

Welcome to Grace Baptist Church

July 15, 2018 __ AM __ PM

Mr. Mrs. Ms.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Marital Status: __Married __Single __ Single Again

Are you a member of a Church? __yes __no

What Church? _____

City & State: _____

What grade/age does your family represent?

Infants-2yrs. 3-4yrs. 5-6yrs.

1st-5th grade 6th-8th grade

9th-12th grade College

Do you know for certain that you have eternal life and that you will go to Heaven when you die?

__yes __no __not sure

I would like:

__Information about Grace

__To receive today's Sermon on CD

(please pick up your CD in the Fellowship Hall)

(Sermons are also available on www.gbce.net)

__To participate in a Bible Study

__A phone call or visit

__To know Jesus

__Other _____

Decisions made today:

__Prayed to receive Christ as Lord & Savior

__Recommit my life to Christ

__I desire Believer's Baptism

__Would like to join Grace Baptist

__Other _____

I am a guest of _____

In an effort not to interrupt the work of the Holy Spirit during the worship service, please silence all pagers and cell phones.

Thank you for your consideration!

How to Join Grace Baptist Church

At the end of the Worship Service, we will sing a hymn of decision. During this time, you are invited to walk to the front of the Church in response to the leading of the Holy Spirit that you sense in your heart or mind. Our Pastor and a counselor will be at the front to talk with you about your decision.

One of the decisions you may wish to make is to become a member of Grace Baptist Church. You may do so by telling the Pastor or Staff Member one of the following:

- I want to trust Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, but don't understand how. I need someone to help me.
- I have accepted Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and desire New Testament baptism.
- I have previously received Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. The Church I joined did not practice New Testament baptism, so I want to be baptized and join Grace Baptist Church.
- I am a member of another Baptist Church and want to join Grace Baptist on a promise of letter from that Church.
- I have previously received Christ and was baptized into a Church by New Testament baptism, however, the record of my Church membership is unavailable, or I have been a member of another denomination and wish to return to a Baptist Church.

If none of the above are an expression of your desire, you may schedule an appointment with Pastor Hilley or a Staff Member by calling the Church Office at 706-868-9729.

Pastor & Ministerial Staff

Contact Information

706-868-9729

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	Pastor	Bill Hilley	wfhilley@gbce.net
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	Minister of Music	Brent Odom	bodom@gbce.net
	Minister of Adult Education	Greg Mason	gmason@gbce.net
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	Weekday Preschool Director	Lisa Wamack	lwamack@gbce.net



Welcome to

GRACE BAPTIST - EVANS

We're So Glad You're Here!

From Your Pastor

July 15, 2018

Dear Grace Family and Friends,

What a thrill it was this past Monday to be included in the "sendoff" for both our Youth Campers and Children's Campers. It's an incredible blessing to have had 96 "youth" and 53 "children" attend camp this week. That bespeaks a bright and blessed future for Grace Baptist in Evans. What excites me is that your children and youth aren't simply being "entertained" when they're here. They are being instructed in God's Word and being equipped to live out God's plan and purpose for their lives. It greatly encourages me that many of you have become part of the Grace Baptist Church family for that very reason. Far too many Churches have embraced the entertainment mindset. That helps explain why 80% of Church "kids" who go off to college never return to Church. They haven't been equipped to handle the world. Young people are smarter than we give them credit for. They want their life to matter. They see through the façade and want to make a difference in the world. That's only possible as we teach them to live for Jesus Christ. In the final analysis, that's the only thing that has lasting value. Everything else in this life is temporary. Fame and fortune are appealing but neither endures. At best our achievements may be remembered for a few hundred years. That's nothing against the backdrop of "eternity?" That's why the Bible refers to this life as a mist, or a vapor (*James 4:14*). It's both fragile and fleeting. Yet a life of faith in Christ endures forever. Our children and young people need to be instructed in that truth. Thanks to our Staff and some very committed Volunteers, they are. We should be forever grateful for their efforts. I hope you'll plan to be here tonight to encourage and support them as we receive our "camp reports." You'll be glad you did, and so will they. God bless you all! You are a great blessing to me.

Pastor Bill

Week at a Glance

Sunday - July 15

Prayer Time.....	7:45 am
No F.I.S.H. Market Coffee Shoppe	8:15 am
1st Hour Sunday School/Bible Study.....	9:00 am
1st Hour Morning Service	9:00 am
2nd Hour Sunday School/Bible Study	10:30 am
2nd Hour Morning Service	10:30 am
K-Church.....	10:30 am
Kids Alive!.....	10:30 am
The Conquer Series	4:00 pm
Evening Service & Baptism.....	6:00 pm

Monday - July 16

Ladies Prayer Ministry.....	10:00 am
G.R.O.W. (Grace Reaching Out In Worship)	6:00 pm
American Heritage Girls	7:00 pm
Trail Life.....	7:00 pm

Tuesday - July 17

Friendship Summer Program	9:30 am
G.R.O.W. (Grace Reaching Out In Worship)	6:00 pm

Wednesday - July 18

Men's Prayer Time (Cracker Barrel).....	6:00 am
Youth Café and Games.....	5:30 pm
Youth Worship Service.....	6:30 pm
Spotlight.....	6:30 pm
Bible Studies	6:30 pm
Adult Choir.....	7:45 pm
Kids Alive! Rehearsals.....	7:45 pm

Thursday - July 19

Youth Mission Projects	9:00 am
Friendship Summer Program	9:30 am

Friday - July 20

Celebrate Recovery.....	7:00 pm
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Saturday - July 21

