HAPPENING TODAY

SERMON NOTES

SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES, 9:00 AM

Jr. High - Adults:

"Proverbs" — Upper Fellowship Room Children: Ages 3-5th grade, meet on 3rd floor

FELLOWSHIP TIME, 10:00 AM
WORSHIP SERVICE, 10:30 AM
CAMP COUNSELOR MEETING, 12:15 PM

THIS WEEK...

WEDNESDAY

Weeding the Church Gardens, 9:00 am Jr. & Sr. High Backyard Bash, 6:30-8:30 pm

FRIDAY

Outdoor Movie Night, 7:00 pm

SATURDAY

Ladies' Discipleship Group, 9:00 am

YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY

Contact Pastor Dave for information

Childcare for infants to 3 years old is available during all services.

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PASTORAL STAFF

Dave Emmons, Senior Pastor Caleb Purdy, Associate Pastor Matt Weir, Associate Pastor

Elders:

Burf Bowman, Dave Emmons, Jim Estes, Tim Masters, Caleb Purdy, John Syracuse, Dave Talladay, Pat Weidel, Matt Weir, Walt Whitenight

Deacons:

Jim Bachman, Dean Davis, Herb DeLine, Nate Duxbury, John Gifford, Dan Joseph, Seth Joseph, Ron Malone, Seth Muck, Dave Pendino, Jason Poeller, JD Seiler, Jim Weber



Grace Notes

A weekly newsletter of happenings at Grace Bible Church July 27, 2025

The People of God, Under the Word of God, Doing the Will of God, All for the Glory of God.



FOR OUR VISITORS

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!

We would love to get to know you! Please take some time to fill out the information below, tear off and drop it in the offering plate. If you are visiting for the first time, please stop by our Welcome Center for more information about GBC and receive a special gift. You may also scan the QR code below to tell us about yourself or leave a note about your visit. We hope you were blessed by your worship time today!

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Grace Bible Church, Newfane

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INFORMATION & EVENTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS - JR/SR HIGH - ADULTS

Proverbs, Perspectives of Wisdom - Upper Fellowship Room

YOUTH GROUP MINISTRY

Combined Jr/Sr High Backyard Bash this Wednesday, July 30, 6:30-8:30 pm at the Talladay's home - 6033 Godfrey Road, Burt.

GRACE ADVENTURE CAMP 2025

August 18-22 - For kids ages 7-8th grade

The cost is \$275/pp. Sibling discounts are available. Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center. You may also register online at www.gbcnewfane.com. <u>All paperwork and final payments are due next Sunday, August 3.</u>

GRACE ADVENTURE CAMP COUNSELOR MEETING

Today, 12:15 pm - Lower Fellowship Room If you plan to be a counselor, please attend this meeting.

WEEDING THE CHURCH GARDENS

This Wednesday, July 30, 9:00-11:00 am
Bring your gardening tools/buckets. Coffee & light snacks provided!

OUTDOOR MOVIE NIGHT

This Friday, August 1, 7:00 pm - at the Slack's Home 3688 Ridge Road, Lockport

We will start the movie "Meet the Robinsons" as soon as it's dark enough. Light snacks provided. Please bring chairs. Sign up today if you plan to attend!

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR LEAH WEIDEL

Tuesday, August 5, 6:00 pm - Upper Fellowship Room Come celebrate with Leah! She is registered at Zola.com. Please sign up by the office, if you plan to attend. If you'd like to contribute to the group gift, please contact Kelly (716) 454-2247 or Jean Weidel (716) 439-4639.

HYMN SING NIGHT

Wednesday, August 6, 6:30 pm - Worship Center Join us as we worship together singing the old great hymns!

MISSION FOCUS

Dave & Sonya K. serving with Pioneers at MTSU

We have seen a change at ELS as we have gone from 80+ students to 36 which has reduced my involvement in the summer sessions but I plan to be back at the end of August to finish out the year. I am doing some personal tutoring and connecting with students and a few refugees who are around for the summer. One such family is O & A with three sons from Uzbekistan, they have been in the States for over 2 years. While the kids have enculturated well and have excellent English, the parents had a slower time at it. O works full time online and his wife takes care of the kids, helps him in his work and is beginning to focus on sharpening her English skills. I am tutoring O and his wife some and they have been a joy to get to know. They and their children attended church with us on Easter weekend and expressed great joy in the experience. Dave has been able to join me on Fridays for some tutor sessions and they invited us to a full course Uzbek meal. We have had some good discussions about God and Jesus. O asked what I believed about God. I told him in order to explain God I also need to share about Jesus and how He is the one that came from God to make all the difference for each of us to come back into a right relationship with God. As you can imagine this led to many other questions and I felt that, at least, along with the church service, he understood that Jesus is the only way to truly know we are right with God and our souls are set for eternity with Him when we die. Continue to pray for them and their family. Many of the international students have not gone home this summer due to the current visa climate, so pray for us to continue to interact with those who are on campus and take advantage of the slower pace to really connect with them. Continue to pray for Taro, Mai, MiMi, Shota and Kisheiro as they are readjusting to Japan. Pray for Haruka (a new believer) as she readjusts to Osaka and finds a good church there. Nara comes to Life Group regularly and seems to be growing in her faith. She asked for a Bible for her birthday and I was happy to oblige. Dave continues to head up the Following Jesus classes at our church and the church as a whole continues to grow and see many come to know Jesus and grow in their faith.

July Sunday School Offering - John & Amanda - serving with BMW Your contributions this month will go toward helping John & Amanda with additional expenses that they have due to moving within the last year, medical costs and ministering in a country that is increasingly more expensive to live in.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Ladies' Discipleship Group—Saturday, August 2 & 16 Grace Adventure Camp Counselor Meeting—Sunday, August 10 Grace Adventure Camp—August 18-22 Next Missions Committee Meeting—Tuesday, August 26 Fall Kick Off—September 10 & 11 PRISM International Student Weekend—September 27 & 28