

September 27, 2026

Welcome & Announcements

“Day By Day” #56

“From the Inside Out”

“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” #380

“Glorious Day”

“Oh, How He Loves you and Me”

Message by Pastor MO

“What a Friend We Have in Jesus” #435

What a *friend* we have in *Jesus*,
all our sins and griefs to bear!

What a *privilege* to carry
everything to God in prayer!

O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
all because we do not carry
everything to God in prayer!



Grace at a Glance

Today

Sunday School	9:15 am
Morning Worship	10:30 am
Youth Group	12:00 pm
Study with the Guys	12:00 pm
Matthew Bible Study	6:00 pm

Monday

Leadership Journey	7:00 pm
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*Grace Baptist Church exists to empower
people to take the NEXT STEP in their
relationship with God*

attendance & offerings

Morning Worship 60

General Fund Need	\$ 4,000.00
General Fund Tithes	\$ 3,671.00
Designated Funds	\$ 2,230.00
Total Weekly Offering	\$ 5,901.00

YTD Need \$204,000.00 YTD Actual \$193,234.52

Our Staff

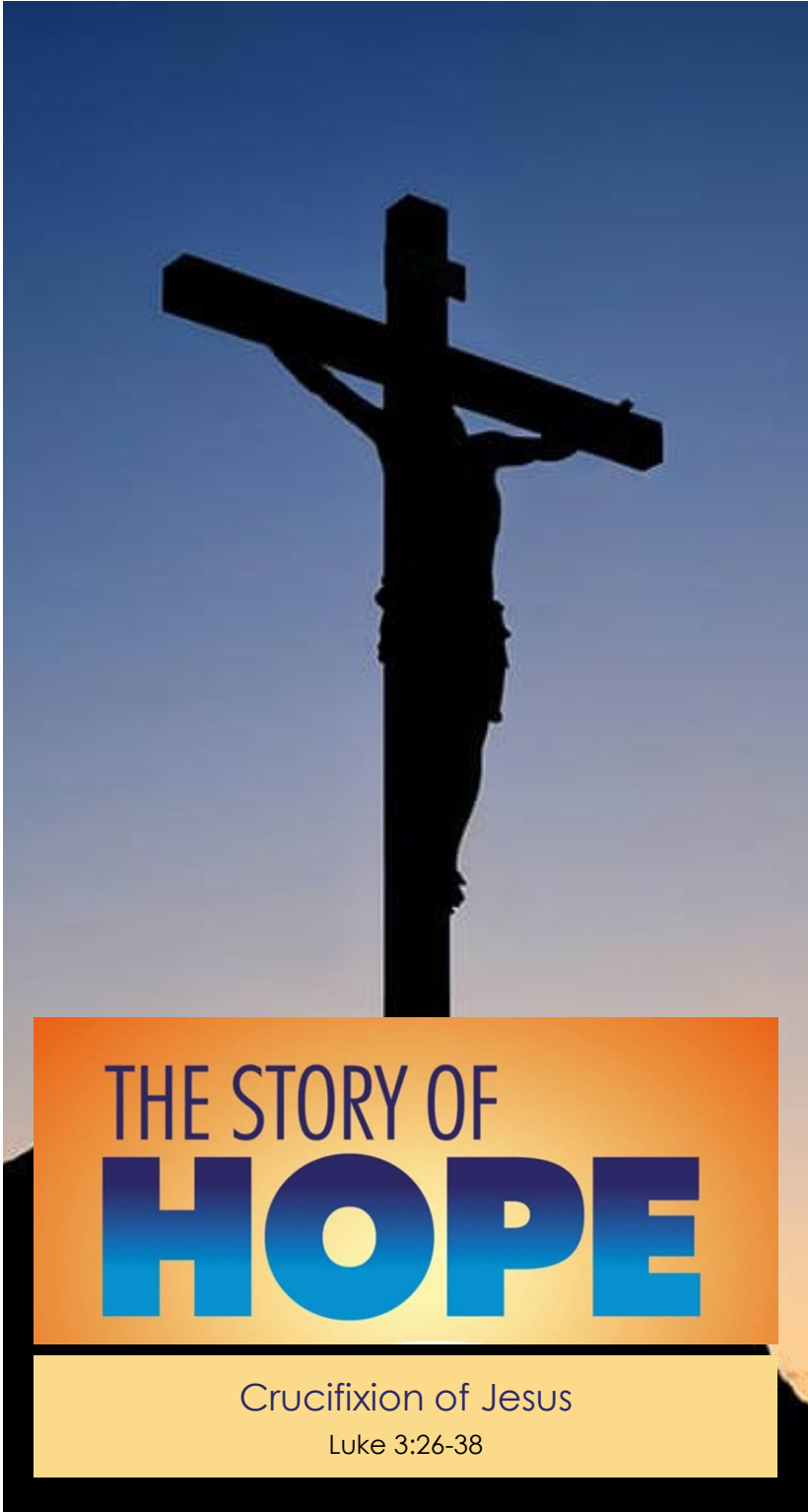
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Our Sunday Night Study on Matthew has resumed. Join us each Sunday Evening in the Fellowship Hall from 6-7:30pm as Dr. Steve Sandy continues to take us on a journey through the Book of Matthew.



