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Reading of The Law | Galatians 5:16-17 ESV

But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. [17] For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do.

Scriptural Assurance | Isaiah 1:18 ESV

"Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord:
though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow;
though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

Those Serving

	COFFEE BREAK	PRAISE	SCRIPTURE READING	KIDS MESSAGE	CONFESS.	ASSURE.	THANKS. & REQ.
10/11	Sherry	Jess	Ecclesiastes 1:1-11 Matt	Heidelberg 41 Matt	Brayden	Lincoln	Matt
10/18	Ashley	Harvey	Ecclesiastes 1:12-18 Ashley	Heidelberg 42 Emily	Johnny	Macie	John
10/25	Kelly	Adam	Ecclesiastes 2:1-11 Mike	Heidelberg 43 Brayden	Franklin	Lord's Supper	Matt
11/1	Allison	Larry	Ecclesiastes 2:12-17 volunteer?	Heidelberg 44 Gracie	Jeff	Jack	John

Sermons

10/11	Matthew 6:19-24	"Laying Up Treasures"
10/18	Matthew 6:25-34	"Do Not Be Anxious"
10/25	Ephesians 4:15	"Confess The Truth" - Reformation Sunday
11/1	Philippians 3:12-14	"More and More"

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The Gospel is the Good News that Jesus Christ saves sinners.
so then: Repent, Believe, and Follow the Lord Jesus Christ.

Call to Worship | Titus 3:4-6

#116 - Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

Nothing But The Blood of Jesus

Prayers of Praise Jess

Welcome & Announcements

Scripture Reading | Ecclesiastes 1:1-11 Matt

Offering & Kids Message Matt

Reading of The Law | Galatians 5:16-17

#615 - Seek Ye First

Prayers of Confession & Silence Brayden

Scriptural Assurance | Isaiah 1:18 Lincoln

My Worth Is Not In What I Own

Prayers of Thanksgiving & Request Matt

Sermon Text | Matthew 6:19-24

Sermon | *"Laying Up Treasures"*

Your Will Be Done

Benediction

"You must keep all earthy treasures out of your heart, and let Christ be your treasure, and let Him have your heart."
C.H. SPURGEON

Announcements

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Sermon Notes & Prayer Cards are available on the windowsills.

Mission gifts given in October will benefit: *Operation Christmas Child.*

Operation Christmas Child boxes are now available in the Fellowship Hall. Instructions are located inside each box. Please return completed boxes by Sunday November 15th.

Bell Choirs will begin practicing soon! Please see Lori Wilt if you are interested in playing or have questions. A sign-up clipboard is available in the Fellowship Hall.

The Calendar

Wednesdays	Midweek Bible Study – 6:00-7:30pm currently in John 15
Wed. September 23	40 Days for Life begins 40daysforlife.com (ends Nov. 1)
Sun. October 25	Reformation Sunday
Sun. October 25	The Lord's Supper
Sun. November 1	Friend Sunday, Daylight Saving Time (fall back)
November 20-22	Weekend To Remember – Williamsburg, VA
June 20-24, 2027	Spy University VBS 2027 (Save The Dates!)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

10/5 Dave Walter
10/9 Ashley Broadwater
10/10 Helen Bender
10/26 Franklin Broadwater
10/27 Adam Winkelvoss
10/30 Kayleigh Leiss
10/30 Macie Carey

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

10/2 John & Sherry Carey
10/2 Eric & Bri Llewellyn
10/3 Nevin & Wilma Hutzel
10/4 Levi & Gracie Enlow

To begin the process of joining as a member, or to pursue baptism, please contact an Elder:

John Carey	301-876-0342	jcarey6821@gmail.com
Matt Widder	717-496-3879	pastormatt@grantsvillechurch.com

Opportunities to Grow

Adult / Teen Bible Study: ROMANS – GRACE, TRUTH, & REDEMPTION

Sunday Mornings (9:15-10:15am) Fellowship Hall

10/11	Romans 5:1-21 / 4. Grace Through One Man Matt
10/18	Romans 6:1-23 / 5. Dead and Alive! John
10/25	Romans 7:1-25 / 6. Delivered from the Law Matt

Kids Bible Study: LITTLE PILGRIMS THEOLOGY

Sunday Mornings (9:15-10:15am) Downstairs

10/11	ABC Theology - Y is for Yahweh – Exodus 3:14 Emily
10/18	ABC Theology - Z is for Zeal – Romans 12:11 Emily
10/25	Church History - The Reformation – Matthew 5:12 Emily



God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM"; and He said, "Thus you shall say to the sons of Israel, 'I AM has sent me to you.'"
Exodus 3:14

Resources for Parenting, Marriage, Apologetics and more...

Check out the "Member" section of the church website: *grantsvillechurch.com* Audio files, articles, links and more are being added regularly to encourage you in your walk with the Lord.
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This Week in Church History

WHY STUDY CHURCH HISTORY?

Church history is the story of how God has guarded, purified, chastised, and strengthened His undeserving people. God has unique purposes for His church.

