



Graceway Fellowship

Graceway Weekly - An electronic newsletter for members and friends of
Graceway Fellowship, Green Bay, Wisconsin

THIS SUNDAY AT GRACEWAY

Pastor Rick continues with our survey of the life of Moses. In the morning service we turn to Exodus 4-6 and learn about *Dealing With Resistance*. Sunday evening Pastor Rick will use a variety of passages for the message *In Jesus Name*.

Graceway Kids – David, Elijah, Enoch, Rahab, Elisha, Samson, Joseph, Moses, Gideon, Jesus, Abraham, Job and this week Paul. We learn about Paul, our final Bible Super Hero in our special series.

*“Earth is crammed with heaven
And every bush aflame with God
But only those who see take off their shoes.”*
Elizabeth Barrett Browning

PRIME TIMERS

The April gathering of the Prime Timers takes place TODAY, at Denny's on Oneida Street. Plan to join us around 11:30AM for lunch, and a time of sharing and fellowship. Anyone 55 years or older is invited to attend. To see if you qualify keep reading.....

GOLDEN GOSPEL GROUP

The Golden Gospel Group has a busy schedule this week. Today at 3PM they will be meeting with the residents of Marla Vista. On Saturday the group will be sharing with those at Grancare at 11AM; and then at 1PM with residents at Cottonwood. Ken Boyd could always use more helpers, so contact him if you're interested in serving in this ministry.

YOUR MISSIONARIES

JEREMIAH BRINKMAN ministers to the people of northern New York as a pastor, church planting catalyst and community helper. He and his family share God's love with the elderly, teens, families and people in need of a refuge. In particular, they work with Celebrate Recovery, a Christ-centered recovery program. Their ministries are aimed at helping people who have problems that are often a result of their background or social status and introducing them to the One who loves them and cares for them. Pray that Jeremiah and fellow church planters will have wisdom as they mentor church planters, church leaders, interns and people in the church, and support them through the Cooperative Program.

In their first week of living in South Asia, STEPHEN and CHRISTINE LANSDELL* had opportunities to share the gospel. "I have done countless things wrong. Will I still be accepted?" a man asked Stephen, after hearing about Jesus. "That's the reason Jesus came," Stephen said. "We are all sinners." He explained how salvation is a gift and asked if the man wanted this gift. The man believed in Jesus and couldn't stop smiling. Gifts to the Cooperative Program sent the Lansdells to South Asia, where many more will hear and believe.

Christians who worry believe God can redeem them, break the shackles of Satan, take them from hell to heaven, put them into His kingdom, and give them eternal life, but just don't think He can get them through the next couple of days. That is pretty ridiculous. We can believe God for the greater gift and then stumble and not believe Him for the lessor one. John MacArthur

GO AND GROWING

Church Planters:

Shon & Becky McIntyre - The Real Tree Church, Farmington, MN

Joe & Shelly Selner - First Priority Church, West Bend, WI++

Chucklu & Neng Vang - Eternal Life Hmong Baptist Church, Minneapolis, MN

Church Planting Catalyst:

Mark & Debbie Millman - Southern Wisconsin Baptist Association

Potential location for a new church start:

Janesville, WI

Answered Prayer:

Samuel Jackson, church planter at Hope Community Church in Racine, WI writes: *"During a hospital visit in the ICU with a young man who had been unresponsive. We've known each other for a while and I have had the opportunity to follow up. His girlfriend has been attending Hope for a month faithfully, made a profession of faith and wishes to be baptized."*

PRIME TIMERS IS FOR YOU:

I'm the life of the party..... Even if it lasts until 8 p.m.

I'm very good at opening childproof caps..... With a hammer.

I'm awake many hours before my body allows me to get up.

I'm smiling all the time because I can't hear a thing you're saying.

I'm sure everything I can't find is in a safe secure place, somewhere.

I'm wrinkled, saggy, lumpy, and that's just my left leg.

I'm beginning to realize that aging is not for wimps.

Yes, I'm a PRIME TIMER and I think I am having the time of my life!

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 8 – Mother's Day

May 14-28 – MWBC Disaster Relief Team To Greece/Macedonia Border

May 14 – Graceway Spring Cleaning, 9AM

May 15-18 – Thirst Revival Conference, Highland Crest Baptist

May 18 – Graceway Business Meeting, 6:30PM

May 30 – Memorial Day

June 14-15 – SBC Annual Meeting, St. Louis

June 19 – Father's Day

June 26-July 1 – BLBA Youth and Children's Camp

July 11-15 – VBS *Submerged*

August 7-12 – BLBA Builders Project, Layton Avenue Baptist, Milwaukee

August 20-26 – Hands of Hope, Racine

Believing Christ died, that's history. Believing Christ died for me, that's salvation!

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