



July 30, 2023 The Pentecostals 2950 South Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC 757-3033

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday Prayer

8:00 AM-8:00 PM

Wednesday Prayer

6:00 AM-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- \$28935

Missions- \$2150

Welcome to the Pentecostals
of Greenville!

Fear Not... Believe Only!

"49 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.

*50 But when Jesus heard it, he answered him, saying, **Fear not: believe only, and she shall be made whole.** 51 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. 52. And all wept, and bewailed her: but he said, **Weep not; she is not dead, but sleepeth.** 53 And they laughed him to scorn, knowing that she was dead.*

*54 And he put them all out, and took her by the hand, and called, saying, **Maid, arise.***

55 And her spirit came again, and she arose straight way: and he commanded to give her meat.

56 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 from 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, because He doesn't operate where there is unbelief. God will bring it to 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/wm

What's Happening!

-Discipleship Class... starts back Sunday, August 13th at 9AM in the FLC! See Jim or Janni Wood if you have any questions!

-Educator's Sunday... August 27th!

-All day prayer at the church...

Wednesdays from 6AM-7PM and Saturdays from 8AM-8PM!

-Bible studies are always available... One lesson or the 12 lessons at your home that works with your schedule! Come and learn more about God's word in your life!

-Connect Groups... are plentiful this summer and going strong! Join up and have fun!

By The Numbers...

POG TWA: 194

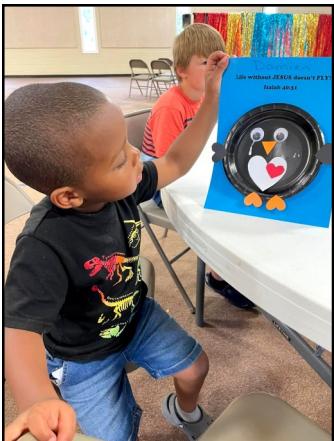
Pentecostals of Greene County: 31

Total Weekly Attendance: 225

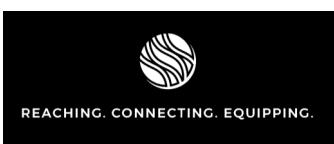
Visitors: 9

Holy Ghost:

Baptisms:



VBS: 2023!



Grace's Korner



July/August Birthdays

- 27 Kristina Trump
- 29 Bishop Ron Lappin**
- 29 Rochelle Kenerly
- 29 Michael Ray Sumner
- 30 Samantha Rouse
- 2 Lauren Cummings
- 3 Rieneke Ausherman
- 4 Greg Drury
- 8 Dillon Manning
- 11 Marina Tate
- 11 Willie Dupree
- 11 Ronelyn O'Connor
- 13 Crystal Page
- 14 Ashley Diaz
- 15 William Morgan
- 21 Dennis Foreman
- 26 Keith W. Drury
- 27 Kaden Manning
- 27 Austin Lilley
- 28 Debbie Brown
- 28 Rob Kenerly
- 29 Steven Lappin
- 31 David Brown