January 27, 2019 The Pentecostals

2950 South Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC

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CHURCH SCHEDULE: Sunday School 10:00 AM Evening Worship 6:00 PM Bible Study Wednesday 7:00 P.M.

Prayer Meeting Saturday 7:00 PM

"When my soul fainted within me I remembered the Lord: and my prayer came in unto thee, into thine holy temple. They that observe lying vanities forsake their own mercy. But I will sacrifice unto thee with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay that that I have vowed. Salvation is of the Lord" (Jonah 2:7-9).

January

Faith Promise- \$450 Building Fund- \$860 Missions- \$1640

Set Priorities in 2019

Some days it seems impossible to schedule another single event to our already overbooked appointment calendar, but it's necessary if we are to be about our Father's business. At a leadership meeting a few years back, we discussed "Priorities: the pathway to success."

Setting priorities becomes a challenge when we try to balance ministry, family time, work, and personal time. It never fails that personal time often gets sacrificed. Unless we are getting our strength by reading God's Word and prayer we'll spend part of the precious time that we do find, being resentful because we don't have enough time.

If you have ever felt discouraged and are weary in your struggle to live for God, listen to what the Lord shared with me from Psalm 27. He reminded me that he is my light and my salvation, so I don't have to fear anything. He is also the strength that I have in my life, and the greatest source of protection that I can have, so I don't have to be afraid.

When my enemies came against me to destroy me, they had to walk over the blood line because Jesus has built a wall of protection all around me. Instead of my enemies getting the best of me, the Lord caused them to stumble and fall.

If I still don't feel confident enough to navigate the trials of life, and I lose my footing, time and again, the Lord assures me that even if a "host should encamp against me, my heart shall not fear" (see verse 3). We are in a war, but even if the war comes against me, I can still be confident. Why? Because I know that the Lord will give me the desires of my heart, and I desire to seek after Him so that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

He promised in His Word that he would hide me in his pavilion; in the secret of his tabernacle; and then upon a rock. Each of these places offers safety and refuge. We spend a great deal of our time trying to do the right thing, and simultaneously the enemy of our soul seeks to steal our joy and our victory.

If he succeeds in taking my mind off of God's perfect will for my life, I will not have the confidence to set priorities; but, if I'll do what the scriptures has said, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof" (Matthew 6:33-34); then, I'll be able to set priorities, for they'll be in line with God's will and purpose for my life.

One day there will be no more time, but until that day, "I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work. As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world" (John 9:4-5). That light can shine in the workplace where everyone seems to be in despair; it can shine in the mall when people look so lost from the onslaught of trouble in the world. It can shine into the abyss of the darkest circumstances and lead me out of the pit of defeat. The light of God's love can lead us home where we'll find joy and salvation in his presence. May the Lord richly bless you find your way back into his presence. —gm

"...if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land."

- 2 Chronicles 7:14

Rule of 5

- 1. Pray
- 2. Read the Bible
- 3. Be a Witness
- 4. Give
- 5. Come to Church & Worship.

BELIEVE

Pre-Service Prayer: Thirty minutes before services. Pastor's Prayer Partners Sundays at 10:00 AM The Hour of Power: Saturdays from 7:00-8:00 PM Pray for our Nation: Daily 7AM & 7PM.

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.



TWA: 200 Contacts: 235 Visitors: 3

Home Bible Studies: 3

Holy Ghost: Baptized:

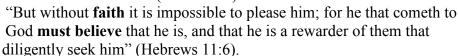
God Answers Prayer

Casey Hathaway, a 3-year-old, missing for 56 hours, has been found alive and he is doing well. How did he keep warm? He says a purple bear stayed with him for two days. God is so good.

Jill Miller has been able to pass an important test that allows her to keep her new position. God is able to do exceeding abundantly above all we ask for him to do. If God has answered a prayer for you, let us know. By testifying of his goodness you will be encouraging others who may still be waiting on answers. We know that the Lord heals, provides, delivers, strengthens, and saves. Now, proclaim it.

Willie's Korner

Scriptures to live by: "But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him: and with his stripes we are healed." (Isaiah 53:5).



"Now **faith** is the substance of things hoped for the evidence of things not seen" (Hebrews 11:1).

"Through **faith** we understand the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear" (Hebrews 11:3).

"Walk in the light and have fellowship one with another." (1 John 1:7)

Onward

I will follow where He leads me, through the valley and the hills I will trust Him for there's no other, who can all my needs fulfill. In sickness and in health, He is my strength and my song, In life's battles, He is my shield; in my weakness, he is strong. Oh, when all the world's against me, my ideas and my plans I look to the creator of heaven, earth, and man. In Him, I put all my confidence, my trust my faith my life With His hands, He holds my future; my past, He leave behind. There is no condemnation to those who believe And if we are in Christ Jesus—we have everything we need.

Until Next Time, Willie

Did you miss a Lattereign?

It's now being published online at lattereign7.com

January Birthdays

- 1 Meghan Pruitt
- 3 Gracelyn Paige
- 5 Rickey Aquilla
- 6 Kara Ann Tate
- 7 Josefina Esparza
- 8 Anita Brown
- 9 Zelma Smith
- 12 Jesus Filomero
- 17 Melanie Manning
- 19 Angel Hardison
- 18 Thalisa (TT)
- Cattenhead
- 21 Linda Williams
- 24 Rebekah White
- 26 Lucero Salinas Jeronimo
- 29 Maria Cruz
- 29 Sammy Mitchell

If you have a birthday to add, let us know; Call 341-3437 and leave a message to include the name and the birthdate.