#### **PRIVILEGED TO SERVE**

#### **SUNDAY MORNING**

March 7, 2021

WELCOME: Mike Brewer
SONG LEADER: Jeff Jones
OPENING PRAYER: Seth Fisher
LORD'S TABLE: Gene Blair

ASSIST:

CLOSING PRAYER: Matthew Dent no greeters at this time

CARDS: no card pickup at this time

VISITOR GIFT/ no visitors
HOSTESSES: bags at this time

SCRIPTURE READER: no services NURSING HOME: no services

#### SUNDAY EVENING March 7, 2021

SONG LEADER: online only OPENING PRAYER: online only LORD'S TABLE: online only

CLOSING PRAYER: online only

#### WEDNESDAY EVENING March 10, 2021

SONG LEADER: Seth Fisher OPENING PRAYER: Rick Camp

**DEVOTIONAL**:

CLOSING PRAYER: Bill Davidson

\*Please contact Jackie Horton, if you are unable to serve.

### **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

#### **SUNDAY:**

BIBLE CLASS (cancelled) 9:30 a.m.
WORSHIP (in person & online) 10:30 a.m.
EVENING (online only) 5:00 p.m.
LAST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH 1:00 p.m.

#### **WEDNESDAY**:

BIBLE STUDY (in person & online) 7:00 p.m.

#### 1st & 3rd TUESDAYS:

SENIORS MINISTRY CLASS 10:30 a.m.

#### **THURSDAY:**

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:00 a.m. \*cancelled until further notice

## **2nd Thursday of each month**:

PANTRY OPEN from noon - 1:30 p.m.

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#### **GREENBRIER CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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#### **A LIVING ORGANISM**

In God's word, the church is referred to as "the body of Christ." In as much as the church is Christ's body, it is not so much an institution as it is a living organism. The analogy of the church to a body leads us to three important observations.

First, we observe that, as a body, the church must have a head to direct, guide, and control its various functions. Paul tells us that "Christ is the head over all things to the church, which is His body..." (Eph. 1:22-23). Just as the physical body operates in obedience to the directive impulses of the brain, so also Christ's spiritual body, the church, operates in obedience to Christ's directives as recorded in His inspired word. When the body fails to obey its head, the result is chaos and confusion. This is true of the spiritual body as well as the physical body. God is not to be blamed for religious division. Religious division is simply the result of man's failure to live under the headship of Jesus Christ. Keep in mind that our "God is not a God of confusion, but a God of peace" (1 Cor. 14:33).

Next, we observe that, in addition to a head, a body must have members that work together harmoniously. Each member of the body has an important function. When even the smallest member of the body fails in its assigned task, the whole body suffers. As a finely-tuned organism, members of the body must work together in a way that promotes the common good (1 Cor. 12:12-27).

Finally, it should be observed that, as the body of Christ, the church must be unified. Disunity among members frustrates the purpose and design of the body. Christ's fervent prayer was that His followers be joined together in unity (Jn. 17:20-21). Upon what basis shall we unite? The only basis for true unity is found in placing ourselves under the headship of Jesus Christ. Living in submission to His word is the only foundation upon which we can unite as faithful members of His body, the church.

-- Glen Elliott --

\*Join us in our 7:00 Wednesday night services where we are presently discussing what the Bible says about the Lord's church.

# Prayer Requests

\*Our sympathy goes out to Margaret Adams in the passing of her daughter.

\*Bob Gossett's sister, Frankie, needs prayers as she is in hospice care.

\*Lavonne Duncan's sister-in-law, Carolyn, is having surgery.

\*Keep Rod Wilson in your prayers as he waits on doctor appointments.

\*Continue to keep Melba Sharp; Nora Smith; Stephanie Phillips; Helen Swindle's sister, Sharion; Debbie Freeman; Terri Massa; Jason Elliott; Joyce Hines; Jim Burkett; Marilyn Koone; Dorothy Tatum; Michael O'Brien, and Ted & Barbara Knight in your prayers.

SPRING FORWARD NEXT WEEKEND!

#### **SENIORS MINISTRY**

The next class is
Tuesday, March 16th
at 10:30am in the
Outreach Center with
Jeff Jones teaching.
After class they will be going to
Hole in the Wall Café.

\*Please signup on the bulletin
board in the hallway if you
plan to go AND put a check
by your name if you want
to ride the van.

#### February 28, 2021

SUNDAY CLASS:
SUNDAY WORSHIP: 76
SUNDAY PM:

WEDNESDAY (3rd): 52 BUDGET: \$4,500

OFFERING: \$6,222

## REMEMBER

Be here at 9:30am Sunday morning for Bible class

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3	BIRTHDAYS:		8
3	(March 7th - March 20th)		8
	Eric McNulty	3/7	
	Tim Dixon	3/8	
	Tyler Blair	3/9	
	Martha Bell	3/14	
	Robert Hayes	3/15	
	Merrell Story	3/15	
3	Becky Gossett	3/17	
3	Merle Thomas	3/18	
ANNIVERSARIES:			
3	Marty & Tina Leonard	3/13	
3	Jeff & Alisa Jones	3/17	
8	Jim & Patsy Burkett	3/19	
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#### **Spotlight on Missions**

Look for this new periodic section to read important excerpts from the mission field. As usual, full reports will be posted on the bulletin board across from the church office. "We request the prayers of our members as we begin making important decisions about distributing this year's Missions' Day contribution.

His servants, Glen, Jeff, and Rod"



# **Baby Shower**

For Natalie Vandeveer
Sunday, March 14th
at 1:30 in the
Outreach Center
Natalie & Justin are having
a girl and are
registered

at Amazon

# Bible Quiz

1 Peter 1:17-21

- 1. True or False: God judges everyone's work without partiality.
- 2. "conduct yourselves throughout the time of your stay here in \_\_\_;"
- 3. True or False: Christians were redeemed with corruptible things.
- 4. "With the precious  $\_$  of Christ, as of a  $\_$  without blemish and without spot."
- 5. "He indeed was \_\_ before the \_\_ of the world, but was \_\_ in these lasts times for you..."

\*last week's answers: gird, mind; the grace to be brought at the revelation of Jesus Christ; obedient; lusts, ignorance; holy, holy