March 9, 2025 The Pentecostals of Greenville 2950 South Memorial Drive, Greenville, NC

CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday Prayer 8:00 AM-7:00 PM Wednesday Prayer 7:00 AM-7:00 PM Pre-Service Prayer

30 min. prior to services

Sunday Morning Services

Sunday School for adults and children Discipleship Class Youth Class 10:00 AM

Worship Service (everyone!)

11:00 AM

Sunday Night Service:
Greene County
(Spanish/English)
6:00 PM

Wednesday Night

Bible Study Youth Service Kids Super Church 7:00 PM

March

Building Fund- \$2101 Missions- \$825

Welcome to the Pentecostals of Greenville!

Pastor Ryan Petersen Church phone number: 252-757-3033

Renew Your Strength Through Praise

"Thou whom I have taken from the ends of the earth, and called thee from the chief men thereof, and said unto thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness. Behold, all they that were incensed against thee shall be ashamed and confounded: they shall be as nothing; and they that strive with thee shall perish." (Isaiah 40:9-10)

We have the Lord's promise that He will take care of us when the enemy tries to overpower us, so we have nothing to fear if we are serving Jesus. Sometimes we may forget who we are serving—we may even look at the waves and the roaring seas of our trials and turn away from Jesus, temporarily. But today, we can start afresh serving the Lord with our whole heart. Our past can be under the blood and forgotten when we ask for forgiveness and obey the Lord's command to be baptized in Jesus Name. He promises to pour out His spirit on all flesh.

"Jesus Christ the same, yesterday, today and forever." He doesn't change. He is forever faithful to us, and there's no one else who'll be as dependable as Jesus Christ. He died for us and He lives for us, and if we will open up our hearts and receive the gifts that He offers us so freely, we'll reign with Him. He's going to provide for your needs and when you are weak and weary from the world's attacks, He will "renew" or "exchange" your strength.

Isaiah 40:31: "But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk and not faint." When we are in the valley, we are walking with the Lord. It is there that we gain our strength so that we can mount up with wings as eagles. It's necessary to walk with the Lord through the valleys, for it's in the valleys that the lilies grow, and we're perfected.

If we're always strong, will we turn to the Lord for our strength? When we're walking through the valleys in life, we're called on to offer Him a sacrifice of our praise. And finally, we learn that it's not about us all the time: true worship is all about Him. (Read more on this subject in Psalm 18:2-3, 32; Hebrews 13:15; Nehemiah 8:10; Isaiah 40:28-31)

What's Happening!

-All day prayer at the church...

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

- **-Pre-service prayer...** 30 minutes before each service! Come early and get prepared for what God has in store for you!
- **-Our newly started Spanish Sunday School is going on...** in the Family Life Center at 10am on Sunday mornings!
- -Converge Service... Wednesday, March 26th at 7pm! Come out and let's encourage our children and youth as they help lead in all aspects or our service!
- **-Friends Day...** Sunday, March 30th, at 11am!

By The Numbers...

POG TWA: 232

Pentecostals of Greene County: 38 Total Weekly Attendance: 270

Visitors: 13 Holy Ghost: Baptisms:

"In Case You Missed It!"

Wednesday night's Bible Study by Pastor Petersen: "Jonah and the... Boat"

- 1) Jonah 1:1-3. The reason Jonah did not obey was because Jonah did not want God to forgive his enemies! He delayed obedience by fleeing Tarsus. Delayed obedience is disobedience!
- 2) Rationalizing sin is when our mind makes an excuse for what our spirit knows is wrong!
- 3) Watch what begins to happen when we disobey and rationalize sin:
 - -Jonah 1:3, "and went DOWN to Joppa."
 - -Jonah 1:5, "But Jonah was gone DOWN into the sides of the ship."
 - -Jonah 2:3, "You threw me DOWN to the bottom of the sea."
 - -Jonah 2:6, "I went DOWN to the bottoms of the mountains."
- 4) The challenge is found in Jonah 1:4-5 while they are in the boat!
 - -Be careful who you allow in your boat!
 - -Love is not the same as access!
 - -You can love people without letting them in your boat!



Congratulations to our Volunteer of the Month

Tramaine Griffith!



March 30th at 11am!

