



Welcome to our Services * March 17, 2024

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Visitor Card

*To all our guests...we are happy
to have you worship and study
with us. It is our heartfelt desire to
be of help and encouragement to
you. Please visit with us often.*

- 8:30 a.m. **Orchestra Rehearsal**
9:15 a.m. **Sunday School**
10:30 a.m. **Morning Worship Service**
Message by Pastor Bond
2:15 p.m. **Bethel Pointe service**
3:00 p.m. **Morrison Woods service**
4:45 p.m. **Choir Rehearsal**
6:00 p.m. **Evening Worship Service**
Message by Pastor Warren
** **Youth Singspiration**

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Rory Bond, Senior Pastor
Rev. David Warren, Associate Pastor
Mr. Brent Miller, Assistant Pastor
Mr. Stephen Halleck, Music Pastor
Mr. Rodney Beeson, Discipleship Pastor
Rev. Ryan Gunther, College Pastor
Mr. Collin Bond, Youth Pastor
Mr. David Stein II, Administrator, Heritage Hall

This Week at GBC

- Monday, March 18
7:00 p.m. **HeartStrings** (Lobby)
Tuesday, March 19
10:00 a.m. **Caleb's Kin Fellowship**
Intentionally Focusing
6:30 p.m. **Men's Discipleship Study** (Gr Place)
Ladies Discipleship Study (Conf Rm)
7:00 p.m. **Cross Impact BSU Campus Bible**
Study Letterman, Room 108
Wednesday, March 20
3:30 p.m. **Youth INCREASE** (YCtr)
6:45 p.m. **Truth Trackers**
7:00 p.m. **Midweek Prayer & Electives**
Youth Chapel (YCtr)
Thursday, March 21
11:30 a.m. **Never Alone Widows' Lunch** (MCL)
Noon **Men's Testimony Lunch**
Pizza Hut on Wheeling
1:00 p.m. **Ladies' Bible Study** (Conf Room)
6:30 p.m. **College Hangout** at the Gunthers'
home, 2100 N. Colson Dr., Muncie
Friday, March 22
7:00 p.m. **RU Recovery** (FHall)
Addictions Ministry



Dear Grace Baptist Church family,

You were surely a blessing to me at the recent missions conference. Thank you for the time to present what God has done through our work together in Haiti. Caleb's Kin was gracious in letting me speak to them and very encouraging to me. I am grateful for your great generosity.

Dr. Anne Livingston

Coming Events

- Sunday, March 24**
Egg Fill Fellowship * FHall * after evening service
Friday, March 29 ~ Good Friday
Church offices closed

Saturday, March 30 **Community Easter Egg Hunt**

*Monetary donations for candy gratefully
accepted. Please mark your offering envelope
accordingly. **Volunteers are needed** from
8-10 a.m. for set-up and egg distribution, and
from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. to run the event, tear
down, and clean up. Please sign up at the
Information Center if you will help.*



- Sunday, March 31 - Resurrection Sunday**
♦SonRise Service & Breakfast * 8:45 a.m. * FHall
♦NO Sunday School
♦Morning Worship Service * 10:30 a.m.
♦NO evening service

"Out of This World" **A Community Eclipse-Viewing Event** **April 8, 2024 * 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.**

Couples' Conference

- Friday, April 12 * 7-9 p.m. * FHall
Snacks/dessert, 2 sessions
Saturday, April 13 * 9 a.m. - noon
Light breakfast, 2 sessions, lunch
Register/pay before April 1 for \$75
Register/pay after April 1 for \$100.
Flyers/sign-up at the Information Center.

Ministry Memo by Pastor Warren

Faith Overcoming Fear

What keeps a believer from sharing the gospel? Rather than a lack of know-how, it more often can be a lack of courage. You, like I, may not have the most out-going personality. Here are some principles I find helpful in overcoming the fear of being rejected.

1. **Expect opposition.** Jesus said, “They have persecuted Me, they will also persecute you” (John 15:20).
2. **Pray, and ask others to pray for you.** “[Pray] for me, that utterance (words) may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel” (Ephesians 6:19).
3. **Expect ridicule.** “We are [looked upon as] fools for Christ’s sake” (I Corinthians 4:10).
4. **Determine to please the Lord, not people.** “We ought to obey God rather than men” (Acts 5:29).
5. **Consider what’s at stake.** “He that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him” (John 3:36). “He that heareth My word, and believeth on Him that sent Me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life” (John 5:24).

C.H. Spurgeon testified, “Even if I were utterly selfish and had no care for anything but my own happiness, I would choose to be a soul-winner. Never did I know perfect, overflowing, unutterable happiness till I first heard of one who had sought and found the Savior through my means. No young mother ever so rejoiced over her firstborn child. No warrior was so exultant over a hard-won victory.”

STATISTICAL BLESSINGS

March 10, 2024

Sunday School	156	General Offering: \$14,185
A.M. Service	305	Faith Promise Missions: \$3,038
P.M. Service	110	Weekly Budget Need: \$17,712
Wed (3/13)	179	Month to Date: +\$1,816
RU Ministry	38	Projects: \$50
RUI	--	Special: \$2,591

Sermon Notes

Speaker _____

Date _____ ☐ A.M. ☐ P.M.

Text _____

Title _____

Message Points

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