

MAY 9, 2021

GOD'S UNEXPECTED DESIGN

Erik Thoennes | Luke 1:26-38

NEXT SUNDAY LUKE 1:39-56

DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER REQUEST? EMAIL PRAYER@GRACEEVFREE.ORG

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ARVIND AND KARISA

Our Partners are serving with TE*M in a region of the world especially hard-hit by Covid at this time. They focus on building up the local church through pastoral ministry, training church youth leaders, and discipleship.

PRAISE: Our family has fully recovered from Covid and is allowed to leave quarantine.

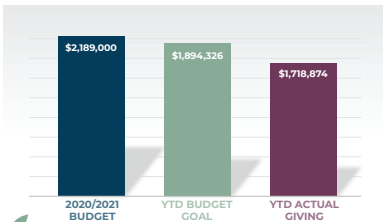
PRAYER: It is hard to describe what the situation in our country has been like. It really is as bad (or worse) as the news stories communicate. Our church has formed a Covid Response Team to deal with the increasing number of Covid positive families in our churches and neighborhoods.

Thankfully most cases are mild, but there are some critical ones, and it is very hard to get even basic medicines or oxygen.

PRAYER: Our dear friend is in a very critical condition. It has been a battle to find a hospital that would admit him, and now to find enough oxygen for him. It has been devastating to watch his condition deteriorate while feeling unable to do anything as we struggle to get him the most basic care. Please pray that he will hang on, that the oxygen will be enough, and that we will be able to get him the care he needs. Please also pray for the other cases in our church.

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STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT

Recently, Jerrel Haugen accepted a call to become Discipleship Pastor at Atascadero Bible Church in Atascadero, CA. Jerrel and his wife, Lisa, are long time members at Grace where Jerrel has served as a Staff Elder since 2012. On Sunday morning May 16, Jerrel will tell us about the new position he is assuming this summer. On Sunday evening June 6, we will all be able to tell Jerrel and Lisa how much we love them and appreciate their years of ministry among us – mark your calendar now!

BAPTISM CLASS

Are you interested in being baptized? Sign up on the Grace website to attend our next class on Sunday, May 23 at 10:45am in the youth room.

GRACE IS SUPPORTING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A HOSPITAL IN PAKISTAN!

Located in Kasur, the Good Shepherd Christian hospital will offer 150 beds, an ER, a nursing school, and a meeting space for the Pakistan Evangelical Church, effectively becoming a home base for ministry to the local community.

Dean Overholt, one of our Grace Partners, has partnered with this outreach for several years, and we are excited for Grace to participate in this Kingdom work. The financial support is made possible by your faithful contributions to the First Fruits Fund, an allocation of the Grace Building Fund.

SAVE THE DATE – BUDGET INFORMATIONAL MEETINGS

There will be two chances to attend a budget informational meeting to hear about the proposed 2021/2022 budget. You can join us on Thursday, May 27, at 7pm via Google Meets or Sunday, May 30, at 10:30am in the Main Sanctuary.

TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER GATHERING

Every Tuesday morning from 6:30am to 7:15am, we gather to pray for revival in our church and in our nation. Everyone is invited to join us!

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