



Service of Worship — June 4, 2023

*"Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that
Some have entertained angels without knowing it." — Hebrews 13:2*

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Thank you for worshipping with us today.

TODAYS FLOWERS are in celebration of Jerry and Linda McMaster's 51st anniversary.

ELDER ON DUTY: Bill Turner

HEAD USHER: Dave Peck

HEARING ASSIST DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE. Please ask at the sound booth.

RECORD YOUR ATTENDANCE AT TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE WITH OUR VIRTUAL ATTENDANCE

PAD: Click this link: <https://bit.ly/GCPCattendance>, or scan the QR Code below, and it will take you to the link.



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“Pray for one another” — James 5:15

We encourage you to remember the following in prayer:

All Grieving the Death of a Loved One

Surgeries/Hospitalizations/Illnesses

Cancer Treatment: Pam Kelly, Harold Farren

Aging Challenges

Military Service: David Zak, C.J. Bradley, Seth Lorimer, Mary E. Johnson II, Alanna Funk, Shannon Lorimer, Clara Frye. **All veterans, deployed military, and reservists.**

Our Mission Co-Workers: Jeff and Christi Boyd in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Leslie Vogel, PC (USA) Regional Liaison for Guatemala and Mexico.

Peace and Relief Workers; Unemployed and Underemployed; Families Struggling with Separation and Divorce; Individuals Struggling with Depression; Those Contemplating Suicide and Those Left Behind.

Heartland Presbytery Partnership of Prayer: Heartland Presbytery Validated Pastors; Iglesia Monte Sinaí, Nimasac (MQP); Heartland Presbytery Personnel Committee.

(If you have a prayer request you would like to include in the bulletin, please contact the church office at office@gcpc.org, or send to gcpc.prayers@gmail.com.)

SPOTLIGHT

SUMMER MOVIE NIGHT — FRIDAY, JUNE 9 — 8:00 P.M. DC LEAGUE OF SUPERPETS Join in this intergenerational, family friendly, movie night! We'll have popcorn and freeze pops! Bring your own lawn chair or blanket. Meet in the west parking lot of the church. This event is free! (In case of rain, we will postpone until June 16.)

TACTILE LAP QUILT WORK DATES: We will have two upcoming gatherings to sew notions into 6-1/2" fabric squares; 6/10, and 7/8, 10am–12pm in Room 3. All you need to bring is your machine,

thread and scissors, or just a needle if you are a hand sewer. If you would like to participate, or if you would like to sew from home, contact Donna Heer, taxdheer@gmail.com.

DO YOU DRIVE AN ELECTRIC VEHICLE? Sunday, June 18, our Grace Summer Session will be about electric vehicles. This will be an opportunity to show your electric vehicle (cars, vans, bikes) to members and friends who want to learn more about it. This intergenerational session will begin at 10:45am in Heartland Hall with a brief presentation and then move to the west-end parking lot to see the vehicles. If you would be willing to display your vehicle, please sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0A45A4A722A4FC1-electric>

ADULT

DURING ITS SUMMER HIATUS, THE THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP meets once a month in a member's home to share fellowship and hold a book discussion. (In other words, come even if you haven't read the book!) Here are the books for this summer (some locations TBD):

- June 15: *Survival Guide for the Soul* by Ken Shigamatsu at Sarah Evans' house (6402 Cooper St.) at 9:30 a.m.
- July20: *The Red Tent* by Anita Diamant
- August 17: *The Light We Carry* by Michelle Obama

Please contact Cheryl Johnson, agathatoo@gmail.com, with any questions.

THE AS THE PAGE TURNS BOOK GROUP will meet June 7 at 1:30 pm in Room 3 at the church. The book selection is *Angel of Greenwood* by Randi Pink. Please join the group for discussion and fellowship.

CHILDREN

VBS 2023! Our Vacation Bible School registration is going strong, but we have room for more heroes. Visit gcpc.org/vbs to register children age 4 through those who have completed 5th grade for our Hero Hotline VBS. During our fun-filled week, our heroes will learn how they can use their skills to bring peace and build one another up! We hope you will join us and invite a friend too! VBS will be held daily from Monday, June 5–Friday, June 9, 9am–12pm.

MISSION

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES AT RENEWED HOPE FOOD PANTRY: ReNewed Hope makes a significant impact for good in our community by helping solve the problem of food insecurity—lack of reliable access to affordable, nutritious food. Many GCPC members have already volunteered at ReNewed Hope, and food donations may always be left in the bin in the Weekday Entrance. ReNewed Hope needs many volunteers to fulfill their mission. They have service opportunities on Sunday afternoons, Tuesday mornings, and Friday evenings. Please check out their website for more information and use the links there or the Vomo app to volunteer!

<https://renewedhopefoodpantry.org/>

JUNE BLOOD DRIVE: We're excited to host the Community Blood Center donation drive on June 27 during their Royals' promotion week. This means two tickets for everyone who comes in to donate! New donors are always welcome! We'll be making appointments between 2 and 6pm. Book at savealifenow.org/group and enter Group Code: IM. For questions, contact Sarah Byrd, 913-909-1559 or swbyrdks@gmail.com.

77TH IHN ROTATION IS COMING TO GRACE COVENANT, JUNE 11–18: Thank you to everyone that helped with our May Host Week! We are moving forward with our preparations for a June Host week. We have two SignUpGenius links below for all our members and friends to help with in June. Click on the links to learn more and to volunteer.

The Food SignUpGenius provides a dinner meal for our guests and the two hosts each night:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4EABAE28A1FF2-ihnfood7>

The Set Up/Tear Down/and Laundry SignUpGenius:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4EABAE28A1FF2-june>

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