

Are you interested in membership at HBC? If so, attend one of our membership and baptism classes to learn more about the significance of the local church, membership, and believer's baptism. Dates are subject to change due to interest.

2024 Classes Dates:

- March 2nd & 9th
- June 1st & 8th
- September 7th & 14th
- December 7th & 14th

Prayer is an important aspect in the life of the local church. Join us each Wednesday from 6-7 p.m. as we pray for one another and our church's needs.

“Pray without ceasing (1 Thess. 5:17).”

- Nursery is available during service for kids under three. If you're a lady interested in serving, see Vanessa Cogoni.
- Check out our free resource section in the kitchen.

SUPPORT MISSIONARIES

Tom & Kathy McConnell have served as missionaries of Grace Community Church to the U.K since April 2003.

In February 2013, after ten years of senior pastoral ministry, Tom & Kathy were invited by a small group of British believers to help plant a new church in Rugby, England called Grace Bible Church Rugby.

The Lord has blessed Tom and Kathy with five children: Joshua, Josiah, Jonathan, Joy, and Julia.

Tom is a graduate of The Master's Seminary (M.Div., 1999; Th.M., 2002).

Info cards and envelopes for monetary gifts can be found by the offering box.

FOR FURTHER STUDY: Eccl. 1:2; Acts 18:18-26; 19:1-41; Rom. 1:21; 8:20; 1 Cor. 2:14; 2 Cor. 4:4; 5:14-17; Gal. 2:20; Eph. 4:1; Col. 1:13; 3:1-2, 10-14; 1 Thess. 1:9; 4:5; 1 Tim. 1:3; Titus 2:11-14; 1 Jn. 2:6; 5:20; Rev. 2:1-7



**Lord's Day Worship
January 7th, 2024**

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"We Proclaim Christ to Make Followers of Christ"

Announcements & Call to Worship

Psalm 95:1-2

O come, let us sing for joy to the LORD, let us shout joyfully to the rock of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving, let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms.

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Hebrews 1:1-4

Worship in Song

Hymn 154 | "Oh, the Deep, Deep Love"

Hymn 343 | "The Communion Hymn"

Worship in the Word

"New Identity, New Life, Pt. 2" | Ephesians 4:17-24

Delivered by Pastor Gil Vargas

*Sermon notes on back***The Lord's Supper**

Hymn 286 | "Beneath the Cross"

Adult | "In Depth Bible Study" (teacher: Pastor Gil Vargas)

- Last week, we began looking at the need for laying down the proper foundation for studying Scripture. This Sunday, we will complete the foundation and transition to answering the question "what is the literal, grammatical, historical hermeneutics, and why do we need them to study the Bible?" We will also look at how to apply it to Bible study. If you desire to go deeper in your Bible study, then this class is for you!

Youth & Children | *Generations of Grace*

- **WEEK 19: God Sends Plagues on Egypt • Exodus 7:1-10:29**
 - ♦ **Principle:** God is awesome and powerful.
 - ♦ **Ask Your Child:** Why did God send the plagues?
 - ♦ **Apply:** By telling other people about God's greatness.
 - ♦ **This Week:** As a family, read portions of Exodus 7-10.
 - ♦ **Next Week:** Exodus 12-13

Pastor Gil Vargas, Adam Ruf, Lyle Humpton, Brian James, & Richard Trice

WEEKLY MINISTRIES

Sunday

Adult, Youth & Children's Sunday School: 9-10 a.m.
Corporate Worship: 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Tuesday

Men's Bible Study: 7-8 p.m. | "The Gospel of John"

Wednesday

Women's Bible Study: 9:30-10:30 a.m. | "The Gospel of John"
Adventure Club: 6-7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting: 6-7 p.m.

FridayPro-Life Supporters: 9 a.m.-12 p.m. | *Across from the Seaford post office*

"For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation."

-Romans 1:16-

The beginning of the year is the beginning mark where many people attempt to break old habits and establish some sort of new ones in their lives. As a result, the market is prepared for this and will make millions. Some people will try to become more religious thinking that if they do more works, they can earn God's favor to be saved. They think that if they practice some form of spirituality, it will cause them to change into a new person and draw them closer to God. But nothing could be further from the truth. **The Bible teaches that the way a person can be delivered from sin and judgment is only through the true Gospel which is about the Lord Jesus Christ.** He alone has the power to save. He alone has the power to transform. He alone has the power to gift you with a new nature. But you must repent and trust in the Gospel. If you are a believer, the Gospel is still for you. It is the power to save and one that you should continue to trust and proclaim.

For Further Study: Acts 4:12; Colossians 1:13-14; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21; Romans 3:21-31; Galatians 3:22-24

Are you new to Hope? We welcome you and offer you a gift bag containing a visitor's info card, a brochure, and a Hope Bible Church pen.

Any questions? Speak to one of our elders.

- ▶ Pearl Mountain Haitian Blue Bean Coffee: more in stock soon!
 - \$13 a bag
 - Interested in ordering? Add your name to the list on the bulletin board.
- ▶ January 9th: Men's Bible study resumes
- ▶ January 10th: Women's Bible study resumes
- ▶ January 27th: Men's fellowship breakfast
 - Time: 8-9:15 a.m.
 - Snow date: February 10th
 - Sign-up sheet on bulletin board
- ▶ January 28th: Annual church meeting after service.
- ▶ February 3rd: Tapestry of Hope Ladies' meeting
 - Chaps. 7 & 8 of Treasures of Encouragement

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