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LESSONS  
FROM  
NEHEMIAH**

***Strategies in the Fight***

**Nehemiah 4:13-23**

**Pastor Harry Kelm**

**June 24, 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***

***Database Update*** — This is the last weekend that we will be asking everyone to come to the foyer to verify or update your personal information for the database. *Our goal is to ensure that we have the correct information on all GBC attendees and have a new Church Directory ready for distribution in the Fall.*

***2018 Triennial Conference*** — The North American Baptist Triennial *Shaped for Mission* registration ends tomorrow, June 25th! It runs from July 26 - 29 in Edmonton. You don't want to miss this great opportunity to support our conference and celebrate all that God has done and is doing. There is even a "Saturday only" option so check out the website at [nabconference.org/triennial](http://nabconference.org/triennial).

***Volunteers needed*** — Pastor Alice is looking for volunteers for our summer VBS program and our Summer BLOX as well. If you are interested in helping out, please contact her.

***Camp Caroline*** — Adventure awaits as we embark on an incredible journey each week at our summer camps! There are experiences for everyone with camps for grades 2 to 12 as well as families. Register today at [campcaroline.ab.ca](http://campcaroline.ab.ca).

***2019 Philippines Missions Trip*** — Is God calling you to serve Him? We are looking for partners who would like to join us on a short term missions trip happening October 21 to November 5, 2019 (tentatively). If you are interested and would like more information, check out the Missions board by the nursery or contact James Angihan at [jangihan@yahoo.com](mailto:jangihan@yahoo.com) or Maria Mulcahy at [mmulcahy66@gmail.com](mailto:mmulcahy66@gmail.com).

## ***Ladies of Grace***

***Women Flying Solo Picnic*** — Come on out to Marlene Ford's right after the service today. Erna Martens will be sharing her life's journey. If anyone has questions or needs directions please talk to Vickie or Marlene.

***Summer Reading Book Exchange*** — There is a book crate in the foyer for our summer reading pleasure. Drop off a book or pick one up. They can be either fiction or non, and the only criteria we ask is that the content be appropriate for our Christian women's heart. Happy summer reading!

## ***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.

***July 1 Long Weekend*** — Please note that there will be no Kidz BLOX or nursery next Sunday. Parents, please keep your children with you during the service. The nursery will be open, however, just not staffed. Feel free to use it with parent supervision only.

## ***Grace Student Ministries***

***Summer Events*** — Check back here and on Facebook for great things coming soon!

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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:***

Agape Hospice — Agnes Bethune

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:*** Jerry and Cindy Walker, Wycliffe Bible Translators, Papua, New Guinea

Please pray for Jerry and Cindy as they are in the last 10 days of their furlough, flying back to PNG on July 3. Pray for them as they make their difficult good-byes and attend to all the last minute details preparing to leave. Please pray for Cindy as she heals from a recent surgery on her wrist; an injury she acquired while on furlough. Please pray for complete healing and that this surgery has been successful in relieving the pain that Cindy has been experiencing. She will continue with physical therapy in PNG as well. Pray for their ministry, that they will transition well into their previous roles and feel refreshed, renewed and excited to be getting back to the work that God has called them to.

***Prayer Chain:*** Email [frontdesk@gbccalgary.com](mailto: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.*