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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
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Trust God

Where we place our faith and trust is like the currency of our hearts. We have a limited amount of faith and trust to invest and real returns to gain or lose depending on where we choose to invest them. Scripture is clear that we cannot place our faith and trust in both God and the world. We cannot choose money and God as our anchors of hope. We cannot choose both the opinion of man and God's opinion. We cannot choose our own will and His. We must, moment-by-moment, choose where we will invest our limited, valuable currency of faith and trust.

If we, as children of God, truly believe that His word is truth, a vast reservoir of peace and joy is available to us today. The Bible is clear about what we get in return for placing our faith and trust in God alone. Jesus said in Matthew 6:30, **"But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?"** Then in verse 34 he said, **"Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble."**

What would it look like for us to truly have faith in God to the level that we really didn't worry about tomorrow? What kind of peace would it bring to truly place the cares, burdens, and stresses of this world squarely on the shoulders of the Almighty, all-loving God?

To go deeper into the fullness of life available to us in Jesus requires putting our faith and trust in God alone. We will never experience the peace of heaven if our hope is in this earth. We will never experience the power and help of the Holy Spirit if our hope is in our own abilities, talents, and strengths. We will never fully experience the satisfaction of truly being loved if we place our hope of affirmation in the opinions of others. The only path to truly experiencing the abundant life available to us in Jesus is placing our faith and trust in Him alone.

Jeremiah 29:13 promises, **"You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."** If you have not done this, choose to place your faith and trust in God alone today that you might seek him with *"all of your heart."* Place your hope in Him alone for He alone is faithful. Do as 1 Peter 5:6-7 commands, **"Humble yourselves, therefore, under the mighty hand of God so that at the proper time he may exalt you, casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you."**

You will never find a return on your investment of faith and trust in anything of the world like you will in God. He will take your faith and trust and multiply it until your life is a reflection of his loving-kindness. May you find true satisfaction, peace, and joy in the days ahead in God as you crown him King of your heart.

Ron Stullenbarger

Order of Worship

Won't It Be Wonderful There—TPH

Welcome

I'm Redeemed—TPH

A Friend Like You—TPH

Scripture Reading & Prayer

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross—R233

Communion

Offering

I'm Going That Way—TPH

Guest Speaker—Casey Coston

UD Campus Ministry

Just As I Am—R346

Closing Prayer

BAPTISM

We rejoice with the angels in heaven for the addition of our new sister in Christ.

Penny Price

put was baptized on Thursday afternoon. Please keep Penny in your prayers.



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

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Avion Brasefield: continue to gain strength; **Heather Abosch:** abdominal pain; **Sarah Hatcher:** her son passed away; **Anna DaCunha:** car accident; **Judy Barker:** recovering from surgery; **Boyd Reed:** surgery on Jan. 31; **Joann Garvin:** prayer for my family; **Sharon King:** continued healing for her hands; **Jonathan Mitchell, Jr:** pray for healing; **Elijah Reese:** recovering from surgery; **Andre Verlander:** diabetes; **Monica Green:** ongoing health concerns; **Joshua Smith:** pray he finds work; **Larry Saenz:** bypass surgery; **Lucas Kirkland:** good results to continue from clinical trial; **Debbie Davis;** **Nate McCollum;** **Terri Bachman;** **Peggie Shaw**

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

LONG-TERM ILLNESS/RECOVERY: Ed Maynard, Joyce Gamble, Miriam Castro, Marie Difilippo, Dustin Lackford, Michael Mugrage, Felicity Ray, Gwendolyn Brady, John Arnold, Bud Polk, Evelyn Kline, Emma Green, Gloria Edwards, Daisey Mae Wright, Glenda Schinnerer

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

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

OUR COUNTRY: Leaders, Military, Law Enforcement, Firefighters

OUR ELDERS, DEACONS, & MINISTRY LEADERS

GREENBANK NEWS

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

We have an immediate need for a teacher for our upper elementary students. Speak with Crystal Reyes today if you are able to fill this opening.

WINTERFEST—FINAL PAYMENT DUE TODAY

Speak with Lisa Reed if you need your final payment amount or if you need to work out payment arrangements. Also, we will have a pre-trip meeting on Sunday, Feb. 9, immediately following our worship service. Please meet in the blue room. All Winterfest attendees need to be there.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY & YOUNG GIRLS CLASS

Our next class day is Saturday, February 8th at 10:00AM. The ladies study will be covering chapter 5 in our book Expecting the Unexpected. Our young ladies will meet at the same time. All are invited to stay after class for the luncheon.

LADIES LUNCHEON—SATURDAY, FEB. 8, 12:00PM

All ladies are invited to attend a luncheon being held here at the church building. We encourage you to invite your mothers, grandmothers, daughters, granddaughters, and daughters-in-law to attend with you. Please indicate you are coming on the sheet posted on the bulletin board, or see Rebecca Tucker. Questions? Speak with Rebecca.

MARRIAGE AND SINGLES CONFERENCES

Last week, the elders mentioned we will be hosting conferences for married couples and singles this year. If you are interested in helping plan these events, please speak with Crystal Reyes.

	01/26/20	In His Service	02/02/20
Last Week	J. Clark	Worship Leader	S. Willis
	P. King	Scripture & Prayer	Ja. Gaynor
Sunday AM: 143	B. Pennington	Usher	W. Johnson
Contribution: \$3731	C. Mason	Communion	R. Irwin
Year to Date: \$4382	R. Stafford	Offering	P. King
2020 Budget: TBA	M. Galeano	Pass	B. Pennington
	M. Ray	"	D. Bower
Wednesday PM: 22	M. Dickinson	"	D. Cox
2020 Baptisms: 1	M. Anderson	"	R. Lewis
	D/J Cox	Greeters	F. Davis
	D/S Register	"	B/B Davis
	P. King	Shepherd's Prayer	E. Greenwood