

Welcome to Grace Bible Fellowship

THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 18

9:00am Discipleship Hour- Classes for Preschool through Adult
Children's Christmas Program Practice

(K – 5th grades) **9:55-10:10am** (the end of Sunday School)

10:40ish-10:55 (after children are dismissed from the sanctuary)

10:15am Worship Service

6:00pm Young Adult Group, ages of 18 – 30 @ the Kramer's

6:30pm PrayerWorks

Join us as we pray for the church family and church ministries.

Wednesday, November 21

6:00am Men's Prayer Breakfast

Breakfast & a time of prayer for the needs of the GBF family members.

7:00am Women's Prayer Meeting

Breakfast & a time of prayer for the needs of the GBF family members.

The Youth Group will not be meeting this week.

Thursday, November 22

The church office will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Friday, November 23

The church office will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.



There are devices for the hearing impaired available for use on during the service. Please ask an usher or someone in the sound booth for assistance.



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.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Upcoming Events

Sat, Dec 1 Men's Breakfast – 8:00am

Please mention on your blue slip if you plan on attending.

Mon, Dec 3 Women's Christmas Event – 6:00pm

"The Provision of Hope" -Soup, Salad & Dessert, Fellowship,
Prayer & Stories of Hope

Mission Focus -Diapers & Wipes for Love INC

Visit the table in the foyer for more information. Please sign up if you need a ride that evening, and sign up if you plan on attending.

Tues, Dec 11 Board Meeting – 7:00pm

Sun, Dec 16 Christmas Program – 10:15am

Global Outreach News

Please note: This week's back of the bulletin global outreach ministry focus: *Papua, Indonesia*.

There are copies of Lindsey Burrows' most recent newsletter and a newsletter update from Orin & Rosa Kidd on the GET table in the foyer.

Dear brothers & sisters in Christ,

Thank you all so much for the calls, visits, cards & offers of rides. It really means a lot to me to know that I'm being cared for & prayed for. I know that prayer has gotten me this far, through the surgery and well into the healing process. ...

... Again thanks to all of you, the love & prayers you shared make me feel so blessed & so happy to be a member of GBF.

Sincerely,

Mary Montgomery

Tom Pennington Message

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

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To glorify God by mobilizing the resources entrusted to GBF for the fulfillment of Christ's Great Commission to make disciples of all nations, ministering to the whole man physically, emotionally and spiritually.

Our **strategy** is to focus strategically; (1) on identifying and engaging unreached people groups with the long-term goal of seeing thriving, reproducing churches actively working to reach their own people and beyond; (2) on strengthening the church among people groups where we are currently involved, and (3) on developing avenues of outreach into our local community.

Grace Bible Fellowship currently has four strategic areas of Missions focus: Bosnia and Herzegovina (BiH), Haiti, Papua Indonesia and our own Willamette Valley.

Papua, Indonesia

Lindsey Burrows is now with the Turu people starting to learn the language and get to know the people in the village. Continue to pray for Lindsey's health and that God brings her people to build relationships with and that will be patient in helping her learn the language. There will be workers coming to install her solar electric system in her home at the end of November.

The Elders and GET team felt GBF should help Lindsey with funds for this large project from both the general and missions fund by giving her \$7,500 to help defray the costs. Feel free to write and encourage Lindsey at: lindsey_burrows@ntm.org

Orin and Rosa Kidd have been in Korupun, Papua since early September. Early on Orin hurt his back and Rosa came down with malaria followed by the flu. Rosa has helped with translation of the Genesis into the Kimyal language. Orin has been ministering to the church leaders, preaching to the local churches and hosting up to 14 people at a time in their small home in Korupun (now known as the Korupun B&B).

The Elders and GET team recently approved \$5,000 from the general fund for helicopter transportation for Orin to visit and minister to very remote churches and villages in the upper interior. Most of these have no other access than by foot or helicopter. Please pray for Orin and Rosa as they recently flew out to get an MRI for Orin's back. See Lisa Burrows for more information.

HE SAID TO THEM, "GO INTO ALL THE WORLD AND PREACH THE GOSPEL TO ALL CREATION." MARK 16:15

