



Weekly Newsletter – Sunday, March 23, 2025

Office hours: Mon / Wed / Fri 9:00am-3:00pm.

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Keep Shining

Church family,

What a beautiful season we are in! With every baptism, every hand raised in worship, and every new face walking through our doors, we're seeing the Spirit of God move in powerful ways. There's a fresh energy, a holy momentum—and it's not by accident.

As I shared recently, *the darker the world gets, the more people begin searching for the Light*. Jesus said in John 8:12, *"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."* What a promise!

Let's keep being that light. Not just on Sundays, but everywhere we go—at work, in our homes, in the grocery store, on social media. Let's share hope. Let's love boldly. Let's serve selflessly. And let's do it all in the name of Jesus, who still transforms lives.

"You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden." (Matthew 5:14)

This is our moment to shine—not for our own glory, but to point people to the One who gives life. Let's keep loving. Keep sharing. Keep shining.

Domingo

Praise and Prayer Request

PRAISE: Dazhay Gregory was baptized March 19th. Pray for her as she begins her new life in Christ.

Jenn Ring-Martin: Praying for all those sick and hurting.

Mary Cannon: pray for Roxie and Rick Markey, they need calls and prayers.

Elisha Wall: keep the Hinton & Drew family in prayers for the passing of Kia Drew's father.

Patty Conway: Liam, Riley, Olivia, Lucas & Ethan.

Mason Family: CK Jackson-family healing, Frank Mason-healing.

Chrissi Steiner: safe travels for Lebron next weekend as he's coming to Delaware. Thankful for all the prayers God is answering in her life.

Remember our members who are homebound due to serious illness or have limited mobility and are unable to attend.

Greenbank church: Godly guidance for our elders, minister and deacons as they lead our congregation.

Greenbank missions: Eduar Morales (Oxford, PA), Chad Westerholm (Mozambique), Edmund Borfay (Liberia), Samuel Agbeta (Ghana), Camp Manatawny, Reflect Campus Missions/BHC.

If you have an item for prayer or praise, please email it to office@greenbankcoc.org for inclusion in our weekly list. To view previous prayer requests and those on our ongoing lists, please visit the Weekly Bulletins page on our website www.greenbankcoc.org.

Offer of Thanks

Dawn Dorrell would like to thank the church family for their help and prayers in her time of need.

Announcements and Events

Congratulations

Chad McPherson and Taylor Frazier were wed March 16th. May God bless this marriage with love, joy and a life of faith and may their union be a reflection of Christ's love for the church.

Children's Church

Children ages 3 years old through 5th grade will meet downstairs during the sermon. Parents are to come downstairs to pick up the children at 11:45.

Easter Candy Donations

In a few more weeks we will be hosting our annual Easter party for the children. We are asking members to donate individually wrapped candy for the baskets. Please bring your donations by Sunday March 30th and place them in the basket located in the lobby.

Camp Manatawny Missions

Each year we designate the month of March to collect donations for Camp Manatawny. Camp Manatawny is a Christian camp whose mission is "Glorifying God and Transforming Lives for Christ for a Lifetime". We will accept donations through Sunday March 30th. To donate, make checks out to Greenbank with "Manatawny" on the memo line. Envelopes are available at the welcome desk if contributing cash.

Camp Manatawny Events

Ladies Retreat-May 2-3 "Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Holiness"-\$45 includes meals, snacks, all activities and 1-night seasonal cabin lodging; upgraded lodging available at additional cost; girls 12 and under only \$10. Register at <https://www.manatawny.org/ladies>.

Sunday Meeting Times

In-Person Bible Classes @ 9:30 a.m. – including a Spanish-speakers class for adults.

In-Person Worship Services @ 10:30 a.m. – English & Spanish

The English service is livestreamed with 3 ways to connect:

1) **Facebook Live:** <http://www.facebook.com/greenbankchurchofchrist>

2) **Greenbank Website:** www.greenbankcoc.org Click on the Facebook Live tab on the menu bar at the top of the page. You will need to log in to Facebook to join the live feed.

3) **Zoom:** Meeting ID: 862 5363 5838 Passcode: 123456; Phone In: (301) 715-8592

Bible Studies

English Mid-Week – Wednesdays @ 7pm – hybrid class (in person & online) on Facebook Live or Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/98664842526?pwd=Rkp6Z3VYSGZpcjY4cXZWNjd1djNpQT09>

Spanish Mid-Week – Thursdays @ 6:30pm at Greenbank. Contact Arturo Gallegos for information.

Ladies – 2nd Saturday each month @ 9am -hybrid class (in person & online) via Zoom – led by Crystal Reyes. Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88946018992> or dial in (301) 715-8592. Enter Meeting ID 889 4601 8992.

Men – 3rd Saturday each month @ 10am at Greenbank led by Mark Ray.

Youth – Thursdays @ 6:30pm at Greenbank – led by Eileen Hince

SMALL GROUPS

Bear/Newark – 2nd & 4th Sundays @ 2pm – hosted by George Kirkland/Walter Johnson

Greenbank – 2nd & 4th Sundays @ 12:30 pm in the building after services– hosted by Kamal Wall

North Wilmington – 1st & 3rd Sundays @ 3pm – hosted by Chrissi Steiner.

Married Couples – 1st Tuesday each month @ 7pm in the teen room – led by Domingo & Crystal Reyes.

Teens – 1st Friday each month @ 7pm in the chapel – led by Domingo Reyes.

3 Ways to Give

1) **In Person:** Place your offering in the collection plate as it is passed during our service.

2) **By Mail:** Send your contribution to 511 Greenbank Road, Wilmington, DE 19808.

3) **Online:** PayPal has been set up on our website www.greenbankcoc.org. Click on the "Donate" button and follow the instructions. (Note: there is a small fee assessed from each donation.)

Last Week: Attendance: 158 Contribution: \$7,884 Weekly Average: \$5,223 Weekly Budget: \$5,443