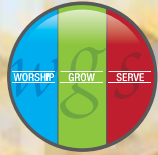


# FEATURED ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Summer Adult Electives

Sundays, starting 6/2: *Grasping God's Word* (10:55am)  
 Starting 6/9: *The Truth Project* (10:55am)  
 Starting 6/16: *1 John and Old Testament Survey 1* (9:20am)  
 Starting 7/28: *Parenting Teenagers and Theology 3* (10:55am)  
 Register @ [goldenhills.org/classes](http://goldenhills.org/classes) or call x7104 to sign up.

## Vacation Bible School (VBS)

June 10th-14th @ GHCC Brentwood

Registration is now open for kids entering Kindergarten through 5th Grade. Volunteer opportunities still available! Visit our Children's Office or [goldenhills.org](http://goldenhills.org) for more info.



## Student Ministries Summer Kickoff

Friday, May 31st from 6:30-8:30pm @ GHCC Brentwood

Come kick off the Summer with Student Ministries! We will be having a BBQ on the plaza and fun activities for all ages! BBQ plates are \$5 and Tikiz Shaved Ice & Ice Cream Truck will be onsite. All 5th through 12th grade families welcome!



## Transforming Prayer

Saturday, May 18th from 9-11am in W129/130

Join us for a special time of praise, the Word, and prayer. Come let the Word of God and time in prayer and praise refresh your heart, mind, and soul. Together we will seek the will of God for our church, ministries, events, and our community.



## Aphesis Discipleship Group

Tuesdays @ 6pm starting in late July

Aphesis is a unique small group discipleship process that helps you learn how to identify and turn from the things that are keeping you from being a better disciple of Jesus Christ. For more information about Aphesis, contact Sally Jenkins at x7163.



## Thank You Larry & Karla

Sunday, May 19th @ 2pm in the GHCC Brentwood Sanctuary

Join us for a special time to honor Pastor Larry & Karla for their sacrificial leadership of this congregation and service to our church and community. Fellowship & refreshments will follow.



## NOTES

### AN INVITATION

The invitation to accept Jesus' offer of forgiveness is the most important consideration you will ever make. Your eternal destiny hangs on that choice!

Jesus' death on the cross, His burial, and resurrection is our guarantee of complete forgiveness if we will turn to Him and accept His gracious offer.

#### How does a person accept the Lord's invitation?

- 1 Believe that what Jesus said about you is true: "All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." Confess your sins to God and agree with Him about your need for forgiveness.
- 2 Receive Jesus into your life by telling Him that you believe that He is your Savior and Lord. Confess to Him your faith in His death on the cross for your sins, that He was buried, and on the third day He rose again. Tell Him you believe He is alive today and you want Him to live in you.
- 3 Commit yourself to follow Him as Lord. Ask Him to teach you His Word and pledge to follow Him wherever He leads. Thank Him for the gift of eternal life that He paid for with His own blood.
- 4 Tell others what God has done for you and learn more about following Jesus Christ as His disciple through Baptism, reading the Bible, and getting involved in a good, Bible-teaching church.

### OUR PROCESS FOR DISCIPLESHIP in the context of Christian Community

WORSHIP	GROW	SERVE
Participating in a personal experience of worship in our weekly services and by honoring God in how we live our daily lives.	Growing in our understanding of what it means to be a disciple through involvement in a Discovery class and a weekly Small Group.	Utilizing our spiritual gifts in an ongoing service experience in the church, the community, and the world.

