

*Welcome to
Grace Baptist Church
July 6, 2008*

TODAY AT GBC

8:30 am	Traditional Service Nursery (0-30 mos.) Children's Church (2½ -5 years old)
9:45 am	Coffee Fellowship - No Sunday School
11:00 am	Contemporary Service Nursery (0-30 mos.) Children's Church (2½ -5 years old)

THIS WEEK AT GBC

Monday	8:30 am	Women's Prayer Meeting
	7:00 pm	Dorcas
Tuesday	Noon	Men's Basketball
	7:00 pm	Co-ed Volleyball (outdoors at Faith E Free)
	7:00 pm	Boards Meet
	8:30 pm	Executive Council
Wednesday	No Youth Meetings	
	7:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
Thursday	7:00 pm	Traditional Worship Rehearsal
	Noon	Men's Basketball
	7:00 pm	Contemporary Worship Rehearsal



NEW! Check out our website at www.go2grace.org. Under the 'Adults' section you will find information on various ministries, Sunday school classes, small groups, missions and Sermon HD. Sermon HD was developed by GBC to aid in the understanding of concepts and Bible passages discussed in Sunday morning worship gatherings. This web page helps to present the congregation with various resources to use in developing a deeper understanding of God's word. You will also find resources referenced in Sunday morning services and used in Adult Sunday school classes.

LIBRARY UPDATE

Now in the church library, *WHY BELIEVE THE BIBLE*, by MacArthur.

MINISTRY NEED

Do you enjoy taking care of infants & toddlers? We are looking for individuals to staff our nursery on Sunday mornings...\$10/hr. For more information, please contact Jess Logan, 757-0617, or jlogan@altru.org.

OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW

Bible Study

Co-ed Bible Study, "*With Christ in the School of Prayer*," by Andrew Murray, meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month, 7:00 pm, at GBC. Contact: Harold Mindeman, 775-8072.

College Ministry

Summer College Fellowship Gathering - Tuesday nights, 7:00 pm, at the Garage (youth building located across from Faith E Free at 2315 Library Circle).

Grief Share Support Group

This is an ongoing ministry at Grace Baptist Church and we want to be available to provide comfort and share God's love for you at a time when you have lost a loved one due to death. If you, your family, or friends have a need for support in your grief, please call Rich or Cyndy Kinney, 746-6189.

Single Parents/New Start

"*Encourage Each Other and Give Each Other Strength*" 1 Thessalonians 5:11
The mission of this group is to come together, one on one or as a group, talking and sharing life's ups and downs. No matter what your situation is, we have all been there and are willing to listen. You are only a prayer away! Contact: Cathie Pearson, 775-1085.

Small Groups

Would you like to be a part of a small group...fellowship with other believers, study God's word, pray for one another? Small group information is available at the community center or www.go2grace.org.

Women's Ministry

"*The Wounded Heart*" - Hope for adult victims of childhood sexual abuse. For more information, contact Sharon Morken, 218-857-3378.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Mercy Ministries

Would you like to help provide meals for people in our Grace fellowship who are sick, had surgery, had a baby, experienced a family death or other crisis? Contact: Marie Derman, 772-3387, or mederman@gra.midco.net

Serving Units

A ministry where families can serve the church body by volunteering their time to set up, clean up and/or provide food for various events such as college meals, funerals, potlucks, etc. This is also a great way to get to know other people. Contact: Vickie Stomberg, 218-773-3726, or rvwolfden@gra.midco.net.

The DISHCLOTHS are missing!

All of the dishcloths from the church kitchen are gone! If you have used the kitchen for any event recently, please check your drawers and closets at home for dishcloths that may belong to the church and help us replenish our stock. Thanks so much.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Last Week June 29, 2008

General Tithes/Offerings	\$ 7,489
Approved Budget	<u>\$11,415</u>
Surplus or (shortfall)	(\$3,926)

Year-to-Date as of 5/31/08

	Actual	Budgeted	Variance
General Tithes/Offerings	\$241,766	\$247,316	(\$5,550)
Expenditures	<u>\$199,554</u>	<u>\$247,316</u>	<u>\$47,762</u>
Surplus or (shortfall)	\$42,212	-	\$42,212

GBC WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

North American Baptist Conference

- **NCA Prayer Link of the Week:** McIntosh Baptist Church, McIntosh, SD - Rev. Dr. Richard & Fran Mayforth
- **International Missionaries of the Week:** Craig & Maureen Moody, Cameroon - Ask the Lord for His felt presence as the Moodys adjust, and for positive relationships with the students returning to school in the fall.

Prayer Requests

- **Costa Rica Mission Team** (July 1st - 10th) - Chris Dub, Anna Flaten, Garth Flaten, Emily Foutch, Emily Johnson, Kayla Kaiser, Jacqueline Moser, Wesley Moser, Alex Rath, Courtney Schooley, Sophie Slavens, Matthew Wahlin, Alex Waldeck, Nick Walters, Caleb Zavoral; Leaders: Mark Hoverson, Diane Moser, Katie Walters, Pastor Lance - www.go2grace.org/youth/costa-rica
- **Crystal Springs Baptist Camp** - Junior High Camp, July 6th - 11th
- **Our Military** - Pray for God's provision for our soldiers and their families & for God's guidance & wisdom for our nation's leaders.

Those Who Are Grieving

- **Johnson Family** - at the passing of Bill & Sue's brother-in-law, Alvin Evenson.
- **Kinney Family** - at the passing of Rich's mom, Anita.
- **Kranzler Family** - at the passing of Harold's beloved wife, Jeanne.

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