

Birthdays

JUNE 2013 GRACE NOTES

Anniversaries

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
						<u>Pat East</u>
2 Communion 6:15pm Youth Fellowship	3 <i>Paul & Hazel Geohagan</i>	4	5 Family Picnic Bible Study: Verse by Verse Study of I John Choir Practice Isaiah's Bells Practice <u>Dick East</u>	6 <i>Michael & Marcia Jones Wallace & Meredith Woodlief</i>	7 <u>Linda Griffin</u>	8
9 Food Pantry  6:15pm Youth Fellowship	10	11 <i>Deacon meeting 7pm</i> <u>Taylor Smith</u>	12 Family Picnic Bible Study: Verse by Verse Study of I John Choir Practice Isaiah's Bells Practice <u>Anita Cox</u>	13 <u>Molly Buchanan</u> <u>Meredith Woodlief</u>	14 <u>Liz Reynolds</u>	15 <u>Grahm Foley</u>
16 6:15pm Youth Fellowship <i>Rusty & Nadine Smith</i>  <i>Father's Day</i>	17	18 7pm Women on Mission	19 Family Picnic Bible Study: Verse by Verse Study of I John Choir Practice Isaiah's Bells Practice <u>Ted Thisse</u>	20 10am Women of Grace <i>Greg & Margaret Carlson</i> <u>Betsy Wilds</u>	21	22 <i>Mark & Pam Elkins Ted & Karen Thisse</i> <u>Colleen Buchanan</u>
23 6:15 Youth Fellowship <i>Ward & Shelly Stone</i>	24	25 <i>Winfred & Beverly Stowe</i> <u>Ben Byrd</u>	26 Last Family Picnic Bible Study: Verse by Verse Study of I John Last Choir Practice Before Sabbatical Isaiah's Bells Practice <u>Shelly Stone</u>	27	28	29
30 6:15 Youth Fellowship	1	2	3	4	5	6

PASTOR'S NOTES:

We are Baptists. Baptism is at the very heart of our belief system, but do we actually stop to consider what it means? We believe that Baptism has absolutely nothing to do with the process or completeness of one's salvation. We are saved by grace through faith; Baptism is only an outward sign of our inner transformation. But, it is the first opportunity for a new Believer to demonstrate obedience to His new Lord and Savior.

Believer's Baptism is literally a Memorial, a Symbol, and a Proclamation.

- When we are plunged beneath the water and emerge again, it is a memorial of the death and resurrection of Christ Jesus who was plunged into death and emerged again from the empty tomb.
- When we are plunged beneath the water and emerge again, it is a Symbol of the union we have with Christ Jesus in His death and resurrection.
- When we are plunged beneath the water and emerge again, it is a Proclamation of the future resurrection of our physical bodies and our gathering together with all those who constitute the church, the bride of Christ.

Please, plan to attend our Baptism service on June 16th and join us along with the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit in this beautiful Memorial, Symbol, and Proclamation.



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*Newsletter & Calendar
For members and friends of
Grace Baptist Church*



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Sunday School...9:45 AM

Sunday Worship...11:00 AM

Wednesday Bible Study...6:15 PM

PRAYER DEACONS

June 2 David Byrd
June 9 Greg Carlson
June 16 Dick East
June 23 Dale Hollandsworth
June 30 Jim Shelor

The deacons and pastor meet on the second Tues of each month. If you have concerns, please contact one of the deacons or Pastor Mark prior to their meeting.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Deuteronomy 15:11 For the poor will never cease from the land; therefore I command you, saying, 'You shall open your hand wide to your brother, to your poor and your needy, in your land.' Therefore, the Second Sunday of the month is a time we set aside to contribute to our local food pantry. Let us give generously to help feed the less fortunate in our community on **June 9th**.

Springs of Life Camp would like to thank everyone for helping them collect all the needed mayonnaise, baked beans, and medical tape for this year's camp.

