Message from the Pastor's



"It Is Well"

When we look at the current condition of our world's economy, we must ask the question, what is going on? Our natural reaction is to resort to the things we know. We start to look at our bank account, our 401-K, our retirement, our stocks and any other form of financial security. The only problem with this is we don't know God's plan. We should be looking for God in the midst of this storm. We must ask the question has America taken its eyes off God? Has this great country gone too far in its desire to be supreme? Has America relied too much on technology and finance for its security? Only God can protect and provide for this world. We don't have the technology to determine what time the seasons change. Our barometers can only measure what God sends. Our calculators cannot calculate the minute or the hour when we will have to answer the question are you ready to meet the Lord? God holds this world in the palm of His hand. As pastor, I want to suggest and recommend as believers, don't get excited about the condition of the world. We shouldn't freak out about the rising cost of living. We shouldn't panic over the changes in weather and storms. As believers these situations should make us focus on God and draw us nearer. Let's use these things as springboards to talk about Christ and a witnessing tool to put Jesus in it. Be motivated by knowing that we know the source, and we have a direct line of communication with Him. Therefore, testify "It is well". When peace like a river attendeth my way, when sorrow like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, Thou has taught me to say, it is well; it is well, with my soul.

Keep God first and He'll keep you first Your Humble Servant, Rev. Ned Armstrong Jr., Pastor

PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-IN MEMBERS

Please pray for everyone as we continue face challenging times with COVID-19 disease.

Please continue pray for all GMP members who have experienced loss of loved one during this time.

Please pray for one another, Morning, Noon, and Evening. "When I pray, and cry aloud: and he shall hear my voice." Psalm 55:17

Please see Sis. Green by 2nd Sunday of each month to add to prayer list.

Mission Statement: To teach God's word in a manner that inspires individuals to reach new heights in their personal relationships with God.

Vision Statement: Create an environment that enriches lives that holds to traditional values while encompassing conventional methods.

> Our Standard Is EXCELLENCE

Responsive Reading "God's Wonderful Works"

Genesis 1:1-5; 26-27; Psalm 104:13-15; 24; Isaiah 40:18, 22; Psalm 103:22

Minister: In the beginning God created heaven and the earth.

Congregation: And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.

Minister: And God said, Let there be Light: and there was light.

Congregation: And God said saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness.

Minister: And God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And the evening and the morning were the first day.

Congregation: And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over all the earth.

Minister: So, God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

Congregation: He watereth the hills from his chambers: the earth is satisfied with the fruit of thy works.

Minister: He causeth the grass to grow for the cattle, and herb for the service of man: that he may bring forth food out of the earth;

Congregation: And Bread which strengthened man's heart.

Minister: O Lord, how manifold are thy work! In wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches.

Congregation: To whom then will ye liken God? or what likeness will ye compare unto him?

Minister: It is he that sitteth upon the circle of the earth; that stretcheth out the heavens as a curtain, and spreadeth them out as a tent to dwell in.

ALL: Blessed the Lord, all his work in all places of his dominion: bless the Lord, O my Soul.

GREATER MT. PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH	
"Enter To Worship / Exit to Serve"	
October 2024	
Order of Service	
DevotionDeacons	Devot
Praise/WorshipChoir	Praise
Altar PrayerMinister	 Altar
SelectionChoir	Select

Announcements and Recognition of Visitors

Pastor Emphasis.....Pastor or Appointee Mission Statement Vision Statement Scripture: Jeremiah 29:11

Tithes and Offering

Selection	Choir	
The Word	Minister	
Invitation to discipleship	Minister	

Scripture for the Month

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven: **Ecclesiastes 3:1 King James Version (KJV)**

Thought for the Month

God made a perfect plan when He gave us time and seasons. He declared that the time and seasons should remain so long as the earth remained. Your time on earth matters and His timing is perfect, be sure to watch for the parts of His plan for you. Time and seasons are in God's hands, we just need to trust that He knows when and what is best. Time is running out and since you are still here on earth that means that you have some work to do.

WEEKLY MEETINGS

9:00 a.m	<i>SUNDAY</i> Sunday School & Stewardship Class
10:00 a.m	Morning Worship
	MONDAY
7:00 p.m	Mission & Brotherhood Auxiliary
	GMP DAILY PRAYER LINE
*6:00 a.m.	Prayer Line
*8:00 p.m.	Prayer Line
•	(Call our prayer @ (425) 436- 6352
	Access code 6780827#

SATURDAY ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ ళ Youth Rehearsal - *Every Saturday (second) @10:00 a.m.

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Sunday School Lessons for Month of October

SONGS OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

October 6th Prayer of Repentance of Confession Psalm 51:1-4;10-12, 15-17

October 13th A Plea for Deliverance- Psalm 22:1-11

October 20th Praise for Deliverance- Isaiah 25:1-10

October 27th Trust in God Alone - Psalm 62:1-12

Bible Study for the Month of October 2024 "Workbook Topic"

October 2 nd	Workbook Topic
October 9 th	Workbook Topic
October 16 th	Workbook Topic
October 23 rd	Workbook Topic
October 30 th	Workbook Topic

Calendar of Events October 2024

October 20th GMP End of Year Annual Planning Mtg @ 11:00 a.m. (Mandatory All GMP Officers) after service

October 24th First Lady Bert Armstrong - Birthday

October 27th - GMP Annual Sunday Day @ 10:00 a.m. October 27th - Family & Friends Day October 27th - GMP October Festival (after service)

*Any other calendar of events - TBA