

WITH FRIENDS LIKE THESE...

Pastor Dave Reimer

Job 2:11-31:40

I. How to BE a good friend, 2:11-13

A. _____ – friends _____ without being

_____, v. 11a

B. _____ – friends come to bring

_____ and _____, v. 11b

C. _____ – friends _____ and

_____, v. 12-13

II. Job's _____

III. How _____ to be a friend, ch. 4-31

Are you in the storm?

Hang onto your trust in the _____ of God

You can catch a glimmer of _____ in the darkest night (19:25)

Don't give up living _____, even in suffering (27:2-4)

You can _____ in suffering

_____ and _____ a circle of true friends

Do you have a friend who is struggling?

Sometimes the greatest help is your _____

*Be careful what you say – _____ theological statements can be
falsely _____*

Do not assume you know _____ someone is suffering

Be an _____ more than a _____ (9:33, 31:35)

Major in _____

Be a friend; a _____ and _____ and

_____ friend

KEY

(I. How to BE a good friend; A. SACRIFICE...COME...ASKED;
B. COMPASSION...SYMPATHY...COMFORT; C. HUMILITY...SIT
QUIETLY...LISTEN; II. Job's HONESTY; III. How NOT to be a friend;
...SOVEREIGNTY...HOPE...RIGHTEOUSLY...GROW...
DEVELOP...CULTIVATE...SILENT PRESENCE...TRUE...
APPLIED...WHY...INTERCESSOR...FIXER...GRACE...GOOD...
CARING...INTERCEDING)

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CDs may be purchased at the Connection Desk.*

April 26, 2015

RIDING OUT THE STORMS OF LIFE



Worship - Baptism Sunday

9am & 10:30am
Nursery & Nursing mothers room available

Adult & Children’s Sunday School

9am & 10:30am
Complete list of classes available @ Connection Desk

Jr. High Igniter

9am ~ Activity Center

Grace Foundations (3 of 4)

10:30am ~ Fireside

High School Igniter

6:30pm ~ Activity Center

Evening Prayer

7pm ~ Worship Center

baby congrats to...
Matt & Lindsey Regier on the birth of their baby boy, Benjamin Jacob, on Friday, April 17.

adoption congrats to...
Dan & Charla Heddin! Their son, Mika Daniel Heddin, was adopted April 23, 2015.

new @ connection desk
FEC April Fellowship News

Dear Guests,

Thank you for worshiping with us. We realize there are many places you could be on a Sunday morning. We are so glad you are here! If you need any assistance, please see an usher or visit our Connection Desk.

*If you are a **first-time guest**, please complete the Communication Card (attached to the worship folder) and bring it to the Connection Desk in the foyer to receive a free gift as a thank-you for visiting.*

*You may notice that no **offering basket** is passed during today’s service. Baskets are at the doors. We invite guests to receive the blessings of this morning’s service without feeling compelled to give.*

Grace Community Church Family

evening prayer

Sunday, April 26 | 7pm-7:30pm | Worship Center

Evening Prayer will be held on the fourth Sunday of the month. This is a contemplative service that consists of praying and worshipping in a reverent manner to help one another set aside time to wholly focus, on our heavenly Father. All are welcome.

awana awards night

Wednesday, April 29 | 6:45pm | Worship Center

Awana students, family, and friends are invited to the Awana Awards Night. Students should arrive to their usual rooms at 6:30pm to prepare.

peru mission trip deadline

Friday, May 1 | \$150 Deposit & Info Sheet Required

His Hands of Hope is organizing a mission trip to Peru from July 5-15. The deposit of \$150 is due by May 1 as well as the information sheet. Contact Paige Nachtigal via email at pnachtigal@cox.net for further details.

men’s retreat

May 1-3 | Edgewater Beach Resort, Forsyth, MO | \$115

This is the last week to sign up for the Men’s Retreat. Drop off your registration and \$115 payment in the Retreat Folder by the office entrance.

national day of prayer breakfast

Thursday, May 7 | 6:30am | Fireside

Everyone is invited to join us for the National Day of Prayer. We will be praying for our national, state and local leaders. A light breakfast will be provided.

facing mother’s day

Thursday, May 7 | 7pm | The Craft House (215 E 1st, Newton)

Are you facing Mother’s Day with empty arms? Do you struggle to answer the question, “How many kids do you have?” Come join this Missing Motherhood event with other women who struggle with infertility, miscarriage and child loss as we discuss Biblical womanhood and pray together for God’s hope and strength as we face what can be a difficult holiday.

April

29 Awana Awards Night 6:45pm Worship Center

May

- 1 Men’s Retreat, Forsyth, MO (through May 3)
- 3 Grace Foundations (4 of 4) 10:30am Fireside
- 6 Awana Leadership Appreciation Meal 6:30pm Fireside
- 7 National Day of Prayer Breakfast 6:30am Fireside
- 7 Facing Mother’s Day 7pm The Craft House (215 E. 1st, Newton)
- 10 Child Dedication both services
- 10 High School Igniter on break (Mother’s Day)
- 16 Men’s Prayer & Fellowship Breakfast 7:30am Fireside
- 17 Graduation Sunday both services
- 21 Elders 6pm Fireside
- 24 Evening Prayer 7pm Worship Center
- 25 Memorial Day - Office Closed
- 31 TeamBuild Volunteer In-Service & Appreciation Breakfast 9am AC

Grace Community Church Ministry Team:

Senior Pastor: Dave Reimer **Worship & Community Life:** Kyle Schanbacher
Counseling, Discipleship: Steve Friesen **Children’s Ministries:** Juli Dirks
Student Ministries: Loren Kurtz **Nursery Director:** Lori Jordan

Grace Network Churches:

Grace Community Fellowship (Hillsboro): Adam Utecht
Grace Crossing (Moundridge): Jason Rains
New Anthem Community Church (Park City): Landon Jordan

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STATISTICS FROM APRIL 19

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE 637	GENERAL OFFERING \$18,478
GIVING	
<p>Automatic and online giving available at gcc-online.org or scan the QR Code.</p> <p>Fiscal year as of 3/31/2015: Income \$242,391 Budget \$319,104</p>	

