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missions/outreach....

"I want the whole Christ for my Savior, the whole Bible for my book, the whole Church for my fellowship and the whole world for my mission field."

- John Wesley



PRAY FOR OUR GLOBAL REACH PARTNERS...

Pray this week for Abigail, serving with YWAM in the Horn of Africa. Abi and her team connect daily with Muslim women and girls to start conversations, build relationships and talk about Jesus. Pary as Abi finishes her term and returns home for the summer.

announcements...

WELCOME TO GOOD NEWS BIBLE CHAPEL! If you're visiting this morning for the first time, we're glad you're here! Ask a Greeter for information about safe, age-appropriate children's classes and safe, supervised infant care available in the Nursery during this service.

BOOKS FOR KENYA Over 5,000 books have been collected for Kenya! Now we need finances to ship them. Please consider designating an extra gift using a white offering envelope. Make the check out to GNBC. – mark your memo line, "Kenya Books."

TONIGHT! FRANKLIN GRAHAM – DECISION AMERICA NORTHEAST TOUR WITH THE DAVID CROWDER BAND Pray now and bring a friend to hear the gospel on Saturday, May 26th at 7:30pm at Bold Point Park, East Providence. This is outdoors. No bags, pocketbooks or backpacks.

NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY Starting Thursday, May 30th 7:00-9:00pm at GNBC. It's the *Gideon* video study by Priscilla Shirer – "Recognize Your Weakness To Experience God's Strength In Your Life." This study group will meet Thursday nights, every other week for seven weeks. Contact Christine McKellar for more info at 617.877.0030.

CHECK OUT A MID-WEEK LIFE GROUP See the back of this program for a current list of area Life Groups. They meet in area homes for making friends, growing in faith, getting your spiritual life questions answered, and growing in prayer. Check out *Life Groups* on the Sign-up Table in the Lobby or email to lifegroups@gnbc.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY ON MONDAY 6:30 pm @ GNBC! Check out this Christ-centered, Bible-based, "forward-looking," 12-step recovery program for women and men to deal with life's hurts, hang-ups, and life-controlling habits, starting Monday at 6:30pm in the Lower Chapel.

3 MEN'S BIBLE STUDIES EACH WEEK Hey guys, connect with other men as we study the 10-week Stepping Up series: Monday at 7pm at Steve DuPlessie's (Attle, 508.212.1980), Thursday at 6:30pm at Eddy Dionne's (Attle, 401.640.5877), or Saturdays at 8:30am at Paul McGowen's (No Attle, 508.454.2114).

prayer this week...

MONDAY - Pray for the nations and God's redemptive mission in the world. Pray for all of our leaders and those serving our country.

TUESDAY - **Pray for our persecuted sisters** δ **brothers around the** world: FOCUS ON NEPAL More than a month after men claiming to be Maoists in Nepal assaulted Dhurba Kumar Pariyar, the 40-year-old pastor is still physically and mentally traumatized. Still, he quoted Matthew 5:10, Jesus saying those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake are blessed. "I find courage in reading of the persecution that my fellow Christians are undergoing," he said. "My suffering is little in comparison." Source MorningStarNews.org

WEDNESDAY - Pray for our community leaders Mayors/

Managers/Selectmen/ Councilors, School Committee members, police, fire/rescue, and teachers. Pray for the widows, orphans, single moms, immigrants, fatherless, homeless and the hungry — "the least of these..."

THURSDAY - Pray for The Church of Greater Attleboro: Pray for God's blessing on the other gospel-preaching churches in the Attleboro area. This week: Grace Baptist Church, Attleboro

FRIDAY - Pray for GNBC: Pray for our ministry team leaders and that we—as individuals and as a united church family—will live on mission of outspoken proclaimers of God's grace – by word and deed — to those who are lost and hell-bound.

EACH DAY – Pray for our GNBC families: Pray for those in our fellowship struggling with injury, illness θ joblessness; wrestling with relationships θ financial issues, overcoming habits and hurt...

Sunday LEWIS Wayne & Sue
Monday LIMA Joyce & Gilbert
Tuesday LINK Jonathan

WednesdayLUNN Rich & DawnThursdayMCELENEY CherylFridayMCGOWAN Paul & Pat

Saturday MCKELLAR Stuart, Christine, Archie & Eilidh

our giving...

Date	General Fund	Budget per week	Acts 4:32	Building Fund	Missions
5/19/19	\$3,817.00	\$4,363	\$554.00	-	-

teaching schedule...

6/2/:	L9	Teen Challenge - Boston	Johnathan Mello
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amazing!

