

Visitors & Guests!

October 9, 2011

Welcome to Grace Bible Church!

Thank you for worshiping with us!
Please PRINT neatly, detach, and place in the offering plate.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone: Home: _____

Cell: _____

Work: _____

Email: _____

How did you hear about GBC?

- This is my ___ 1st ___ 2nd visit.
 I am now attending here regularly.
 I would like a visit from a Pastor or Elder.
 I am a guest of _____

- I have no church affiliation.
 I attend church at _____

- I am relocating to this area.
 I am looking for a church home.
 I brought others with me.

Marital Status

- Single Single Parent
 Married Widowed

Age Groups

- Ages 18-23 Ages 46-55
 Ages 24-35 Over 55
 Ages 36-45

Children Living at Home

Name _____ Age _____ Gr. _____
 Name _____ Age _____ Gr. _____
 Name _____ Age _____ Gr. _____
 Name _____ Age _____ Gr. _____

I WOULD LIKE MORE INFO ON THE FOLLOWING: Please ✓

- Small Groups Ministry
 Pioneer Clubs
 Youth Ministry
 Membership
 Baptism
 Pre-Marital Counseling
 Parent/Child Dedication

Our Missions Family

1. Jeff & Nancy Beard, USA, Campus Crusade for Christ
2. Julio & Olga Chiang, Peru, SAM
3. Steve & Beth Coffey, USA, Christar
4. Mario & Jetty De La Vega, Ecuador, Latin America Mission
5. Gabe & Beckie Garrison, Tambov, Russia, Send International
6. Bert & Joan Hamilton, retired
7. Sam & Nan McCullough, USA, Campus Crusade for Christ
8. Linda Miller, Austria, BCM International
10. Bill & Pam Sudeck, France, CrossWorld
11. Robert & Debbie Walz, USA, COM
12. John & Barbara Warnken, retired
13. Jim & Carol Witmer, USA, Campus Crusade for Christ
14. Area Ministries

- The Alpha Pregnancy Center, Reisterstown, MD
- River Valley Ranch, Millers, MD

Our Missions Leaders

Committee members are Carolyn Ambrosius, Steve Doarnberger (chairman), René Fuhrman, Dorcas Klug, Tom Rhoads and Art Schrank.

Church Cleaning Coordinator

Paul Shipley

Food Bank Coordinators

Jeff & Laura Szwarc

Celebrate Recovery



Dominated by a hurt, sinful habit, or hang-up of some kind? Then **Celebrate Recovery** may be God's answer to your need. This Christian support group meets every Tuesday at 7 PM, and childcare is available. For more information, phone (410) 365-9994.

Prayer Bulletin

Church Family

Baby Allysa Craig - being tested for weight loss mystery
 Janet Finch - experiencing breathing difficulty
 Leland Bussiere - awaiting results from tests last week
 Michael Cameron - at home and on medication for aseptic meningitis
 Mary Wesley - hospitalized and slowly regaining strength
 Cassie Schroeder - receiving physical therapy for severe back pain
 Suzanne Parrish - receiving physical therapy for severe back pain
 Sam Chopper - recuperating from a fractured kneecap
 Susan Rasch - dad being treated for 6 aneurisms and atrial afibrillation
 Veronica High - continues to deal with sarcoidosis
 Bonnie Mielke - daughter Judy recovering from cancer surgery
 Kati Hempfing - experiencing pain; difficulty sleeping
 Seeking Employment - Mike Johnson

Missions

The Haiti Team preparing to serve October 29 - November 5. The members are Jim & Carolyn Ambrosius, Steve Doarnberger, Sean Dukehart, John Galloway, Shane Gerlach, Kyle Gorey, Mike Johnson, Rob Martin, Laura McNally, Ava Shivers, Art Schrank, Tim Schrank, and Darrell & Sherri Snyder

