

GRACEPOINTE NEWS

What's Happening & What's Happened

July 3, 2025

GracePointe Family,

Pray for our mission team going to Jamaica on Saturday. We will be preaching, leading Bible studies for children and students, playing games, singing, sharing testimonies, digging and pouring footers for the kitchen/dining expansion, and renovating space in an adjacent home to make it livable. Pray for safe travel, strength for the work, ability to relate and communicate, flexibility to adjust as needed, and supernatural power to represent Christ. Thank you for your support and prayers!

We had a good planning meeting to help us prepare to celebrate our 15th Anniversary on August 23rd and 24th. The following people volunteered to coordinate and be the contact for a specific part of our celebration:

Alice Cotton – slide, dunking booth, and games.
John Mittell – prayer booth.
Paul Cotton – food & drinks.
Jen Blanshan – community organizations tables.
Lynn Kirksey – giveaways.
John Blanshan – security and parking.
Amanda Tate – logistics.
Lynn Kirksey – Sunday's potluck meal.

We would also like to offer the following if we have volunteers to coordinate each one:

Free Car Wash
Free Hair Cuts
Free Oil Change
Facility Setup / Takedown
First-aide Station

Abundant Life Church has found another space to lease that will be more suitable for them until they build down the road from us in the near future. We have used the money from their lease to pay down our mortgage debt each month. This has been a blessing to us and to them. Our current debt balance is \$393,233. We have come a long way in paying down our debt over the last 15 years. Grateful!

This Sunday, Jimmy will be preaching from John Chapter 9, where Jesus heals the man born blind. This man's eyes were opened physically and spiritually. My guess is that we all have blind spots to varying degrees. May the Lord open our eyes to see more clearly who He is and what He would have us do. Pray for Jimmy as he continues to prepare.

I Love You!
Pastor Bobby

WHAT'S HAPPENING

THIS WEEK

Saturday 7/5 – Saturday 7/12

Jamaica Mission Trip

Sunday 7/6

9:00am

Coffee Roundtable

Wednesday 7/9

6:30pm

Youth

Please note that office hours will be irregular due to Jamaica Mission Trip. If you need assistance, please contact Will Grapperhaus at 256-682-0443.



Please be in prayer for our mission team as they fly out Saturday to serve at Spicy Grove Youth Center in Oracabessa, Jamaica.

mark your Calendar

07/13	Try It Group
07/19	Women's Gathering
07/20	Try It Group
07/20 – 07/25	Horton Haven Camp (ages 12-14)
07/23	Belong 101
07/27	Try It Group
08/01	Summer Family Challenge Event
08/23 — 08/24	15 th Anniversary Celebration

Want to see what
small groups are all
about before jumping in?

“Try It” Groups are
perfect to get a feel for
what it's like to be
in a small group.

July 13th – July 20th – July 27th

Sign up at Information Table

Women's GATHERING

SATURDAY JULY 19TH 10AM-12PM

JOIN US FOR A TIME OF DEVOTION, TABLE DISCUSSION,
AND FELLOWSHIP AS WE SEEK TO BECOME THE
WOMEN GOD HAS DESIGNED US TO BE.

Growth Path Class – Belong 101



Wednesday, July 23rd from 6:15 p.m. to 7:45 p.m.

RSVP by texting "Belong" to 256-859-8575 and clicking on the link.

Childcare Available upon Request – Sign Up At Information Table