May 10, 2015 The Pentecostals 2950 South Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC 757-3033

CHURCH SCHEDULE: Sunday School 10:00 AM

Evening Worship 7:00 PM

Bible Study

Wednesday 7:30 PM

Prayer Meeting Saturday 7:00 PM

Built on The Rock!

"Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are things are just, whatsoever things are are of good report: if

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if there be any praise,

think on these things."

Philippians 4:6-8

Faith Promise-\$2928 Building Fund- \$360

Mother's Day

How anyone could create a loving home in the midst of a chaotic family atmosphere is a mystery to me, but by the grace of God, Mama was able to accomplish that in our home. We were never quite sure if dad would be sober when he came home from work, so we stayed prepared for it just in case he wasn't. Our life was uncertain. but one thing was sure and constant in our home: our mom's love for us. We knew that when we got off of the school bus, she would be waiting for us to arrive. As we got older, we often made bad choices. Did that stop mom from loving us? No. No matter how badly we fell into a sin or some trouble, we knew that we could always come home and find mom waiting for us. She never said, "I told you so; she never interfered when we had major decisions to make; she didn't judge us harshly, (She practiced the scripture, "Judge not that ye be not judged.")

I remember one time when mom put a stuffed bear in my bed and covered it up so it would look like I was asleep. I had wanted to spend the night with my girlfriend, but I was in the fourth grade, and daddy worked out of town, so I couldn't get permission first. After I practically begged mom to let me go, she conceded, because we had a field trip planned at school. The next day when I got home, mama told me that her heart almost stopped beating when Daddy came home late and went in to kiss me goodnight. I was sleeping so soundly, he thought, that he didn't even turn on the light, so Daddy never realized that he had kissed the bear.

Thank you, Lord, for the Moms in our lives, who run interference. They are such a blessing to have around and today, on Mother's Day we get to recognize them. "In all things give thanks." I thank my mother, for teaching me about Jesus, and his love. I thank her for never giving up on me accomplishing something great—even when I often missed the mark by miles. I thank my mother for giving me a reason to sit still true, whatsoever things and visit—even though the visits were rare occasions, because often, I was too busy are honest, whatsoever to be still. I thank my mother for not turning away from me when I was angry with God—her prayers brought me through a desert time in my life, and as a result, I made my peace with God and built a stronger bond with her. I thank my mother for pure, whatsoever things protecting me from all of the monsters both real and imagined in my life.

When the nightmares came, it was mom who was there to take me in her arms there be any virtue, and and hold me as I explained that the skull was on my pillow, so I was afraid to move. She turned on the light and showed me that the skull, I saw, was only the shirt that I had crumpled up at my pillow.

In mama's arms, the world was safe. I thank my mother for finding a way to encourage me to follow what the Lord laid on my heart at a young age—writing. She didn't laugh at me when I told her what I felt the Lord wanted me to do, just because I was only eight years old, and writing seemed like such a faraway dream. Mama's response to my plans was to buy me my first journal and ink pen. I can hear her saying "Gracie Ann, you can do anything that you set your mind to do." I thank my Special Offering-\$2120 mother for finding something to love in me. We weren't rich in material possessions, but I was the richest girl in the entire world, because I had her. -gm



"I love them that love me and those that seek me early will find me" (Proverbs 8:17).

POG: BUILT ON THE ROCK!

PASTOR'S PRAYER PARTNERS: Sundays at 9:45 a.m.. PRE-SERVICE PRAYER: Thirty minutes before services. THE HOUR OF POWER: Saturday from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

BIBLE STUDY: Wednesday night, 7:30 p.m.

TWA: 200 Contacts: 503 Visitors: 5 Bible Studies: 5 Holy Ghost: Baptism:

Trust God!
Church Growth,
Faith, Family
Finances,
Commitment

Mission Statement: The Pentecostals of Greenville is an Apostolic church. We are committed to exalt Jesus Christ: to worship Him in Spirit and in Truth; to proclaim the gospel; to evangelize our community; to minister to people's needs & to provide a spiritual atmosphere of fellowship and growth.

"Strength and honor are her clothing; and she shall rejoice in time to come. She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness. She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness. Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her. Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all. Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord, she shall be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands;

and let her own works praise her in the gates (Proverbs 31: 25-31).

Our church is filled

Just a thought... Come pray at the Tent all this week!

It's open!

Tent Revival, May 15-17

Community Day, South Greenville, August 15, Snow Hill Crusade, October 17

Our church is filled with mothers. What makes good mothers? They are the ones who will pray with you and spend time with you, even when they are busy. They listen to your trouble, and then make sure that you do the right thing to solve the problem. When you live far away from your own mother, they are the ladies who spend time teaching you to stand for the Truth of God's word. A constant guide and friend, "mothers" of all ages fill the role of caring for children age 0 to adult, God bless you mightily as you help to ensure the future of our church family.

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Until next time, Willie

"Give Me This Day"

- Give us dominion in our principality. Eastern NC Ephesians 1:21.
- 2. Let your blessing rest on our home and neighborhood. Psalm 1:1-3
- 3. Let us find favor with God and man. Acts 2:47
- 4. Lord open doors for hungry hearts. Matthew 5:6
- 5. Lord help us reap a harvest! Luke 10:2

The newsletter is now available online at lattereign7.com.

May Birthdays:

1 Brenda Bratton 1Ashley Manka

2 Shenitha Taft

2 Fay Lindqvist 4 Bonnie Roix

4 Ethan Brown

6 Josh Lappin 7 Joy Still

7 Wanda Foreman

9 Eddie Brown

11 Sarah Therrien

15 Noah Ausherman 16 Kala Lee

17 Emanuel Williams

17 Kevin Velasco

19 Connor Wood

20 Terry Rouse

20 Kristie Dominique

21 Allen Savage

21 Eddie Aguirra

22 Ricardo Zarate

23 Daren Manka

23 Hannah Rowe

24 Bobby Taylor, Sr.

26 Logan Drury

26 Amy Weeks

30 William Smith

31 Donna Jacobs

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If you have a birthday to add, let us know; Call 355-3427.

TOPS (*Take Off Pounds*Sensibly) meets Thursdays at 5:30.
Call 364-2901 for details.