

*Behold,
I make all
things new.*

Revelation 21:5

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH
March 31, 2019

This Week:

TODAY:

Communion

Tuesday:

Men's gym night

Wednesday:

Dinner @ 6:00

Choir Practice

Next Sunday:

Bake Off - Teens/College and Career

Coming up in April:

17 Deacons' Meeting

20 Meyers Baby shower - 2:00 @ The Mansion

21 Easter Sunday Special Service

27 Ladies Fellowship Social

28 Quarterly Business Meeting

C&C Bible Study

If you are interested in seeking membership or in being baptized, please see Pastor John.



Nursery This week:

S.S: Kathy M. Service: Jennifer, Shana, Danae

Wednesday: Karen

Next week:

S.S: Kathy M. Service: Elisabeth G, Shana, Noelle

JR Church: Morris May - Mountains

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Order of Service

Welcome/Announcements

Prelude/Opening Prayer

Songs: *How Great Thou Art* 4
Thou Art Worthy

Reading: Hebrews 12:1-11

Songs: *More Precious Than Silver*
He Leadeth Me 461
(3 and up may go to Children's church - upstairs)

Sermon: A Life of Exemplified Faith
Hebrews 12:1-11

Song: *Living for Jesus* 372

Lord's Table

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Welcome to Grace Baptist Church

We are so thankful you joined us today! Whether you have a firm foundation in the faith or are examining God's plan of salvation, it would be our joy to help and encourage you along the way. At Grace Baptist Church we are committed to glorifying Jesus Christ, and would be excited for you to know the true joy Jesus gives.

—Pastor John Mitchell

Baby shower for Emily Meyers
Saturday, April 20
2:00
@ The Mansion



We have a full service nursery option available.
If you would like to use this option, you can drop off
your child anytime before the service begins.

A Life of example of faith:

Hebrews 12:1 - 11

Word bank:

Purpose

Cross

Peace

Submission

Behind

Learning to Leave it _____ - v1

- The Witnesses - to learn from imperfect examples of FAITH
- The Weight - actively removing sin in order to strive forward

Looking to Live like the Best - v2-4

- The goal (v2) - intent to "look" like Jesus: Our _____!
-the beginning to end of our faith
- The grief - endured the _____ = Shame!
Rom. 5:8 + Phil. 2:3-8
- The glory - Right Hand! - place of honor and respect
Col. 1:15-18 + Phil. 2:9-11
- The "give" (v3-4) - the lengths we go will never hit HIS limit!
1 Cor. 10:13

Letting the Lessons better you - v5-11

- It's right (v5-6) If LORD, then need _____ and humility
Prov. 3:11-12
- It's relationships (v7-8) we are FAMILY, HE trains + corrects to improve us
- It's roles (v9) - known examples of love, submission, + respect
- It's reasonable (v10-11) -purpose leads to holiness + _____

Conclusion - Lord's Table connection

- to pause + reflect on His gift of salvation
- to pursue + renew in His grace and sanctification
- to press + refuse to give up in life's struggles

Hebrews 12:1-11 (NKJV)

12 Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, ²looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. ³For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls. ⁴You have not yet resisted to bloodshed, striving against sin. ⁵And you have forgotten the exhortation which speaks to you as to sons:

"My son, do not despise the ⁶chastening of the LORD, Nor be discouraged when you are rebuked by Him;

⁶For whom the LORD loves He chastens, And scourges every son whom He receives."

⁷If you endure chastening, God deals with you as with sons; for what son is there whom a father does not chasten? ⁸But if you are without chastening, of which all have become partakers, then you are illegitimate and not sons. ⁹Furthermore, we have had human fathers who corrected us, and we paid them respect. Shall we not much more readily be in subjection to the Father of spirits and live? ¹⁰For they indeed for a few days chastened us as seemed best to them, but He for our profit, that we may be partakers of His holiness. ¹¹Now no chastening seems to be joyful for the present, but painful; nevertheless, afterward it yields the peaceable fruit of