Notes:

GATHERING TIMES Sunday Bible Classes 9:30 a.m. **Sunday Worship** 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE OUR COMMUNITY GREENBANK FOOD PANTRY

Thursday Evenings—Doors are open 6:00-7:00 PM Volunteer Schedule: Wednesdays 10:00 AM

Thursdays 9:30 AM & 5:30PM Fridays 9:00 AM To volunteer contact: Ed or Sue Maynard 302-994-3800

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HOW TO REPAIR BROKEN RELATIONSHIPS

Healing a broken relationship can be tough. As I preached last week, God is a "second chance" God. In reality, he is a God of many, many chances. When Peter asked Jesus how many times we should forgive, Peter gave a very generous suggestion of 7 times. However, Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you seven times, but seventy-seven times." (some versions read seventy times seven) Jesus was not trying to give a literal number; he was making a statement that forgiveness has no end.

- **1. RELEASE** the offender—Like the Disney song "Let it Go," we must be willing to deliberately release the offender as Christ releases us.
- "Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you." (Ephesians 4:31-32)
- 2. REPAIR any damage you have done—Relationships are one of the greatest sources of happiness, yet also the cause of lasting sadness and regret. We often see how we were offended, forgetting the damage we have caused. Take responsibility for your part.

In Luke19, Zacchaeus said, "I will pay back four times the amount."

3. **RECONCILE** the relationship—Romans 12:18 encourages us to do everything possible to live in peace with everyone.

How to Make an Apology:

- Pick the right TIME
- Have the right ATTITUDE
- Choose the right WORDS

"Sharp words cut like a sword, but words of wisdom heal." (Proverbs 12:18)

Healing broken relationship and practicing forgiveness is tough. However, it is well worth it. Practicing forgiveness can release pent up anger, pain, and emotions. Remember, no one is perfect, including you, and without forgiveness there wouldn't be a single working relationship on the planet. Forgive to Live. ~Domingo

Order of Worship

Hold to God's Unchanging Hand—TPH

Welcome

He's My King—TPH

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Blessed Assurance—R345 No, Not One—G70

Communion Offering

Jesus Is Coming Soon—TPH
"Habits of Highly Successful Christians"

Who At the Door Is Standing—R341

Shepherd's Prayer



TUESDAY MEALS We need more people to help provide food for our weekly outreach meals. Information for signing up is below. If you need help, contact gailfriedline@netscape.net. Donated food needs to be delivered by 5:00 pm to the Campus House, 17 E. Park Place, Newark.

Go to: www.carecalendar.org
Calendar ID: 162689
Security Code is 6152.

GREENBANK NEWS

*BLUE HENS FOR CHRIST—HOUSING NEED Students from Harding University are coming to BHC on March 9-15 to learn about campus missions and work with our BHCers. Housing is needed. If you can keep students, please speak with Rick Mickowski.

*MARCH 9—YOUNG GIRLS CLASS—10AM Girls age 7-12 are invited to attend this class that will meet on the 2nd Saturday of each month coinciding with our ladies' bible study. The first portion of this class will be presented in March, April, & May with a second portion to be offered in the fall. If you have questions, please speak with Eileen Hence.

*MARCH 9—LADIES BIBLE STUDY—10AM We invite all ladies to join us for the next chapter in our study—Moral Issues in America (ch.9 of "My Sister's Keeper"). We look forward to seeing you in class!

*MARCH 16—BARNABAS MINISTRY—9:30AM The next meeting of our encouragement ministry will be 3/16 here at Greenbank. If you have questions, speak with Crystal Reyes.

*INFORMATION FORMS All members and regular attendees need to pick up an information form, and fill out both sides for everyone in your household. These forms will allow us to have the most up-to-date information of all who worship with us regularly, and will help us communicate information efficiently. Forms are available at the Welcome Center, along with a box where you can place your completed form. Thank you!

*UPDATED FAMILY PHOTOS All members and regular attendees need to see Yvette Curcio after our worship services over the next few weeks to have an updated photo taken for our picture board.



Help keep our prayer list current by providing regular updates on family and friends.

PRAISE & PRAYER REQUESTS:

PRAYER: Kirkland and Knox families: they have recently lost loved ones; Webster Smith: heart problems; Faye Gillespie: pray for my son & grandson; Jeff & Virginia Clark: pray for Jeffrey Jr; Elijah Smalls: please pray for Tyler; Marlin & Marcia Johnson: strength & good health; Jonathan Mitchell, Jr: guidance for health decisions; Colie Mason: illness; Carl Martin family: strengthen their faith; Bobby Crusco: fell & cracked a rib; Penny Price's husband: in Christiana Hospital; Lois Banner: job search; Marquita Lloyd: health concerns; George Adair: has returned home & continues to improve; Paul King: recovery from lung transplant; Brad Carman: recovery from kidney transplant

SHUT-INS: Connie Dowds—hospice care; Agnes Ignudo; Joan Gaynor

LONG-TERM ILLNESS/RECOVERY: Ronni Toothman; Marie Difilippo; Gladys Gerhart, John Arnold, Dustin Lackford, Michael Mugrage, Felicity Ray, Gwendolyn Brady, Harry Schaeffer, Melissa Griffiths, Jerry Faraday, Ruth Pence, Janette McGowan, Mike Saylor, Peggy Wetzel, Nadine Henderson, Pam Dahlstrom, Riley Dennis, Sylvia Regester

COLLEGE STUDENTS: Rachel Johnson, Kyle Cox, Heather Abosch, Brent Tucker, Tatiana Vargas, Justin Walls, Kristal Moreta, Mackenzie Naseery, Ethan Reed, Prisilla Sanichar, Jesse Schuhart, Antonio Sanichar

MISSIONS: Ghana Bible College, Samuel Agbeta (Nkwanta, Ghana), Delaware Christian Campus Ministry Foundation (Blue Hens for Christ); Camp Manatawny; Chad & Amy Westerholm (Mozambique)

OUR COUNTRY: Leaders, Military, Law Enforcement, Firefighters

OUR ELDERS, DEACONS, & MINISTRY LEADERS

Last Week Sunday morning: 155 Contribution: \$2930 Year to Date: \$4486 Budget: \$4500/week Wednesday evening: XX Baptisms: 2	O2/24/2019 S. Willis M. Barker M. Welsh A. Davis D. Regester B. Pennington C. Blue D. Bower B. Davis Maynard R/L Cox	In His Service Worship Leader Scripture & Prayer Usher Communion Offering Pass " " Greeters	O3/03/2019 R. Mickowski J. Friederichsen R. Irwin M. Brasefield G. Winder R. Cox C. Blue D. Regester M. Ray Barker Friederichsen
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