



**S.A.I.L.** “Seniors Active In Life” will be meeting February 19th at Noon. Lunch and Fellowship. Mark your calendars.

**Intercessory Prayer:** Sunday, February 1 at 6 pm. A call for prayer time. Come together and pray for each other. Led by Tim Lester

**Church Camp:** Check out the different camps offered on Butler Springs website. Sign Up Today for the best pricing. Discount code: 20green26 [www.butlersprings.com](http://www.butlersprings.com) for kids that attend our church.

**From David’s Desk continued** .... Whatever way it is, I think the church, as a whole, needs to really take a look at the past, so we can stay strong in our relationship with God in the future! Acts 2:42-47 --  
<sup>42</sup> *They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.* <sup>43</sup> *Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles.* <sup>44</sup> *All the believers were together and had everything in common.* <sup>45</sup> *They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need.* <sup>46</sup> *Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts,* <sup>47</sup> *praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.* **David**

**Senior Moments continued** .....Second area of change has to do with calling on our shut-ins who are at home or in the nursing homes. We will be using material from Home Touch Ministries which is downloaded from the computer. It requires someone visiting our shut-ins a couple of times a month and delivering a packet of devotional material for them to use each week. Also has puzzle games and such. Again, if you are interested, contact me for more details. Training will be provided for both of these ministries.

I’m excited also because these ministries will be supported through our Missions Program so that it will be fully funded. If you have any questions about please let me know.

Watch the calendar for our S.A.I.L Luncheons each month and outings coming up.

Blessings to all —*Jay*

**Noah’s Ark** — The most terrifying detail about Noah's Ark isn't the size of the flood. It is the design of the boat. If you look closely at the blueprints God gave Noah in Genesis 6, He was extremely specific. He gave the exact length, width, and height. He specified the type of wood and the pitch to seal it. In my little years, I have never thought of this! But God left out one crucial component. There was no steering wheel, no sail, and worse still, there was no engine. Think about how scary that is. Noah was building a massive vessel to survive a global storm, but he had zero control over it, or over where it went. He couldn't steer it away from rocks. He couldn't turn it into the waves. He couldn't aim for dry land. He was completely at the mercy of the water. The Ark was not designed for navigation; just for floating. Noah’s job was to be the Passenger, not the Captain. God was the Captain. This is a picture of your life right now. You are trying to put a steering wheel on a situation that God wants you to simply float through.

*Valentine’s Day*

**DINNER  
AND  
MOVIE**

**Saturday  
February 21st  
5:30 pm**

**More Info to  
Come  
Meal & Snacks  
Church  
Fellowship Hall**

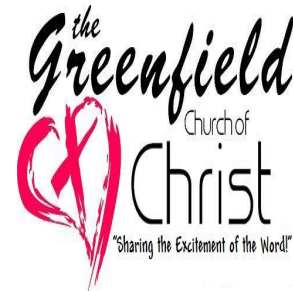
**Wednesday Bible Study:**

Every Wed. at 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Mayberry Bible Study series.

**Thursday Bible**

**Study:** Every Thursday at 9 a.m. at Burger King. David is leading.



## The Greenfield Christian

The Greenfield Church of Christ  
955 Jefferson Street, Greenfield, OH 45123

Sunday School: 9:30 am  
Morning Worship: 10:30 am  
Wednesday Night: 6:00 pm

Watch us Facebook Live  
Sunday 10:30 am  
Wed. Bible Study 6 pm

"GETTING  
CONNECTED ...  
GROWING  
SPIRITUALLY...  
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Jay Fabin — Assoc./Seniors’ Minister

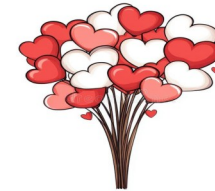
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FEBRUARY 2026						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

### From David’s Desk

#### Living the Early Church Way

It’s interesting to me how much church has changed throughout the years. Growing up as a “preacher’s kid”, I have been in church my entire life and during my lifetime, I have seen shifts in what church looks like. When I was a kid, church was mostly for Christians, we would sing hymns accompanied by the piano and organ, the sermon was filled with sayings, phrases, or words that you would only know if you had been to church or looked at a Bible, and it was a place for Christians to be fed. Later on in my life, church changed to where it was more about bringing new people in. Gone were the services led by piano and organ and in its place were guitars and drums. The sermons were brought down to a level that you didn’t have to be a scholar to understand, and the whole atmosphere seemed more like a place you visit for entertainment, rather than a place to worship. The church went away from being a place where Christians were being fed, to a place where you had the mindset of what can I do to attract more people.

