

# STUDY QUESTIONS

Have you ever been tempted to want to return to your old life- maybe even before Christ? What factors in our lives do you think can make us susceptible to miss or long for "the former things?"

Read Ex. 16:1-12. How many times does the text refer to "Israel's grumbling?" What was the main argument for their grumbling this time (16:2-3)? Why does God say that their grumbling was against God, and not actually Moses or Aaron?




Read Ex 16:13-21. How does God provide for them? How do they respond? What does this show us about God? What about ourselves?

Read Ex 16:22-36. How is God's gift of Sabbath both for their rest and test? What is it meant to prove? What was the "omer in the jar" meant to show?

# AROUND THE TABLE

Have you ever missed an old part of your life? What can cause us to want to "go back" to the way things were? Read Ex. 16:1-18. Why were the people complaining now? What was God's response? What did He do for them?  
***How might God test us to show His provision? Ask for God's help to trust!***



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# MESSAGE NOTES

**Sermon Series: Exodus- YHWH on Display #19**

**Message: YHWH Gives Provision**

**Scripture: Exodus 16:1-36**

**Think about it:**

**Grumbling and Grace (Exodus 16:1-12)**

**Receiving and Responding (Exodus 16:13-21)**

**Testing and Trusting (Exodus 16:22-36)**

**Memory Verse: Ex 16:12 (ESV) And the LORD said to Moses, "I have heard the grumbling of the people of Israel. Say to them, 'At twilight you shall eat meat and in the morning you shall be filled with bread. Then you shall know that I am the LORD your God.'"**

January 19, 2025



# EXODUS



Y H W H O N D I S P L A Y



Join Us Sundays!

Services at

9:00 am & 10:30 am

In Person or Online on  & 



Grand Rapids Evangelical Free Church

# 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

Nursery (0-48 mo.) ...	Room 108	Grades 2-3.....	Room 102
PreK (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
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**NEW!** Pathfinders Camp kids attend worship with their families, then are dismissed to class

## ORDER OF SERVICE

**Announcements & Prayer** - Elder Paul Huttner

**Worship Music**

**Message** - Pastor Micah Labovitch

**Communion**

**Worship Music**

**Benediction**

## COMING SOON!



Help families in need of stable housing in the Dominican Republic. We are raising funds to build three homes and help with travel costs for the team. We are also collecting items to share with families. Please see the display in the foyer for a list of items to donate. Give funds in the offering boxes or online at grefc.org.

For more details on any event, visit [grefc.org/events/](http://grefc.org/events/)  
Register for events at the Welcome Center or at [grefc.org/register/](http://grefc.org/register/)

## THIS WEEK

### TODAY

Dominican Republic Information Meeting// 12:30-1:30 pm/ Pine Room

### MONDAY

No Stepping Stones Preschool Classes

### TUESDAY

Executive Board Meeting// 5:00-6:00 pm/ Pine Room

### THURSDAY

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

## EACH WEEK [Visit grefc.org/events](http://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// 5:00-5:45 pm/ Community Room

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

**WEDNESDAYS:** Jr. High Youth Group// 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



Students in grades 9-12, along with their family and friends, are invited to a Superbowl party in our Worship Center on Feb. 9th. Pizza and drinks will be provided but we request students to bring sides and desserts. Corn hole and other games will also be available. Join us for this fun evening of fellowship! There is no child care for this event.

## STAFF & LEADERSHIP

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### Board of Elders

Chris Brown	Cal Kangas
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Jeff Gemmill	Zac Preble
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### Executive Board

Cal Kangas - Church Chairman  
 Nancy Grossman - Secretary  
 Kara Lundin - Treasurer  
 Lisa Mrnak - Financial Secretary  
 Scott Schwake - Facilities Coordinator

## Pray With Us For...

**Family:** Mike & Kim Hake

**Missions:** Psalm 99.5 Christian Radio

**Ministry:** Gary Bordner - Legacy Builders, Welcome Team

## LAST WEEK @ GREFC

### Attendance

**9:00 am:** 134      **10:30 am:** 81

**Online:** 24      **Total:** 239

### Giving

**Last Week Actual**      **Weekly Budget**  
\$6,814.01      \$9,707.54 Proposed

**YTD Actual**      **YTD Budget**  
\$15,930.76      \$19,415.08 Proposed

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