Church Ministries

Elders & Deacons
 Pastoral staff
 Music Ministries - Joyce Brackney
 Small Groups - Pastor Breen
 Missions Committee - Steve Doarnberger
 LifeBuilders - Steve Wingate
 KidZone - Bonnie Schrank
 Financial Secretary - Sherri Snyder
 Church Treasurer - Jim Bird
 Church Secretary - Jody Schroeder
 Pioneer Clubs - Melissa Rhoads
 Hosts & Hostesses - Vivian Gent
 Junior & Senior High Youth - Pastor Breen
 Celebrate Recovery - Mike & Cheryl Craig
 Preschool & Kindergarten - Ginny Bussiere
 Audio/Visual - Dan Alcott & Edward Birch
 Tablecloths - Peggy Cullison
 Nursery - Sharon Dickensheets
 Library - Janet Finch
 Men's Prayer Breakfast - Steve Doarnberger
 Kitchen Ministry - Grace Martin
 Hospitality - Linda Birch
 Ladies Ministries - Marlene Wenzel
 Junior Church - Jen Foley, Bonnie Schrank
 Puppet Team - Scott & Michele Gribben
 Decorating Team - Sharon Dickensheets
 Food Bank Coordinators - Jeff & Laura Szwarc
 Church Cleaning Coordinator - Paul Shipley

WE HAVE LIVING HOPE

Grace Bible Church

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The Lord's Day Worship October 9 2011 10:30 AM



Hope Never Fails

Praise & Worship
 Operation Christmas Child
 Announcements & Offering
 More Praise
 Message
 Closing Prayer

(Thank you for silencing your cell phones & beepers)

Next Sunday!

Some Very Important People to Grace Bible Church will join us at next Sunday's Worship Hour. Visiting us from the CRU headquarters in Orlando, Florida, will be **Jeff & Nancy Beard**. Both of them are involved with evangelistic video projects associated with the life of Christ. Members of our church family for many years, they started new careers as missionaries about 4 years ago. Jeff & Nancy are excited to bring fresh news to our church. Also joining us will be our *Missionaries of the Month*, **John & Barbara Warnken**. Veterans of over 2 decades in Senegal, West Africa, they now reside in Westminster, and John serves part-time on the missions staff of a local church. John will provide the message from God's Word.



Our deepest Sympathy is extended to *Kevin Dukehart* and his family following the loss of his father, Charles Dukehart. A funeral service was observed last Friday.



welcomes each guest to our worship of the living Lord. Please complete the tear-off for Visitors & Guests in today's bulletin and place it in the offering plate. May the Lord richly bless your life this week!

Fall LifeBuilders Classes For Adults

It's not too late to join one of the following LifeBuilders classes:

1. *The Book of Mark* - Steve Doarnberger & Ken Seibert lead this verse-by-verse study in classroom #4.
2. *Return to the Garden* - Via a DVD series, Kay Authur will present timely messages for both single and married women. Led by Marlene Wenzel, this class meets in classroom #3.
3. *Real Manhood*, a men's only class, focuses on King David. Jim Dickensheets & Steve Wingate lead this discussion in classroom #1.



It's Shoe Box Time!

– Fill One or Several –

Will you participate? *Operation Christmas Child* is a unique way to help needy children around the world – and share the gospel, too! After you fill a shoe box with goodies and treats, bring it to the church to be mailed to Samaritan's Purse, a Christian relief ministry. They will include the message of salvation in the child's own language. Please bring your shoe boxes to the Information Center. The deadline to return your box is November 13. For more details, pick up a brochure at the Information Center

All Wheels Follow-up Meeting - It's TODAY, immediately after the Worship Hour in classroom #3. Please bring your feedback about the event! Everyone involved in the outreach is invited!

GBC Food Bank

Next Sunday will be October's *Distribution Day*. Do you need food assistance? Those who have regularly attended the Sunday worship services for at least 6 months are eligible. For more information, speak with Jeff & Laura Szwarc, (717) 633-7659.

► Teen Talk

- 1 - October's **YW** devotional is focused on the INVASION that Christ initiated when he came to earth. For a time, God had allowed the world to live captive under the powers of darkness. But then Jesus stepped out of heaven and into earth. The King of God's Kingdom stepped into enemy territory, and He started reclaiming ground. He calls you and I to do the same. Pick up a copy in the Narthex or Youth Room today!
- 2 - Both Youth Groups will have a chance to conquer the **2011 RVR CORN MAZE**. The Junior High will try on October 26 and the Senior High on October 30. The cost will be \$7/person. More details to follow.