11 October 1531
Death of Swiss reformer Ulrich Zwingli in the Battle of Kappel.

12 October 1915
A German firing squad executes the British nurse Edith Cavell who had helped allied soldiers escape. At her death she says she has to go deeper to true love.

13 October 1605
Death of Theodore Beza, a French-born theologian, who had been widely recognized as John Calvin's successor.

14 October 2026 (from Tabletalk Magazine)
Let us pause today to wonder at what we so easily take for granted. The Father has loved us with such love that we are called His children, and we truly are. Whatever the world thinks of us, may we walk through this day in the steady consciousness that we belong to Him.

15 October 1647
The Larger Westminster Catechism is completed.

16 October 1555
English reformers Nicholas Ridley and Hugh Latimer are burned at the stake under the government of Queen Mary.

17 October 107
The martyr death of Ignatius of Antioch as he is fed to two fierce lions at the arena in Rome. Having served the church for forty years, probably from AD 67–106, he had studied under the Apostle John. He pleaded with Rome's Christians not to try to save him. "Nearness to the sword is nearness to God; to be among the wild beasts is to be in the arms of God; only let it be in the name of Jesus Christ. I endure all things that I may suffer together with him, since he who became perfect man strengthens me."

Heidelberg Catechism [1563] | Lord's Day 41

The Seventh Commandment - You shall not commit adultery.

Question 108. *What does the seventh commandment teach us?*

Answer: That all unchastity is accursed of God,[a] and that we should therefore loathe it from the heart,[b] and live chastely and modestly whether in holy wedlock or single life.[c]

a. Leviticus 18:27-30; Ephesians 5:3-7.
b. Matthew 28:28-32; Jude 23; Colossians 3:5-7.
c. 1 Thessalonians 4:3-4; Hebrews 13:4; 1 Corinthians 7:4-9.

Question 109. *Does God in this commandment forbid nothing more than adultery, and such like gross sins?*

Answer: Since our body and soul are both temples of the Holy Ghost,[a] it is His will that we keep both pure and holy; for which reason He forbids all unchaste actions, gestures, words, thoughts, desires,[b] and whatever may entice thereto.[c]

a. 1 Corinthians 6:19-20.
b. 2 Timothy 2:20-22; Ephesians 5:3; 1 Corinthians 6:18.
c. Matthew 5:28; Ephesians 5:18; 1 Corinthians 15:33-34.

Prayer List

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Memorize, Meditate, and Pray this week:

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Pray using prayers of the Puritans - Resting on God:

Sovereign God... I come to You as a sinner with cares and sorrows, to leave every concern entirely to You, every sin calling for Christ's precious blood; revive deep spirituality in my heart;

Pray using our Prayer Points for this week:

MONDAY
**for Qatar*
**for Austin Broadwater*

TUESDAY
**for the repentance of homosexuality.*
**for fighting temptations.*

WEDNESDAY
**for Gen. Christopher LaNeve – ARMY*
**for controlling the tongue.*

THURSDAY
**for the clarity of Genesis.*
**for conversion of Unitarians.*

FRIDAY
**for careful use of time.*
**for remembering history.*

SATURDAY
**for our Deacons.*
**for Todd Friel*

Pray for:

Immediate family members: _____

Extended family members: _____

Somone who does not know Jesus: _____

Friends/Neighbors: _____

Pray using the hymnal: #116 - Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken - verse 3b

Thus deriving from their banner
Light by night and shade by day,
Safe they feed upon the manna
Which He gives them when they pray.

Pray for our fallen world & global concerns:

The call & response of the lost. Matthew 18
The end of abortion practices & the close of the abortion mill. Exodus 20:13
The sins of sexual rebellion. Genesis. 1:27; Romans 1:18-23
Peace and Justice in Israel, Nigeria, Ukraine, and Iran. Psalm 25:22
Those battling addictions and those hurt by them. Galatians 5:1

Pray for those serving our country: Isaiah 41:10

Nathan Brenneman (and the family)

Pray for those in nursing homes: 1 Timothy 5:1-3

Helen Bender
Shirley Bender

Pray for health/comfort for: Psalm 121:1-2

Allison Broadwater
Doug Broadwater (father of Mike Broadwater)
Jane Carey (sister-in-law of John & Sherry Carey)
Steve Hershberger
Fred Holiday (friend of the Broadwaters)
Nevin & Wilma Hutzel
Becca Kilgus (friend of Linda Upole)
Sandy McKenzie (friend of the Broadwaters)
Jeff & Patty Rice
Charlie Smith (cousin of Samantha Leiss)
Ronnie Stanton (brother of Linda Upole)

Pray for those battling cancer: Jn 14:27

Pastor Jim Barnes
Nick Brown (young local boy)
Linda Handwerk (daug. of late W.Sheffield)
Shelbi Knauer (friend of Hannah Hershberger)
Daisy Murray (friend of John Carey)
Carson Negley (young Frostburg boy)
Bill Riley (grandfather of Amanda Carey)
Angie Rush (local teacher)
Ruth Yoder
Gay Ziegler (friend of Linda Upole)

Pray for:

America and our soldiers.