July 17, 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
Kids For Christ (KFC)

7:00 P.M.

**July** Building Fund– \$3380

Missions = \$805

Welcome to the Pentecostals of Greenville!

#### **Mission Statement**

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# The Power of Being...In His Presence

You may be able to accomplish seemingly impossible tasks on you own because you have been gifted by the Lord to do so. Without even exerting extra energy, you may be able to do great things with ease and finesse. That is where we like to be in our walk with Him (able to do the grand and the impossible for the glory and kingdom of God) but it doesn't always work as smoothly as we'd like, and sometimes it is nearly impossible to visualize the greatness and significance of what we do accomplish. I have been guilty of trying to minimize the gifts and talents that the Lord has blessed me (*I write*.) If we could only realize that the Lord is able to take the particles of dust and with His word create a man, He took special care to shape man into His image and He breathed the breath of life into that body. He has a purpose and a plan for our lives.

Somewhere along the way, we have missed it, with our ultra busy lifestyles (all for the glory of God, of course) and we have failed to refresh ourselves with the power that only comes through being in His presence. We say our two minute or thirty second prayers before meals or while heading out the door, with little time to reflect on God, His goodness, or what He desires of us for that day. We are all guilty of over scheduling.

When a relationship is only one-sided, it can go sour fairly quickly. We wouldn't think of totally ignoring our spouse, our children, or our job. The consequences of doing so could be grave. But we don't think twice about ignoring to read our Bible, fellowshipping with the Lord through prayer and supplication, or going days without end without so much as speaking the name of Jesus. No wonder we lose our victory and anointing at the first obstacle that stands in our path.

It is good to work for the Lord like Martha; it is better to develop a "Mary" spirit and worship at His feet. There are no pretenses, no agendas, no deadlines, and great power and strength to gain from just acknowledging that we can do nothing without Jesus. He has the ultimate control in our lives.

What great things we can accomplish when we learn to spend time in His presence! The mountains in our lives that would try to separate us from Him will be removed. The Lord has given us light to bring us out of darkness. It will guide us into all truth, if we'll learn how to take the time to just BE in His presence. It is a great gift: the power of being. -gm/wm

#### Scriptures to live by

"There they made him a supper; and Martha served: but Lazarus was one of them that sat at the table with him. Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly, and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair: and the house was filled with the odour of the ointment. Then saith one of his disciples, Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, which should betray him, Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor?... Then said Jesus, Let her alone: against the day of my burying hath she kept this. For the poor always ye have with you; but me ye have not always." (John 12:2-5,7-8)

# What's Happening!

# -Fellowship in the Family Life

**Center!** Next Sunday, July 24th, right after the morning service! Potluck style...what you bring is what we eat! See Sis. Crystal B and let her know what you're bringing good to eat!

### By The Numbers...

POG Saturday night Spanish: 13

**POG TWA: 188** 

The Sanctuary (Winterville): 15 Pentecostals of Greene County: 75 Total Weekly Attendance: 263

Visitors: 6 Baptisms: Holy Ghost: 1

## Want to join the Nursery Team!



Stop by the Nursery door and help us fill up the next schedule!

# Purpose and Power

# NC Junior Youth Camp 2022!!!









Grace's "I have a banner above my bookcase at school that says,

"You are not finished when you lose; you are finished when you
quit."

The banner has been a constant reminder that I must not quit when I lose. I am thankful that the Lord cares about our needs and everything that we could ever want or desire.

He says, "For thou hast possessed my reins: thou hast covered me in my mother's womb. I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well" (Psalm 139:13-14).

We are "fearfully and wonderfully made" and I am so thankful that the Lord took such care of us to love us unconditionally. When we struggle to make it in this world and our eyes see things that it hurts for us to see, we could hide away in a secret place and turn our backs on the pain, we could reject the blood of Jesus Christ and take his name in vain. We could do so many things, but as the poem says, **don't quit**..." *-from the Lattereign April 21 2002* 

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### **July Birthdays**

- 2 Lisa Walston
- 3 Margaret Schmidt
- 6 Tayloria Dupree
- 10 Ian Arthurs
- 12 Donna Steiner
- 12 Obi Chukwu
- 14 Alison Tyson
- 17 Nicole Drury
- 18 Jill Miller
- 18 Bella Noemi Lappin
- 21 Steve Walston
- 22 Thurman Huffman
- 24 Kimberley Steiner
- 25 Tom Miller
- 25 Albert Bratton
- 26 Alicia Dupree
- 27 Kristina Trump
- 29 Pastor Ron Lappin
- 29 Rochelle Kenerly
- 29 Michael Ray Sumner
- 30 Samantha Rouse

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