MUSIC CORNER

Band Practice

The Praise Band of Grace meets Wed. at **7:15pm**. Contact Dora Jane.

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Choir Practice

Voices of Grace practice **Wednesdays** at **7:30 pm**. Contact Dora Jane.

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Isaiah's Bells Practice

Wednesdays at 6:15pm. Contact Marceia Bartlett.

MISSIONS

Women on Mission will meet on **June 20** at **7pm**. Please contact Marceia Bartlett for more information.

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Women of Grace will meet **June 18** at **10am**. Please Contact Flo Bell for more information.

If you miss a Sunday morning sermon and want to listen on your computer or download to your mobile device, just pull up the website and click on "Resources", the sermons are there for you or you can send the link to a friend. There is a copy of the calendar and Grace Notes on the home page too.

RELIEVE EDITORIAL STRESS
TURN IN YOUR ARTICLES

EARLY!

DEADLINE FOR
NEWSLETTER

ARTICLES AND CHURCH CALENDAR UPDATES
is The **20th** of each month

DISCOVERING CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

ARE YOU READY TO JOIN THE GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH FAMILY?

For information on becoming a member, first speak with our Pastor at the conclusion of any worship service. Next, attend our "Discovering Church Membership" class; our Pastor will introduce you to the class leader. This introduction to our church family is designed to clearly explain who we are, what we believe, and how we work together to grow in Christ.

To update your directory with the addresses of new members, please contact the office: 694-5211 or office@hisgraceforyou.org.



**BIBLE STUDY
A WEEK AT A GLANCE**

Sunday School – 9:45am

Here at Grace Baptist, we have several Sunday School Classes, one for every age group from pre-school to senior adult. You don't need to be a member to attend one, just show up and anyone here will be more than happy to help you find the one for you.

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Children's Worship – 11:00am

CHILDREN ARE GOD'S GIFT TO US!
We provide nourishing programs and learning experiences for all ages:
Children's Church for children K-2nd grade.

Grace in Action has Bible study and mission projects as the main focus for third and fourth graders.

The Puppet Ministry helps the bible come alive for the youngest to the oldest.

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Youth Fellowship/Bible Study

Sundays at 6:15pm in the youth fellowship hall upstairs.

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Tuesday Morning Ladies' Bible Study - 9:20am.

Currently this class is studying the Book of James with Beth Moore. Sandra Ramsey is leading the class. All ladies are invited and encouraged to attend. To order your book, contact Pat East.

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Wednesday Night Bible Study

This month Pastor Mark continues to lead us with the verse by verse study of the book of I John.

CHURCH LIBRARY

Our church library has something for everyone, from toddler to senior adult. Books, magazines, audio books, video tapes and CD's.



AMAZING OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE!!!

If you are willing to **serve our children**, please contact:
Maynee Meadows - 694-4411 (Puppets)
Hillary & Susan Holt - 694-4083 (Children's Church)
Hazel Geohagan - 251-5735 (Nursery)
Brenda Vaughn - 694-4212 (Nursery)



**Children's Church (Grades K-3)
WORKERS' SCHEDULE**

June 2	Ashley Marshall Karleigh Marshall
June 9	Dale Hollandsworth Shelley Hollandsworth
June 16	Linda Daumen Austin Menear
June 23	Susan Holt Peyton Elkins
June 30	Becky Palmer Tiffany Rorrer



**NURSERY WORKERS'
SCHEDULE**

Please be in the nursery by 10:45

June 2	Wendy Buchanan Peyton Elkins
June 9	Karen Matthews Sierra Matthews
June 16	Robert Reynolds Logan Reynolds
June 23	Nancy Howell Karleigh Marshall
June 30	Brenda Vaughn Sarah Clark

*In our infant nursery, the volunteer must be 16 years of age or older. **Note:** Infant & Toddler Nursery is for infants & children up to 4 years of age. Older children must attend Children's Church or services in the sanctuary with parent or guardian.*