



**STONE BY
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LIFE
LESSONS
FROM
NEHEMIAH**

How Did We Get Here?

Nehemiah 1:1-4

Pastor Harry Kelm

May 6, 2018

WELCOME TO GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH!

If you would like to find out more about our church or ministries,
please visit our Welcome Centre located in the foyer.

If you are visiting with us today, please take and fill out a Guest Card
from the pew rack. You can place it in the offering plate as
it passes or bring it to the Welcome Centre.

We would love to hear from you!

Info For Everyone

Membership — We would like to celebrate with Nerissa Bucasas, Ann Johnstone, Dan and Joyce Stewart, and Ed and Ruth Willms as we welcome them into GBC membership today.

Communion today — There is a gluten free bread available for those who require it and can be found at the Welcome Centre counter.

Grade 12 Graduates — If you are graduating or have a child who attends GBC and is graduating, we want to know and celebrate them! Please contact Pastor Joel in the next two weeks and let him know.

Reminder — Thank you to everyone who gave so generously to our *Greater Things* campaign over the last 3 years. Your giving has helped greatly for the needs of our church. This project is now over and all giving goes back into the general fund. Thank you.

Camp Caroline Work Weekend — Come on out for the weekend of June 8 - 10 to help our camp grow and change! To see the weekend schedule and project list, and to register, go to www.campcaroline.ab.ca.

2018 Triennial Conference — The North American Baptist Triennial *Shaped for Mission* is coming this summer! It runs from July 26 - 29 in Edmonton, AB and registration ends June 25. Don't miss this great opportunity to support our conference and to celebrate all that God has done and is doing and be challenged by what He wants to do. Register at nabconference.org/triennial.

Evergreen

Come out for our next Luncheon this Thursday, May 10 at noon in the Chapel. Pastor Joel Schnell will be speaking. Please call Peggy at 403-273-2724 by tomorrow morning to make your reservation.

Children's Ministries

Kidz BLOX, "Building Lives On Christ", helps children from Preschool to Grade 6 grow in a relationship with God through Jesus Christ and one another.

Baby BLOX — Nursery is available for children under the age of two during the Sunday morning service.

Note to the Grade 6's — You are invited tonight to join the youth for *theGathering*. Meet down in the Den from 6:30 to 8:30 pm for games, worship, teaching and small groups. You are going to love it!

Grace Student Ministries

theGathering — Come on out tonight from 6:30 to 8:30 pm for games, worship, teaching from the book of James, and small groups. Everyone from grade 6 to 12 is welcome to join us in the Den.

Please note — There will be no *Gathering* on May 13 for Mothers Day. Enjoy the day with and appreciating your moms and grand moms.

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Prayer Requests

Pray for those unwell and/or at home:

Rupert Aragon, Ella Bozicnik, Beth Campbell, Donna Clarke, Ruth Kind, David Nelson, Frieda Redlich, Sam and Annis Teske, Doug Werklund, and Cindy Wilbur

Pray for those in Extended Care:

Aspen Lodge – Dais Davis, Lydia Sept

Cedars Villa – Gladys deVries

St. Teresa Place – Enith Bettcher, Loretta Wiens

The Heartland – Else Hilbrecht

Waverly Home – Dennis Seever

Whitehorn Village – Clarence Priebe

Pray for those who are unable to join us on Sunday mornings due to illness or extended caregiving circumstances.

Pray For: Vern and Gloria Wagner, NAB, Camp Falcon Rock, Romania
Vern and Gloria Wagner have been part of the Camp Falcon Rock team since November, 2016, working on renovations since they arrived. They are continuing in faith that the needed building permits will come in, the water/sewage project will get finished and the two duplex cabins will get built so that they can open the doors for its first summer camp this year! Please continue to pray alongside them. In March they were able to accommodate 42 young adults for a weekend retreat on leading youth ministries with purpose. God has also provided a ministry van that has been useful for transporting supplies and materials as well as people! God is good! Vern and Gloria ask to continue to pray for the final stage of the permits, for funding for Camp Falcon Rock, and for the construction teams that will be there in May.

Prayer Chain: Email frontdesk@gbccalgary.com with prayer requests or fill out the prayer request section on a Guest or Connection Card found in the pew racks.

Prayer Time: Everyone is welcome to join us at 9:45 am Sunday mornings in the Prayer Room to pray for our church and the Sunday morning service.

If there is a birth, death or illness of a loved one, and you would like support, assistance or prayer, please call the church office.

If you are interested in knowing what it means to be a Christ-follower, please contact Pastor Harry Kelm.