



# GRACE COVENANT BROADCASTER

## Week of June 5, 2017

### ***A Message from Pastor Stephen***

Todd and Lori will be returning from their cruise on the 11th. I pray that they have a wonderful time of rest and refreshment and safe travel home. Also, pray for me as I prepare to lead our Wednesday night prayer meeting and preach on Sunday.

This past Sunday, Mike delivered an important message on not only praying for our pastors but living lives that do not hinder those prayers. This Sunday, I will preach from Romans 12. In response to Paul's appeal to the church regarding non-conformity to the world, he provides examples of how a Christian's walk should differ from the world's. Specifically, we'll consider how a Christian should respond to those who walk as enemies of Christ.

As a reminder, we will continue our study in *When Helping Hurts* on July 2nd and begin a new 3rd Sunday study in *Behold Your God*. This is an excellent DVD series by the same group that did the *Logic on Fire* DVD we viewed recently. I encourage you to plan to participate—and if you are interested in hosting in your home let us know. Also, ladies, you will find the summer reading and fellowship schedule attached to the newsletter. I encourage everyone who can to participate.

I look forward to seeing all of you on Sunday, Lord willing.

In His ministry,  
**Pastor Stephen**

### **Mark Your Calendars:**

*June 12* — GCBC Ladies, 6:30pm @ the church

*June 17* — GCBC Ladies, 3pm @ the church

*June 26* — GCBC Ladies Fellowship, 7:15pm @ Chuy's at the Summit

*June 26-30* — Truth 4 Youth Camp @ Camp To Know Him, Pisgah, AL

*July 2* — Lord's Supper & Fellowship Meal; *When Helping Hurts* @ 1:30

*July 16* — *Behold Your God* session 1, 5:30pm @ the Hyde's

### **Worship Schedule:**

Sunday School – 9:30 am (Classes begin @ 9:45 am)

Morning Worship Service – 11:00 am

Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting – 6:30 pm

### ***One-Year Chronological Reading Plan (Week 23)***

Jun 6: 1 Kings 5-6; 2 Chron 2-3

Jun 7: 1 Kings 7-8; Psalm 11

Jun 8: 2 Chron 4-7; Psalms 134,136

Jun 9: Psalms 146-150

Jun 10: 1 Kings 9; 2 Chron

8; Proverbs 25-26

Jun 11: Rest

Jun 12: Proverbs 27-29

### **Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup>**

We had 40 members and guests present.

General Fund Giving \$3,156.00

Benevolence Fund Giving \$45.00

Total Giving \$3,191.00

Monthly Budget \$11,400.00

General Fund Giving Month-to-Date \$3,191.00

Weekly Budget Need (June) \$2,850.00

Monthly Surplus/(Deficit) \$341.00

Weekly Budget Need Year \$2,630.77

Year-to-Date Budget \$60,507.71

General Fund Giving Year-to-Date \$72,529.51

Year-to-Date Surplus/(Deficit) \$12,021.80

### **This Coming Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>**

*Sunday School:* Mike Gaydosh teaching

*Morning Worship:* Stephen Hyde preaching

Please be in prayer for the services this week

### **Childcare for June 11<sup>th</sup>**

Morning Worship Service – Kirsten Buchwald & Sheryl Tucker

If you are not able to fulfill your day, please let Tara know of replacement. Thank you for your ministry to our families!

## **Other News**

*Church Website and Twitter!...* Visit [www.gracecovenantbaptist.org](http://www.gracecovenantbaptist.org) to access church news and sermons. Also, if you have a Twitter account, please follow at @GraceCovBaptist.

*Meals for our Church Families* are sometimes needed in the event of illness or in celebration of the homecoming of a new baby. If you know someone in our church family in need of this service, please contact Lori Wilson.

*Men's Thursday Bible Study* meets at Panera Bread in Vestavia Hills at 6:30 a.m. Current study is in Galatians. Please contact Mike Gaydosh with any questions or for more information.

*Brother Bryan Mission Monthly Dinner...* Our church has supported this ministry for a number of years and currently serves on the second and fourth Sunday evening of each month. If you would like to participate in the meal preparation and serving at any time, please contact Linda Lee for more details.

The phone number for Grace Covenant Baptist Church is 426-2234. Pastor Todd's cell phone number is 249-4979. Our address is:

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Please continue to pray for this church and how we can be used effectively by God.

*Soli Deo Gloria*

## **Pray for Our Missionaries and Missions:**

- Ben & Jolie C in Central Asia
- Mike & Amy B in Central Asia
- [Alabama Baptist Children's Homes & Family Ministries](#)
- [Founders Ministries](#)
- [To Every Tribe Missions](#)
- Steve & Robin Henry – Self-supporting, [Frontiers USA](#)
- [Mid-South Love Home](#) (Ministry to unwed mothers)
- Kevin Millard, self-supporting, [FIEL Adopt-a-Pastor](#) in Brazil
- The Charles Woodrow family, self-supporting, [FIEL](#) in Mozambique
- [HeartCry Missionary Society](#)
- [The Voice of the Martyrs](#)
- [Chapel Library](#) in Pensacola, FL
- Baruch Maoz, self-supporting, [Soli deo Gloria, Israel](#)
- Pastor Gideon Richards in Punta Gorda, Belize
- [The WellHouse](#)
- The Layton's in Ethiopia
- Choctaw Mission – Philadelphia, MS

# GCBC LADIES—Summer Reading and Fellowships

**Summer Reading:** Adorned: Living Out the Beauty of the Gospel Together by Nancy DeMoss Wolgemuth

Discussion groups (2 options): Monday's at 6:30 OR Saturday afternoons at 3pm... no homework to do, just read and we will discuss at our monthly group... please join us each month during one of these times, it is a great book and will be beneficial for all ages!

May 15th/May 20th Part 1: A Woman Under God—Chapters 2-5

June 12th/June 17th Part 2: A Woman Under Control—Chapter 6-9

July 10th/July 15th Part 3: A Woman Under Her Roof—Chapters 10-14

Aug 7th/Aug 12th Part 4: A Woman Overjoyed—Epilogue/Next Steps

You can purchase @ Amazon: Hardback, Kindle, or Audio CD - Abby also has 2 extra books available at no cost, just let me know and it's yours!

## **Fellowship Opportunities:**

May 16: Sips and Strokes - Hwy 280 - if you want to join us, simply register and we will meet you there!

June 26th: Chuy's at the Summit - 7:15 pm

July 25th: Game night at the Jackson home - 7:30 pm

Aug 21st: TBD