April 10, 2016 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 7:00 P.M.
Prayer Meeting
Saturday 7:00 P.M

I am free from want for "my God shall supply all my need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus: (Philippians 4:19).

"Knowing that whatsoever good thing any man doeth, the same shall he receive of the Lord, whether he be bond or free" (Ephesians 6:8).

April

Faith Promise- \$2650 Building Fund- \$585 Missions- \$6288

Do you want to read more from *The Lattereign?* Follow it online at **lattereign7.com**.

All guests are welcome to join us in the back immediately following service for light refreshments.

"Fear Not: Believe Only...be Made Whole"

"While he yet spake, there cometh one from the ruler of the synagogue's house, saying to him, Thy daughter is dead; trouble not the Master. But when Jesus heard it, he answered him, saying, **Fear not: believe only, and she shall be made whole**. And when he came into the house, he suffered no man to go in, save Peter, and James, and John, and the father and the mother of the maiden. And all wept, and bewailed her: but he said, **Weep not; she is not dead, but sleepeth.** And they laughed him to scorn, knowing that she was dead. And he put them all out, and took her by the hand, and called, saying, **Maid, arise.** And her spirit came again, and she arose straight way: and he commanded to give her meat. And her parents were astonished: but he charged them that they should tell no man what was done" (Luke 8:49-56).

What have you been believing God for lately? Jesus set the conditions for getting prayers answered. First, he called out people of faith to believe with him and he separated himself from unbelievers. He didn't listen to negative thinking because that would hinder his prayers being answered. Then, he spoke in faith the very thing that he wanted to see happen. The disciples and parents were weeping and he told them, "Weep not. She is not dead but sleepeth."

They wanted to believe the Lord, but they couldn't see past the obvious fact that the girl was dead, so they laughed him to scorn. In their moment of vulnerability they didn't have the power to believe. The Lord didn't reprimand them because they couldn't believe, he separated himself from them, as well, because he doesn't operate where there is unbelief. God will bring it too pass when it seems impossible. He is God and he can do all things. We must think positively even when it's our world that has permanently changed. Death could have been a lasting condition, but Jesus heard their cries and told them to, believe only.

We have to learn how to trust God to help us put away our doubt. Every day is a miracle day and the Lord wants to work miracles in our lives. It's easy to believe that the Lord will perform miracles for someone else, but when it's your miracle you must believe it for yourself. Note that it was only after doubt had left the room that the Lord performed the miracle. That speaks to me: I can't afford to have doubt taking up residence in my life if I want to have my prayers answered.

Since I am a child of the king, I have a commitment and an obligation to worship the Lord with all of my heart, soul, mind, and strength. The Lord is worthy to be praised for he is good and his mercy endureth for ever. If Jesus had passively waited for the miracle to happen, it may not have occurred. I am so blessed that he didn't stay on the sidelines, he actively sought for my freedom, and I thank him for it. gm



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

POG: **PURPOSE– POWER!**

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, 7:00 p.m.

TWA: 275 Contacts: 188 Visitors: 45 **Bible Studies: 3 Holy Ghost: 1**

Baptized: 2

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.

Jr. Camp Preliminary Information—Arrive July 19th; Depart early July 22nd \$120 per camper, \$10 for a shirt, \$60 per counselor, IPHC Campground, Falcon, NC **12 year olds can attend either Jr. or Teen camp (or both)

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I was shocked, confused, bewildered As I entered Heaven's door, Not by the beauty of it all, Nor the lights or its decor. But it was the folks in Heaven Who made me sputter and gasp-The thieves, the liars, the sinners,

There stood the kid from seventh grade Who swiped my lunch money! Twice.

The alcoholics and the trash.

Next to him was my old neighbor Who never said anything nice.

Herb, who I always thought

Was rotting away in hell,

Was sitting pretty on cloud nine,

Looking incredibly well.

I nudged Jesus, 'What's the deal? Would love to hear Your take.

How'd all these sinners get up here?

God must've made a mistake.

'And why's everyone so quiet,

So somber – give me a clue.'

'Hush, child,' He said, 'they're all in shock.

No one thought they'd be seeing you.' JUDGE NOT.

Remember...Just going to church doesn't make you a Christian Any more than...Standing in your garage makes you a car.

"A cheerful heart is good medicine" (Prov. 17:22)

Until next Time. Willie ^^^^^

Super Church!

Wednesday, April 13, during church Please join us for lots of fun, activities, songs, and a puppet show! We look forward to seeing you there!

April Birthdays:

- 2 Brandon Freeman
- 6 Misty Lantz
- 7 Greta Lee
- 9 Cameron Wade
- 13 James Earl Manning, III
- 12 Caidence Rene Sumner
- 12 Lauren Washington
- 14 Crystal Boseman
- 14 Norman Schmidt
- 14 Monique Wright
- 15 Alice Godley
- 15 Irma Lappin

- 17 Jessica Aguirre
- 17 Tommy Williams
- 18 Erieck Fiarza
- 21 Dorothy Duncan
- 22 J.J. Hardison
- 22 Jim Wood
- 24 Frank (Butch)

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24 Hannah Paige

- 26 Sara Catherine O'Neal
- 27 Robert Mitchell
- 28 Lisa Johnson
- 29 Chuck Ausherman

If you have a birthday to add, Let us know; Call 341-3437.