

" 'And behold,  
I am coming quickly, and My  
reward is with Me, to give to  
everyone according to His work.  
I am the Alpha and the Omega,  
the Beginning and the End,  
the First and the Last.' "

Revelation 22:12 - 13



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**Our Weekly Services**

Sunday School.....9:30  
Sunday Morning Worship .....11:00  
Sunday Evening Worship.....5:30  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting.....7:15

We warmly welcome our visitors today. Please complete a Visitor's Card  
and place it in the offering plate or in the box located in the foyer. We hope to greet  
you in a more personal way following the services.

## **The Lord's Day**

**January 1, 2012**

**Call to Worship**

**Pastor Andy Dunkerton**

**Hymn of Praise**

**# 135 "I Greet Thee, Who  
My Sure Redeemer Art"**

**Scripture Reading**

**Philippians 3:1 - 14**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Offertory Hymn**

**"O Church, Arise"**

1. O Church, arise, and put your armor on; hear the call of Christ our Captain.  
For now the weak can say that they are strong, in the strength  
that God has given.

With shield of faith and belt of truth, we'll stand against the devil's lies;  
an army bold, whose battle cry is love, reaching out to those in darkness.

2. Our call to war to love the captive soul, but to rage against the captor;  
and with the sword that makes the wounded whole, we will fight  
with faith and valor.

When faced with trials on ev'ry side, we know the outcome is secure,  
and Christ will have the prize for which He died an inheritance of nations.

3. Come see the Cross, where love and mercy meet, as the Son of God  
is stricken;

then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet, for the Conqueror has risen!

And as the stone is rolled away and Christ emerges from the grave,  
this vic'try march continues till the day ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him.

4. So Spirit come, put strength in ev'ry stride, give grace for ev'ry hurdle,  
that we may run with faith to win the prize of a servant good and faithful.

As saints of old still line the way, retelling triumphs of His grace,  
we hear the calls and hunger for the day when with Christ we stand in Glory.

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**Hymn of Preparation**

**# 599 "The Sands of  
Time"**

**Sermon**

**Pastor Stu Johnston**

## Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Pastor Bob Prentice

Hymn of Praise

# 609 "A Few More  
Years Shall Roll"

Scripture Reading

Exodus 1

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

"Before the Throne  
of God Above"

1. Before the throne of God above I have a strong, a perfect plea;  
a great High Priest whose name is "Love," who ever lives and pleads for me.  
My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart,  
I know that while in heav'n He stands no tongue can bid me thence depart,  
no tongue can bid me thence depart.
2. When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,  
upward I look and see Him there who made an end to all my sin.  
Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free.  
For God, the Just is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me,  
to look on Him and pardon me.
3. Behold Him there, the risen Lamb, my perfect, spotless righteousness;  
the great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace,  
one with Himself I cannot die, my soul is purchased by His blood;  
my life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ my Savior and my God,  
with Christ my Savior and my God.

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Hymn of Preparation

# 492 "Take My Life  
and Let it Be"

Sermon

Nick Gaines

## **GRBC Calendar and Announcements**

### **Today**

Pastor Johnston will speak at the Hawfields service today,  
3:00 pm. All are invited to attend.

### **January, 2012**

**Ladies Missionary Society- 1/7, 9:00 AM**

**Loaves and Fishes Bag Lunch Preparation- 1/7, 10:00 AM**

**College/Career Lunch- 1/8 following AM worship**

**Loaves and Fishes Bag Lunch Prep/Delivery- 1/7, 10:00 AM**

**Men's Prayer Meeting- 1/13 & 24, 6:30 AM**

**Moms' Coffee Connection- 1/13, 10:00 AM**

**Ladies' Bible Study- 1/17- 10:00 AM**

**Men's "Action" Meeting- 1/19, 7:30 PM**

**Youth Meetings, 1/22/11 following PM worship**

### **Announcements**

**\*\*\*2012 Family Conference, July 10-13. Information can be found at:  
<http://familyconference.grbc.net>\*\*\***

**Campus Outreach Opportunities** - Please see the bulletin board for ways  
you can provide items to help our CO friends.

**"Food for the Hungry"** - You may visit: [fh.org/gracereformed](http://fh.org/gracereformed) for  
for information.

**Franson's Transportation List** - There are ongoing needs to help with  
transportation for Peter and Joan.

### **\*\*\*Lost and Found/Kitchen Items\*\*\***

**Many kitchen/lost and found/Christmas items are on the  
table in the Sunday School foyer. Please go by the table**

**today to retrieve your items!**