

PRAYmissions

Encompass World Partners

Sarah* grew up in the Russian Orthodox Church but in name and custom only. She didn't read her Bible or pray, and she didn't know the Lord. When she went to college, she encountered Jesus through the persistence of a few Christian friends. Once she experienced God's love, she felt an unmistakable call to share it with others. Now located in Central Asia, in a country that is less than one percent evangelical, Sarah and her husband Eddy* share Jesus with everyone they can. **Pray** for Sarah and Eddy as they minister in their spiritually dark city. **Pray** that God advances His kingdom here.

Mason and Ella* serve in Southeast Asia in a country where less than three percent of the people know Jesus. Even though 2020 was difficult for ministry, God blessed their outreach. Mason grew in friendship with one of his believing coworkers, Paul*, who has become one of his best friends and a tremendous ministry partner. Their relationship has been a light to those in their workplace and has prompted multiple spiritual conversations! **Pray** that God emboldens Mason and Paul as they witness to those around them. **Pray** that He works in Mason and Ella's closest contacts, to transform them and give them hope.

The St. James Way pilgrim hostel ministry in Portugal is celebrating ten years of operation. National Ministry Partners Abel and Alzira host about 1,500 religious pilgrims per year! When these foot travelers spend time with Christ-followers, gospel seeds are planted in their hearts. Though COVID-19 decreased traffic, ministry continues, and the lower numbers may actually bring deeper conversations. **Pray** for Abel and Alzira as they minister to these searching souls. **Pray** for spiritual fruit in this year's high season, which is from May to October.

See the Welcome Center bulletin board for the full missionary prayer letters.

May 30, 2021

GRACE

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Today's Message: *"Come Eat Breakfast"*

Today's Text: *John 21*

Today's Speaker: *Pastor Bob Foote*

Great to have you at Grace!



~Experiencing God, Encouraging People~

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Week of May 30

Sunday

10:15 am Worship Service

5:30pm Improv

Wednesday

6:30 pm Young Church

Sensible singing? Holy humming? Gospel greetings?

Public worship will be different for a while, but seeking God and encouraging people are always worth the effort!

Check emails, Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/228200600551840/>), and www.hhgcc.org for online studies and more information.

Keep praying as God has his hands on all of us. Let us know how we can help you help your neighbors.

Stewardship Report

Weekly Goals

Local Budget: \$6,090
Missions: \$774

Received May 23

Local Budget: \$4,596
Missions: \$485
Awana: \$10
BURO: \$40
Care: \$40

Annual Celebration update all deacons and budgets were passed. Annual meeting packet has been amended. If you would like an updated copy email the church office or let Tiffany know and she can get one for you or emailed to you. Also we have two new mission families we are supporting Greg Burgess in France and John Harris and Family in Eastern Europe.

We would love to pray for you! Receive GCC's email prayer updates. Visit GCC's website, hhgcc.org (see QR code at the right). Use the contact us link at the bottom of the main page under "Our Church." Consider joining the "announcements" group at the same time to have access to GCC's inclement weather cancellation information. You may also checkout our Facebook page as we put prayer updates there as well.

Love in a Bag:

Due to careful shopping and the church families' generous donations, we have been able to increase our weekly bags from 25 to 30. Monticello asked us to help 5 more students and we were able to accommodate their request. This school year we will be delivery about 1,080 bags. We have served over 15,000 meals so far. Thanks for tangibly loving your neighbors.



Stay connected!

Want to know what's up at Grace Community Church?

- Regularly visit: www.hhgcc.org
- Join the "Grace Community Church" Facebook page
- Receive email prayer requests and announcements by joining GCC's Gmail groups via the church website, www.hhgcc.org.

Next Week:

Text: Review John



Sign up for Church Camp: The Tri-State Fellowship Camp online registration is now open! July 11th—July 16th

Register at:

www.tristatecamp.com

Junior Camp

- entering 4th-7th grade
- \$200*

Senior Camp

- entering 8th-12th grade
- \$200*

* \$50 late fee after 5/31

Donations to sponsor a camper can be placed in the offering.

Many volunteer opportunities are available:

- Help in the kitchen
- Be a camp counselor
- Set-up and tear-down



Retirement celebration for Pastor Bob and Peggy is next Sunday June 6th following service at 11:30 am. Come fellowship and celebrate with us as we honor all their hard work!

Upward We have been praying about the 2022 season of Upward and we will be having a season!!!! We will keep you updated with dates in the future. Please keep all those that participate in your prayers.

Need to borrow something from GCC? To help us keep track of church property, please contact the church office prior to borrowing things. We will verify that no one needs it for their ministry before you sign it out. *Thanks for your help with this!*

About Us

Purpose

Grace Community Church exists for God—for His praise and purpose and to display His character and compassion.

We are to worship Him, grow to be like Him, and encourage others to believe in and follow Him

(See: Eph. 3:20; John 15:8, 16; Col. 3:17; Matt. 28:18-20)

Pattern

- Cultivating people with a growing love for God and His truth.
- Rejoicing in our worship.
- Strengthening our families.
- Encouraging each other with words, prayer, and actions.
- Actively reaching our

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College of Elders

Bob Dawson
Bob Foote
John Miller
Mark Mohler
Steve Oder
Jerry Root
Ron Sheranko
Barry Wideman

Staff

Senior Pastor: Bob Foote
Children's Ministry: Terri Campbell
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