



Weekly Newsletter – Sunday, March 16, 2025

Office hours: Mon / Wed / Fri 9:00am-3:00pm.

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Revival Starts with a Change of Priorities by T. Ritter

Revival isn't just about a moment in church—it's about a transformation in our daily lives. Many of us long for a deeper connection with God, but we often let the distractions of life take priority over our spiritual growth. True revival begins when we make God our first priority.

2 Corinthians 5:17 reminds us, *"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come."* Revival means letting go of complacency, stepping out of our comfort zones, and embracing the new things God wants to do in our lives.

Often, fear and uncertainty hold us back from experiencing a renewed relationship with God. But Lamentations 3:22-23 reassures us, *"The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning."* Every day is a fresh opportunity to seek Him more deeply, to grow in faith, and to trust in His plans.

Revival requires action. It means committing to prayer, immersing ourselves in God's Word, and actively serving others. As we shift our focus from worldly concerns to God's kingdom, we will experience the renewal and joy that come from walking closely with Him.

Are you ready for revival? It starts in your heart, one step at a time. Seek Him today, and let the transformation begin!

"Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?" – Psalm 85:6

Praise and Prayer Request

PRAISE: Homero Gomez Hernandez was baptized on March 12th. Pray for Homero as he begins his new life in Christ.

Deborah Sanichar: Praise God for his goodness!

Anderson Family: Juanita's sister (Darrin's Aunt) Thelma Johnson passed away last week.

Anna DaCunha: friend Tara Carr, lost her father, pray for her and her family.

Patty Conway: Nate & Paula, Cathy Mac, Riley, Reyes Family, King Family.

Marlin & Marcia Johnson: will be traveling out of town 3/15, pray for safe travels.

Deloris Evans (visitor): health and finances.

DaZhay Gregory (visitor): strength in new journey with Christ and becoming a new woman.

Roger Hucker Family: Our brother, Roger, passed away March 1st, please lift his family in prayer.

Barbara Wallace: pray for family of Christine Dubois who passed away recently.

Arturo Gallegos: prayers for peace in this country and everyone's well-being.

Remember our members who are homebound due to serious illness or have limited mobility and are unable to attend.

Greenbank church: Godly guidance for our elders, minister and deacons as they lead our congregation.

Greenbank missions: Eduar Morales (Oxford, PA), Chad Westerholm (Mozambique), Edmund Borfay (Liberia), Samuel Agbeta (Ghana), Camp Manatawny, Reflect Campus Missions/BHC.

If you have an item for prayer or praise, please email it to office@greenbankcoc.org for inclusion in our weekly list. To view previous prayer requests and those on our ongoing lists, please visit the Weekly Bulletins page on our website www.greenbankcoc.org.

Announcements and Events

Movie Night-Friday March 21st 6:00 pm.

The fellowship committee is hosting a movie night in the chapel, featuring Sight and Sound's production of Noah. Everyone is welcome. Invite your friends, enjoy popcorn, and bring a blanket and foldable chair if desired. The movie will start at 6:30.

Easter Candy Donations

Individually wrapped candy donations are needed for the children's Easter baskets. Donations can be placed in the basket in the lobby through March 30th. See Shelley Irwin with questions.

Camp Manatawny Missions

Each year we designate the month of March to collect donations for Camp Manatawny. Camp Manatawny is a Christian camp whose mission is "Glorifying God and Transforming Lives for Christ for a Lifetime by providing opportunities for learning, service, growth and building relationships." To donate, make checks out to Greenbank with "Manatawny" on the memo line. Envelopes are available at the welcome desk if contributing cash.

Other Manatawny News

Camp Manatawny has several events this spring for students, adults and families. Registration is open now. Discounts and financial aid are available to those who qualify. See the bulletin board in the lobby or go to www.manatawny.org for more information.

Grief Share

A weekly grief support group will meet on Mondays from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the church from March 10 through June 2. Sign up for griefshare.org. For any questions, please contact Fern Davis at fspellman2@comcast.net.

Sunday Meeting Times

In-Person Bible Classes @ 9:30 a.m. – including a Spanish-speakers class for adults.

In-Person Worship Services @ 10:30 a.m. – English & Spanish

The English service is livestreamed with 3 ways to connect:

1) **Facebook Live:** <http://www.facebook.com/greenbankchurchofchrist>

2) **Greenbank Website:** www.greenbankcoc.org Click on the Facebook Live tab on the menu bar at the top of the page. You will need to log in to Facebook to join the live feed.

3) **Zoom:** Meeting ID: 862 5363 5838 Passcode: 123456; Phone In: (301) 715-8592

Bible Studies

English Mid-Week – Wednesdays @ 7pm – hybrid class (in person & online) on Facebook Live or Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/98664842526?pwd=Rkp6Z3VYSGZpcjY4cXZWVjd1djNpQT09>

Spanish Mid-Week – Thursdays @ 6:30pm at Greenbank. Contact Arturo Gallegos for information.

Ladies – 2nd Saturday each month @ 9am -hybrid class (in person & online) via Zoom – led by Crystal Reyes. Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88946018992> or dial in (301) 715-8592. Enter Meeting ID 889 4601 8992.

Men – 3rd Saturday each month @ 10am at Greenbank led by Mark Ray.

Youth – Thursdays @ 6:30pm at Greenbank – led by Eileen Hence

SMALL GROUPS

Bear/Newark – 2nd & 4th Sundays @ 2pm – hosted by George Kirkland/Walter Johnson

Greenbank – 2nd & 4th Sundays @ 12:30 pm in the building after services– hosted by Kamal Wall

North Wilmington – 1st & 3rd Sundays @ 3pm – hosted by Chrissi Steiner.

Married Couples – 1st Tuesday each month @ 7pm in the teen room – led by Domingo & Crystal Reyes.

Teens – 1st Friday each month @ 7pm in the chapel – led by Domingo Reyes.

3 Ways to Give

1) **In Person:** Place your offering in the collection plate as it is passed during our service.

2) **By Mail:** Send your contribution to 511 Greenbank Road, Wilmington, DE 19808.

3) **Online:** PayPal has been set up on our website www.greenbankcoc.org. Click on the "Donate" button and follow the instructions. (Note: there is a small fee assessed from each donation.)

Last Week: Attendance: 140 Contribution: \$2,345 Weekly Average: \$4,957 Weekly Budget: \$5,443