

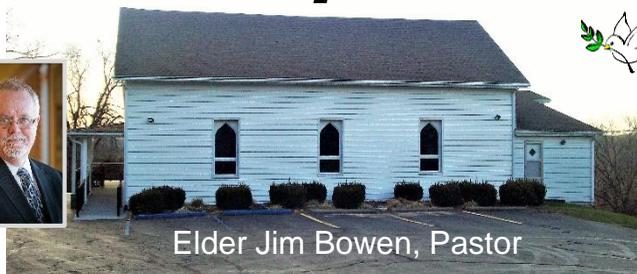
Prayers & Concerns:

GOSHEN CHURCH

JAMES 5:16 - PRAY ONE FOR ANOTHER

Junior Nichols Family,
Peggy Bowen, Lori Wilson, Betty Craig,
James Craig, Eddie Martin, Sharon Rumble,
Danny Sapp, Alva Sapp,
Laura Shrum, Zereta Alsobrook,
Cathy Wilkinson, Esther "Janie" Lewis
*Those In The Nursing Homes
& Health Care Facilities
Our Military and Military Families*

Goshen Primitive Baptist Church Bulletin



Elder Jim Bowen, Pastor

March 18, 2018 - Attendance 51



Please Note:

**Donations of Eggs & Jelly/Jam
Needed For The Sunrise
Breakfast**

**There will be no lunch or
business meeting in April as it
falls on Easter Sunday.**

CONCORD CHURCH PRAYER MEETING

April 13-14

RENEWAL

When someone says they would like to renew something they are generally saying they would like to make something new again. The older I get the more my body aches and it would be nice to make some of my physical features new again. And among God's children there is a real need and desire to make some things about our spiritual walk with God new again. To commit ourselves to loving God and others as we once did. In Lamentations 5:21 we find these words, "Turn thou us unto thee, O LORD, and we shall be turned; renew our days as of old." Jeremiah was in the midst of conveying a message from God to His chosen and blessed nation on earth. As Jeremiah spoke these words, the nation of Israel had been a long time in idolatry and following after their own interest. In this verse Jeremiah is pleading with God to change His people. Now this surely has a natural lesson, but it also carries a greater spiritual lesson for God's people throughout time and it is relevant today. The spiritually chosen people of God in this nation have now been a long time following worldly idols and ignoring or suppressing God. Face it folks, we question why God hasn't intervened to stop the violence in our schools, yet we refuse to allow God to be mentioned in our schools. We need to be RENEWED!

The Apostle Paul said "...be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God." (Romans 12:2) In Psalms 51:10 David says "Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me."

How often do we need a right spirit renewed in us? Are we waiting for renewal to start at Christmas or Easter, or the Church homecoming? Do we need a renewal today? Paul said these words, "For which cause we faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day." (2 Corinthians 4:16) We need to be renewed in our service one to another, to love one another, to pray for one another, to do all that we can one for another. But just how can I renew my spirit? We are going to need more strength than any of us possess. So how can I renew my spirit? The Apostle Paul said "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." (Philippians 4:13) Each of us can be forgiving, we can be more loving. Through God's mercy and the sacrifice of his Son on that cross at Calvary, we have a great hope today. We are here now to serve him and to worship him. Lord renew a right spirit within me, let me have the renewal today, that I might be able to serve you in a more acceptable manner.

Children's Church:

Sister Peggy spoke to the children regarding the two parts of the Bible. They are learning about the Old Testament which has 39 Books. She is also teaching in sign language.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

03-20 – Spring Begins

03-25 – Circle Prayer @ 9:15 a.m./Bible Lessons @ Church @ 3:00 p.m.

03-30 – Communion Service @ 7:00 p.m.

04-01 – Sunrise Service @7:00 a.m./Breakfast Following Service/
9:30 Bible Study/10:30 Worship Service

Men's Group

March 20

Choir Practice

March 21, 28

PBYF Donation Lunch – April 29

Goshen's Spring Meeting – May 3-6

Elder Howard Rushing, Guest Speaker

Mother's Day Lunch – May 12

Memorial Day – May 28

Church Youth Camp – B 3-7

Father's Day Breakfast – June 17

Independence Day – Wednesday, July 4

Ministerial Conference – July 17-19

PBYF Donation Lunch - July 30



MARCH BIRTHDAYS:

03-19 - Jenna Ash

03-20 - Diane Crump

03-22 - Braeden McCubbin

03-26 - Bruce Martin

03-26 - Bryan Wobbe

03-28 - Glen Sapp

03-29 - Faith Steelman

03-30 – Opie Diederich