



Weekly Newsletter – Sunday, October 7, 2025

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

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Keep Your Eyes on the Bigger Picture”

Life is full of distractions that pull our attention in different directions. Some of them are small interruptions; others feel overwhelming and constant. Work, family responsibilities, health concerns, news headlines, and even the pull of technology all compete for our focus. In the middle of it all, it’s easy to get caught up in what feels urgent and forget what’s truly important.

But God calls us to lift our eyes above the noise and fix them on what endures. He doesn’t want us consumed by the temporary storms around us, but anchored in the eternal hope He provides.

Paul reminds us in 2 Corinthians 4:18: “So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.”

When life throws curveballs, when relationships get complicated, or when the world feels heavy, we can choose to look beyond the temporary. We can choose hope. We can choose faith. We can choose to keep our eyes on Jesus.

Here are three practices to hold onto:

- 1. Pause. “Be still, and know that I am God” (Psalm 46:10). Slow down enough to hear His whisper.***
- 2. Prioritize. “But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well” (Matthew 6:33). Focus on what matters most.***
- 3. Press Forward. “I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus” (Philippians 3:14). Don’t give up.***

God is working behind the scenes in ways we may not see yet. Hold fast to His promises.

With love and prayers,

Domingo

Praise and Prayer Request.

Elisha Wall: health and healing for my mom while under the weather, health and healing for my family.

Patty Conway: Ed G., George K., Bro. King, Sis. Sharon King, Liam B & Jay L.

Moises Phillips: pray for blessings.

Bev Abosch: safe travels for trip to Ohio & back.

Anna Dacunha: Brenda Graves’ husband is back in the hospital; they are making arrangements for possibly putting him on hospice. Brenda needs our prayers.

Desmona Newsome: prayers for Shirl Ellis surgery on 9/26.

Alex Bowers-Pray for the earthquake victims in the Philippines. Contact Alex @ masteryedi@aolo.com if you can help in any way.

Dawn Grabowski: travel grace and mercy during our trip.

Food Drive Collection: August-100 cans of canned meat, September-282 containers of juice. October will be canned vegetables (except green beans).

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

Married Couples Small Group-Tuesday, October 6th

Our married couples' group will be held on the first Tuesday of each month at 7 pm in the small chapel. Any questions contact Domingo & Crystal Reyes.

Fellowship Committee Meeting-October 4th -9 am

We will be planning for the 2026 fellowship activities. Anyone interested in being on the committee next year should attend. Any questions, contact Anna DaCunha.

New Small Group-starting October 15th

Domingo will facilitate a Community Bible Study every Wednesday at 10 a.m. in the small chapel. Those interested in participating should add their names to the signup sheet posted on the bulletin board.

November Fellowship Meal-November 2nd

Join us for a heartwarming "Friends Giving" celebration as we gather in gratitude, fellowship and delicious food. See the menu on the bulletin board and sign up for a dish to bring. Let's celebrate the season of thankfulness with a table full of blessings and hearts full of joy. All are welcome!

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=Rkp6Z3VYSGZpcjY4cXZWNjd1djNpQT09>

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 Hince

SMALL GROUPS

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

North Wilmington – 1st & 3rd Sundays @ 2pm – led by Mark Ray.

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

Teens – 1st Friday each month @ 7pm in the small 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: 155 Contribution: \$16,939.74 Weekly Average: \$5,430 Weekly Budget: \$5,443