

Weekly Newsletter - Sunday, May 18, 2025

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

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Dear Church Family,

Jesus called us to *make disciples of all nations*—and that mission is still ours today.

On **Sunday, June 1**, we will take up a **special collection** to support **Efraín**, a faithful minister serving in **El Salvador**. Some in our Spanish-speaking fellowship know him well—he's visited us several times over the past few years, sharing powerful lessons and encouraging our church family.

Efraín is preaching the gospel and building up a small but dedicated congregation in a community with great spiritual need and few resources. Our support will help provide Bibles, meet basic needs, strengthen the church, and fuel evangelistic efforts in the region.

This is more than a donation—it's a partnership in the gospel. It's our chance to stand with fellow believers and live out the Great Commission together.

Please pray about how you can give on June 1. Let's show our love not just in words—but in action.

With love,

Domingo

"How can they preach unless they are sent?"

—Romans 10:15

Praise and Prayer Request

Benita Baines: brother Adam Blackburn passed away (5/10). Prayers for his wife and family.

Patty Conway: Richard & Mom, Cathy S., Barb, Laura, Amber, Paula, Sharon, Crystal, Cheryl & Laura Lijory.

Jenn Ring-Martin: prayers for travel to Atlanta to visit my sister, Lorri. Prayers for my surgery on May 23rd. Please pray for my healing and strength.

Marcia & Marlin Johnson: prayer for strength and guidance on making the right choice at work.

Dawn Dorrell: keep in prayer.

Chrissi Steiner: prayers for LeBron and me as we prepare for our upcoming wedding and marriage and for Lebron who is experiencing some ongoing health concerns.

Mason Family: F. Mason, in hospital-healing, J. Berkley-better health.

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.

Announcements and Events

Library Access

Anyone who needs access to the library when the door is locked, see Rory or Dawn for the code.

Ministries/Small Groups Update

Ladies Bible Study, Teen/Youth and the Marriage Couples Small groups will be paused until October. Thank you for all your support and dedication to these efforts. We'll regroup in the fall and look forward to what God has in store next.

Church Picnic @ Lums Pond-Saturday, June 14th

The entrance fee for Delaware licensed vehicles is \$4.00. Out of state licensed vehicles are \$8.00. The fee will be covered for any Greenbank members attending the picnic. To receive an entrance ticket, you MUST sign up on the sheet in the lobby no later than Jun 1st. Tickets will be handed out on June 8th.

Events at Camp Manatawny

Family Camp-May 23-26th._\$130 includes summer cabin lodging, all meals and activities for up to 4 family members. \$20 for each additional family member 5 & older, 4 & younger Free.

Camp Sonshine-May 31-Jun 1-Free camp for children 8 to 18 with special needs.

Financial Aid (Campships) Deadline-June 1st.

For Summer Session details and registration for all camps go to www.manatawny.org.

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. (On break until October)

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

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

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 @ 2pm – hosted by Mona Newsome.

Married Couples – 1st Tuesday each month @ 7pm in the teen room – led by Domingo & Crystal Reves. (On break until October)

Teens – 1st Friday each month @ 7pm in the chapel – led by Domingo Reyes. (On break until October)

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: 180 Contribution: \$4,590 Weekly Average: \$5,256 Weekly Budget: \$5,443