



President Matt Proctor of Ozark Christian College has called everyone to set aside a specific day and time to pray. He suggests 9 items of prayer. Read on.

“But to combat the darkness, there is nothing we should do before praying. Prayer is always our first and best response. So using Psalms as our guide, please join me this week in taking a day to fast and pray for:

1. Comfort for those who have tragically lost loved ones like George Floyd, Ahmaud Arbery, and Breonna Taylor. “The Lord is close to the brokenhearted.” (Psalm 34:18)
2. Justice for those who have suffered oppression. “Rescue me, O my God, from the hand of the wicked, from the grasp of the unjust.” (Psalm 71:4)
3. Repentance for hearts hardened by hatred or dulled by apathy. “Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will return to you.” (Psalm 51:13)
4. Forgiveness for our own sins. “Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean; wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.” (Psalm 51:7)
5. Compassion for those unheard and unseen, mistreated and misunderstood. “The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.” (Psalm 145:9)
6. Protection for both law enforcement and protesters in the current unrest. “Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me.” (Psalm 23:4)
7. Wisdom for our government leaders. “Therefore, you kings, be wise...serve the Lord with fear and celebrate his rule with trembling.” (Psalm 2:10-11)
8. Peace for our nation. “Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers live together in unity.” (Psalm 133:1)
9. Acceptance of Christ as our only hope. “The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.” (Psalm 118:22)

-Pastor Wes

PROMOTION
SUNDAY!

THIS IS THE DAY WHEN STUDENTS WILL TRANSITION TO THEIR NEW CLASSES!! New GraceYOUTH 6th graders will join the MS class upstairs for "KATALAMBANO" after the worship set is over. (just follow the herd of kids if you don't know where to go)



GRACEYOUTH

KATALAMBANO is back this week! after the worship set, 6th-8th grade students are invited to head upstairs to the GraceYOUTH worship room for Bible study. (Currently going through the book of John) It can get a little crazy and weird but we always have a great time learning about Jesus at "cat on a banjo"

Summer schedule is nearly set! (still waiting on confirmation from a few places) things to look forward to:

- Cardboard boat building contest
- "Rushmore Run" (two day rush to the see the Presidents and back. HS only)
- 1984 Arcade
- Emergency Ice Cream
- Disc Golf
- Swims
- 8th Grade Initiation (maniacal laugh, maniacal laugh)

Be sure to get signed up for camp. We will know this Wednesday how much the church is able to scholarship to get the costs down. The app is fixed so you can register without paying on the app (if that doesn't appeal to you, you can pay by check) We do ask campers to preregister by paying \$50 up front by June 22 to qualify for the scholarship



GRACEKIDS

CURRENT SERIES- *BluePrints At Home*

Sunday we offered a special lesson for the toddler at church and everyone joining in at home. The lesson was called, "Let's Celebrate- At Home" and it was all about kids discovering and celebrating that the Church isn't a building, but instead, we are the Church!

This week the kids will learn that life doesn't always go the way we plan. We will be looking into Gods Blueprint to read the story of Jonah and help you talk to your child about what to do when they feel down and how to be thankful!

NEW CRY ROOM

In an effort to best serve families during this season of Covid, we have decided to transition our nursery into a cry room. Parents and guardians with babies and toddlers are welcome to use this room during the service.



We are headed to camp!

High School (completed 9th-12th grades) July 5th -10th \$223.00 Due by June 22

Middle School (completed 6th-8th grades) July 26th - 31st \$223.00 Due by June 22

Elementary (completed 2nd-5th) July 16th -18th \$105 Due by June 22

Elementary Day Camp (K-1st) July 11th \$35 (this is a new camp for us this year)

In years passed the church has helped reduce the cost of camp through our bake sale fundraisers. it is our intention to do the same this year, we just do not know what that number will be at this time. We will let everyone know as soon as we do know.

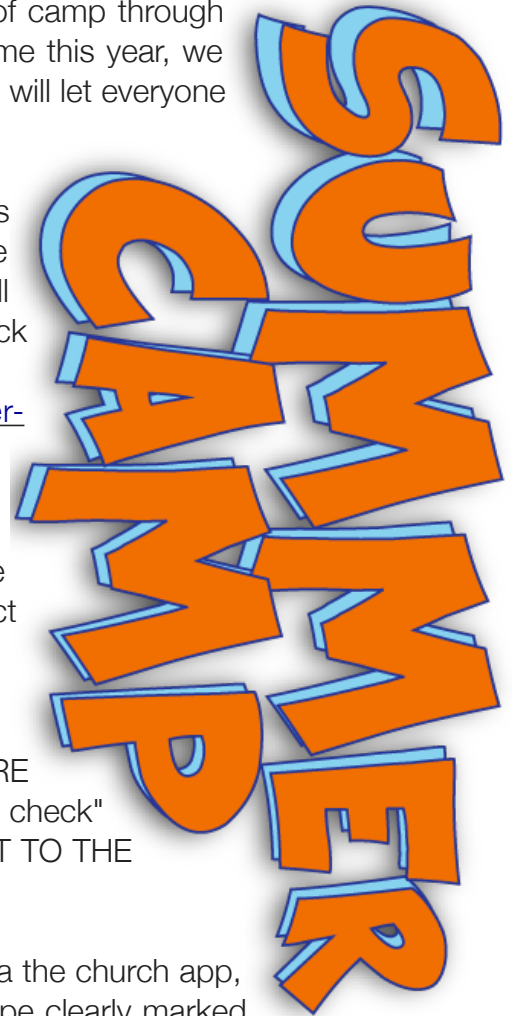
As always we will have two sets of forms for camp. Forms for the camp and forms for the church. All will be made available online. This week (and until June 22nd) we will have the CAMP REGISTRATION link available. Simply click the link below to be redirected to the registration page.

