



# Goshen Primitive Baptist Church



Attendance 58-40-28-38-53

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

- 05-10 – Ladies Circle @ Sister Peggy Bowen's @ 7:00 p.m.
- 05-13 – Mother's Day Lunch @ 11:30 a.m.
- 05-14 – NO 3:00 Bible Study
- 05-14 – Celebrate Mother's Day
- 05-19 – Seasoned Citizen's Lunch @ Longhorn Steakhouse in Columbia @ 11:30 a.m.
- 05-21 – Breakfast With The Lord @ 8:45 a.m.
- 05-29 – Celebrate Memorial Day



**Special thanks to all who attended our Annual Spring Meeting. Thanks to the youth for the Dinner they provided and for their musical specials. Also thank you to Bro. Jim and Sister Peggy for hosting Brother Buck. Also a big thank you to the ladies who prepared, served and cleaned up after each delicious meal.**

**GRACE,**  
**was the message of the Revival.**

**Amazing Grace from our Lord and Saviour!**

## MAY BIRTHDAYS:

- 05-13 – Ola Mae Taggart
- 05-16 – Jonathan Ash
- 05-17 – Esther Lewis (97)
- 05-23 – Layton Kirmse
- 05-25 – Bruce Glascock
- 05-28 – Michelle Bennett

## *Honoring Graduates, Sunday, May 28, 2017*

### High School Graduates

- Junetta House (Daughter Of Iris House)
- Alex Kirmse (Son Brian & Missy Kirmse)
- Jamison Randle (Grandson of Nancy & Bob Bryant)
- Brooke Tramell (Great-granddaughter of Ola Mae Taggart)
- Spencer Taggart (Great-grandson of Ola Mae Taggart)

### College Graduates

- Jordan Helms (Daughter Myron & Shelly Helms)
- Saralyn Glascock (Niece of Nancy & Bob Bryant)

Think of Something Good We have just completed a wonderful spring meeting. Elder Buck Grantham was truly blessed to present sermons on God's grace. As Pastor, I think many things during these type meetings. I was so touched by the involvement of people, both from our church family and from friends and saints who came from near and far. I was grateful as I thought about how God certainly blessed Brother Buck and many others in the services. I thought about how thankful I was to sit under the preaching of God's word. I was refreshed. I think God was worshipped and glorified. I am so thankful to God Almighty that He allowed others and myself a time to enjoy life, a time to think of something good, without having to compromise with the world.

Surely our world is filled with trouble. Sometimes we all think too much on our troubles rather than think about the One who delivers us out of our troubles. The Psalmist said, "Many *are* the afflictions of the righteous: but the LORD delivereth him out of them all" (Psalm 34:19). We are so busy that sometimes our mind is a million miles away and we are lost in our own world. We think about things that have happened which we can do nothing about now and we think about tomorrow which hasn't come yet; then we compound the problem by thinking about the present which we may have no control over. But during this meeting time I was able to think about something good, the grace of God and it took my mind off other problems and trouble. The mind is a precious thing and it should be channeled in the right direction.

I know that we need to think about what we are doing when we are on the job so we can do a competent job. But when we are without other obligations, may God help us to think more about heavenly things than carnal things. Paul tells us that to be carnally minded is death but to be spiritually minded is life and peace. Paul gives us encouragement to think in a good manner with these words, "Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things *are* honest, whatsoever things *are* just, whatsoever things *are* pure, whatsoever things *are* lovely, whatsoever things *are* of good report; if *there be* any virtue, and if *there be* any praise, think on these things." (Philippians 4:8) Surely we should spend more time thinking upon and meditating upon the Lord and His word because He is faithful to think about us as poor and needy creatures. "But I *am* poor and needy; yet the Lord thinketh upon me: thou *art* my help and my deliverer; make no tarrying, O my God." (Psalm 40:17).

So think upon something good and experience a lift above the care of the world. Go to church, it is a most wonderful place to think of something good!

## *Prayers:*

### **GOSHEN CHURCH**

- Carol Rumble
- Ola Mae Taggart
- Leroy Calvin
- Randy Robbins,
- Amy Puckett,
- Cory Blackburn,
- Deanna Perkins,
- Bev Steelman,
- Colton's Grandpa,
- Laura Shrum,
- Becky Sander,
- Virginia Bennett,
- Larry Martin,
- Esther Lewis,

Unspoken Prayer Request  
Those In The Nursing  
Home & Health Care  
Facilities

## Mark Your Calendar:

PBYF Church Camp  
June 4-8  
Pinckneyville, IL

Central States  
Ministerial  
Conference  
July 18-20  
Vincennes, IN