*Our purpose is to glorify God by making disciples who will impact every area of the world for Christ.*

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**BRENTWOOD CAMPUS**  
 2401 Shady Willow Ln, Brentwood, CA 94513  
 (925) 516-0653  
 Sunday Services: 7:45, 9:20, 10:55am, 6:00pm

@GHCCBrentwood

[goldenhills.org](http://goldenhills.org)

**ANTIOCH CAMPUS**  
 1800 Woodland Dr, Antioch, CA 94509  
 (925) 777-9465  
 Sunday Services: 9:20, 10:55am

@GHCCAntioch

**BRENTWOOD CAMPUS**

**CELEBRATION SUNDAY**  
 May 12, 2019

**CHILD DEDICATIONS**

**OFFERTORY**  
*Until My Voice is Gone*  
 Celebration Singers

**MESSAGE FROM GOD'S WORD**  
*Living in His Grace*  
 Luke 1:26-38  
 Pastor Larry Adams

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# TODAY & THIS WEEK

## TODAY, MAY 12TH

### HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY!

**9:30 AM** Cell to Cross Prison Ministry Meeting, Shepherd Center Conference Rm

**6:00 PM** Prayer for Muslims during Ramadan, W131

## TUESDAY, MAY 14TH

**7:00 PM** GriefShare Begins, Worship Center Board Room

## THURSDAY, MAY 16TH

**9:00 AM** MOPS, W129/130

## SATURDAY, MAY 18TH

**9:00 AM** Transforming Prayer Event, W129/130

**11:00 AM** Special Needs Parents Day Out, Multi-Purpose Room

**5:30 PM** HSM Leader Appreciation BBQ, Offsite

*A more complete listing of classes & events at the Brentwood Campus is posted on the bulletin boards.*

# PROGRAMS FOR KIDS & YOUTH

**NURSERY (ages 0-2)** – 7:45am | 9:20am | 10:55am

**SUNDAY SCHOOL (Pre-K-5th Grade)** – 7:45am | 9:20am | 10:55am

**SPECIAL NEEDS (Elementary-Young Adult)** – 9:20am | 10:55am

**STUDENT MINISTRIES (6th-12th Grade)** – 9:20am | 10:55am

# SERVE IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Sign up @ [goldenhills.org](http://goldenhills.org)  
Email [julieandereggen@goldenhills.org](mailto:julieandereggen@goldenhills.org)  
Or visit the CM Office

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Summer is coming & many of our volunteers take the summer off. Serving in a Sunday school class from June-August is a GREAT way to see if Children's Ministry might be the right fit for you. Stop by our table out front TODAY for info.

## VBS

Come on an adventure with us on an animal safari into the wild. VBS is June 10-14. Volunteers: please sign up online or in the CM Office. Kids registration continues online and in the CM Office.

## SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRIES

Parents Day Out/Respite Care, THIS Sat, 5/18, 11am-1pm. Students & siblings, come join us for food, face painting & games. Must RSVP to [specialneedsministry@goldenhills.org](mailto:specialneedsministry@goldenhills.org) by 5/16.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MINISTRIES

Hume Lake Summer Camp Reg is online @ [goldenhills.org](http://goldenhills.org) • Summer Kick Off Family BBQ, Fri, 5/31 @ 6:30pm. Incoming 6th grade families welcome! • Last night of MSM Small Groups is Wed, 5/15.

## HIGH SCHOOL MINISTRIES

HS Grad recognition is Sun, 6/2 @ 10:55am. Seniors, sign up @ [goldenhills.org](http://goldenhills.org) • Summer Kick Off Family BBQ: Fri, 5/31, 6:30pm @ GHCC! • Last night of HSM Small Groups is Thur, 5/16.

## YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

Join Kairos (ages 18-25) on Tues, 7-9pm in the Ed Building, MPR. Studying "The Sermon on the Mount" • Kairos Summer Kick Off Dinner and Worship, 6/4 @ 7pm.

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

MOPS: THIS Thur, 5/16, @ 9am W129/130 • Mark your calendar for our next Coffee Break event: Sat, 6/1 @ 9am, MPR • More Women's Ministries information on our GHCC WM FaceBook page.

## ADULT MINISTRIES

NEW SUMMER CLASSES—9:20am: 1 John (starts 6/16); OT Survey 1 (starts 6/16) // 10:55am: The Truth Project (starts 6/9); Grasping God's Word (starts 6/2). Register online TODAY for these classes.