<http://maranathabiblecamp.org/summer-camp/summer-registration>

Parents of new freshman students! In-coming freshmen will register as “incoming 8th graders” on the MBC site so MS camp is available to choose. If you select “9th grade” only the HS option will be available.
(thanks to the Feldkamps, for pointing this out!)

AT THE END OF REGISTERING (with MBC), THERE ARE TWO OPTIONS FOR PAYMENT. PLZ SELECT "pay by check" AND PAY THE CHURCH (WE WILL MAKE ONE PAYMENT TO THE CAMP.)

To pay the church for camp, you can either pay digitally via the church app, or by check. If paying by check please put it in an envelope clearly marked for CAMP REGISTRATION and mark "CAMP FEES". or "CAMP" on the memo. (This is our first time doing registration digitally. Please bear through the growing pains with us as we are all learning something new.)



GRACEGO

It's Spring time and that also means it's tornado season. What are we going to do if a storm hits in our area during COVID -19 restrictions? Our church has always risen to people in their times of need. But, during this unique time of Social Distancing, how are we to help and not endanger others at the same time? Our Elders and Deacons have come up with a plan that will allow us to help others and keep our people as safe as we can, if disaster strikes.

We have a three phase plan of providing assistance to those who need it.

PHASE 1: Immediate Responders - This phase consist of the first responders. Two Small teams of six each, will be our “GraceGo Team”, these 12 responders will offer immediate assistance to those impacted by a disaster. This team will gather at the church and hook up to the church trailer that will be filled and ready to go to meet the diverse needs of an impacted area or home.

The trailer needs to include: 1 tub of Covid-19 Sanitation supplies for the workers, gloves, mask, hard hats, hand sanitizer and spray sanitizer. 1 tub of first aid and medical supplies, including extra things such as, a trauma kit, epinephrin injector pens, and insulin. 1 tub - of small hand tools such as, hammers, cordless drills, hand saws, reciprocating saw, pry bars, wire cutters, bolt cutters, etc. Rope, electrical extension cords, ladders, 2/3 chainsaws, cum-a-long, shovels, rakes, pick axe, chain, tow ropes, axes, etc. 2 portable generators, gas for generators, gas, oil and bar oil for chainsaws. Trailers or box truck to move remaining household goods and furniture to a storage unit.

LIST OF NEEDS FOR **GRACEGO** TEAM Phase 1

- Case of Water Bottles
- A come-a-long
- Extension Cords
- blankets
- large tarps
- bug spray
- flood lights
- cans of red spray paint
- Axes
- pick-axes
- rakes
- nail magnet bar
- fire extinguishers
- pre-mixed gas
- large plastic totes
- hand sanitizer
- trauma kit
- epi-pen
- shovels
- rope

Phase 2: Intermediate Response - This phase consist of a team of readiness people who will be prepared to come along side of those affected by a storm or natural disaster to offer immediate: food, clothing, shelter, cash on hand, and get those who need it, to a safe and secure temporary living situation. This could be shelter at the church, a hotel, an Air B&B, or a family or friends home. This team will make sure that the immediate and temporary necessary needs of those affected will be taken care of. This team will need: cash and/or travelers checks, or spending cards available, meals, groceries, sanitation and cleaning supplies, toiletries, bedding, blankets, etc. This team will work closely with the Immediate Response team for a smooth handoff of the immediate response needs to care for the intermediate care. This team will go to the church and get the showers and sanitation supplies ready to help cleanse the workers from exposure. It will also have supplies on-hand at the church ready to distribute as needed. The Immediate Response Team will bring any family who needs this care to

the church to evaluate the necessary next steps. The Intermediate Response team will help secure the storage necessary to get the household moved and then tend to the needs of the family(s) after all has been done to get them past the immediate impact issues.

LIST OF NEEDS FOR **GRACEGO** TEAM **Phase 2:**

- Sample size personal hygiene items-ones from hotels are perfect-no need to go out and purchase. What is on hand is great.
- if anyone has a spare room or accommodations they would be willing to share with someone short term--a night or two.
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please contact Luenda Martin if you have any of these to offer 620-687-1097

Phase 3: Long-term Response - understanding that the aftermath of a tragic event can have lingering effects, the primary purpose of this team is to provide continued care for and offer assistance to unforeseen long term issues that might arise in any given situation. This care team will work closely with the Intermediate team and follow up on their recommendation as to the need for Long-term help. The Long-term team will then help with things such as: insurance claim issues, long term housing issues, health and wellness issues, and other family needs deemed as necessary. The goal is to help folks get back on their feet with a solid footing by a reliable confidant to assist and encourage getting life back on track. The following is a list of things we would still like to add to the trailer for the Phase 1 response team. If you have any of these items or would be willing to purchase one, please contact Wes or the church office.

SUMMER WEDNESDAY VIDEO SERIES

Clark Hall will begin a new video series June 10th @ 7pm in the North KidMin classroom (room "D") All are welcome.



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