

May 17, 2026

Grace at a Glance

Today

Sunday School	9:15 am
Morning Worship	10:30 am
Youth Group	12:00 pm

Saturday

EJ Stevenson's Open House	11:00 am
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Welcome & Announcements

"Something Beautiful" #519

"In My Heart There Rings a Melody" #514

"Think About His Love"

"Here I Am to Worship"

Message by Pastor MO

"Sing to the King"

Psalm 150

Praise the Lord!

Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in His mighty heavens! Praise Him for His mighty deeds; praise Him according to His excellent greatness!

Praise Him with trumpet sound; praise Him with flute and harp! Praise Him with tambourine and dance; praise Him with strings and pipe! Praise Him with sounding cymbals; praise Him with loud clashing cymbals! Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

Praise the Lord!

Grace Baptist Church exists to empower people to take the *NEXT STEP* in their relationship with God

attendance & offerings

Morning Worship 84

General Fund Need	\$ 4,000.00
General Fund Tithes	\$ 2,834.40
Designated Funds	\$ 70.00
Total Weekly Offering	\$ 2,904.40

YTD Need \$128,000.00	YTD Actual \$116,658.27
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Our Staff

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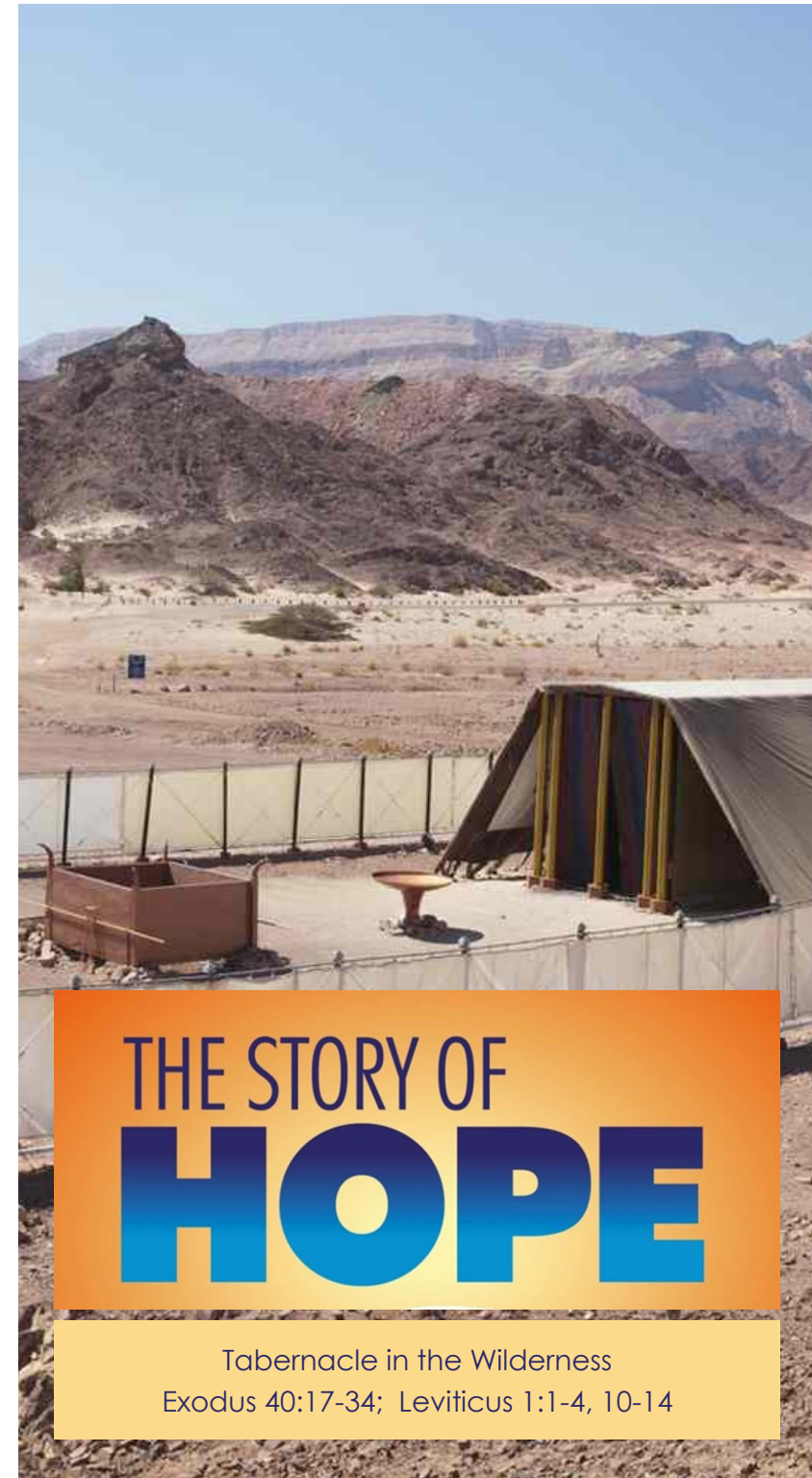
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THE STORY OF
HOPE

