## **NEW HERE?**

#### WELCOME

Thanks for worshipping with us today!

Help us get to know you–please consider filling out a Connect Card (in the back of the pew in front of you) and place it in the offering plate.

#### **HELPFUL NOTES FOR PARENTS**

Infants are welcome in the sanctuary during the worship service to participate as they are able. We also have a Parents' Room (Parlor–A4) located just off of the sanctuary where you can watch and hear the service in a comfortable, private setting. Infant and toddler care is also offered by trained volunteers in the Nursery (room C11).

**2–5 Year–Olds** | Activities are available for 2 & 3 year-olds (D21) and 4 & 5 year-olds (C19) during the worship service

#### K-Grade 6 | Join us for Kids' Own Worship

Children will be invited to exit the sanctuary at the beginning of the sermon. A teacher will meet them outside the sanctuary doors and walk them to their classroom (D20-22 and D25).

Worship Activity Bags with pencils, crayons, and activity pages for all age levels are available in the back of the sanctuary.

#### **WELCOME CENTERS**

Located near our main entrances, staffed by friendly greeters, these spaces offer helpful information for guests and members.

## WEBSITE granthamchurch.org

Visit our website for information about our ministries, upcoming events, and access to our multiple giving avenues.

#### **EMAIL FROM THE PASTOR & THE BODY LIFE**

All church events, news, and announcements are available in our weekly email. If you would like to receive it, sign-up on our website (granthamchurch.org/contact).

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Ask an usher or greeter located in the back of the sanctuary and the welcome centers. They will be happy to serve you!

#### **GRANTHAM CARE TEAMS**

Do you have a specific need that we can help meet? Would you like to join and help assist one of our care teams? To share a need or find out more, visit our website (*granthamchurch.org/care-teams*).

## **NOTES**

FOLLOW US (7) (2) GRANTHAMCHURCH.ORG

OFFICE HOURS | MON-THURS from 9AM-5PM | 717-766-0531



## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**Benediction** 

**Missions Sunday** 

PRELUDE	Organ   Greg Lowther
GATHERING	
Welcome	Pastor David Flowers
O For A Thousand Tongues (#91) v.1-4	
Salaam / Peace	
Prayers of the People	Pastor Melissa Lowther
The Lord's Prayer	
Offering	Thuma Mina
HEARING THE WORD	
Sermon	Jonathan Lloyd
RESPONDING	
Ingathering Offering	Facing A Task Unfinished
SENDING	

# **SERMON** granthamchurch.org/sermons



# An Invitation: The Peculiar Call to the Mission of God

GENESIS 18:18-19 1 PETER 2:9-12 JOHN 20:21 REVELATION 7:9

The call of God for His people is a call to become like foreigners. We are citizens of a new kingdom, and we will increasingly be peculiar people in the eyes of the world as we follow Christ. In this message, BIC U.S. Missions Director, Jonathan Lloyd, shares about the Mission of God for his people, updates from the global church, and exciting opportunities for our Grantham congregation.

## **Missions Sunday 2025**

Despite the many challenges we are facing in our country today, and in other places around the world, God is on the move and his Spirit is drawing people to himself. We need to hear these stories and be encouraged and assured that the gospel is being proclaimed, the lost are being found by Jesus, and the Kingdom is coming to earth. Today is Missions Sunday 2025 at Grantham Church! Jonathan Lloyd, Director of World Missions, will share with us how BIC U.S. World Missions is seeing God at work in the world, how they've been adjusting to change, and how we can participate in the move of God's Spirit.

## **WORSHIP RESOURCES**

#### WANT TO JOIN A SMALL GROUP?

If you are interested in joining with others to share life and dive deeper into the sermon and what it means for our lives, go to our website to learn more about getting connected (*granthamchurch.org/discipleship*).

#### **WORSHIP RESOURCES** granthamchurch.org/sermons

Sermons are posted online every Monday along with small group discussion questions and other sermon resources (e.g. sermon slides, sermon audio, service video, etc.).

Subscribe to the Grantham Church Podcast!

# **EVENTS** *granthamchurch.org/events*



### **TODAY**

Refugee Care Lunch & Learn	after service
Art Gallery Reception	after service
Evening Youth Fellowship	

## THIS WEEK

Men's Bible Study		FRI,	NOV	21,	6:45AM
Sing & Play	FRI,	<b>NOV 21</b>	, 9:30	&	10:30AM

## **NEXT SUNDAY** November 23

Learning Communities	9AM
Children's Choir	
Thanksgiving Service	10:30AM
Fellowship Meal	
Congregational Council	after service
Evening Youth Fellowship	

## SAVE THE DATE

Office Closure	THUR, NOV 27
Moms Together	WED, DEC 3, 9:30AM
Family Christmas Event	FRI, DEC 12, 6:30-8PM

# **STAFF** *granthamchurch.org/staff*

David Flowers	senior pastor
Melissa Lowther	discipleship pastor
David Perry	worship arts pastor
<b>Denise Fogelsange</b>	rchildren's pastor
Chrissy Hoffner	youth coordinator

Linda Worman ...office administrator
Derek Boyce ...director of operations
Cate Lewis ......communications
Mike Ryan .....head custodian

# **GIVING, ATTENDANCE, & VIEWS**

#### **GENERAL FUND GIVING**

Year to Date Budget \$850,095 Year to Date Giving \$803,519

### LAST WEEK

Giving \$15,386 Attendance 359 Livestream 85