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Terrorism Can't Stop the Gospel- Hear About This on July 15th

Chris Ali and his wife Nasim are originally from Pakistan. Chris got saved from a Muslim background in Pakistan. Two years after he got saved he married his wife Nasim and moved to the U.S.A. to pursue the American dream. They worked tirelessly in the Corporate World for ten years until they got called to missions at their home church in Naperville, IL.



In 2000, Chris and Nasim went back to Pakistan as AGWM missionaries working with Teen Challenge for two years. On March 17, 2002 they were seriously injured in a suicide attack at their church in Pakistan. A suicide bomber entered the church sanctuary and hurled 7 grenades at the congregation. One grenade exploded just 39 inches from them. The suicide attack left five people dead including two American nationals. 50 people were injured.

Three months after the attack Chris and Nasim were brought back to the USA for additional treatment and counseling. Despite the attack that had left them physically and emotionally hurt, Chris got his license from his district and in 2003 they returned to Pakistan as AGWM Special Appointed Missionaries.

After their return to Pakistan Chris and Nasim started the Urdu Fire Bible Project. Chris also taught English as Second Language to the Afghan refugees. The school was shut down because of a serious threat from Taliban.

In 2005, Chris and Nasim were blessed with their daughter Hannah while serving in Pakistan. In 2007 they returned to the USA for itineration when Chris received his ordination from his district. In 2009 they transferred to England to reach the Muslims.

While in England Chris was asked to help Global University with translation of Christian Life courses in Urdu language. They were transferred to Global University in June of 2016 where Chris is currently serving in the Berean School of the Bible formally known as ICI. Chris is also helping upload Evangelism and Discipleship courses in multiple languages on to the Global Reach website for anyone to access from anywhere in the world free of charge.

Their passion is to reach the lost and train the found everywhere through online Evangelism and Discipleship courses in all major languages of the world.

Church Events

- June 3 – Missions Sunday /BGMC Awards
- June 9 – Clean-up Day
- June 10 – BGMC Sunday
- June 17 – Father's Day/ Church Picnic
- June 9-13 – Ozark Holiness Youth Camp
- June 23 – Drive Through Prayer
- July 9 – 14 – Ozark Holiness Youth Camp
- July 15 – Missionary Chris Ali
- Aug 5 – Mercy's Calling Quartet PM
- Aug 25 – Joseph Habedank Concert



Sunday School.....9:30
Worship.....10:30
Sunday Night.....6:00
Wed Bible Study.....7:00
& Kid's Ministry
Friday Youth.....7:00

Father's Day is on the Way!



On Sunday, June 17, Wentzville First will celebrate Father's Day, 2018. Our celebration will begin with our morning worship service at 10:30 am where we will take some time to look up to the men that help lead the way in families and in the Kingdom. Immediately after the service concludes, everyone will head out to the 1033 Ashley Ln school property for a wonderful afternoon of fun, food, fellowship, and maybe even fishing. We will have horseshoes, volleyball, basketball, a playground for the littles, and other activities to choose from. You can even decide to spend the afternoon relaxing instead of playing. All of this in honor of great men who make up the Kingdom of God.



Ozark Holiness Youth Camp is just around the calendar corner, July 9-13.

Registration forms are available in the lobby. Please turn them in as soon as possible.

Put on the Whole Armor of God!



We are in a war. Many believers forget this uneasy fact. Because we are in a war, we must be prepared to do battle. The Lord has provided the weaponry and armor we need to defeat our supernatural enemy. Join the adult Sunday school class at 9:30 am each Sunday as we learn about this armor and how to use it in our everyday lives. For the next few months we will be studying Ephesians 6:10-18. We will be looking for you.

Missions Service

Last Sunday night we enjoyed the ministry of John and Daralena Bean, our Assemblies of God missionaries to Slovakia. We were challenged to give ourselves to the ministry, making ourselves available to God. It has been a long time since we have had a visit from the Beans. They are doing a great work for God, and our BGMC giving has helped them. Thank you, for being in the service and helping provide them with a generous offering. We also put some pledges together to help send 10 gypsy youth to their teen camp this summer!



Mercy's Calling

Wentzville First will be blessed with the quartet ministry of Mercy's Calling on Sunday night, August 5. Some time back we met Anthony and Olivia Writer at the A.C.E. Ozark regional student convention. They work in a Christian school similar to ours. Both are wonderful people, and it just so happens that Anthony is part of a Southern Gospel quartet. The group will be travelling through our area coming from Ohio and will be stopping by to minister to us.