Tabernacle in the Wilderness
Exodus 40:17-34; Leviticus 1:1-4, 10-14



This year's Bible Project will take place on Friday, July 10th and Saturday, July 11th.

Our goal again this year is to complete 15,000 John/Romans scriptures. The total cost for the Scriptures, travel expenses, and Honorarium is \$4,000.

We will once again have Scott Sandy with us this year for our Bible Project. Scott is the Director of Northeast Baptist Seedline and the son of Dr. Steve & Chris Sandy.

If you would like to give to this year's project, please mark "Bible Project" on your offering envelope.

We currently have \$170.00 toward our project.



What does Pastor MO do when he goes to those conferences? Here is your chance to find out.



The GARBC National Conference is being held at Cedarville University this year. 1 1/2 hours away. The conference begins on Monday Night, June 29th and ends on Thursday Morning, July 2. You can register for just 1 day. If you came on Tuesday, you could hear Main Session speakers Thomas White, President of Cedarville and Albert Mohler (speaking twice), President of Boyce College and Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY. Wednesday's Main Sessions, Albert Mohler twice again with Jeremy Kimble, professor at Cedarville, in the evening. Both days have 2 breakout sessions.

Save the Date: The OARBC Fall Conference is October 19-21, 2026, at Grace Baptist Church in Troy, less than 1 hour away. Monday Afternoon/Evening, All Day Tuesday, and Wednesday Morning. More information to be announced.

Have any questions, see Pastor MO.

Our GBC Senior Recognition will be held NEXT Sunday, May 24th, during the AM Service.



Below are this year's Seniors:



Aaron Garay is graduating from Lincolnview and Vantage Career Center.

Aaron will be entering directly into the workforce as a welder at Braun Ambulances in Van Wert.

Carter Schrock is graduating from Bath High School and Apollo Career Center. Carter will be attending Cedarville University to major in Cyber Operations.



Open House: Sunday, May 31st from 2PM-5PM here at GBC in our Family Life Center.

Everyone is welcome, sandwiches and snacks provided.



Levi Williams is graduating from Temple Christian. Levi will be entering directly into the workforce at Elida Road Tire Service until God leads otherwise.

EJ Stevenson is graduating from Elida High School. EJ will be attending OSU in Lima this fall.



Open House: THIS Saturday, May 23rd from 11AM-2PM at the Stevenson's house. (3900 N. Kemp Road, Lima) Everyone is welcome, lunch provided.



TRUST IN THE LORD WITH ALL YOUR HEART AND LEAN NOT ON YOUR OWN



PROVERBS 3:5

The Story of Hope

Tabernacle in the Wilderness

Exodus 40:17-34; Leviticus 1:1-4,10-14

Overview Statement: God then directed Moses to build a portable place for worship where the Israelites could go to offer sacrifices and receive forgiveness of their sins.

- I. The tabernacle was the _____ in which God's _____ abided (Exodus 40:34)
- II. The tabernacle had _____ sections.
 - 1. The _____ (Ex. 27:9-19)
 - 2. The _____ place (Ex. 26:33)
 - 3. The _____ place (Ex. 26:33)
- III. _____ in the Tabernacle
 - 1. _____ tablets with the 10 Commandments placed into the _____ of the Covenant which was placed into the most _____ place (40:20)
 - 2. Table of _____ (40:22-23)
 - 3. Golden _____ (40:24-25)
 - 4. Alter of _____ (40:26-27)
 - 5. Alter of _____ offering (40:29; Lev. 1:1-4,10-14)
 - 6. Bronze _____ (40:30-32)

Applying the Text to My Life

- 1. We are the _____ of God therefore it puts our _____ in a different _____ (I Cor. 3:16-17; 2 Cor. 6:14-18)
- 2. We are the _____ of God therefore it is good to not only _____ God individually but corporately in church (Eph. 2:19-22)

One Big Praise

Our salvation is based on Jesus Christ whose redeeming sacrificial work is finished, offered once and for all, and is complete and perfect and eternal!