



Shawn and Bob in the studio. Lucas Kitchen, John Goodding, and Randy Jones.



## Recording Videos for YouTube GES December 14-15

Shawn and Bob drove to Longview to record GES videos at the studio of Free Grace International. On Monday, Bob and Shawn recorded 22 videos ranging in length from 4 minutes to 12 minutes. The average video was about 8 minutes long. We covered tough texts from Matthew to 2 Peter.

On Tuesday Shawn and Lucas recorded 15 videos on FAQs, frequently asked questions.

These videos should be released starting in February. We plan to release one each week on the Grace Evangelical Society YouTube channel. Our hope is to record more videos this year as well.

## Shreveport Regional Cancelled

In talking with Lucas Kitchen, who pastors Shreveport Bible Church, we have decided to cancel the Shreveport regional, due to COVID.

## Victor Street Bible Chapel December 13th

In the Bible-teaching hour, I (Bob) spoke on Mark 6:14-19. The Jewish people who had a positive view of Jesus mostly viewed Him as a good man, whether that was Elijah, John the Baptist, or the prophet. Few believed that this was the Messiah, King, and Savior He claimed to be.

Herod Antipas thought that Jesus was John the



Ken's video for Bayside.



Still planning the Costa Rica conference.

Baptist risen from the dead. Due to peer pressure, Herod had John the Baptist put to death.

We should tell people that Jesus is more than a good man. And we should avoid bowing to peer pressure.

In the Lord's Supper meeting, I spoke on how to share the promise of life clearly and simply.

## **GES's 27th Annual Grace Conference Coppell Bible Fellowship April 26-28, 2021**

The date had to change because Coppell Bible Fellowship had a conflict on April 12-15. We are sorry to change from the date published in the November-December magazine.

The website is now available for registrations. The conference now ends Wednesday at 5 PM. We reduced the price of the conference from \$85 to \$75. However, if you register by February 15, the early-bird price is just \$65. First-time conferees are still free. (If a returning conferee has a financial hardship, we allow them to register as a scholarships attendee.)

The theme is Genesis, a book of beginnings.

It should be livestreamed on YouTube for those who cannot attend in person.

In addition, the videos should remain on our YouTube channel so that conferees can view messages again and again, as well as share them with friends.

## **Ken and Kathryn's Ministries**

COVID is still playing a large part on the trips Kathryn and I (Ken) can take for GES.

I was scheduled to teach at Tri-City Baptist Church in Forest City, NC, where Jim Hollandsworth is the pastor, on Jan 3. But there was a large exposure to the virus in the church and we were not able to do it. We are still doing our various Zoom classes for folks in different countries. I am scheduled to speak in person at Bayside Church in Tampa, FL on Jan 31. They also asked me to give a video update of what we are doing with GES. I have included a photo from that video.

Lord willing, and if He does not take us to Him first, COVID will not prevent us from going on future planned teaching trips. This next year is filling up with such trips to Kenya, Zambia, and Costa Rica, where we will have the opportunity to do Bible classes in Bible colleges, pastor conferences, and conferences for wives. Recently, a school in Ghana contacted us about teaching there for the first time. The organizer said they greatly needed to have someone explain to them the Free Grace gospel, since it is not taught there. A large number of theological students are expected to attend. This would be the first trip to Ghana for me. It is planned for March. (We already have the airplane tickets.) There will also be an opportunity to speak at a church while there. Please pray for all these opportunities.

## **Notes and Letters**

Your writings are helping my pastorate. Thanks.  
—Brian from Iowa