



CHURCH SCHEDULE:

Sunday School

10:00 AM

Evening Worship

7:00 PM

Bible Study

Wednesday

7:30 PM

Prayer Meeting

Saturday 7:00 PM

“If my people,
which are called
by my name,
shall humble
themselves, and
pray, and seek
my face, and turn
from their wicked
ways; then will I
hear from
heaven, and will
forgive their sin,
and will heal their
land.”

2 Chronicles 7:14

December

Faith Promise- \$2435

Building Fund- \$532

Missions-\$700

Wednesday nights:

Bible Study- *The Purpose
Driven Life* begins January
6 at 7:00 P.M.

It's Time to Believe the Lord.

When it comes right down to it, we choose to believe the things that we want to believe whether they are correct or our own wishful thinking. They thought that going in to possess the land would be a piece of cake, after all, they had God on their side. Didn't he lead them out of Egypt? Didn't he part the Red Sea? And certainly we couldn't forget how he caused manna to rain down from heaven to feed them on a daily basis. It wasn't a week's supply—it was fresh every day on a continual basis. God provided manna from heaven every day except the Sabbath. The day before the Sabbath he gave them enough for two days.

They were never hungry; but still, they chose to complain. They'd lament that back in Egypt they could have all of the onions and garlic that they wanted. Or, they might say things like, if they hadn't left from Egypt they wouldn't be wandering around in the wilderness. Do you get the impression that maybe, the Israelites made a choice to chronically complain rather than to believe God?

Out of twelve spies sent out to search the land, only two had a positive report. The other ten spies saw the same promised land, criticized their abilities, and doubted God would give them the land. Joshua and Caleb had a different view because they looked at the situation through God's eyes. They believed that God was able to deliver the giants into their hands and that they could go in and possess the land.

It's time to possess the land that the Lord has promised. Whose report you believe depends on whose eyes you are looking through. I, for one, believe in the report of the Lord. There is nothing that I need that he won't supply if I believe. If there are mountains in your life, you can speak to the mountain and tell it to move. The mountain will stay if you don't believe, but if you believe, then you can watch the mountain crumble by the power that is within you. The spies went to search out the land that flowed with milk and honey, but their lack of confidence in God's ability and willingness to help them cost them the promised Land!

It's time to trust God for a good report. His report says, I am healed; his report says, I am filled; his report says, I am free; his report says, victory. Joshua and Caleb gave a good report and they were the only two of the original Israelites who left out of Egypt to cross over into the Promised Land.

On this first Sunday into a brand new year, 2016, it's good to renew our commitments. I'm more convinced than ever that we're living in a time where being faithful is crucial. We don't know the day nor the hour that the Lord will return, and we aren't guaranteed that we'll even have enough time to do the work that he's called us to do if he delays his coming. What we can know is that until he comes, we must work! -gm

It's time to seek the Lord, make fresh commitments, and move forward in 2016.



**"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. (*The first six weeks we'll meet at 7:00 p.m.*).

**2015 TWA: 211
Contacts: 13150
Visitors: 1011
Bible Studies: 292
Holy Ghost: 62
Baptism: 30
Renewed: 1**

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.

Holding on to the Word

"Hear, O Israel; the Lord our God is one Lord: And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thine might" (Deuteronomy 6:4-5).

"But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; they shall walk, and not faint" (Isaiah 40:31).

Willie's

Korner

Q&A

Q: Why didn't they play cards on the Ark?
A. Because Noah was standing on the deck

Q. Why didn't Noah go fishing?
A. He only had two worms.

Q. On the Ark, Noah probably got milk from the cows. What did he get from the ducks?
A. Quackers

Q. Who was the fastest runner in the race?
A. Adam, because he was first in the human race.

Q. What animal could Noah not trust?
A. Cheetah

Q. Who was the smartest man in the bible?
A. Abraham. He knew a Lot.

God made us all perfect. He's just not done with most of us yet!

Did you know it's a sin for a woman to make coffee?
In the Bible it says, "He brews".

Until next time, Willie

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January Birthdays:

1 Meghan Laurin
2 Ruby Streeter
5 Rickey Aquilla
6 Kara Ann Tate
7 Josefina Esparza
9 Zelma Smith
12 Jesus Filomero
17 Melanie Manning
19 Angel Hardison
21 Linda Williams
24 Rebekah Laurin
29 Maria Cruz
30 Pearline Gibson
31 Reba Thomas

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