubbies, Sparks, T&T
6:15 PM BSF Satellite ~ SOF

Thursday

6:30 PM Ignite, TREK & Journey

Friday

Saturday
12:00 PM Wreaths Across America
Bethel Cemetery

Rooms

Large Over Flow LOF
Small Over Flow SOF
Library LIB

Keep In Your Prayers

Helen Loverin, Randy Brezler, Lauralee
Holiman, David Thornton,
Mark Widdowson and David &
Kyounghee Muttillio .



Our Military and their families:
Brian Morris, Josh Bauer,
Ian Bartlett, Kevin Fontenot,
& Eryn Bartlett.

MEN & SONS

Save the date for our 4th Annual Men's
Winter Retreat at Camas Meadows! Friday,
January 24, meeting and leaving from
church at 5:00 PM. Returning Sunday the
26th and arriving back at church early
afternoon. Look for the sign up sheet
in the foyer.

Upcoming Events

Poinsettias

Help to decorate our church by ordering a
Poinsettia. This years colors are Red, White
or Jingle Bell (a mix leaf color of red and
white). Sign up sheet is in the foyer cost
this year is \$11.76. On the sign up sheet
you can make a dedication that will be
published in the Christmas Eve bulletin.
Questions, See Dena Cassell.

BACKPACKS FOR KIDS

December's focus for the community
outreach program is
Macaroni & Cheese
Look for the donation barrel in the hallway
before the gym door.
Thank you for supporting this outreach
ministry.

Tour Israel 2020

Tour Israel with Pastor Richard
Kennedy. Dates are March
30th- April 11th. We will be in Israel during
Passover Week. For details contact
Steve Lonnee

ADVENT MONTH

December, is an Advent Month of sermons
and themes from the Book of Isaiah. It will
be titled,

"Pictures of Jesus in Isaiah".

Today **Pastor Chad** will preach on
Comfort, the 15th **Pastor Ben** will preach
on **Glory**, the 22nd **Chaplain Bill**
Holiman will preach on **Light**.

God uses wonderful word pictures in the
old testament to introduce us to the
coming of Jesus.

Christmas Eve service at 6:00 PM
Pastor Ken will conclude with
Immanuel-God is with us!!!

December

14

Wreaths Across America

Grace Bible Church will host
Wreaths Across America at noon
this Saturday, December
14. Mike is still looking for volunteers if you
or a family member or friend would like to
participate, let Mike MacDonald know by
December 1st. All are welcome to attend
this event to honor our Veterans buried in
the Bethel Cemetery. If you would like to
donate to wreaths, note Cemetery on the
giving envelope. More information about
WAA can be found at:
www.wreathscrossamerica.org

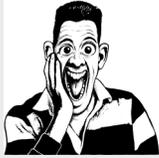
TREASURER'S REPORT

DATE	SPENT	GIVEN	BUDGET	MISSIONS
Month of November	\$16,928.27	\$17,178.65	\$15,860.24	\$1,080.00
1/1 - 11/30/2019	\$179,075.55	\$175,678.13	\$186,357.82	\$10,378.16

Praise the Lord for the faithfulness of our congregation in providing for the needs of the church. Thank you to each one of you for your financial support!

Pastor Chad Says

from the **YOUTH PASTOR**



JOURNEY

TREK

TREK, Journey, and Ignite
Grades 7th-12th
Meets every Thursday from
6:30-8:30 PM



Date Change: Wrapping gifts for the teens at Coffee Oasis on
Tuesday **December 17th at 5:30 PM** instead of
Friday, December 20th.

Date Change: TREK Tubing date will be **December 30th** instead of
the 28th. Watch for details.

Youth Group Christmas Party
Thursday, December 19th

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[facebook.com/gbcpo](https://www.facebook.com/gbcpo)

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Church Office: 360-876-3200



GRACE
BIBLE CHURCH

**"Building people to maturity so they may attain to the
whole measure of the fullness of Christ."**

Senior Pastor: Ken Farnen

Youth Pastor: Chad Stephens

Order Of Service

- ◆ Welcome and Announcements
- ◆ Scripture: Isaiah 40:1-2 and Isaiah 52:9
- ◆ Songs Of Worship
- ◆ Offering Prayer
- ◆ Offertory

Children ages 4years old-5th grade dismissed for Children's Church

- ◆ Message: Comfort
- ◆ Pastor Chad
- ◆ Closing Song



1 "Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. 2 Speak tenderly to
Jerusalem, and proclaim to her that her hard service has been com-
pleted, that her sin has been paid for, that she has received from the
Lord's hand double for all her sins." Comforted by being done with
penalties for sin. Isaiah 40:1-2 NIV

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Hi ladies! Looking for a short duration Bible study? The Bible Study Fellowship (BSF) group has been going through the book of Acts for the last 12 weeks. Come join us for a 4 week study on the book of Hebrews. The first session is on Dec 11th at 6:30pm and will go through Hebrews 1:1 - 4:13. Subsequent sessions will be on Jan 8, Jan 15, and Jan 22. Contact Johanna Ayers for more information. Study questions can be provided ahead of time, but not required.

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLE LIGHT SERVICE

Bring your families, invite your friends and neighbors and join us for our Christmas Eve Candle Light Service Tuesday, December, 24th at 6:00 PM.

BOARD NOMINATIONS

Nominations are now open until January 5th 2020. Nominations can be turned in to any board member and should be in writing after confirming with the individual that they are open to going through the board nomination process. Up for re-nomination is Wayne Dicken and we need to fill two open positions that Dave Henry and Darrell Beaver agreed to fill through year-end. Elders are based on Titus 1:6-8 and Timothy 3:2-8. Board nominees must be a member of Grace Bible Church having gone through a membership class and approved by the GBC board.

Annual Congregational Meeting will be held during the Sunday School hour on February 23rd.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Pastor Ken will be leading a membership class during the Sunday School Hour January 5th and 12th.

CHRISTMAS LOVE OFFERING FOR THE STAFF

Traditionally our church families expresses their love and appreciation to our church staff through a special Christmas Offering. If you would like to participate in this expression of love, please place your gift in a giving envelope and mark it Christmas Love Offering and place it in the offering plate by December 22nd. Thank you, GBC Board.

MANCHESTER FAMILY CAMP ~ September 1st-7th 2020

We have booked Manchester State Park group camp area. There is still room for RV's and tent camping. Look for the sign up sheet in the foyer or talk with Mike MacDonald.