

Greenbrier Bulletin

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January 12, 2025

PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

SUNDAY MORNING

January 12, 2025

WELCOME: Kevin Blair
SONG LEADER: Jeff Jones
OPENING PRAYER: Seth Fisher
LORD'S TABLE: David Woody
Cayden Leonard
Josh Whitley
Marty Leonard
CLOSING PRAYER: Ron McInturff
GREETERS: Austin & Sarah Ford

SUNDAY EVENING

January 12, 2025

SONG LEADER: Rod Wilson
OPENING PRAYER: Jeff Jones
LORD'S TABLE: Kevin Blair
CLOSING PRAYER: Tyler Blair

WEDNESDAY EVENING

January 15, 2025

SONG LEADER: Seth Fisher
PRAYER: David Woody
DEVOTIONAL: Glen Elliott

**Please contact Jackie Horton,
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 STUDY 7:00 p.m.

1st & 3rd TUESDAYS:

SENIOR MINISTRY CLASS 10:30 a.m.

2nd & 4th TUESDAYS:

LADIES BIBLE CLASS 10:30 a.m.

2nd Thursday of each month:

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

Elders:

Glen Elliott 501-314-9999	Jeff Jones 937-776-0732	Rod Wilson 501-328-7888
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Deacons:

Kevin Blair 501-470-6593	Austin Ford 479-970-3988	Seth Fisher 501-581-5864
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Minister:

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GREENBRIER CHURCH OF CHRIST

12 Wilson Farm Road
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THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST (1)

Good news captures our attention and solicits an active response. While we like good news, it is painfully absent in many lives. We hear a lot about bloodshed and violence. Television takes up close and personal to the vision of tragedy and mayhem. In this atmosphere of doom and gloom, good news shines like a beacon in the night. We are starving for good news and, when it comes, we are happy to receive it.

The gospel is good news! *Gospel* is a word that "originally denoted a reward for good tidings; later, the idea of reward dropped, and the word stood for the good news itself" (W.E. Vine). The gospel is the good news of salvation from sin through the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ. The apostle Paul identified these basic elements of the gospel in his letter to the church at Corinth, saying, "Now I make known to you, brethren, the gospel which I preached to you, which also you received, in which also you stand, by which also you are saved, if you hold fast the word which I preached to you, unless you believed in vain. For I deliver to as of first importance what I also received, that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, and that He was buried, and that He was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures and that He appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve... (1 Cor. 15:1-5). The death, burial and resurrection of Jesus Christ provides the framework for the gospel message. Built around that framework, the New Testament teaches us how to respond to the good news of the gospel.

Good news, by its very nature, demands response. Where we see insufficient response, there has been a failure to be sufficiently impressed with the glorious nature of the gospel. If we are truly impressed by the glory of the gospel, we will respond in a way that glorifies God. Failure to obey the gospel carries the penalty of eternal destruction (2 Th. 1:6-10). How can I obey the gospel? By meeting its conditions. The gospel is still good news even though there are conditions which must be met for us to enjoy its benefits. We will have more to say about this in next week's bulletin.

-- Glen Elliott --

Prayer Requests

*Kendra Fisher's grandmother has fluid on her lungs and is in the hospital in Jonesboro. She will have a pacemaker put in when she's better.

*Donna Beck had rotator cuff surgery on the 31st. Keep her in your prayers as she heals.

*Jim Bell would like for us pray for his friend, George, who is in St. Vincent Hospital with serious heart complications.

*Continue to keep Lou Dillard; Mike Seger; Sandra Mobbs; Reba Warnock; Bob Gossett; Charlene Parish; Ginger Beene; Margaret Adams; Larry Ward; Charlene Parish's friend, Lou; Donna Beck; Jim Bell's friend, Hugh; Ginger Beene's friend, Marilyn; Nora Smith; Luther Cummings; Jason Elliott; Robin Linn's nephew, Steven; Patricia Clements' niece, Terrie; Gwen & Bobby Vaught and family; Dorothy Tatum; Melba Sharp; Dave & Janet Rhyne; Shelly Carter's dad, Jack Horton; and Terri Massa in your prayers.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

JANUARY 14th - Ladies Bible Class will meet at 10:30am in the Outreach Center.

JANUARY 18th - Men's Breakfast at 8am - sign up on the bulletin board.

JANUARY 21st - The Senior Adult Ministry Class will meet at 10:30am in the Outreach Center. Jim Bell will be teaching from the book of Jonah. No fellowship meal.

FEBRUARY 2nd - MISSIONS' DAY: be praying and preparing for this first Sunday in February.

PREPARE COMMUNION:

January 12th

Sarah Ford

January 19th

Melissa Hall



MISSIONS' DAY 2025 FEBRUARY 2nd

Pulpit Preview:

January 12th



AM -- The Power of One:
Esther

PM -- Mark: God's Servant
Has Arrived!

Come Join Us!

All Ladies Welcome!

Start the New Year off right and come to Ladies Bible Class. It does not matter if you have missed several classes or have never attended. Our next class will be Tuesday, January 14th in the Outreach Center at 10:30am. We will be discussing the questions from chapter 7, Trusting Hearts. After class those who wish may meet at MoJo's for lunch together.

Happy New Year, Secret Pal!!

Go by the ladies table in the hallway for more information and to sign up to be a Secret Pal. Names will be drawn on January 26th. Reveal party will be in June.

Food Committee
Leader
Martha Bell
501-472-9515



Our Record

January 5, 2024

SUNDAY CLASS:	76
SUNDAY WORSHIP:	88
SUNDAY PM:	53
WEDNESDAY (8th):	64
BUDGET:	\$4,600
OFFERING:	\$2,977



BIRTHDAYS:

Jan. 12th - Jan. 25th

Denver Stanford 1/12

Paisley Wilcox 1/15

Tom Steele 1/17

Dylan Leonard 1/22

ANNIVERSARIES:

Ron & Linda McInturff 1/13



BIBLE QUIZ: Matthew 5:13-16

1. Jesus said His disciples are ___ and ___.
2. "...but if the salt loses its ___, how shall it be ___?"
3. "You are the light of the ___. A city that is set on a hill cannot be ___."
4. Jesus said no one lights a lamp and puts it under a ___.
5. "Let your light so ___ before men, that they may see your good works and ___ your Father in heaven."

Answers to last week's quiz: True; kingdom, heaven; the meek; obtain, mercy; exceedingly, prophets