



February 13, 2022 The Pentecostals 2950 South Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC 757-3033

CHURCH SCHEDULE :

Saturday Night Spanish Service!

7:00 PM

Sunday Morning Service

Sunday School

10:00 AM

Sunday Night Pre-Service Prayer

5:30 PM

Sunday Night Service: Greenville

6:00 PM

Sunday Night Service: Greene County (Spanish/English)

6:00 PM

Wednesday Night

Bible Study

Youth Class

7:00 P.M.

February

Building Fund— \$2422

Missions— \$490

Welcome to the Pentecostals of Greenville!

Scriptures to live by

“For the Lord your God is he that goeth with you, to fight for you against your enemies, to save you.”

(Deuteronomy 20:4)

“Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the savor of his knowledge by us in every place.”

(2 Corinthians 2:14)

Praise and Worship: On the Front Lines

(I will be writing this month on the topic of praise and worship: their meaning, their significance in the word of God and our lives, and other aspects of these important means of honoring God!)

“And when he had consulted with the people, he appointed singers unto the Lord, and that should praise the beauty of holiness, as they went out before the army, and to say, Praise the Lord; for his mercy endureth for ever. And when they began to sing and to praise, the Lord set ambushments against the children of Ammon, Moab, and mount Seir, which were come against Judah; and they were smitten.” (2 Chronicles 20:21-22)

Jehoshaphat, King of Judah, could have been distressed when the news came that the children of Moab, and the children of Ammon, and with them others beside the Ammonites, were going to do battle with them; these armies were great and no match for the people of Judah. Instead, the King called for a solemn fast, and the people fasted, prayed, and sought God to direct their steps for the right course of action. The spirit of the Lord came upon one named Jahaziel in the midst of the congregation, telling them the battle is not yours, but God's. Their faith and obedience paid off because the enemy wasn't expecting worship; the enemy became confused, turned on each other, and it took three days to gather the spoil.

We are in the midst of fierce spiritual battles today, outside *and* inside the church. Lions in the jungles use their loud roars to paralyze their victims for a moment, just enough to give them an advantage to successfully attack their prey. Just as Satan will come in like a roaring lion to prey upon you, we need to be vigilant in our prayers and in our praise and worship to drown out the noise of our adversaries! How confused Satan must be when, while we should be scared and hopeless, we are confident in our faith in God and praising God through our trials! When we put praise and prayer on the front lines of our battles in life, we will always triumph. Praise and prayer go hand in hand: the Lord inhabits our praises, and He says for us to ask and it shall be done. Oh, we're going to have battles and hardships in our lives, but when we offer up praise and worship, we are a weapon that Satan can't defeat.

Satan hates when we worship God. Worship is designed for God, and only God. Jesus knew this as the devil was tempting him in the wilderness. “If you'll just worship me, I'll give you all the kingdoms of this world.” Jesus won the battle: “Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.” (Matthew 4:10). Also, the word of God and praising Him work together on the spiritual battlefield. “For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword...” (Hebrews 4:12). “Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, and a two-edged sword in their hand;” (Psalm 149:6). When we face the devil with praise and the word of God, Satan trembles as God gives us the victory.

Paul and Silas sang their way out of a jail. Seven priests blew their trumpets to bring down the walls of Jericho. David played the lyre to rid Saul of a harmful spirit. Isn't it time for you to put Satan in his place....which is under your feet? March out to the front of the battlefield, give praise to God and worship Him, and He will give you the victory!-wm/gm

Purpose and Power

The Oilers!
One of many Connect
Groups we have!



Connect Groups!

It's time to plan for our
Connect groups for 2022!
Please fill out a survey card
this morning or scan the
QR code with your phone to
let us know what type of con-
nect group(s) you want to be
involved with!



What's Happening!

-Outreach! Next Saturday morning, February 19th, at 11AM at the church. We'll be going out inviting people to our Friends Day service!

-Our Saturday night Spanish service, next Saturday night, February 19th at 7PM, will be bilingual as we welcome Bro. Jorge Ortiz! Come on out and support our new Spanish work!

-Friends Day (with a touch of International flavor!) Next Sunday morning, February 20th! Bro. Jorge Ortiz will be ministering to us. We will also be having a meal after the morning service in the FLC. Please see Sis. Crystal B. to help with the menu!

-Ladies Conference 2022, March 17th to March 19th. Cost: \$50 by March 1, \$60 at door. Visit <https://ncle22.eventbrite.com> for agenda, registration & hotel information. See Sis. Janni Wood if you have any questions.

By The Numbers...

POG Saturday night: 27
POG TWA: 193
Pentecostals of Greene County: 45
Total Weekly Attendance: 238
Bible Studies: 1
Visitors: 5
Holy Ghost:

Willie's
Korner

All is Well...

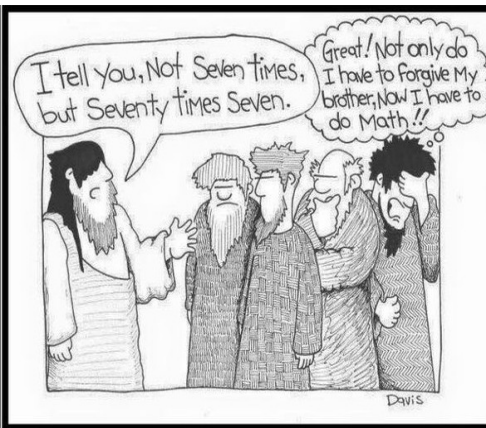


Welcome to the POG!

Join us for a
guest reception
(light refreshments)
immediately
following service in the
fellowship hall.

February Birthdays

2 Betty Moseley
12 Tiffany Edwards
12 Felicia Tucker
16 Wesley Laurin
22 Travis Kenerly
27 Felicia Johnson
28 Essence Emani
28 Norwood Still



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 and to provide a spiritual atmosphere of fellowship and growth.