We would like to match up to \$5,000 for a new truck for Scott Sandy and the Seedline Ministry. We will be collecting funds until the end of the year or until the match is met. **Praise God! We currently have \$4,610 of the \$5,000 desired.** If you feel led to give to this project, please mark "Match" on your envelope.



Annual FALL FAMILY FUN FEST

Sunday, October 11th 4:00 - 7:00 PM.



Get ready for an afternoon of family fun, fellowship, food, and fall festivities! Bring the whole family and come enjoy this special time together.



Men's Fellowship & Service Gathering

Attention Men! You are invited to an evening of fellowship, reflection, and looking ahead!

Join us Friday, October 9th, from 5:00 - 8:00 PM at the Waldschmidt House as we reflect on the projects we have completed together and look forward to new opportunities to serve in the coming year. Dinner will be served at 5:30 PM. Please let Ryan or Dave know about any food allergies.

Contact Ryan or Dave if you would like to attend. We hope you'll join us for a great evening of fellowship and planning for the year ahead!



Ladies... Join us for our 5-week Fall Bible Study: "Jesus in All of 1 Peter". We will walk through the book of 1 Peter to see Jesus in every corner. We start with a short film introducing you to the book and its main themes. Then, our study will explain what's happening in each section and how it leads us to Jesus.

Choose to join us Tuesday evenings, beginning Oct. 6th, from 6:30-7:45pm OR Wednesday mornings, beginning Oct. 7th, from 10-11:45am. We will meet in the GBC Fellowship Hall and all materials are free!!

*Please sign up at the Welcome Center if you plan to attend so we can have enough materials printed and ready to go - Thank you.

Ladies, Don't Miss Out!

Ladies... be sure to stop by the Welcome Center and check out all the upcoming ladies' events and sign-ups! There are lots of opportunities for fellowship, Bible study, and growing together. Take a look, sign up, and join us!



Saturday, November 7th

8:00am - 3:30pm

at Calvary Baptist - Bellefontaine

Cost is \$30 if you sign up by October 18th

The Mini-Sessions for 2026 are...

- Battling the Lies in Our Heads on Our Knees (Jodie LaBelle)
- Being Up in a Down World (Robbin Kramer)
- Entering the Throne Room: Praying with the Word of God (Tyan Lambert)
- Love Must Be LOUD! (Deb Storm)
- My Lips Will Praise You: How Music Impacts Our Worship in Church, Home, and Life (Sue Beikert)
- Raising Young Children with Honest Words, Active Presence, and Trust in God (Sarah Nicholson)

See details at the Welcome Center on how to sign up for the Ladies Retreat!



The Story of Hope

Crucifixion of Jesus

Luke 23:26-38

Overview Statement:

Jesus then died on a cross as the perfect sacrificial Lamb for our sins and dealt the crushing blow to Satan that God had promised to Adam and Eve.

Background

Messianic Psalm 22:1-18 written by King David approximately 1,000 years before Jesus was born

Walking Through the Text

1. Simon the Cyrene _____ the cross (26)
2. Jesus' _____ with the _____ (27-31)
3. Two _____ are led away with Jesus (32)
4. The _____ of the _____ (33)
5. Jesus' call to _____ (34)
6. The _____ and _____ of Jesus (35-38)

What the Cross Means to Me

1. The cross is the offer of God's _____ to those who embrace it
2. To embrace the cross means to _____ my own _____ as the _____ of my salvation
3. My _____ with God comes through _____ in Jesus and in his _____ work
4. My _____ has been _____ away by the _____ Jesus provides
5. The cross offers an opportunity of a new _____
6. The cross should lead me to have a _____ of _____
7. The cross calls me to _____ in a way that _____ God by reflecting on the new _____ He has _____ for me

The Story of Hope: Good Soil Evangelism and Discipleship, 2007-2024
"What the Cross Means to Me" can be found in The NIV Application Commentary Luke by Darrell Bock pgs. 600-601