

July 27, 2025

# Grace at a Glance

## Welcome & Announcements

- “Build Your Kingdom”
- “I Believe in Jesus”
- “I Am Thine, O Lord” #358
- “Jesus Saves” #306
- “Hallelujah to the Lamb”
- “Sweet By and By” #553

## Message by Bob Gillespie

“God So Loved”

FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD,  
THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY SON, THAT WHOEVER  
BELIEVES IN HIM SHOULD NOT PERISH BUT HAVE

eternal life  
JOHN 3:16



## Today

Sunday School 9:15 am  
Morning Worship 10:30 am

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

## attendance & offerings

### Morning Worship 61

General Fund Need	\$ 4,005.00
General Fund Tithes	\$ 3,865.00
Designated Funds	\$ 190.00
Total Weekly Offering	\$ 4,055.00

YTD Need \$168,210.00      YTD Actual \$165,813.10

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I HAVE COME THAT THEY  
MAY HAVE LIFE, AND THAT  
THEY MAY HAVE IT  
*more abundantly*

JOHN 10:10



## Visitors WELCOME

Darlene Hefner is at The Meadows in Delphos for rehab; Room 309. She is doing well and would love to have visitors. Feel free to stop by and wish her and Ron a Happy 69<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

### SCIOTO HILLS CHRISTIAN CAMP & RETREAT CENTER

On Sunday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, Anne Oliver will be sharing her experiences from her Summer ministry as a counselor at Scioto Hills. The Scioto Hills experience, in partnership with the local church, utilizes the beauty of nature, and intentional focus on God's Word, and loving hospitality to lead people to know and love Jesus Christ as Creator and Savior.

On Sunday, August 10<sup>th</sup>, Elena Oliver will be sharing her experiences from her Summer ministry with RippleFX. RippleFX exists to create spaces that fuel relationships resulting in the gospel of Jesus Christ being experienced.



Children's Church is taking some time off. For the rest of July and the month of August, kids 6 years old to 5<sup>th</sup> grade, will remain upstairs during the Morning Service.

Parents, please be sure to bring something for your child to doodle on, if they require something. We would ask that you please do not allow them to use the offering envelopes for this purpose. Extra "Doodles and Drawings" note pages can be picked up from the Offering table in the back of the Sanctuary. Thank you!

# Creation's Hope

## Sermon NOTES

Bob Gillespie, from Creation's Hope is with us TODAY. He will have both the Sunday School hour (teens and adults combined in the Fellowship Hall) and the Morning Service. Below is a quick preview of what Bob will be speaking about in each hour.

### 9:15 am – Genesis: The Key to Abundant Living

There are too many Christians struggling with sin, just holding on till Jesus comes and finally gives us eternal life. Jesus said He came not only to give us life, but abundant life. The book of Genesis is the key to understand this often missed aspect of our salvation. When we see the events as described in Genesis as literal and historical, we are able to see how we had everything in Adam, how we lost it all in Satan, and how we gain it all back in Christ. This is not your typical apologetics lecture, yet this will be a great faith building and empowering message.

### 10:30 am – Eyewitness History II

Those who disbelieve the Bible have devised another explanation of how we got here without God, and they have been successful in convincing generations that their belief is fact. However, we have an Eyewitness of all of history from the beginning to the end. God told us how He created a perfect earth, but because Adam sinned, we now live in a broken world where all are in need of a Savior. God told us how He judged the earth in a global flood, and then changed the languages of all people, thus scattering them across the earth. Since these are all literal historical events given to us by Someone who was there, we would expect observations in the present to confirm these events. And they do! This talk will conclude with the gospel message and show how this history, starting in Genesis, shows Jesus is the only way.