# **STUDY QUESTIONS**

Have you ever had an unexpected encounter with God? If so, describe it. What did God communicate to you in that moment? Why does it stand out?

Read Ex. 3:1-6. What was Moses doing when God met with Him? Who do you think is the "Angel of the Lord" in v.2?

Why did God appear to Moses like this? What was Moses' response? What things does this teach us about how we should approach God's presence?

Read Ex. 3:7-12. How did God respond to Israel's cries? What is His plan? What was His response to Moses' fears?

Read Ex. 3:13-15. Why was Moses afraid the Hebrews would reject Him? What did God say is His Name to Moses? What about to the Hebrews? What does God's name mean to you?

# AROUND THE TABLE

Ask everyone, "Do you like surprises? Explain. What about surprise visitors?" Read Ex. 3:1-15. Who was the visitor? What did He say? Do you think God still wants to meet with us in special ways? Tell about a time that God met w/ you! Pray: Discuss and pray about how you can meet with God as a family daily!







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# **MESSAGE NOTES**

Sermon Series: Exodus- YHWH on Display #4

Message: YHWH's Hidden Name

**Scripture: Exodus 3:1-15** 

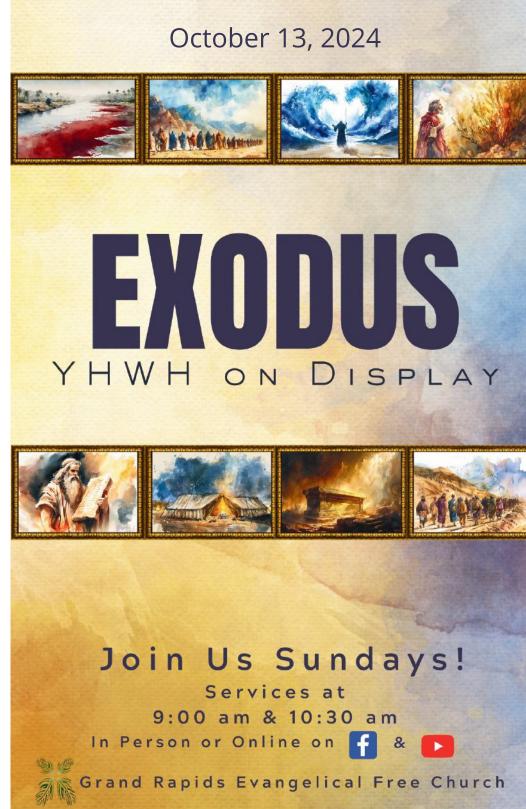
Think About it:

An Unexpected Encounter (Exodus 3:1-6)

**An Unexpected Mission (Exodus 3:7-12)** 

An Unexpected Name (Exodus 3:13-15)

Weekly Memory Verse: Exodus 3:14-15 (ESV) God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM." And He said, "Say this to the people of Israel, 'I AM has sent me to you.' " God also said to Moses, "Say this to the people of Israel, 'The Lord, the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you.' This is my name forever and thus I am to be remembered throughout all generations."



## **NEW HERE? WELCOME!**

We warmly welcome you to Grand Rapids Evangelical Free Church (GREFC)! We're so glad you've joined us today. If this is your first visit, please fill out a blue Connect Card, check out our Welcome Center, and grab a few brochures to learn more about us. We sincerely hope you will come back to visit us again next Sunday. Relax and enjoy the service.

# **OUR VISION**

We strive to be...

Together, living with purpose, by:

- Building a community that loves everyone deeply;
- Developing personal relationships that lead others closer to Jesus and;
- Equipping each generation to follow Jesus and become disciple-makers.

# **SUNDAY SCHOOL**

## Please check in your kids BEFORE the service starts.

Check-in stations are located in the Foyer, the Nursery and at the KidZone Check-In Desk. You may check in all your kids at any of the stations. We offer a private space in the nursery for nursing/pumping moms. Adults & Grades 6 & 7 do not check in.

## **9:00 AM -** Pathfinders & BRICK, Adult Education

<b>Nursery</b> (0-48 mo.)	Room 108	Grades 2-3	Room 102
<b>PreK</b> (age 3-4)	Room 101	Grades 4-5	Room 106
Age 5 - Kinder	Room 103	Grades 6-7	Pine Room
Grade 1	Room 104	Adult Education	Youth Room

Pathfinders kids attend worship singing with family then are dismissed to class. BRICK Class and Adult Education start when kids are dismissed.

## **10:30 AM -** Pathfinders Camp

**Nursery** (0-48 mo.) ... Room 108 **PreK - Grade 1** (age 3-5) ... Room 101

Kids attending Pathfinders Camp go directly to their classrooms at 10:30 am.

## **ORDER OF SERVICE**

Announcements & Prayer - Elder - Kevin Geisler

**Worship Music** 

Message - Pastor Micah Labovitch

**Worship Music** 

**Benediction** 

## **COMING SOON!**



Christmas may seem like its far off but it's the perfect time to plan to bless kids who are far away by packing a shoebox filled with hope. Visit the display in the foyer to pick up a box and instructions. Packed boxes are due back by Nov. 17.



We are offering a membership class for those interested in committing to GREFC as members. Those who sign up should pick up a workbook when they register. Read and work through the workbook and bring your questions to the class for discussion.

For more details on any event, visit <u>grefc.org/events/</u>
Register for events at the Welcome Center or at grefc.org/register/

## THIS WEEK

#### **TODAY**

Pastor Appreciation Cake Reception// After each service/ Community Room Fall Photo Station & New People Photos//After Each Service/Community Room Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Kick-off// After Each Service/ Foyer Open Door Coat Rack Drop-Off // After Each Service/ Foyer

## **TUESDAY**

Executive Team Meeting// 5:00 - 7:00 pm/ Pine Room Women's Evening Bible Study// 6:30 - 8:00 pm/ Youth Room

## WEDNESDAY

NO WEDNESDAY EVENING PROGRAMS

#### **THURSDAY**

Women's Morning Bible Study// 9:00-11:00 am/ Emily Lindner's Home

## **EACH WEEK** Visit grefc.org/events for schedules!

**SUNDAYS:** Adult Education - Revelation// 9:20-10:10 am/ Youth Room

**SUNDAYS:** Sr. High Youth Group// 6:30-8:00 pm/ Youth Room **WEDNESDAYS:** MidWeek Meals Start// 5:00-5:45 pm/ Community Room

WEDNESDAYS: Kid Groups Start// 5:45-7:15 pm/ Kid Zone

**WEDNESDAYS:** Jr. High Youth Group Start// 5:45-7:15 pm/ Youth Room **WEDNESDAYS:** Adult Education - Genesis// 6:00 -7:00 pm/ Pine Room

**THURSDAYS:** Women's Bible Study Fellowship// 4:00 & 6:00 pm/ Rooms102-106

THURSDAYS: Worship Team Practice// 7:00 pm/ Worship Center

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# **Pray With Us For...**

**Family**: Robert & Ardell Green **Missions**: Reach Global - EFCA

**International Missions** 

**Ministry**: Hollie Weimer- Kid's Ministry

## **LAST WEEK @ GREFC**

## **Attendance**

**9:00 am** 180 **10:30 am** 82

Online 13 Total 275

## Giving

Last Week Actual Weekly Budget

\$10,932.08 \$9,531.35 **YTD Actual YTD Budget** \$357,180.00 \$381,253.85

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