

GOD FIRST

Come, let us return to the LORD.
He has torn us to pieces but he will heal us;
he has injured us but he will bind up our wounds...
For I desire mercy, not sacrifice, and
acknowledgment of God rather
than burnt offerings.
Hosea 6:1,6

As believers in Jesus Christ, we acknowledge that all we have comes from God. He owns everything. We manage the assets He has entrusted to us.

| | Received YTD | Budget YTD | %+/- |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Local Ministries | \$829,791 | \$843,465 | -1.6% |
| Imagine the Potential, cumulative | | \$1,920,654 | |
| Total Project Cost | | \$2,336,792 | |



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NEHEMIAH · HAGGAI · HOSEA

“The Trouble With Shiplap”

Sam Yeiter

March 3, 2019

Invest in our students

Pick up a prayer card of one of our students and pray for them daily as a way to invest in the next generation. Cards are available in the courtyard or outside the Hub auditorium.

New to WL?

Please stop by the Information Center for a free gift. For more information about getting connected at WL, visit our website at www.wlgbc.com or call Tim Wright, Discipleship & Adult Ministries Pastor, at 267-6623.

This week at WL

TODAY

The Living Room is our alternative worship service that meets at 11:15 a.m. each Sunday at The Hub.

"The Way Home" Prayer Group meets at 5:00 p.m. in room 101.

1st Sunday Prayer Gathering is at 6:00 p.m. in room 103. All are invited to this monthly event.

No Kids Chorale tonight.

Tuesday

Men's Bible Study is at 6:00 a.m. at American Table Restaurant.

Women of Grace for Missions Day: See listing.

ENL (English as a New Language) meets at the YMCA from 6:30-7:45 p.m.

Men's Bible Study meets at 7:00 p.m. in room 102.

Wednesday

SPLASH (for kids in kindergarten-6th grade) meets from 6:45-8:15 p.m.

Epic for students in grades 7-12 is from 6:45-8:15 p.m.

Adult Prayer Group meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room.

Thursday

ENL (English as a New Language) meets from 10:00-11:30 a.m. at the church.

Global Prayer Group meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room.

Saturday

Single Women's 2nd Saturday Night Gathering is at 5:00 p.m. at The Hub.

WL ministries

March WL Family News is available this morning at the Info Center, The Hub, and in ABFs. It includes more details on upcoming events, a prayer needs list, and other church family news.

Our Global Teammates of the Week are Larry and Cami Robbins, serving in the Central African Republic. Both Larry and Cami are Grace grads who joined Wycliffe Bible Translators in 1980. They are currently trauma healing specialists, based in Bangui in the CAR. Cami is the daughter of Ruth Ann Theobald and the sister of Kip Cone and Calla Andrews.

Student Prayer Cards: This week we're asking our church family to invest in the lives of our middle- and high-school students, specifically by picking up a prayer card in the courtyard area of the main building or outside The Hub auditorium. We would love for our church family to pray for our students daily and to invest in the next generation in this way.

Easter Choir: You are invited to join Dr. Wally Brath for choir this spring as we prepare to celebrate Easter during our three worship services. The choir may sing a few Sundays before Easter as well. Rehearsals will be held in room 103/104 (across from the Fireside Room) and begin on Sunday, March 24. See WL Family News for a schedule of rehearsal times.

WL Young Adults

Young Adult ABF meets every Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the main building.

WL Students

Sunday School is at 10:00 a.m. each week at The Hub.

Epic Wednesday is from 6:45-8:15 p.m. each week.

Stay connected @WLStudents on Facebook, Instagram or

WL Parents on Facebook, or contact Cindy at cyocum@wlgbc.com.

WL Kids

Sunday school for all ages is at 10:00. Nursery/early childhood classes are available during both worship services; K-6th grade students sit with their parents in the service and are dismissed to children's church part-way through the service.

Women's Ministries

Women of Grace for Missions: On Tuesday, March 5, The North America/Asia circle meets at 10:00 a.m. in the Grace Village Fellowship Café with Christi Barlow and Brandi Wright sharing. The Africa Circle meets at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Becky Dick (1897 W. Primrose Ct., Warsaw) with Faye Hocking sharing about Water for Good. On Tuesday, March 12 (*note change of date*), the Europe/Great Britain circle will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the Gathering Space at The Hub with guest speaker Becky Schwan.

Single Women's 2nd Saturday Night Gathering is Saturday, March 9, at 5:00 p.m. (or when you can make it!) at The Hub. Bring a snack to share and enjoy singing, games, conversation, etc. Questions? Contact Brenda Wilcoxson at 269-6991.



March INVESTED groups at 10:00 a.m.

As a church family we want to be INVESTED in making disciples! You're invited to join in with 3 special gatherings in March that are designed for everyone who is in middle school or older. These groups will meet in place of regular Adult Bible Fellowships or student Sunday school classes at 10:00 a.m. and are designed to encourage each of us to INVEST well.

March 10 groups are based on your age (don't worry, we're not checking ID's!).

These groups will focus on being invested at every age and stage.

If you're 12-24 years old meet in the Fellowship Hall

If you're 25-39 years old meet in the Shawnee Rooms at The Hub

If you're 40-54 years old meet in The Hub Auditorium

If you're 55 years old and up meet in the Main Auditorium

March 17 groups are based on your current ABF or Sunday school class (if you're not part of a current group you're free to choose any group)

These groups will be focusing on encouragement and relationships.

Fellowship Hall: Celebration, ACTion, Golden Heirs, and 9th/10th graders

Main 103/104: Young Adults, Women's Elective, Practical Living, Open Table

Hub Shawnee: Middle School, People Seeking Christ, STAT, New Combined ABF

Hub Auditorium: 11th/12th graders, Eternal Perspective, Real People

March 24 Everyone is invited to join us for a special combined ABF in the Main Auditorium with Pastor Anibal (from our sister church in Moa, Cuba).



“The Trouble with Shiplap”

Haggai
Sam Yeiter
March 3, 2019

The Problem

Their difficulties

God’s Response

What Next?

Questions for Life Groups;

1. Read the Book of Haggai together. Determine and discuss the main themes. What was the heart problem God was addressing through Haggai?
2. What does it mean for us to “consider our ways” or “give careful thought to our ways”?
3. What did it mean for the Jews of Haggai’s day to put God first? What does it mean today, in our lives?

Reading Guide for World Outreach Week:

“To the Nations (OT)”

Monday, March 4

Genesis 12:1-3; 18:16-19; 22:15-18;
26:2-4; 28:10-15

Tuesday, March 5

Exodus 9:13-19

Wednesday, March 6

1 Kings 8:41-43, 56-61

Thursday, March 7

Psalms 67; 96

Friday, March 8

Isaiah 2:2; 25:6-7; 45:22-23; 49:6; 52:10