

Welcome to Grace Bible Fellowship

THIS WEEK

Sunday, April 1

9:00am Discipleship Hour- Classes for Preschool through Adult
10:15am Worship Service

PrayerWorks prayer time **will not** be gathering this Sunday.
Please take the time to celebrate the Resurrection with your families.

Wednesday, April 4

6:00am Men's Prayer Breakfast, Coffee Room
Free breakfast and time to pray for weekly needs & ministries of GBF.

7:00am Women's Prayer Meeting, Library
Join us to pray for weekly needs & the ministries of GBF.

6:45 –8:30pm Youth Group: 6 – 12 grades, Youth Room
Bible Study in Romans and small group discussion.

Saturday, April 7

8:00am Men's Breakfast
Please indicate on your blue slip and/or email the church at gbf4him@comcast.net if you plan on attending. This is extremely helpful in the meal planning.



The morning message is available through podcast at <http://gbfalbany.com/sidebar/resources/> or you can request a CD copy at the information center in the foyer.



There are devices for the hearing impaired available for please ask an usher or someone in the sound booth. use during the morning service. If you need assistance

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Upcoming Events

Tues, April 10 7:00pm Board Meeting

Wed, April 11 10:00am International Student Luncheon
GBF serves lunch to OSU International students once a month. If you are able to help with serving or clean up, please contact Virginia Pullen.

Also needed: fruit and cookie donations.

Wed, April 18 11:00am Saints Alive

Fri, April 20 6:00pm Men's Ministry Movie Night

Sat., April 21 11:30am Women's Ministry: Carousel & Lunch
Bring your own lunch to Sunny Patch Boutique (222 SW 1st St Albany) where we will eat together before going to the Carousel.



Womens Getaway Retreat

Friday, May 18 – Sunday, May 20
Belknap Hot Springs on the McKenzie River

\$100 for 2 nights lodging & 5 Meals
\$50 nonrefundable deposit to register; Pay in full by April 15.

You can register April 8th & 15th.

Tom Pennington Message

Office hours: Mon 10am – 3pm; Tues—Thurs, 9am—3 pm

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GBF Purpose Statement

*We purpose, in obedience to our Lord Jesus Christ,
to make disciples of all the nations for the glory of God.*

MISSION FOCUS

LINDSEY BURROWS- *An updated newsletter from Lindsay Burrows is available on the table in the foyer.*

BOSNIA- On June 27th Pastor Tom Pennington and Dennis Kramer will be traveling to Bosnia with Jeff Breitler and Russell Brown from First Baptist Church Medford. While in Bosnia they will be attending the Emek Beraka prayer camp and then visiting several pastors and their families throughout the country before returning back to Oregon on July 9th. Please pray for the trip preparations and that their presence will be an encouragement to the Bosnian Evangelical Church.

LOCAL OUTREACH- GBF's local outreach opportunities include the Good News Club (*Periwinkle Elementary School*), a monthly International Student Lunch at Oregon State and Love in the Name of Christ (Love, INC).

- The **Good News Club** meets weekly and currently has enough volunteers working in the program.
- Additional volunteers are needed for the **International Student Lunch**. If you're interested in helping contact Virginia Pullen.
- **Love, INC** welcomes volunteers who would like to share their time and/or talents to meet the needs of others in the community. Volunteers are currently needed to help in the Clearinghouse call center and with the cleaning, sanitizing and delivery of medical equipment. Those interested in volunteering for this ministry opportunity can contact Dean Pindell.

HAITI- Haiti is one of GBF's strategic focus mission areas, where we partner with *Haiti Foundation of Hope*. Members of our body serve on medical teams, most recently in November, and help with the beans and rice purchased with monies sent by the GBF body. The March Haiti Foundation of Hope medical team is on the way home today, after spending 10 days in Terra Blanche holding medical clinics. To learn more about the work in Haiti check out the missions table in the foyer. Also, on the table is the current catalog showing many of the current programs in Terra Blanche and the surrounding area and how you can support the work there.

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