

March 8, 2026

# Grace at a Glance

## Welcome & Announcements

“Come, Now Is the Time to Worship”

“Be Unto Your Name”

“Firm Foundation”

“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” #380

“Revive Us Again” #295

**Message by Pastor MO**

**Worship Team** - “We Will Remember”

## Today

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

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

## attendance & offerings

### Morning Worship 70

<b>General Fund Need</b>	\$ 4,000.00
<b>General Fund Tithes</b>	\$ 4,300.00
<b>Designated Funds</b>	\$ 3,390.00
<b>Total Weekly Offering</b>	\$ 7,690.00

**YTD Need** \$88,000.00      **YTD Actual** \$83,774.97

### Our Staff

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**Building & Office Hours** - M, W & Th from 10am-4pm



We will remember.  
 We will remember.  
 We will remember the works of Your hand.  
 We will stop and give You praise  
 For great is Your faithfulness.



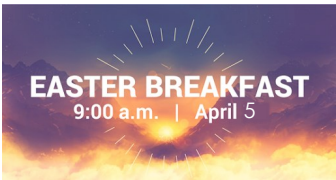
THE STORY OF  
**HOPE**

Provision of Coverings - Genesis 3:7,21

Thank you so much for your generosity toward our recent benevolent need. My heart is

**THANKYOU!**

full from your generosity. We needed \$3,406 and \$3,530 was given directly for this need. Plus, over \$600 was collected in our benevolent offering, approximately three times our average offering. Those extra funds will enable us to help others in the future that have needs. The furnace was installed this past Monday and the home now has heat. Anne said to pass on her and Lynn's thanks to the church. They are grateful to once again have a warm home. -Pastor MO



**Mark your calendar...**

We will be having an Easter Carry-In Breakfast in the FLC on Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, at 9:00am. Plan to join us as we fellowship together and celebrate the

Resurrection of our Savior! There will be NO Sunday School that Sunday. A devotional will begin at 10:00am in the FLC, followed by our Morning Worship Service at 10:30am in the Sanctuary.

The church is providing bacon, biscuits, breakfast pizza, scrambled eggs, and drinks. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center with various items need for the meal. Please sign up under the item you are willing to prepare and bring. For more information, contact Jessie Oliver.



Once a quarter, we have a Family Worship Sunday.

**Our next Family Worship Sunday is Palm Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>.**

**There will be NO Children's Church for K-5<sup>th</sup> grade.**

We want to encourage the whole family to worship together through song and preaching of The Word. (- also to give our volunteers a break)

# Couples Retreat



Speaker: Pastor Bobby Hile  
First Baptist Church - Van Wert, Ohio

**Friday April 24**

6:00 Check-in  
6:30-7:30pm Session 1  
8:00-9:00pm Session 2

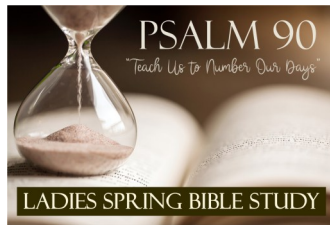
**Saturday April 25**

8:00-9:00am Check-in and Breakfast  
9:00-10:00am Session 3  
10:30-11:30 Session 4  
Wrap up 11:30-12:00pm

All registration forms must be completed, signed, and returned to the GBC Office **with registration fee** by **March 29, 2026.**

Friday evening sessions only (\$25/couple)  
Saturday morning sessions only (\$25/couple)  
Friday and Saturday sessions (\$50/couple)

**Pick up a Registration form at the Welcome Center.**



## LADIES SPRING BIBLE STUDY

Ladies... let's celebrate the end of winter by planning to be part of our 5-week Spring Bible Study: "Teach Us To Number Our Days." Choose to join us on Tuesday evenings, beginning March 31<sup>st</sup>, from 6:30-7:45pm **OR** on Wednesday mornings, beginning April 1<sup>st</sup>, from 10-11:45am. We will meet in the GBC Fellowship Hall and all materials are free!!

Sign-Up at the Welcome Center.

## The Story of Hope

Genesis 3:7, 21

### Provision of Coverings

Overview Statement: After Adan and Eve attempted to cover their guilt and shame with fig leaves, God graciously replaced the leaves with clothing He made from animal skins.

- I. The main difference in verse 7 and verse 21 is the manner in which Adam and Eve were clothed. In verse 7 man \_\_\_\_\_ to cover their \_\_\_\_\_ and in verse 21 \_\_\_\_\_ covers their \_\_\_\_\_
- II. Because of their \_\_\_\_\_, Adam and Eve's \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ would continue for the \_\_\_\_\_-term
- III. Because of Adam and Eve's \_\_\_\_\_ it was necessary for \_\_\_\_\_ animals to be killed to \_\_\_\_\_ these coverings

### 4 Lessons Learned from these Verses

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are fruits of sin
- 2. God providing coverings demonstrates divine \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. God providing coverings is the first sacrifice to cover \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus Christ
- 4. These verses answer the question, why do we \_\_\_\_\_? There is a \_\_\_\_\_ basis for wearing \_\_\_\_\_ because of what \_\_\_\_\_ has done to \_\_\_\_\_

The Story of Hope: Good Soil Evangelism and Discipleship, 2007-201 #4 Can be found in "Genesis Does Matter" by Ken Ham