



# The Lighthouse

Newsletter of Grace Baptist Church

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## Guest Speakers

Oct. 12: Pastor Darin Shaw

Oct. 19: Donald Busch

Oct. 26: Ray Brown

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## Combined Worship Service w/ Christ's Church of Amherst

Today, Oct. 12th, we will be having a combined worship service here at GBC with Christ's Church of Amherst. There will be a fellowship lunch after the service. We are asking everyone to bring either a salad or dessert.

## Operation Christmas Child



This is a unique project of an organization called "Samaritan's Purse", sending a message of hope to children in desperate situations around the world through gift-filled shoe boxes, relief aid, and Christian literature. Boxes are available in the foyer. **All filled boxes are due by Sun., Nov. 16.** Any questions, please see Trish Lindsay or Nancy Busch.

## Our Church Sign Needs You!

We are seeking someone willing to update our church sign out by the road on a regular basis. Please call the church office or see an Elder if you are interested.

## This Week Oct. 12-Oct. 19

### Sunday:

Sunday School	9:30 AM
Chatterbox Café	10:30 AM
Morning Worship w/ CCoA	11 AM
Fellowship Lunch w/ CCoA	12 PM
No Bible Study w/Lyn Swenson	
Youth Group	6 PM

### Wednesday:

Prayer Meeting	7 PM
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### Saturday:

Men's Breakfast	8 AM
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**Last Week's Giving: \$2203.00**

**Attendance Last Week: 57**



## **G.C.S. 1st Annual Craft Fair Sat. Nov. 15th , 9-3 PM**

We are seeking crafters and artisans for our 1st Annual Craft Fair. Information and applications are available on our website, [www.grace4u.com/gcs/gcs.htm](http://www.grace4u.com/gcs/gcs.htm) or from the school office. This is great publicity for both GBC and GCS.

## Ladies Events

The Women's Bible study will be starting on Thursday, Oct. 23rd from 9:00-11:30 AM. We will be studying "A Woman's Heart-God's Dwelling Place", a study of the Old Testament Tabernacle.



We would like to invite the Ladies of Grace to participate with us in "Just Christmas" on Saturday, December 6, from 1:00 - 4:30 pm at Grace Chapel in Lexington, MA. Gail MacDonald, well-known speaker and writer will be giving an inspiring message. There will also be singing of Christmas carols with the Salvation Army quartet, a craft to make, lunch and a book shop. The total cost for the afternoon is \$25.00/person. More information, a sign-up sheet and registration forms are posted on our Women's Ministries bulletin board in the foyer. Please sign up and give your completed registration form and check for \$25.00 made out to "Grace Chapel" to Loni, Joyce or Donnice by October 26 so that we can reserve our tables. This will be a wonderful chance for us to join with other women for a time of fellowship and encouragement. If you have any questions see Loni, Joyce or Donnice.

## Men's Breakfast

The next Men's Breakfast will be Sat. October 18 at 8:00 AM. Come on out and join us for some great food and fellowship.