Day of Prayer & Fasting → October 23

Here's a special opportunity to unite our hearts in seeking God's grace for the work of His kingdom here at Grace Bible Church! Both the morning class time and the Worship Hour will be dedicated to corporate prayer that Sunday. *For those who want to fast, please start at noon on Saturday, October 22.*



► A church-wide luncheon will be served at noon. Beckie Bange's lasagna recipe will be the featured main course, and families are asked to bring a dessert for the occasion. *Please complete the tear-off to indicate your attendance at the luncheon.*



PIONEER CLUBS NEWS

The Pioneer Clubs **Trunk or Treat** is an annual Fall event, happening on October 26 at 6:30 PM. *Volunteers are needed to provide trunks full of sweet treats for the kids.* Each participant can decorate the trunk of their car and hand out candy to a parade of 100 costumed children in our parking lot. To help, complete the tear-off in today's bulletin and place it in the offering plate.

NOTE: The Pioneer Clubs snack coordinators are seeking bags of pre-packaged candy to fill 3 Pinatas for that night. **PLEASE DROP THE PRE-PACKAGED CANDY AT THE INFORMATION CENTER.**

World Missions

- 1 - The **Haiti Team** is seeking the following items for their trip:
 - Structurally sound medium-sized suitcases to transport food items. These suitcases will be left in Haiti.
 - Bottles of craft paints for the Haitian children to use to decorate their wooden cars. Speak with Carolyn Ambrosius about donations.
- 2 - The pain and sorrow of losing Sam is ever present for **Nan McCullough**. In a recent letter (posted in the hallway) Nan wrote, "Today I begin my 4th month alone. I won't pretend that it's easy or I've got it all together... I am trying to come to grips with the fact that life will never be the same. I am seeking the Lord constantly." Nan would deeply appreciate your prayer for God's direction, as she seeks His will.
- 3 - From **Gabe & Beckie Garrison**: "Finally after 4 months of waiting for registration, we have a car to drive legally! Praise the Lord! We have definitely noticed how much easier getting around can be with your own vehicle... New opportunities to connect with unbelievers are opening up through an invitation to play in a recreational city league. Just a week ago, our season began and will continue through the winter. Additionally, I have been invited to play on a university team (I still study Russian part-time at this university). It's funny to me that at age 35 I'm playing college basketball again. Pray for relationships to develop off the court and ways to connect these guys to Russian believers."

Department Heads: Please submit your **Annual Reports** to the church office by October 30.

This Week's Schedule

Today - 9:15 AM: LifeBuilders, KidZone, Breakfast Club
10:30 AM: Worship Hour
7 PM: Solid Rock Cafe
Tuesday - 7 PM: Celebrate Recovery
Wednesday - 6:30 PM: Pioneer Clubs, Club Fish
7 PM: Sanctuary Choir, Small Group
Saturday - 7 AM: Men's Prayer Brkfst

Your Giving Last Week

General Fund	\$9,824.95
GBC Fund	205.00
Spicer Schol. Fund	458.00
GBC Food Bank	100.00
Total	\$10,587.95

Birthdays & Anniversaries This Week

October 9 - Tammy Shipley
October 10 - Merle King
October 11 - Donald Harmon, Craig Spears, Madison Swiney
October 12 - Amanda Rasch
October 13 - Elsa Lunceford

Our Staff & Officers

Senior Pastor: Rev. Paul Wenzel
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Youth Pastor: Rev. Greg Breen
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Secretary: Jody Schroeder
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Elders: Jim Dickensheets, Sean Foley, Scott Gribben, Art Schrank, Ken Hare (Emeritus), Don Swann (Emeritus)
Deacons: Jim Ambrosius, Chad Cameron, Shane Gerlach, Barry High, Jeff Szwarc

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Tear-off Responses

Day of Prayer Luncheon

I plan to attend the luncheon and bring a dessert.
The number in my party is _____.

Pioneer Club Needs

I am able to: _____
Volunteer to provide a trunk of treats for 100 children
_____ Donate bags of pre-packaged candy for pinatas.