

Thursday, October 1st, A.D. 2026

Dear Friends of *Grace Family Ministries*:

“O LORD, You have searched me and known me, You know my sitting down and my rising up; You understand my thought afar off. You comprehend my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways. For there is not a word on my tongue, but behold, O LORD, You know it altogether. You have hedged me behind and before, and laid Your hand upon me. Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; It is high, I cannot attain it” (Psalm 139:1-6 NKJV).

At the heart of intentionally raising up a new generation of faithful Christian servants is the stewardship responsibility of teaching them to behold the unlimited majesty of God. This is certainly one of the most significant matters of consequence that any generation can pass on to another. The timeless truths of Psalm 139 captivate the heart as God’s omniscience, providential watch care over our lives, omnipresence, and His omnipotence are an inescapable reality day by day. **Glory to His Name!**

GFM’s 3rd Anniversary!

Three years ago this month, Lori and I launched this ministry. We were compelled of the Lord to continue traveling the country just as we did with Things to Come Mission but with more of an emphasis on biblical marriage and family life. This passion was ignited by God’s Spirit in the depths of our souls as churches were languishing (and continue to do so) because of the state of the Christian home. Having said that, there are glimmers of a hope-filled revival as more of God’s people are catching a vision of what could happen in their church and family when their lives get back on track with God’s agenda for the home. Every month, we are grateful for the manifold opportunities to serve at churches, camps, and conferences along with generous friends who faithfully uphold GFM in prayer and financial support. If this endeavor is something that thrills your soul, then we would invite you to join our team of ministry partners in this mission of ***“Advancing the Cause of Christ to the Ends of the Earth...Beginning Right at Home.”***

Looking Back & Looking Ahead

Last month, we served at Wall Lake Grace Church in northwest Iowa, Grace Bible Church in Tabor, South Dakota (Grace Family Conference), Grace Gospel Church in Linton, Indiana, and Grace Bible Church in Beloit, Wisconsin. Many thanks are due to the pastors and all the precious saints of these assemblies that welcomed us to join them for worship and for open doors to minister the Word and in song. **Sermons include:**

- ***“The Dead Serious Urgency of Spiritual Warfare: Gospel Reflections on National Tragedy & the Defining of Two Generations” (25th Ann. of 9/11 & 1st Ann. of Charlie Kirk’s Assassination)***
- ***“Pray for One Another: Leverage the Virtues of Doxology, Encouragement, & Forgiveness”***
- ***“Praying for Our Kids: What God Has Taught Me in the First 20 Years of Parenting”***
- ***“Behold, the Unlimited Majesty of GOD: Timeless Truths That Will Captivate the Heart”***

This month, we are gearing up for two big ministry adventures in Ohio and Alabama! Our friends at Community Bible Church in Tipp City are hosting this year’s Ohio Grace Family Conference from Thursday, October 15th to Saturday, October 17th. **“Champion the Great American Experiment: Fighting for Your**

GFM’s 10 Biblical Convictions

- 1. Sovereign Majesty of GOD’s Holiness**
- 2. Sufficiency & Preaching of GOD’s Word**
- 3. Supremacy of GOD’s Grace for Life & Ministry**
- 4. Security of GOD’s Saints in Christ**
- 5. Solid Theology of GOD’s Design for the Family**
- 6. Singing of GOD’s Praise & Inter-Generational Worship**
- 7. Scheduled Priorities of GOD’s Time Restructured**
- 8. Salt & Light Moral Back-Pressure of GOD’s Truth**
- 9. Stalwart Faithfulness of GOD’s Providence in History**
- 10. Stewardship Responsibility of GOD’s Mission**

Faith, Family, & Freedom” is the theme featuring multiple speakers from around the country. Please uphold this event in prayer and help us spread the word. **Sessions include:**

- ***“Fighting for the Stewardship of the Great American Experiment”***
- ***“Fighting for Faith in Christ & the Absolute Truth of the Biblical Worldview”***
- ***“Fighting for Your Family & the Glory of God in Creation Order”***
- ***“Fighting for Your Freedom from the Tyranny of a Secularized Culture”***
- ***“Fighting for the Historic Virtue of Manliness at the Heart of Civilization”***
- ***“Fighting for the Spirit of ’76 & the Integrity of America’s Founding”***

Afterwards, we’ll be heading to Mobile, Alabama for the first time in several years. Our friends at Grace Bible Church and Forest Park Bible Church have invited us to come and minister there in the deep south. Once again, we’re grateful for our ministry partners like yourselves who sacrificially support this work. **If you are not already giving, please prayerfully consider a special gift this month** to help cover the costs of the four meals that GFM is sponsoring at the Ohio Grace Family Conference as well as fuel/lodging expenses for our trip to Alabama. Stay up to date on all these things through GFM’s website, YouTube channel, and Facebook pages.

Majesty of GOD & American History

Whereas the Christian worldview was the defining ideology that shaped the culture in Colonial America, it is astounding to learn how many of our founding fathers were not merely “culturally Christian.” Most of them were men of resolute biblical conviction whose understanding of God’s majesty and His Word was lived out in the full spectrum of life. Back in 1989, Robert Morey explained in **“The Battle of the Gods: The Gathering Storm in Modern Evangelicalism”**:

“Our understanding of God will inevitably determine how we view ourselves & how we treat others. But what we often fail to understand is that what is true on an individual level is frequently true on a corporate level. Units of people such as families, tribes, & nations will act according to what they think about God. Hitler’s view of God, which he derived from Nietzsche (who authored the phrase ‘God is dead’), led the German nation to war & ruination. The slaughter of more than 150 million people by the Communists since 1914 is a direct result of their denial of the existence of God. The Muslim terrorist who blows up an airplane full of innocent people is simply acting out his wrong views of God. The self-centered egotism of New Agers is only an out-working of their claim that they are gods.”

“On the other hand, when a family, tribe, or nation adopts right views of God, the results are wonderful. Indeed, the United States became great because the kind of God in which the Pilgrims believed supplied them with an infinite point of reference, by which they could judge right from wrong in an absolute way. Thus they could have absolute moral principles. They also believed that divine absolutes lay in every area of life. Science, history, the arts, economics, & politics were to be structured by the absolutes found in the Bible. This is why the Declaration of Independence traced human rights all the way back to the Creator who gave them. These absolutes in turn created the free market system, which has been the secret of America’s prosperity.”

Thank You for Standing with Us

This is our prayer for each of our families: That we may be blessed to behold the unlimited majesty of God every day of our lives. May we all do so by rejoicing in Him who is the all-knowing, all-present, and all-powerful One who presides over the destiny of nations including each of our lives to the praise of His glory in Christ Jesus. Thank you for your sacrificial gifts and for faithfully standing with us in this mission of ***“Advancing the Cause of Christ to the Ends of the Earth...Beginning Right at Home.”***

With Genuine Sincerity & Deep Gratitude,

Pastor Tim Board

GFM Co-Founder & Director