**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
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### A Million Dollar Mistake

There is a story told about a man pulling away from the drive-thru window at a bank in dismay. The teller had not greeted him or expressed thanks as he completed his transaction. He says that even though he did not deposit much money, he was still from the old school that believed you give the customer special attention.

It reminds me of Jon Barrier who pulled his old pickup truck into the U.S. Bank of Washington parking lot one day in Spokane, WA. Dressed in his usual shabby clothes, he paid a quick visit to his broker, who was located in the bank building, and went back out to his truck. The parking lot attendant informed Barrier that a new 60-cent parking fee had just been instituted, but that the parking was free if he could get his ticket validated by someone in the bank. Now, Barrier had been a customer there for several years, so he ran back inside to get his ticket stamped.

Inside, the teller took one look at Barrier's grubby clothes, made an assumption, and refused to stamp his ticket. She said the bank could only validate tickets when customers made a transaction. After being directed to a fairly new vice president, Barrier was basically told the same thing.

"Fine," Barrier said, "I'll make a transaction!" He then proceeded to withdraw all his money—slightly more than a million dollars—and took it to a bank a block away. That is, after he got his parking ticket stamped!

The Hebrew writer says, "Do not forget to entertain strangers, for by so doing some have unwittingly entertained angels" (Heb. 13:2).

Nearly every time the church assembles, visitors are present. How do we receive them? How do we show respect for some and not for others? Remember, "What shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul?"

- From the weekly bulletin for the Linville Forest church of Christ, Kernersville, NC (edited)

### **Order of Worship**

My Hope is Built—R558
Welcome

Redeemed—R357 Wonderful, Merciful Savior—G185

### **Scripture Reading & Prayer**

Purer in Heart—R484 When We Meet in Sweet Communion—R366

#### Communion

Thank You, Lord—G183

#### Offering

Lord, Reign In Me—TPH

"The Importance of the Church"

I Am Resolved—R361

**Closing Remarks & Prayer** 



### Surviving the Holidays Seminar

Saturday, November 16 10 a.m.—12:30 p.m. (Continental Breakfast)

Register at GriefShare.org

or contact one of our leaders
—Judy, Mike, or Sherry

Fee: \$5 for the book

## GREENBANK NEWS

**SAVE THESE DATES—NOV 21 AND NOV 26—TO HELP IN THE FOOD PANTRY**These will be very busy nights in our food pantry. On Thursday, Nov. 21, we will serve a "double dose" of clients.

pantry. On Thursday, Nov. 21, we will serve a "double dose" of clients. Because of the Thanksgiving holiday, those that would come on the last week will join those coming on the third week. On Tuesday, Nov. 26, we will be giving out Thanksgiving meal baskets. We need A LOT of extra help on these two nights. Thank you, in advance, for lending a hand!

### **GREENBANK YOUTH NIGHT—NOVEMBER 8TH**

Our first youth night is this Friday, November 8th from 6:30-8:30pm for kids in 5th-12th grades. Parents, please drop off and pick up promptly.

### **SIGHT & SOUND CARPOOL**

Please sign up today if you need a ride to Sight & Sound on Nov. 15th. We will meet at Greenbank at 4:45 p.m. on 11/15 and leave for Lancaster promptly at 5:00 p.m. If you have questions, speak with Jamie Cox.

### **MOZAMBIQUE SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION**

On Sunday, November 17, we will take a special collection for the mission work done by Chad and Amy Westerholm in Mozambique. This will be in addition to our regular contribution.

### **WINTERFEST—FEB 14-16, 2020**

This is a youth event in Gatlinburg, TN for kids in 6th-12th grades. Registration forms and first payment are due on Sunday, Nov. 17. If you want to know more about this event, speak with Lisa Reed. Also see Lisa to pick up your registration form and payment schedule.



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

### **PRAYER REQUESTS:**

Tina Barksdale: car accident; Jonathan Mitchell Jr: health concerns; Penny Price: pray for my family's salvation; Michael Dickinson: spiritual strength & increased faith; William Holland: his mother passed away; Daisey Mae Wright: now in Manor Care; Joshua Smith: needs housing; Sam Nash: emotional struggles; Sharon King: trouble with her hand; Lakeisha Smith: health issues; Monica Green: medical problems; Brian King & family; Philip Jones; Linda Jones; Lucas Kirkland: clinical trials for Duchenne's; Chelsea Brasefield: healthy pregnancy; Marc Brasefield: training in TX; Glen Jones: traveling; Jeffrey Clark Jr

LONG-TERM ILLNESS/RECOVERY: Ed Maynard; Joyce Gamble; Miriam Castro; Marie Difilippo, Dustin Lackford, Michael Mugrage, Felicity Ray, Gwendolyn Brady, Harry Schaeffer, Melissa Griffiths, Janette McGowan, Mike Saylors, Peggy Wetzel, Nadine Henderson, John Arnold:

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

McGowan, Mike Saylors, Peggy Wetzel, Nadine Henderson, John Arnold; Dave Malone; Bud Polk; Evelyn Kline; Emma Green; Gloria Edwards

**COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Rachel Johnson, Kyle Cox, Heather Abosch, Brent Tucker, Tatiana Vargas, Kristal Moreta, Mackenzie Naseery, Ethan Reed, Prisilla Sanichar, Antonio Sanichar, Adriana Moreta

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

**OUR COUNTRY:** Leaders, Military, Law Enforcement, Firefighters

### **OUR ELDERS, DEACONS, & MINISTRY LEADERS**

	11/03/19	In His Service	11/10/19
Last Week	R. Mickowski B. Reed	Worship Leader Scripture & Prayer	S. Willis R. Irwin/M. Garcia
Consider ANA 444	D. Regester	Usher	W. Johnson
Sunday AM: 114	S. Willis	Communion	P. King
Contribution: \$2608	C. Blue	Offering	R. Stafford
Year to Date: \$4736	K. Abosch	Pass	M. Barton
Budget: \$4500/week	M. Anderson	u	B. Pennington
Wednesday PM: 13	M. Dickenson	u	R. Lewis
•	R. Cox	u	D. Toribio
2019 Baptisms: 9	L. Winder	Greeters	C. Mason
	Greenwood	u	B/B Davis
<b>3.3.</b>	P. King	Shepherd's Praver	E. Greenwood