

## 8.10.25 Heritage Updates

### Women's Ministry Event Timing Survey

Women of Heritage, help us plan when 2025-2026 women's ministry events will take place! Complete the survey on the half-sheet in your bulletin and drop it in the box at the back of the sanctuary OR go to the link to take the survey online. <https://forms.gle/vY1E1tJHr7dQxggg6>

**Please complete by Monday, August 18.**

### Mats of Love, 8.12

**Each Tuesday from 10:30 - noon.** All women are always welcome to help with cutting, tying, or crocheting grocery bags for sleeping mats. (Or you're welcome to bring in whatever project you're currently working on and just enjoy the time together). Grocery bags may be dropped off in the narthex any time.

### Lunch Ladies, 8.13

All ladies are invited to meet for lunch at Smiley's Diner on 273 on **Wednesday, 8.13 at 1:00 pm.** Contact Virginia Palmer at 302-454-8889 by 10:00 am if you're planning to attend.

### Congregational Meeting, 8.17

Session has called our annual congregational meeting for August 17 following the service. We'll discuss our church budget for the next fiscal year and hear ministry reports.

### Ladies' Dinner Out, 8.19

Ladies, you're invited to meet for dinner at **6:00 pm** at Bertuccis on 273, **Tuesday, 8.19.** RSVP to **Jessica Swank (302) 547-1492** this month by noon on 8.19.

### Heritage Kids

**Nursery** is available for **infants-PreK** during worship (if staffing allows). Feel free to use it for however much of the service you desire.

**Junior Church** is available (if staffing allows) during the 2nd half of the service for students in **Kindergarten through 4th grade.** Children will leave during the songs before the sermon and return during the final song. The classroom is in the back of Fellowship Hall - straight out the back of the sanctuary.

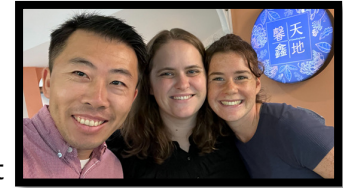
**Red Folder activity pages** are also available at the table by the sanctuary door for anyone who wishes to use them.

## God's Kingdom Building:

### Graham & Emily, serving in Taipei, Taiwan

#### When one thing ends...

Fall 2024, Hannah attended RUF's Fall Conference for the Mid-Atlantic region. She saw a video and heard about the plan to start RUF-Taipei. Being a Chinese language major, she already had hopes of studying abroad, but the chance of being a part of RUF-Taipei spurred her on to pursue that opportunity. She plugged in right away, and added personality and warmth to our group, helping us welcome new students (total: 16 students from 5 countries!) to the Dinner and Discussion. We are so thankful for the way the Lord worked to bring her here to be a part of the process of starting a new ministry.



The downside of campus ministry is when students leave to go do the next thing. Even after only two months of ministry together, we have grown to love Hannah and others who are moving on. What a blessing for us to have students who are committed and excited about what God is doing here! **Please pray for the students who are finished with this season in Taipei, that the Lord would go with them, and lead them in the good works He has prepared for them.**

#### ... another thing begins

The fall semester is nearly upon us! We are looking forward to events in August to meet new students and welcome them in. As we look toward the fall we are praying for the Lord's leading to help us know how to best serve students. This summer has been an odd way to begin a new work, but we pray that the momentum started will carry us on. It is exciting to imagine what ministry will look like. **Please pray that we would reach many students and be able to equip them to serve Christ's Kingdom.**

### Please pray for the above, as well as:

— **a family trip** in August to meet Graham's family, it has been 2 years since we were able to see them last.

— **Graham will be preaching twice** more before the semester starts, pray for focus and capacity to also **prepare for the new semester.**

— Emily and the kids will be relaunching **homeschooling**, pray for **joy and endurance** as they figure it out in a new country.