No Activities

After-Hours Emergency #

706-868-9729 Press #1 & Leave Message

Deacon/ * Elder Team of the Week

* Josh Olson 706-825-3556	Mark Baggett 762-218-0252
Chris Lane 706-421-7533	Jonathan Rutledge 912-383-2742

Give online at www.gbce.net

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR JULY 8, 2018

WEEK'S GIVING \$ 23,829.85

MONTH-TO-DATE GIVING \$ 57,403.11	MONTH-TO-DATE BUDGET \$ 58,138.46
YEAR-TO-DATE GIVING \$ 889,402.41	YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET \$ 784,869.21

First Touch Ministry

Wednesday 7/18

Teresa Jordan
Lorene Clark

AM David & Sandra Brown Erik & Lori Jessee Linda Burleson Lane Cook Billy Works Matt & Leigh Ann Keels Brandy Chauvin Jonathan Sheets	July 22	PM Don & Maxine Williams
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Grace Ushers

AM Jim Rosier* Tommy Daniels Mike Troxel George Peters Donald Newman Mickey Reville Mark Eley Bernard Axton Gerald Robinson Billy Works	July 15	PM *David Dickenson Rick Clifford David King Eddie LeBlanc Josh Olson Billy Works Nate Rish Andy Farkas
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Nursery

AM Alisa Taylor Donna Beverly Dawn Daudelin Shawn DeRaps Linda Burleson Bonnie DeRaps Jennifer Antonakos Tawny Eley Emily Teacle	July 15	PM Amy Parker Ashley Walden Liz Baker Adrienne Sisk Paul Sisk Cassy Stringfield Virginia Smelts
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Wednesday 7/18

Lauren Steele Tina Swafford
Beth Reville Arica Stringfield
Donna Beverly

AM Sunny Price Angie Holland Brandi Bodie Linda Summerville Alana Whitehead Chris Holland Kim Smith April McCall Debbie Bailey Tara Rish	July 22	PM Mandy Bartlett Brooke Steele Daniel McCall Kristine McGahee Sharon Bell Zac Bartlett Jenny Dunne
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Changing our world by loving God & loving each other!

Welcome to our New Members

**John & Kristina Transue
Laura, Jack, James & Megan**

Verse of the Month

In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth. Genesis 1:1

Nursery Volunteers Needed

Our "Sprouts" need more TLC. Can you commit to one service a month to help them grow? Please contact Jenny Dunne for more information at 706-306-5025.

Adult Discipleship Teachers

Meeting Sunday, July 22nd, at 4:30pm in Room 109/110. Please contact Greg Mason if Childcare is needed or for more information.

Grace Men's Ministry Event

The men of Grace are invited to join us for an evening at the SRP Park in North Augusta for the Green Jackets vs. Columbia Fireflies On Saturday, July 28th at 6:00.

Tickets are \$8.00 per person. Sign up in the Fellowship Hall or contact Josh Olson at 706-825-3556 for more details.

GBCE Upward Fall Soccer (Completed K4 - 6th Grades)

Register online at <https://registration.upward.org/UPW66587/> Practices begin August 21st and the last game day is October 27th. Please, contact James Molnar at 423-747-9366 or Misty Lingle at 706-421-5006 for details.

The flowers on the altar today have been placed in memory of Donna LeBlanc by Eddie LeBlanc.

1st Grade Orientation with Pastor Bill

Students who just completed K5 and are entering 1st Grade are invited along with their parents to attend this special orientation on Saturday, July 28, 2018 at 11:00AM in the Graded Children's Suite. For details, contact Tricia Mason at 706-868-9729 or triciamason@gbce.net.

Divorce Care & Grief Share

Both support groups will be held on Tuesdays, August 14th-Nov 6, from 6:30-8:30 in the Fellowship Hall classrooms. The Cost is \$15 for the accompanying workbooks. Register at www.gbce.net/eventregistration/ Contact Greg Mason for details

Opportunities in the Graded Children's Ministry Department:

Co-Teachers are needed for Sun. at 9:00am & on Wed. at 6:30pm. Please contact Tricia Mason for more details at 706-868-9729.

Celebrate Recovery Ministry

Overcoming hurts, habits and hangups! Meets each Friday Evening at 7pm in the Youth Suite! Dinner is served at 6:30pm. Contact Mark Graff at 706-829-8348 for details.

Deacon Body Recommendations

If you would like to make a recommendation for the Deacon Body of Grace Baptist Church of Evans, please submit their names below. Deadline is Sunday, August 29th.

Qualifications for a Deacon are as follows:

I Timothy 3:8-13

Deacons, likewise, are to be men worthy of respect, sincere, not indulging in much wine, and not pursuing dishonest gain. They must keep hold of the deep truths of the faith with a clear conscience. They must first be tested; and then if there is nothing against them, let them serve as Deacons. In the same way, their wives are to be women worthy of respect, not malicious talkers, but temperate and trustworthy in everything. A Deacon must be the husband of but one wife, and must manage his children and his household well. Those who have served will gain an excellent standing and great assurance in their faith in Christ Jesus.

Current Active Deacons:

Mark Baggett, Doug Baker, Andy Farkas, Mike Felz, Tim Gass, Mark Hall, David King, Chris Lane (Elder), John Marzano, Troy McGahee, Nate Rish, Jonathan Rutledge, Adam Smelts, Rick Stringfield, Bryant Treacle, Greg Usry (Elder) Michael Walden, Raymond Young,

Current Elder Body:

Chris Doughtie, Josh Olson, DeWayne Smoak,

Names for consideration:

Your Name: _____

Please place in the Offering Plate or one of the White Contribution Boxes.