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Mission and Methods

"To the Jews I became like a Jew, to win the Jews...I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some."

1 Corinthians 9:20-22

God is a God of change. I know that sounds weird, especially when we have been taught to think of Him as constant according to verses like Hebrews 13:8 or Malachi 3:6. However, I believe these verses are referring to God's nature not his methods.

God's methods have always changed. The fact we have an OT and NT, multiple covenants, etc., all point to change.

We are always changing. Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 shows us many changes God created and uses in our natural world. The world was not formed to be unchanging. There is beauty and excitement in the new and different. After all, God created us that way.

Our culture is constantly changing. I don't believe anyone can dispute the huge cultural shifts we have seen in recent years. Some believe we have moved from Post-Modernism to Post-Christendom, and that our society is now closer than ever to the views and ways of the first century society.

Because of this, our church methods need to change. Paul strategically changed his methods to reach those he was targeting. His message was constant, but his methods were dynamic.

Changing how we do "church" is not sinful, but strategic. While having served at three congregations and preaching for almost 20 years, my main message has been the same: Jesus Christ and Him crucified. My style, however, has changed. I use more PowerPoint graphics, storytelling, and less scriptures. Why? Because it is more effective for the audience I am trying to reach. If "whooping" (a style of black preaching) were effective for those I was trying to reach, I would quickly learn to whoop!

Change is always difficult, but always needed. Please pray and ponder with me on how Greenbank can be more methodically missional.

—Domingo

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 & 5:30 PM
Fridays 9:00 AM

To volunteer contact: Ed or Sue Maynard
302-994-3800

Order of Worship

Jesus, Name Above All Names—G130

Welcome

Majesty—G216

I Will Sing of My Redeemer—R407

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less—R558

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Worthy is the Lamb—G228

Why Did My Savior Come to Earth—R369

Communion & Offering

Softly & Tenderly—R323

“Living to Make a Difference”

Anywhere With Jesus—R530

Closing Remarks & Prayer



Congratulations to

Adriana Moreta

2019 Graduate of

McKean High School



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

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Ed Maynard: recovering from stroke—he is in Christiana Hospital, room 6C34; **Marion Ward:** cancer has spread throughout her body; **Jeffrey Clark Jr:** pray for mental strength during this trying time; **Emma Green:** medical issues; **Joann Garvin:** prayers for family; **John Gaynor:** health concerns; **Sedric Willis:** youth program; **John & Joyce Gossman:** strength during difficult time; **Nancy Essex:** several health concerns

MOURNING RECENT LOSS: Gladys Gerhart family; Fern Davis & family; Jim & Yvette Curcio family; Steve & Ashley Manzo; Bob & Betty Palardy; Lillie West

SHUT-INS: Connie Dowds; Agnes Ignudo; Joan Gaynor

LONG-TERM ILLNESS/RECOVERY: Miriam Castro; Marie Difilippo, Dustin Lackford, Michael Mugrage, Felicity Ray, Gwendolyn Brady, Harry Schaeffer, Melissa Griffiths, Janette McGowan, Mike Saylor, Peggy Wetzel, Nadine Henderson, John Arnold; Dave Malone; Marion Ward, Bud Polk, Evelyn Kline

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

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

OUR COUNTRY: Leaders, Military, Law Enforcement, Firefighters

OUR ELDERS, DEACONS, & MINISTRY LEADERS

GREENBANK NEWS

*FAMILY & FRIENDS DAY—TODAY

We are happy to see everyone here today, and extend a warm welcome to all of our visitors. Every one is invited to stay for a fellowship luncheon following our morning service and graduate recognition. When our morning service ends, we will re-convene downstairs in our fellowship hall for the meal. Please join us!

***THE INCREDIBLE RACE VBS** Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's VBS a success! We had about 40 children throughout the week, and a some great volunteers who worked hard to make this year's program fun and exciting. It was great to see the kids having fun and seeing the smiles on their faces. A special thanks to Shelley Irwin and Sue Maynard who again pulled together a great program for our kids and their friends.

***FOOD PANTRY—JUNE 27** Thank you to all who came to help on Thursday during the day and in the evening. Because of you, our evening ran smoothly, and we were able to provide 2700 meals to 300 individuals in 119 families; 17 families were new to us.

The month of July is a re-registration month in the pantry. This means the lines will move a little more slowly because we have to re-register each family. We would love to continue to see the large number of volunteers we have been having the last few weeks. The more people there are working, the more quickly things will move. If you speak Spanish, that will be especially helpful during the registration process.

Last Week		In His Service	07/07/19
Sunday AM: 127		Worship Leader	S. Willis
Contribution: \$3,272		Scripture & Prayer	E. Martin
Year to Date: \$5,104		Usher	B. Pennington
Budget: \$4500/week		Communion	E. Greenwood
Wednesday PM: VBS		Offering	J. Clark
2019 Baptisms : 5		Pass	R. Lewis
		"	C. Blue
		"	R. Cox
		"	A. Gallegos
		Greeters	Friederichsen
		"	D/J Cox
		Shepherd's Prayer	J. Friederichsen