## SENIOR ADULT MINISTRIES

Memorial Weekend Picnic: Sat, 5/25, 11:30am @ Apple Hill Park, Brentwood, BBQ Tri-tip provided. Bring a food item to share. Call x7124 to coordinate • 9:20am Sunday Class taught by Gary Middleton.

## GLOBAL OUTREACH

Join us in prayer for the Muslim world: Sundays during Ramadan (5/5-6/4) @ 6pm in W131 • Come learn & pray for our partners around the world at GO Praise & Prayer on Mondays @ 7pm in W131.

## ANTIOCH CAMPUS

VBS Mtg: Tues, 5/14 6:30pm (VBS: July 8-12) • Appreciation Event for Pastor Larry & Karla: Sun, 5/19, @ 2pm • 10:55 service nursery helpers needed. Please sign up in back • Last week of BEACH.

## SMALL GROUPS

Aphesis: a discipling process that helps people work through things that get in the way of a deeper relationship with God: Tues evening, 7/30-10/29. Cost \$150. Class size limited. Sign up by 6/2, x7163.

## RECOVERY

GriefShare starts THIS Tues, 5/14 @ 7pm for those who have lost someone in death. Call x7163 for details • Celebrate Recovery meets on Fridays in Brentwood, and Mondays in Antioch - both @ 7pm.

## CONNECTING MINISTRIES

To gain a GHCC ministry overview, join a Ministry Tour on Sunday @ 9am at the Connecting Point. See our ministries, hear how God's working, and discover where He is leading you to serve.

## PRAYER MINISTRIES

Join us THIS Sat, 5/18, from 9 to 11am in W129/130, at our Transforming Prayer Event, as we pray for our church, ministries, events and our community.

## WORSHIP ARTS

Celebration Singers & spouses are invited to celebrate with us at our 60's themed End of Year Party on 5/23 @ 6:30pm in the MPR. If you need childcare, please RSVP to x7120 no later than 5/20!

## FYI

- Discover what God is doing near and far through GHCC & our partners through GHCC's seasonal newsletter, The Messenger. Check your email for the newest copy coming this week.
- Local Senior Homes are seeking Bible Studies or a Worship Service. If you can teach, or serve in a supporting role, contact Pastor Rick Moe @ x7124.
- GHCC Budget Report: Our 2019 general fund is running at 98% of budget. This represents a shortfall of \$47,121. Praise the Lord for meeting our every need, and for your faithfulness.

## BRENTWOOD CHILD DEDICATIONS

**7:45 AM** Waylon David Ravelo

**9:20 AM** Grey Alexander Lassle

Shyloh Oles

Sadie Grace Sweetnam

Gian Alonzo Tolentino

**10:55 AM** Alexis Callagan

Isaiah Callagan

Aisla Alessandra Costan

Uriah Bernard Dominguez

Jude Patrick Howes

Jedidiah James Jones

Luke Owen Pharris

## COC

We're seeking converted spectators to join us in the harvest. Evangelism, discipleship, children's, praying, loving and helping change lives. Interested? Come to our Info Tour, Fri, 5/17 @ 7pm.

# PRAYER REQUESTS

## GHCC MINISTRY PARTNER PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray that during Ramadan God would use dreams and visions to prepare the hearts of the Goran people in Chad to receive the gospel. Especially pray for 3 imams who recently have been open to conversation about the Lord.

## CONVERGE PACWEST REQUEST

Praise God for all women who have a role in a young person's life! Thank God for the women in your life who have helped you grow emotionally, physically and spiritually. Creator God, we pray for: new mothers coming to terms with new responsibility; those tired, stressed or depressed; those struggling to balance it all; those who have lost a child; those who care for the children of others; those who are unable to feed their children due to poverty; those whose children have physical, mental or emotional disabilities; those who are raising children on their own; and those whose desire to be a mother has not been fulfilled. Lord, bless all women who have stepped up to the role of mother in someone's life.

GHCC Prayer Chain requests: Call x7220 or email [prayer@goldenhills.org](mailto:prayer@goldenhills.org)