

An Update from Andrew...

Last week, the Columbia Bible Institute (CBI) provided a chance for several ministers to enjoy classes, devotionals, and fellowship. We had several teachers who provided excellent lessons: **Kirk Brothers, Justin Rogers, Dan Winkler, and Michael Whitworth.** We had several Graymere members who provided breakfast, dinners, and a potluck lunch on Wednesday. **Chad Landman** put in a lot of time and work to coordinate the weekend. I appreciate the way several of our members connected with these men and got to know them. I am glad our church family values encouraging and equipping ministers. We also had **Jeba Kumar** with us, and he shared an update on his work in India during our Sunday morning Bible class. **Jonathan Winchester** announced on Sunday morning that we have purchased land for the church Jeba Kumar works with, and we look forward to seeing the way God continues to work through efforts in India.

After Bible class on Sunday, our Widows and Widowers group enjoyed a lunch provided by our Youth Troop (5th Grade and under). This was an idea from our own **Graham Nutt, and Josh and Andrea Love and Jim and Kim Nutt,** coordinated this activity. Each of our Widows and Widowers group gave one of the children their individual order, and the children delivered their meals. After that, they moved to FR1 for an indoor volleyball game! Of course, this game used a balloon, and everyone remained in their seats, but they still had a great time. I am including some pictures of the event below – what a neat opportunity for our congregation to get to know each other better!

As Thanksgiving approaches, we will be making an adjustment to our usual schedule, as we have done for the last several years. We will meet on Tuesday night instead of Wednesday night at 7:00. Instead of having classes, we will have a combined time of worship together. Tonight, we will have our usual schedule, and **Philip Wright** will be offering the invitation. I am thankful for the way our men are leading our thoughts on Wednesday nights. Let's keep learning and growing together!

Sunday's Messages

AM – A Revelation from God #8: Divine Drama (Revelation 12:1-6)

PM – FAQ #3: Why Should I Believe in Anything? (1 Peter 3:15)



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Andrew Phillips	Pulpit/TV
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Jon David Schwartz	Youth

DEACONS

Rick Barker	Josh Love
Billy Bishop	Carl Martin
Bobby Bishop	Wayne Phillips
Shawn Butterfield	Troy Potts
Hollis Carpenter	Warren Robinson
Barry Christian	Ed Self
Ken Compton	Austin Simmons
Ben Farris	Jeff Skelton
Dwayne Fulks	Ricky Thompson
Jason Golden	Doug Wilburn
Randy Goodwin	Ken Wiles
Tim Gordon	Doug Williams
Eddie Harris	Larry Winchester
Jeff Harris	Phillip Wright
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OFFICE HOURS

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TIMES OF WORSHIP

Sunday 9:00 AM
Sunday Bible Study 10:15 AM

COUNSELING CENTER

Mondays 11:00 AM—5:00 PM
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TELEVISION

Connections
Charter Channel 195
Wednesdays 7 PM,
Sundays 5 PM
CPWS Channel 13
Sundays 7:30 PM
Sunday Morning Worship
Charter Channel 195
Sundays 8 AM

OUR RECORD

Week of	11-11-18
Sunday AM	534
Bible Study	380
Sunday PM	323
Contribution	\$23,469.00
Wednesday PM	344
Budget	\$23,000.00

Special Thanksgiving Service



Tuesday, November 20, 7 PM

All classes will remain in the auditorium.

This will replace our Wednesday Night Bible Study.

From Jonathan...

Thank you so much for your interest and hospitality to Jeba Kumar while he was visiting with us from India. J.K. is doing some really great work with the church in Chennai, India: preaching in two congregations, teaching in the National Bible College, and working alongside Peter Solomon in the Bible Hour Television program. J.K. began planting a congregation in Chembarambakkam, a newly developed area of Chennai, about three years ago. Like most churches in India, they very quickly needed land and a church building of their own, as most churches eventually get run out of rented facilities by Hindu owners. In 2016, we began exploring the possibility, but were unable to purchase land at that time. However, the opportunity gained steam this year. Along with the New Union church in Manchester, and Graymere, the Chembarambakkam church has now finalized the purchase of a piece of land. I give a special thanks to one of our Graymere families who made this possible with a large donation, as well as to our elders for allowing us to use some mission funds for this project. The next phase, I am certain, will be to build on this land. Lord willing, we will have a part in this as well. Thank you!

Baptized

We rejoice with **Joe Graham**, father of Rob Graham, who was recently baptized.

Upcoming Events

- **Visitation Team meetings:**
Team 13: Gary Tucker (Sr. Ctr.)
- **Meals Program:**
November 19: Sara Carpenter
November 21: No meals
November 23: No meals
- **Pantry Needs:** cereal/oatmeal
- **LADS TO LEADERS:** Great opportunity for our YOUNG folks to develop leadership skills. If you are interested, please sign up by November 25th to be included at the Convention/Hotel. *No Bible Bowl study session Sunday.*
- Deadline for submitting registration forms and fee for the **Spring Break mission trip** to Arizona is Sunday, November 18.
- **Brown School Second Grade Classroom donations:** In order to help the Brown School second grade stay healthy, they need these donations: Boxes of Kleenex, Hand sanitizer, Clorox or Lysol wipes, Lysol spray (or any items that fit into this category). You may drop donations in the boxes in the educational foyer.

Thank You

"Thanks ever so much for the donation to The Foundation at MRMC in Mother's name. I know she would be as proud as I am! My mother was always so pleased to be a member at Graymere. You brought her lots of love."

Donna Thompson

Our Sick

MRMC: **Samantha Baugus**, 684
Dismissed: **Jordan Compton**

Remember in Prayer

Tessa Fleming, Kenny Compton, Linda Jobe, Charles Smith, Beverly Martin, Bettie Sparkman, Roger Riddle, Sue Foster, Nan Price, Deane Pigg, Tim Mullican, Dianne Campbell, Billy Mynes & family, Hope Welch, Bill Butterfield (father of Shawn Butterfield, cancer treatment), Paul Handley, Susan Irick, Gavin & Cynthia Beck and son, Will (son of Ron & Sherry Beck—displaced from their home in the California fires)

Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to Michael Brown on the death of his mother.

Senior Adult Holiday Dinner

Thursday, December 6, 6 PM
Fellowship Hall—\$12 per person
Sign up at the Sr. Info Desk.

Middle Agers

Chaffin Barn Theater—Nov. 17. Bus will leave at 4:45 PM.

Meals Program

The Meals Program has a need for additional helpers in 2019. If you would like to be on a team to prepare part of a meal or to help deliver meals, please contact the church office or Jeff and Kyla Harris. For

New Youth Webpage

Check out the new webpage for our youth group. If you have any pictures from a youth activity to contribute, send them to JD.
www.graymerestudentministry.com