

First Grace Brethren Church

April Birthdays

2 Annette Imler	13 Kathy Benz
2 Marie Turchetta	20 Jadicen Keith Gardner
3 Bobby Stahl	22 Kara Gardner
3 Alan Imler	27 Galena Townsend
12 Bob Gray	

Families of the Week

Mary Morris

Scott & Margaret Morris
McKenna

Pat & Patty Nagel

April Anniversaries

11 Luke & Katrina Townsend

21 Ted & Renee Gottshall

25 Dana & Helen Coke

~Joy, Happiness, and
Thankfulness~

“Joy is not the absence of afflictions,
but having the Lord’s comfort to deal
with them.”

“Happiness is not found in our
material belongings, but found in our
personal relationship with the Lord.”

“Thankfulness is not having what you
want, but being content with what
you have.”

Lord Jesus Saves

Mat 5:3 Blessed *are* the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

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Announcements

Today Sunday 4/15/18 6:00 pm Evening Service today
Wednesday Evening 4/18/18 6:30 pm
Please also continue to use your prayer lists
at your personal prayer times.

- Please bring plastic shopping bags and give them to Pastor Chris, the youth will use them for a ministry project at their retreat.
Needed by 4/19/18
 - Meeting today after church service for Vacation Bible School
- Do you sense God's calling to a preaching or teaching ministry? Pastor John conducts a mentoring class, ask him for details.
- The choir meets on Saturdays at 11:00 AM for practice
- Sunshine Box for sick and shut –ins,
Please remember to support this ministry with your gifts.
- “In-house mail” box on the table.
- Chaley needs snacks/juices for the children.
- Thanks to everyone who helped with egg production this year.
- Peanut butter and Coconut eggs are available for you to sale or buy
- May12th Youth Yard Sale - Items can be stored Pastor has a trailer

CHURCH CALENDAR

- April 15th “Hoss’ Restaurant fund raiser for youth Momentum trip.
- April 16th Deacon’s Lunch meeting 12:00 noon, “Kings Restaurant”
- April 17th Church Official Board meeting 7:00 PM
- Apr 27th “Group Day Trip” to Heritage Day and meal at Shady Maple Smorgasbord, in East Earl, Pa.
- House warming for Pastor Chris on Apr 29th @ 3:00PM
- Momentum Youth Conference July 17-22, 2018
(pray for our youth as they plan and raise funds for this trip)

If you have a prayer request and can't reach Pastor John
call Chaley Clark 207-4685

Welcome to First Grace Brethren Church April 15th 2018

Prelude Philip Baskin
Welcome / Announcements Bill Sheehan

Songs of Praise

Pastor Chris

*Hymn # 330 Are You Washed in the Blood?
*Hymn # 336 There is a Fountain
Prayer Pastor John
Offering Philip Baskin / Choir
Hymn # 348 My Savior's Love

Our toddlers (potty-trained to age 6) are dismissed to Children's service downstairs
with Annette Imler.

Hear Him

Message: Jesus' Formula for Happiness #1 Pastor John

*Hymn # 426, vs. 1 & 3 Blest be the Tie That Binds

***If you are able, Please Stand as we praise our Lord through song.**

Regular Opportunities for Worship

*Sunday School ~ 9:00 AM Morning Worship ~ 10:30 AM
Choir Practice 5:00 PM Evening Service 6:00 PM
Tuesday 7:00 PM Pastors & teachers in training,
Youth Tuesday 5:00 PM,
Wednesday ~ 6:30 PM, Children's group & Prayer | study*