

2026
ministry
heartbeat





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"...STAND FAST IN ONE SPIRIT, WITH ONE MIND STRIVING TOGETHER FOR THE FAITH OF THE GOSPEL;"

PHIL. 1:27



VISION SUNDAY

JANUARY 11, 2026

SAVE THE DATE



SATURDAY & SUNDAY
AUGUST 8 - 9, 2026

GUEST SPEAKERS:
SCOTT PAULEY & DAVID GIBBS JR.



RSVP



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2026

AT  **GRACE**
BAPTIST CHURCH



Scott Pauley

Saturday, August 8 **Tentative Schedule**

- 11:00am - Guests and Friends Welcome**
- 12:00pm - Catered Meal**
- 1:30pm - Special Service Reflecting on God's Goodness (David Gibbs to speak)**



David Gibbs

Sunday, August 9 **Tentative Schedule**

- 10:00am - Guests and Friends Welcome**
- 11:00am - Morning Worship Service (Scott Pauley to speak)**
- 6:00pm - One Night Revival Service (Scott Pauley and David Gibbs to speak)**

2026 schedule changes

*“More, not less - that’s our
commitment. Same great goal,
just looking different.”*

Missions MONTH

February 2026

Sunday, February 1

Special Guests: Moger Family to Brazil

Sunday, March 1

Special Guests: Carl Gormley to the
Philippines - Bahay Sibol Orphanage

**Commitments to be
Collected on March 1**

Sunday

evenings with meaning

Each month Pastor will reserve one Sunday night to meet together.

The services will include GraceKids performances, missions updates, special music, and a Bible message.

January 11

Vision Night

July 19

Ice Cream Social

February 1

Moger Family

August 9

40th Anniversary

March 1

Carl Gormley

September 13

McCloskey Family

April 12

October 25

Fall Revival

May 3

November 1

Harvest Party

June 7

Senior Honor Night

December 13

Family Christmas Night

2026 adult growth groups

Midweek this Spring

Mar 4 - May 27 (12 weeks)

**Off the week of Spring Break - Apr 1*

Midweek this Fall

Sep 16- Nov 18 (10 weeks)

Growth Groups Goal

A time to grow in prayer,
accountability, fellowship, Bible
study, responsibility

2026 adult growth groups

Group Leaders

Group #1 - Adults (20's & 30's)

Leaders: Steve & Lorelei Bond

Wednesdays at the Church - 6:45 pm

Group #2 - Adults (40's & 50's)

Leaders: Joel & LaVonna Butler

Time & Location - TBD

Group #3 - Adults (60+)

Leaders: Keith & Amy Westphal

Thursdays at the Church - 9:00 am

Group #4 - Teens

Leaders: TBD; Teacher Todd LaRose

Wednesdays at the Church - 6:45 pm

2026 key events

All staff, deacons, and ministry leaders are kindly asked to safeguard these dates and be in attendance for these events.

KEY EVENT DATES

5
APRIL

EASTER SUNDAY

28
JUNE

**FAMILY SUNDAY &
CHURCH PICNIC**

8-9
AUGUST

**40TH ANNIVERSARY
WEEKEND**

23
AUGUST

MEET A HERO

30
AUGUST

**FAITH FORWARD
SUNDAY**

13
SEPTEMBER

FALL KICKOFF SUNDAY
With the McCloskeys

KEY EVENT DATES

23-25
OCTOBER

**FALL IN-FOCUS
WEEKEND** With Scott Pauley

1
NOVEMBER

HARVEST SUNDAY
Harvest Party in the PM



2026

**Lord's Supper
dates**

Sunday, January 25

Sunday, April 5

Sunday, May 31

Sunday, August 30

Sunday, December 20

2026 deacons meeting dates

Tuesday, February 3

Tuesday, March 3

Tuesday, April 7

Tuesday, May 5

Tuesday, June 2

Tuesday, July 7 - No Meeting

Tuesday, August 4 - Budget Meeting

Tuesday, September 1

Tuesday, October 6

Tuesday, November 3

Tuesday, December 1

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*in building updates
and projects*

Updates

- Coffee Bar Area
- Fellowship Hall Doors
- Lighting in GraceKids Wing

Projects

- Nursery Wing AC Unit
- GraceKids Temp Control
- Bus Barn Roof
- Remaining Gutter Needs
- Remaining Insulation Needs

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in ministry operations

Specific Focus on

- **Building a Security Team**

Ministry Leader: Joel Butler

- **Improving Greeters & First Impressions Ministry**

Ministry Leader: Jessica Moody

- **New Nursery Leadership**

Ministry Leaders: Lorelei Bond & Kristi Kossak

- **New Members Breakfast**

Saturdays, 9:00 - 11:00 as needed

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*in Bible study and
discipleship*

- **Sunday Focus Classes**

Segment 1: February 8 - 22

Segment 2: March 8 - 29

Segment 3: April 12 - 26

- **Midweek Growth Groups**

Spring: March 4 - May 27

Fall: September 16 - November 18

- **Men's Prayer Breakfasts**

TBD

- **Ladies' Prayer Fellowships**

TBD

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in financial stewardship

- **Itemize Future Surplus by Percentage**

*Procurement for Staff Advancement
Procurement for Building Projects
Debt Retirement
Additional Budget Funding*

- **Continue Faith Forward
Emphasis** *August 30, 2026*

- **Introduce Christmas
Outreach Offering**

2026

ministry
reminders

How to Help Me Pastor the Church

Be Observant

Watch for those missing or noticeably struggling, pair people's strengths with places to volunteer, be the solution for problems.

Be Connected

Stay informed with the church calendar and purpose for 2026. Work at helping others stay connected.

Be Involved

Serve, volunteer, encourage others to do the same and get on board.

Be Prayerful

Pray for each other and the needs of our church

