

# PROCLAIM

**Harassed and Helpless**  
Matthew 9:35-38  
Bruce Barlow, Care Pastor

- 1) He Saw
- 2) He Had Compassion
- 3) He Told Us To Ask

Now What?

Resources –  
Ayaan Hirsi Ali – search her talks on youtube, here is an example  
Ayaan Hirsi Ali - *Islam and The West - December 11, 2025*  
*An Evening with Ayaan Hirsi Ali*

Summit Ministries articles and videos at [www.summit.org/resources](http://www.summit.org/resources)  
*What Do We Make of Radical Islamism?*  
*We Can't Misunderstand Islamic Theology*

Douglas Murray – on youtube  
*The Impact of Christianity and Islam on The West*



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**Welcome! Thanks for joining us today.**



### New to WL?

We'd love to meet you! **Stop by the Connections Desk in The Commons** (right across from the café). We're here to answer any questions you have about WL—and we have a welcome gift just for you.

### Got Kids?

Today is Family Discipleship Sunday. Kids older than age 4 join us in the service. Classes are available for infants through 4-year-olds.

## Ways To Connect



### Connect Card

If you're new today, have recently moved, changed your email, or just want to connect, please scan the QR code or stop by the Connections Desk across from The Café. We want to help you connect at WL.



### Thank you for your generosity!

There are three ways to give: On our website at [wlgrace.com/give](http://wlgrace.com/give), through the Church Center app using the QR code, or in person using one of the black giving boxes throughout the building.



### Serving Opportunities at WL

We'd love to help you step into serving at WL! One of our values at WL is, "Everyone has a part to play." Let us know how we can help you find your place.

### Other Ways to Connect...

You can find more information about us and ways to connect at [wlgrace.com](http://wlgrace.com), Winona Lake Grace Church on Facebook, and [wlgracechurch](https://www.instagram.com/wlgracechurch) on Instagram.



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## DISCOVER YOUR CALLING

### Discover Your Calling

Might God be calling you to serve in a cross-cultural missions context? This summer, we will be hosting a discussion group centered on the booklet, *Discerning Your Calling – Discover Your Place as a Global Worker*. The goal of this group is to encourage one another as we pursue lives of gospel ministry—whether in cross-cultural missions or pastoral ministry within our own culture.

### Each meeting will include:

- Discussion of a chapter from the booklet
- Sharing personal stories and discernment journeys
- Q&A time with someone who has experience serving in ministry

We will meet on seven Sunday evenings at church, and each session will also be available on Microsoft Teams. If you are out of town this summer, you will still be able to participate digitally from wherever you are serving.

If you are interested in being part of this group, please contact Pastor Bruce at [bbarlow@wlgrace.com](mailto:bbarlow@wlgrace.com). Our first meeting will be today, **Sunday, May 31**.

## Partner with a Missionary – our Global Teammates

### How to Partner with our Global Teammates

Every household “partnering” with at least one of our missionaries—our global teammates—is one of the goals of our church.

### What does partnering mean?

- Learning about and staying current with their work
- Praying for them regularly
- Giving toward their financial support

### How do you get started?

- Select the global teammate you would like to partner with (see the card display in the Central Lobby).
- Contact Pastor Bruce to get connected with that teammate.
- See the back of the card for information on how to begin financial support.

**Questions?** Contact Pastor Bruce at [bbarlow@wlgrace.com](mailto:bbarlow@wlgrace.com).

## Women of Grace

1ST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH  
PRAYING FOR GLOBAL TEAMMATES

Start your summer out with a tour of the world! Join Women of Grace's **Taste of the Nations Tour this Tuesday, June 2, at 6:30PM**. All “travelers” arriving at The Hub will be issued a passport, and the adventure begins as you taste delights from each nation, learn about and pray for the WL missionary serving in that country, and get your passport stamped before moving on to the next country. Women of all ages are invited!

# WL BUSINESS MEETING

Please join us for our **WL Spring Business Meeting, June 7, at 11:30am**. There will be ministry updates, stories – really good stories – of God changing lives. Important numbers and exciting things happening in our church family.

In preparation for the meeting, you can pick up **today** the **proposed budget** for the 2026-2027 year at WL Central in the Central Lobby.

**There will be Q&A times available after each service today, in Fireside Room A**

## Summer Service Times

Summer is here and we will be moving to our summer service schedule! **Beginning next Sunday, June 7**, we will have two services at 8:30 and 10am. We'll return to three services in the fall. As you are traveling this summer, you can still join us online live or anytime afterward on YouTube or our website.



### The Gathering Summer Kick-Off

The Gathering is WL's **young adult ministry for ages 18-28**. We'd like to invite all young adults who will be around this summer to join us for our **SUMMER Kick-Off TODAY, at 7pm at The Hub pavilion**.

We'll have snacks, games, a short Bible study, and plenty of time to connect with other young adults at WL and hear about what we have planned for the summer. Whether you're new, have been around for a while, or are home for the summer, this is a great chance to meet people and get plugged in.



## WOMEN'S HUDDLES

Summer Huddles begin soon. The men's group starts this week and the women's groups begin in June. Now's the time to sign up and ask a friend to join you. Register on the Church Center app or at [wlgrace.com](http://wlgrace.com).



## MEN'S HUDDLES



### Job Opening: Facilities Coordinator

We're looking for a Facilities Coordinator who loves caring for spaces and people, building systems, and mobilizing volunteers to support ministry at WL Grace.



# APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1- Do you have compassion for others like Jesus did? Why or why not?

2- Who is someone you know that doesn't know Jesus? Commit to praying for them this week!