# **PRIVILEGED TO SERVE**

SUNDAY MORNING July 30, 2017

Ministers:

Glen Elliott

WELCOME: Darren Dent Don Barnett SONG LEADER: OPENING PRAYER: Matthew Dent Kevin Lovell LORD'S TABLE: Nathan Lovell ASSIST: Zac Gordev Jared Mahan Wyatt Brewer **Tyler Blair** CLOSING PRAYER: Eli Leonard **GREETERS: Rick & Kathy Camp** Aubrey & Donna Allensworth **Benjamin Thomason** CARDS: **Ryeland Lovell** Anna Wolff VISITOR GIFT/ Cassi Gilbow HOSTESSES: SCRIPTURE READER: Eli Leonard Psalm 90:12

### SUNDAY EVENING July 30, 2017

SONG LEADER: **Brian Drewrv** OPENING PRAYER: Rod Wilson Kevin Blair LORD'S TABLE: Gene Blair Gary Bradford CLOSING PRAYER:

> WEDNESDAY EVENING August 2, 2017

SONG LEADER: Kevin Lovell Jared Mahan OPENING PRAYER: Glen Elliott **DEVOTIONAL:** CLOSING PRAYER: Mike wolff

> \*Please contact Mike Wolff if you are unable to serve.

## SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:				
BIBLE CLASS 9:30 a.m.				
WORSHIP 10:30 a.m.				
EVENING 5:00 p.m.				
LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 1:00 p.m.				
WEDNESDAY:				
BIBLE CLASS 7:00 p.m.				
THURSDAY:				
LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m.				
Elders:   Gene Blair 501-499-5868 Darren Dent 501-581-3052   Gary Bradford 501-626-3232 Rod Wilson 501-328-7888				
Deacons:				
Mike Brewer 501-472-7692 Michael Cole 815-622-187 (youth) (benevolence, pantry)				
<u>Jarrod DeValle</u> 501-470-8710 (education & teachers)				
Michael Gilbow 501-208-2909				
(nursing home, fellowship room set up)				
<u>Mike Wolff</u> 501-472-8912 (building & grounds)				

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# **GOD'S WORK IN US**

The story is told of a mouse and an elephant who were traveling together. One day, after crossing a bridge over a deep ravine, the mouse exclaimed, "Boy, we really shook that old bridge!"

This little story beautifully illustrates the Christian's relationship to the heavenly Father. We can do amazing things through the power that works within us. In fact, the apostle Paul said, "I can do all things through Him who strengthens me" (Ph. 4:13). Looking at life through faith's vision, we understand that we work together with God (2 Cor. 6:1). He is the moving force that gets the job done while we are like the little mouse who feels the impact of His power working through us. It is remarkable to consider that God has chosen human beings, earthen vessels, to accomplish His work and, in doing so, has brought abundant glory to Himself and His message (2) Cor. 4:7). A humble, obedient Christian is a conduit through whom God's power is magnified (Eph. 3:20-21).

God's power works in us through His word (Hb. 4:12). The word of God must conquer the mind. Paul reminds us that every thought must be "taken captive to the obedience of Christ" (2 Cor. 10:5). A change in thinking becomes a change in living (Mt. 12:33-37). The old man of sin must be replaced by the "new self who is being renewed...according to the image of the One who created him..." (Col. 3:10).

God's power also operates in us through His providence (Rm. 8:28). God is with us as we do His work (Mt. 28:20). He hears and answers the prayers of His servants (Jas. 1:5-8; 1 Jn. 3:21-22). The guestion is not about God's ability to help us carry out His work. The question is about our willingness to make Him our constant traveling companion. Many are the chasms and high are the obstacles that threaten to undo us in our daily walk with God. But, He is able if we are willing (Ph. 2:13). In carrying out our mission, we are God's fellow workers. It is not the one who plants the seed nor the one who waters the seed who is anything, "but God who causes the growth" (1 Cor. 3:7-9). Ultimately, the impact of our lives will be determined by whether or not we allowed God to work through us.

--Glen Elliott--

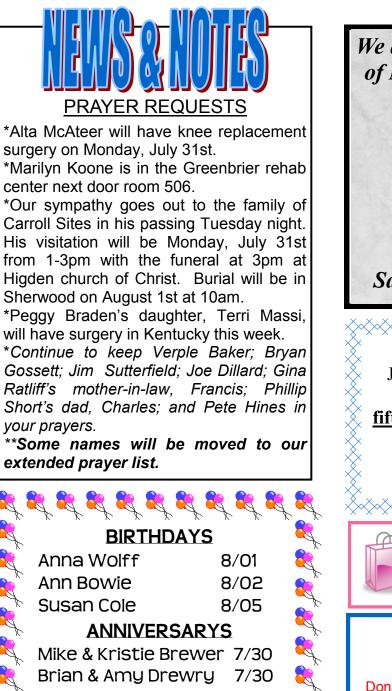
THANK YOU CARD:

To the congregation at Greenbrier, This is truly a family. We thank you so much for the prayers, cards, calls, visits and food during Doni's illness. I don't know how people go thru this without a church family. You are the best. Again thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Ron & family

**<u>REMEMBER</u>** Christ Quest is August 4-6th at Mountain Home **\$10 registration fee** 

OUR RECORD		║└
<u>JULY 23, 2017</u>	<u>/</u>	
SUNDAY CLASS:	141	
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	188	8
SUNDAY PM:	82	
WEDNESDAY (26th):	110	
BUDGET:	\$5,400	
OFFERING	\$5,410	
YTD average:	\$5,363	
YTD ahead/behind:	-\$1,121	8



We are all invited to the wedding of Mary Camp & Nash Meyers at our building with a reception to follow Saturday, August 5th at 2:00 <u>REMEMBER:</u> July 30th is the last Sunday of the month service, and since it is a

fifth Sunday, there will be a potluck after morning services then we will have a 1pm service NO 5pm service



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]	5 More Lessons			
]	in our Summer Series			
]	AUGUST			
]	2nd - David Riley:			
]	"What Is that in Your Hand?" (Ex. 4:2)			
]	9th - Matthew Martin:			
]	"How Shall We Escape If We			
]	Neglect So Great a			
]	Salvation?" (Hb. 2:3)			
]	<b>16th</b> - "If Salt Loses Its Saltiness,			
]	How Can It Be Made Salty			
]	Again?" (Mk. 9:50)			
]	23rd - Loyd Harris:			
]	"Why Do You Call Me 'Lord,			
	Lord," and Do Not Do What I			
]	Say?"(Lk. 6:46)			
]	<b>30<sup>th</sup> –</b> Chase Turner: "But the Nine – Where Are			
]	They?" (Luke 17:17)			
]	Consider these great questions			
]	Make plans to be present			
]	Bring a friend with you			
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	SAVE THE DATE! Ladies Fall Retreat			
	October 27-29th			
	Ozark Conference Center			