



Granite Hills Baptist Church Sunday School Classes

Thank you for taking time to find a good Sunday School class. All classes meet at 9:30am at Granite Hills Baptist Church. For directions and more information, please visit ghbcreno.org. The pastors and leaders at Granite Hills strongly encourage all who attend to participate in a Sunday School class. In each class, there will be one or more teachers who weekly read the Bible, teach the Bible, lead discussions, and lead prayer for the class. Generally, you can expect to come into a room with a small group of friendly people who will welcome you and invite you to study God's Word with them.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- What curriculum do you use?
At Granite Hills, we are currently using LifeWay's "The Gospel Project" curriculum for all Sunday School classes. This curriculum traces the main theme of Jesus and Redemption from Genesis to Revelation (all 66 books of the Bible). We have especially enjoyed studying the same passage each week through all age groups, encouraging families to discuss the Bible together. For more information on "The Gospel Project" please visit: <https://www.gospelproject.com/>.
- Are your classes open to newcomers?
Yes. All classes are welcoming to newcomers. Classes are divided generally by age-range, and visitors will likely feel most welcomed attending a class that corresponds well to their age and stage of life.
- What do I need to bring to class?
First, an attitude ready to learn about God. Second, everyone should bring a Bible, and preferably a pen. Most classes will have either handouts or lesson books provided for free for participants.
- Is there any charge for Sunday School?
No. Granite Hills Baptist Church believes Sunday School is one of the best ways to help Christians follow Jesus and we are pleased to offer classes for all ages free of charge. May Jesus be glorified!
- Why do you still call it Sunday School instead of small groups?
It is true that our Sunday School classes seek to be small groups of believers gathered together. However, we do not want to give the impression that these groups promote relativism or "anything-goes" discussions. While many classes use discussions to facilitate learnings, each class is led by at least one biblically-qualified and trained teacher. Though some do not connote "school" with church, this is a misconception. At church we should enjoy learning about God by careful Bible study. While the preaching of God's Word maintains the central place of priority and worship at Granite Hills, we gladly encourage all members and visitors to participate in Sunday School.

Sunday School Class List (Updated January 29, 2020)

- **Nursery** (Ages 0 – 3 years old) in Rooms 207-208
Teachers: Tim and Renee Lust, Bonnie Ray
Description: Proverbs 22:6 says, "Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it." In this class, your child will learn basic Christian truths such as: God made the world, the Bible is God's Word, and Jesus loves you. In addition to learning the Bible through stories and songs, children also practice sharing, lining up, following instructions, taking turns, communicating well, coloring, and playing games. We are honored to care for your child during Sunday School, but we do ask you to keep them home when they're sick. We want them to share laughter and toys with each other, not sickness. For more information, please email: tlust005@gmail.com.
- **Kindergarten** (Ages 4 – 5 years old) in Room 206
Teachers: Mary Metzger and Susan Carlstrom
Description: We love meeting your sweet children and creatively teaching them the Bible. What a privilege to come alongside you as parents and help your children grow in their wonder of God through His Word. We especially like to use crafts to engage their imaginations. For more information, please email: tuckerginger82@gmail.com.
- **1st-2nd Grade** (Ages 6 – 8 years old) in Room 205
Teachers: Fran Brown and Martha Holland
Description: We both seek to make a fun and nurturing classroom environment where your children can learn about God, and especially His Son Jesus, in ways that are interactive. We are engaged in lessons by the Gospel Project for kids starting Genesis to Revelation. Also included from time to time is a video of a mission story. For more information, please email: franpointview@yahoo.com.
- **3rd-4th Grade** (Ages 9 – 10 years old) in Room 204
Teachers: Becky Jordan and Tonia Peña
Description: What a joy to teach third and fourth graders! We have both been teaching children for many years and love it. In our class, kids are challenged to think both about what the Bible says and how it applies to their lives. We hope every child has many opportunities in our class to hear Gospel truths. For more information, please email: tpena@ghbcreno.org.
- **5th-6th Grade** (Ages 11 – 12 years old) in Room 203
Teachers: Joel and Crystal Read
Description: We seek to teach God's word in a Christ-centered chronological order of biblical events. We use games, interactive lessons and class discussion to help kids understand and apply the lesson. It is a great way for kids to learn God's word and how the Bible relates to their daily lives. For more information, please email: jcread777@gmail.com.
- **Youth** (Ages 13 – 18 years old) in Room 201-A
Teachers: Michael and Jessca Schmidt
Description: Teenagers today are bombarded with competing worldviews at odds with Biblical

Christianity. In the youth class, we hope to foster in the teenagers a solid understanding of the Christian worldview. We also want them to develop the skills to read the Bible for themselves. For more information, please email: mschmidt@ghbcreno.org.

- **College and Career** (Ages 19 – 27 years old) in Room 109
Teachers: Ceilan and Temma Chaparro
Description: Are you in college or in your early to mid-twenties? Would you like an opportunity to dive into God's Word with engaging discussion? Would you like to learn how the Bible applies to all of life? The college and career class seeks to learn how to relate the Bible to current issues, and how to see Jesus as the center of Scripture. We also enjoy a monthly fellowship time called "College Night." For more information, please email: KnightIndustriesClub@hotmail.com.
- **Adult Couples** (Married couples of any age) in Room 101-A
Teachers: Scott and Jeanne Hepner
Description: Whether you have been married less than a year, or more than you remember this is a class for couples who want to experience good Christian fellowship as we study God's Word. The love of Jesus is what unites us. Come join us for a rich time of Bible study. For more information, please email: shepnermr@gmail.com.
- **Women's Class** (Adult women from late 20s to early 60s) in Room 209
Teachers: Teri Fletcher
Description: We are really enjoying our current study, "The Gospel Project," a chronological look at the scriptures. We are keeping an informal timeline and absorbing the Essential Doctrines taught in the scripture as we seek to apply these truths to our own lives and times. We seek to connect all the accounts with the incarnation and earthly ministry of Jesus and the teachings of the New Testament. We begin each class with a time of sharing our joys and trials as prayer requests. We learn to know and love each other as we share together. For more information, please email: tfletcher775@gmail.com.
- **Senior Women's Class** (Adult women from early 60s and older) in Room 105
Teachers: Anne Mulkey and Nancy Rucinski
Description: We have a group of active and friendly women who love taking part in discussing Bible truths. A variety of teaching methods and materials is used each week. So, come join us for an enjoyable hour each Sunday at 9:30am. For more information, please email: dnamulk@gmail.com.
- **Men's I Class** (Adult men from early 60s and older) in Room 106
Teachers: Wes Fletcher and Roque Olivas
Description: We know what a privilege it is to be born in the United States of America, even at a time when our country seems to be turning away from Jesus. In our class we will open the Bible, learn about God, and seek to apply what we learn to current issues. Visitors are always welcome. For more information, please email: tfletcher775@gmail.com.

- **Men's II Class** (Adult men from late 20s to early 60s) in Room 104

Teachers: Mark Morton and Jason Eck

Description: What does it look like for a Christian man to be the spiritual leader of his household? In our class, we seek to apply the Bible to issues that face men today. Jesus was both truly God and truly man, and so our study will ultimately focus on Him. For more information, please email: pastormark@ghbcreno.org.