

MEMBERSHIP

Interested in membership at HBC? Attend our membership class to learn about the local church, membership, and believer's baptism. Dates are subject to change due to interest.

**2024 Classes Dates:**

- March 2<sup>nd</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>
- July 6<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>
- September 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>
- December 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>

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

**"Prayer meetings are the throbbing machinery of the Church."**  
*-Charles Spurgeon-*

PRAYER MEETING

ADDITIONAL INFO

- Nursery is available during service for kids under three.
- Peruse our free resource section in the kitchen.

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SUPPORT OUR 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:** Gen. 3:20; Ex. 20:12; Psalm 128; Prov. 6:20; 12:4; 17:6; 18:22; 19:14; 23:22; 31:28; Gal. 4:4; Eph. 6:1-3; Col. 3:20; 1 Tim. 2:15; 2 Tim. 3:14-15; Titus 2:3-5; 1 Pet. 3:1-7; Rev. 12



**Lord's Day Worship**  
**May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

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*"We Proclaim Christ to Make Followers of Christ"*  
Gil Vargas, Pastor-Teacher

Announcements & Call to Worship

Psalm 100:4

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Proverbs 31:10-31

Worship in Song

Hymn 364 | “How Firm a Foundation”

Hymn 162 | “Wonderful, Merciful Savior”

Worship in the Word

“The Glory of Motherhood” | Deuteronomy 5:16

Delivered by Pastor Gil Vargas

*Sermon notes on back*

Benediction

Romans 16:27

BaptismAdult | “Spiritual Gifts” (teacher: Pastor Gil Vargas)

- Have you ever wondered what your spiritual gift is? Why is there so much confusion surrounding this subject today? How are they to be used within the local church? Starting this Sunday (and for the month of May), we will explore the doctrine of spiritual gifts. This is important since as Christians, you’ve been endowed with a spiritual gift to build up the body of Christ. Please come out and join us at 9 a.m.!

Youth & Children | *Generations of Grace*

- **WEEK 36: God Blesses Israel through Balaam • Numbers 22:1-24:25**
  - ♦ Principle: God is sovereign and keeps His promises.
  - ♦ Ask Your Child: What did God allow Balaam to do to Israel?
  - ♦ Apply: By remembering that God’s blessing is unchangeable.
  - ♦ This Week: As a family, read Numbers 22-24.
  - ♦ Next Week: Deuteronomy 4:1-40

“Prize and study the Scripture. We can have no delight in meditation on Him unless we know Him, and we cannot know Him but by the means of His own revelation. When the revelation is despised, the revealer will be of little esteem. Men do not throw off God from being their rule till they throw off Scripture from being their guide; and God must needs be cast off from being an end when the Scripture is rejected from being a rule.”

-Stephen Charnock

## WEEKLY MINISTRIES

## Sunday

Adult, Youth & Children’s Sunday School: 9-10 a.m.

Corporate Worship: 10:30-11:45 a.m.

## Monday &amp; Friday

Planned Parenthood Sidewalk Ministry: 8-11 a.m.

## Tuesday

Men’s Bible Study: 7-8 p.m.

## Wednesday

Women’s Bible Study: 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Adventure Club: 6-7:30 p.m. (watch for details about Year 3)

Study & Prayer Meeting: 6-7 p.m.



Every day, our kids are bombarded with questions: Did God really create everything? Why do bad things happen? Was Noah’s ark real? Why do I need to be saved? Can I trust the Bible?

Join Hope Bible Church on August 5-8, 2024 as your kids explore the biblical answers to these questions as they set off on an epic adventure from Genesis to Revelation. Amid sloths, butterflies, river dolphins, and dart frogs, your children will sail along on a fun jungle cruise, stopping at seven ports of call. These ports are the 7 Cs of History: Creation, Corruption, Catastrophe, Confusion, Christ, Cross, and Consummation. Kids will discover how these events shape our world, and they will learn to reconnect the Bible to their everyday life.

Prepare to swing into fun as we head out on *The Great Jungle Journey!*

Want to serve? See Justin Brock for service opportunities.

Stay tuned for more details!

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.

- ▶ May 12<sup>th</sup>: Baptism after service
- ▶ June 1<sup>st</sup>: Set-up for new church building
  - See Paul Ranalli for information and details.
- ▶ June 2<sup>nd</sup>: First service in new building!
  - No Sunday school on this date.
- ▶ Details for upcoming Heroes Conference on bulletin board.

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