October 18, 2020

The Pentecostals

2950 South Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC

757-3033

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

"Ye are my witnesses, saith the Lord, and my servant whom I have chosen: that ye may know and believe me. and understand that I am he before me there was no God formed. neither shall there be after me. I, even I, am the Lord: and beside me there is no savior" (Isaiah 43: 10-11).

October
Building Fund—
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Missions—\$1145

Welcome to the Pentecostals of Greenville!

Called by the Name; Committed to the Calling

"I know thy works, behold I have set before thee an open door, and no man can shut it; for thou hast a little strength, and hast kept my word, and hast not denied my name" (Revelation 3:7-11).

I desire that the Lord should have confidence in me that if he asks me to follow him that I will do whatever he asks willingly and without complaint. When I can be trusted to do the will of God he can have confidence in me and give me "an open door that no man can shut". What? Do you mean even after you have prayed for a financial miracle and you lose your job, you can have an open door? Yes, no man can shut the door that God opens.

The Lord tells us "for thou hast a little strength". He didn't say that we were destitute and without strength, we have sufficient strength—not an abundance, maybe, by the way that we measure (If we had excess we'd probably waste it on frivolous things) but "a little strength". It is enough strength to hold on to our relationship with God and go another step towards our destination.

When we continue to do the will of God in spite of our circumstances it gets God's attention, and even though we may only have a little strength, he reminds us that we have "kept the word." Keeping the word requires a great deal of strength and determination. While Satan tries to rob us; the world and the cares of this life surround us; and the light of the gospel is being choked out of us; the Lord promises to "set before us an open door" one that compels us to come in and experience the opportunities and the blessings that he has prepared for us.

We are commended when he tells us that "thou hast not denied my name". How many times people have denied the name of Jesus, the only name that will save us? They, in essence, are denying the only way of escape that is opened to them choosing rather to fumble through life alone.

When trials come we have many opportunities to deny the name. We could betray Jesus (and some do) like Judas Iscariot. While we may not require 30 pieces of silver we could sell out for much less: sports, drugs, prestige, vanity, worldly pleasures, position, fame, peer pressure, or acceptance by our so called friends. The riches of this life will melt with fervent heat, and we'll all face God on Judgment Day to give an account of our lives. Who can stand on that day? Those who have been found faithful who have kept the word and who have not denied the name. Our covenant is eternal and the benefits of that covenant can't be bought, because they are already paid in full at Calvary. Our circumstances may look impossible because we only see the now, but keep holding on to God's promise and in "yet a little while, it shall come to pass." gm



Rule of 5

- 1. Pray
- 2. Read the Bible
- 3. Be a Witness
- 4. Give
- 5. Come to Church & Worship. Follow us at lattereign7.com

2020 Vision

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.



POG- / online POGC-25 = TWA:**Contacts:** Visitors: **Home Bible Studies: Holy Ghost: Baptized:**

Willie's Korner





Until next time. Willie

Stand

Fiery trials rage on the mountains you must climb; Your praise confines you day after day; Victory after victory slips past you each time you pray. Sorrow's your company pain is your relief. The hint of rains tease you in the time of drought; nothing changes in the wilderness nor in your pangs of doubt. When you're discouraged and your hope begins to wane and all the world's mocking becomes too much to take; you doubt God's promises and your shield of faith breaks. When living takes the life from every joy that you have left: Lift up vour hands and Stand.

Stand still and know that he is God. Stand therefore with your loins girt about with truth. His grace is sufficient and his promises are true You'll see his glory, soon, if you faint not. © 2002 by Grace Morgan

October Birthdays

4 Jamie Marie Manning

4 Twyla Sparks

10 Michael Ward

10 Bobby Tucker

11 Jeanette Manning

11 Cindy Laurin

12 Janni Wood

13 Vernadine Reid

14 Ashlyn Pike

15 Rene Steiner

20 Victoria

Roberson 21 Anne Taylor

22 Lisa Chukwu

27 Dolton Stroud

29 Saulocempo

Gospel

29 Kayler Williams

29 Shonda Tucker

29 Brother Evrvn

Williams

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