"... the Son of Man has come to seek and to save those who were lost." – Luke 19:10

The film *Amazing Grace* was set in the late 1700s. It tells the story of William Wilberforce, a politician who was driven by his faith in Jesus to

commit his money and energy to abolishing the slave trade in England a hundred years before it was abolished in the U.S. In one scene, Wilberforce's butler finds him praying. The butler

"A private faith that does not act in the face of oppression is no faith at all."

- William Wilberforce 1759-1833

asks, "You found God, sir?" Wilberforce responds, "I think He found me."

The bible pictures humanity as wayward and wandering sheep. It says, "All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned, everyone one of us, to his own way" (Isaiah 53:6).

In fact, this wayward condition is so deeply rooted in us that the apostle Paul said, "There is none righteous, no not one; there is none who understands, there is none who seeks after God. They have all turned aside" (Romans 3:10-12).

That is why Jesus came. We would never seek Him, so He came seeking us. Jesus declared His mission with the words, "the Son of Man has come to seek and to save those who were lost" (Luke 19:10).

Wilberforce had it exactly right. Jesus came to find us, for we could never have found Him if left to ourselves. It is a clear expression of God's deep love for his lost creation that He pursues us and desires to make us His own.

Believe today that you are lost in sin and need a Savior. Believe that Jesus was sent from His Father to die in your place to pay for all your sin. Believe that He rose again from the grave to prove that He has power to forgive sin and give new life to all who trust Him as Savior.

As the old hymn says...

"Amazing grace—how sweet the sound—that saved a wretch like me.

I once was lost, but now I'm found; was blind, but now I see."

— John Newton

this week at the chapel...

Sunday

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	9:00am	Disciple Training, in the Paryer Room
	10:45pm	Celebration & Growth & Good News Kids!
Monday	6:30-8:30pm	Celebrate Recovery @ GNBC
Tuesday	4:00-5:00pm	City Supper
Wednesday	6:30-8:30pm	Student ID – JH & HS Youth Group
Thursday	7:00-8:00pm	First Thursday Prayer in the lower Chapel
		(First Thursday of every month)

Breaking of Bread /Remembrance Service

mid-week life groups...

Day	Group	Leader/Host(s) & Location	Contact Info
Monday 6:30pm 7:00pm 7:00pm	Adults Adults Men	"Celebrate Recovery" @ GNBC Marion & Karl Johnson, Attleboro Steve DuPlessie, Attleboro	774 219 6041 508.399.8798 508.212.1980
<i>Tuesday</i> 7:00pm		Dave & Phoebe Christensen, Attleboro	508.369.0180
Wednesd 6:30pm 7:00pm 7:00pm 7:00pm	day MS&HS Adults Adults Adults	Youth Ministry @ GNBC: Stef & Justin Bob & Marilyn Boyce, Cumberland Dave & Ellen Stebbings, Attleboro Art & Dena Warner, Rehoboth	774.273.1134 401.487.2834 774.254.0090 508.930.4538
Thursda : 6:00am 10:00am 6:30pm	Men	Breakfast @ Morins, Attl, Stuart McKelle Gary Couture, Attleboro Eddy Dionne, Attleboro	r857.270.4526 339.203.0138 401.640.5877
Friday 7:00pm ¹ 7:00pm 6:00pm 7:00pm	Adults Adults Families Adults	Claudia Ruano & Ileana Rojas, Pawt. Beth & Matt DuPlessie, Foxboro Darian & Buffy Medeiros, Attleboro Mike & Meegan Delvental, No. Attle	508.436.3208 617.620.4554 408.667.5976 508.272.1596
Saturday 8:30am 9:00am ¹ 5:30pm 1 En Españo	Men Adults Families	Paul McGowen, North Attleboro Alicia Berganza, Attleboro/Pawtucket Gigi & Ray Anchan, Sharon	508.454.2114 508.436.3208 617 671 8063

save the date...

May	/ 26		Franklin Graham's "Decision America Tour" in East Providence. RI
May	/ 30	7-9:00pm	Women's Bible Study begins – Gideon
Jun	8	8am	Rooted, Women's Conference @ OceanState Baptist,
			Smithfield w/ Rhonda Corey & Gail Cooper



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Celebration & Growth Service May 26, 2019

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God You Reign Who You Say I Am

Prayer, Welcome & Announcements
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Dismiss Pre-K + K Children to GNKids

Interview with Abi Link

The Lord's Supper What A Beautiful Name King Of My Heart

Meet & Greet
Dismiss Gr 1+ to GNKids

Lessons from the Upper Story – Series Wrap-Up

THE STORY W32

Text: Genesis - Revelation

Darien Mederios, Matt DuPlessie, Mark Wurster,

Geddy Kohler, & Steve DuPlessie

Our Offerings

Lord I Need You

Benediction