



Ephesians: An Introduction
Selected Passages
Speaker: Pastor Jerry Pelfrey

Visit gbcmason.org/media for study guides & resources.
Kid's sermon notes/activities are available at our Family Resource Center by the sign-up table.



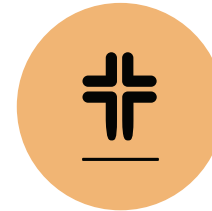
rightnow MEDIA

GBC has access to an online video Bible study library with thousands of video Bible studies for your family, group or personally. New users scan QR code or email info@gbcmason.org for questions.



Need Prayer? Yellow Prayer Forms are located at the info rack, you can complete and return to the offering box. Please contact us with any questions (info@gbcmason.org).

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GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

5.17.26

WELCOME | We're glad you're here and hope you enjoy today's service! If you have any questions about GBC, please visit our welcome center where our volunteers can answer any questions you might have.

MISSION STATEMENT | "Encouraging believers to pursue a personal journey into the heart of God through sincere Bible Study and prayer, resulting in a passion for God and compassion for others."

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NEW HERE?

Visit our Welcome Center to learn more about GBC! Your children are important to us. Nursery facilities and classes for all ages are provided. Please visit our child check-in area to register your child for our kid's classes.



CONNECTION CARD

SUNDAYS AT GRACE

Adults Bible Classes 9:15AM | Worship 10:30AM | Life Groups (Sept.-May)

Grace Kids Sunday School 9:15AM - Nursery - 6th grade
Sunday Worship 10:30AM - Nursery - 4th grade

Students Sundays at 9:15AM & 6PM @ underground_student_ministry

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resource center

Our resource center is temporarily closed as we expand our nursery to accommodate our growing families. We plan to reopen once construction on our new building is complete.

ways to give

- 1 **OFFERING BOX**
Drop off your giving in the offering box located on the foyer wall.
- 2 **ONLINE:** gbcmason.org/give
-OR- just scan the QR code with your camera to link to our giving page.
- 3 **MAIL/DROP-OFF:** Drop-off or mail donation to the church office anytime.



stay informed

JOIN Church Center to connect with GBC to give online, access our online directory, check the church calendar, receive weekly updates, sign up for events & more. Visit gbcmason.churchcenter.com or scan the QR code



UPCOMING EVENTS



EVENTS

CHURCHWIDE NEWS

Capital Campaign - Don't forget to return your Capital Campaign pledge sheet to the bin outside the Worship Center. We will be collecting throughout the month of May.

WOMEN'S EVENTS

Ladies - our Spring Read Together Book Club book is "Created to Care - God's Truth for Anxious Moms" by Sara Wallace. Plan to get your book and read during April & May. Our next discussion gathering is on Thursday, May 28th, at 6:30 in the Underground. We hope you can join us! Sign up with QR code!



Ladies Fall Retreat - Women of Grace, save the date for our Fall Retreat - Friday, September 25 - Sunday, September 27, 2026! More information and sign-ups coming soon!

Summer Bible Studies - Sign up now for one of our summer Bible Studies! We will be studying the book *A Deeper Kind of Kindness* by Nancy DeMoss Wolgemuth. Sign up on the sheets outside the worship center. If you didn't get a gift bag on Mother's Day, stop by the Welcome Desk and pick up your bag - the Summer Bible Study book is included!

Looking for help with healthy weight management? Join the TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) weight loss support group. Meetings are on Monday nights throughout the year from 6-7:30 in the chapel. For more information you can call Joyce at 513 470-7852.

BUILDING FUND UPDATE

Capital Campaign Goal = \$450,000
May - November 2026 Total - \$16,536

SUMMER CAMPS:

Save the date: Summer Camps!

RUSH Camp for Kids @ Camp Chautauqua - July 24-27!
Scan QR code to register.



Underground EQUIP Camp - June 21-26!
Scan QR code to register.



MISSIONARY HIGHLIGHTS

Please continue to pray for our foreign & home missionary families. 2 Peter 3:18

- Jay & Barb Brennan: Brazil
- Rick & Fran Schuessler: Caribbean
- Chris & Annie White: China
- Caleb & Alair Mitchell: East Africa

GRACE KIDS

- **9:15AM** The Capture and Return of the Ark
--Text: 1 Samuel 4:1-7:1
- **10:30AM** Jesus and Nicodemus
--Text: John 3
- **Big Picture Question:** Did Jesus ever sin? No, Jesus never sinned.

GRACE NURSERY (Infant - 36 months)

- **Nursery Director:** Shelly Kast
(A nursing room is available in the nursery for mothers)
- **Bible Story:** No Way to Escape