Ministries Where You Can Serve

GHBC Facebook Social Page: We have a church social page! This is a place for GHBC members only to socialize, share resources, request needs or post general questions. You can advertise your business, ask for or share items that you may have that can benefit other members. Also, a place for reminders of church events or volunteer needs. Let's socialize as a local church body!

Outreach for Our Veterans: Liberation Veteran Services
Breakfast and the Gospel. Come see the Power of the Gospel and serve with us at the new Veteran's Village, 5503 Midlothian Turnpike. Join the Outreach Ministry so together we can serve, dine, and proclaim the Gospel to homeless veterans on the third Saturday of each month from 9:30-11:30. This is a unique opportunity to spend time with our veterans and exalt Christ. Children are welcome to attend with their parents. Questions? Contact Victoria Pitrelli or check the Church App.

Pregnancy Support Center of Southside VA
This life-affirming, Christian ministry offers support to pregnant women, fathers and their families. The center is open on Thursdays from 10-4 with both male and female volunteers needed. If you have any interest in participating, please contact the Outreach BtB Team at outreach@ghbcva.org

Wellspring (Amelia) Nursing Home & Rehabilitation
Join us on the second Sunday of the month @ 2PM as we minister to those that are shut in and cannot come out for services There will be a short message along with worship singing with the residents. If interested, please contact Brian Hayes or Marcus Hopper. You can also email outreach@ghbcva.org for more info.

11.08.26 Pastor Mark Wells

Ready and Waiting

1 Thessalonians 5:1-8

Paul reminds us of three great truths that should shape the way we live:

1. The Certainty of His Coming (vv. 1–3):

2. The Contrast of His Children (vv. 4–5):

3. The Conduct of His Church (vv. 6–8):

Please take time to meditate on the truths sung during our time of worship through song

- Christ Our Hope In Life And Death
- One Day (When We All Get To Heaven)
- Be Thou My Vision
- Revelation Song

Sermon Next Week - 11.15.2026

No Fear

1 Thessalonians 5:9-11

Announcements

Homeschool Hub: Last Meeting for 2026 November 20th

College & Career Sunday School: New Sunday School Class for 17-year-olds and older entering in the college and career fields. Meeting 9am Sunday Morning 1st floor Building B Room 108.

Widows Group: Next meeting is November 19th at noon.

Operation Christmas Child: Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child boxes are here! Please take a box, shop, and return it no later than **NOVEMBER 22nd** to table in Sanctuary A. Questions, see Kristi Bradshaw.

Night of Thanksgiving and Praise: Join us Sunday, November 22nd 6:00 - 7:00pm for a night of Worship!

Thanksgiving Food Collections: For 18 years, our community has gathered every Thanksgiving to make sure no one goes without a warm meal. Help AWANA Clubs collect food for Thanksgiving meal thru November 22nd. Box located in fellowship hall!

WoG Christmas Brunch & Ornament Exchange: Mark your calendars Dec 5th from 10-11:30. Please sign-up if you plan to attend or bring something yummy to share.

WoG Brunch

Youth Christmas Party: December 18th 6-8pm at the Poindexter's House. More info to follow.

S.O.S Ministries Christmas Offering: Each year we collect a special Christmas offering for S.O.S Ministries from Nov 1st until Dec 31st. Please give to support S.O.S Ministries.

Pregnancy Support Center: The 2026 Walk for Life raised $86,303! Thank you for your help in supporting this important life-affirming work.

Church Cleaning: Cleaning Team Members needed!!!!! It takes a lot to keep our buildings looking clean and tidy. We need help once a month to assist in this process! Please contact Kelsey Rice if you're interested.

Men's Book Study: Mondays 7-8pm and Fridays 6-7am. Our new book study, *Knowing God*, will start January 4th.

Walk the Walk: Join this new women's small group on Mondays at 6:30pm for a walk around the church neighborhood. Please bring weather appropriate clothing and a flashlight. Book study - "*Discipline: The Glad Surrender*". Please see Richelle Tucker with questions.