What should church be about and what does God want the church to look like? On Sunday mornings, we are going to be going through the book of Acts and finding the answer to those questions. If you look at the verse below, the early church was all about being together and living life together. What would it look like in our day to live out the early church practice of “being together” constantly? Especially in a time in life where everybody seems too busy and the volunteers at church are close to burn out! Maybe it’s a group of men doing lunch once a week, whoever can make it. Or young moms gathering for coffee while their kids play. I’ve seen groups make good use of text messages and group video chats to “check in” regularly, offering prayer and encouragement. Maybe it’s a handful of students lingering over ice cream on a weekday afternoon, laughing, swapping stories, building bonds that carry gospel reminders. Neighbors opening their screened-in porch once a week for whoever from the church wants to drop by.

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	February 1	February 8	February 15	February 22
Meditation/ Offering Prayer	Bill Ebright	Jay Fabin	Jim Chamblin	Bernie Williamson
Nursery	Lindsay Cloud	Autumn Herbert	Autumn Herbert	Jayme Weller Bri Badgley
Overflow Greeter	Annabelle Peabody	Becky Johnson	P J Blake	Joyce Spradlin
Jr. Church	Becky Ebright Evelyn Pinkerton	Becky Ebright Evelyn Pinkerton	Lindsay Cloud David Mossbarger	Chris & Mindy Beard
Security	Roger Friedman	Stephen Willett	Brent Johnson	Tony Pinkerton



Go to our website:  
greenfieldcoc.com  
You will be guided  
through the steps.

Transferred  
Membership

Welcome to **Patrick McConkey** who transferred his membership to our church family on January 11, 2026.

Our Deepest Sympathy to the family of **Norma Jean Ashbaugh**, who passed away on Jan. 14th. To the family of **Bob Tillis**, who passed away on January 16th.

God Loves You by Chris Hendrix:

Ever since we were children we’ve sang the song, “Jesus Loves Me This I Know”. It’s got a catchy tune, and to be honest, I hope it gets stuck in your head today. This timeless classic speaks an eternal truth that all of us need to know and remember. On a day where love is celebrated, I think it’s important to remember the greatest love of all – God’s love for you. While we give cards, chocolate and flowers to show our love, God gave us His one, and only Son. His gift to us was representative of the love He has for us, and it was done in order to restore our relationship to Him. Today, there are many people in the world who feel unloved. Nothing could be farther from the truth. You are loved beyond measure, and by the only one who matters. Yes, it’s nice to have the love and affection of another human, but no human could love you as deeply or give you so generous as gift as God did. Plus, there is nothing in all of creation that could separate you from His love, nor is there anything you can do to make Him love you more or less. He loves you for who you are, so you don’t have to pretend to be someone else. While the world celebrates love today, we have an even greater reason to celebrate it. We are each loved by God, and that’s worth celebrating each and every day of the year.

Meetings

General Board  
Mon., Feb. 2 @ 6

Elders/Ministers  
Tues. Feb. 24 @ 6

Facts &  
Figures

Weekly Budget  
\$2,895

	Attendance	General Offering
12/28	86	\$2,697.75
1/4	82	\$4,954.84
1/11	82	\$1,532.35
1/18	77	\$1,467.50

Love Offering Total: \$1,250

	12/28	\$410	1/11	\$250
	1/4	\$528	1/18	\$194



FEBRUARY

- Becky Johnson—2<sup>nd</sup>  
Heather Marple—20<sup>th</sup>  
Brenda Lester—22<sup>nd</sup>  
Jayme Weller—27<sup>th</sup>  
Phyllis Everhart—29<sup>th</sup>  
Tom Creachbaum – 29<sup>th</sup>

Health Problems

- Lynn Carter  
Alex Hollar  
Glen Bryan  
Autumn Herbert  
Pam Fabin  
Cyndy Creachbaum  
Ishmael Combs  
Ellie Humphry  
Steve Mitchell

PRAYER CONCERNS



- Loren Johnson  
Dick Shew  
Roger Bailey  
Pam McGinnis  
Jamey Hill  
Chad Warner  
Carolyn Bainter  
Laura Collier  
Michael Rayburn

- Roy Crago  
Dawn Jenkins  
Helen Jo Knisley  
Sheila Carter  
Rita Buzzard  
Help Up Keep the Prayer List up to date. If someone gets better and we can take them off.

Thank you to those who have mailed in their offerings and for the ones that have mailed in money for postage for mailing their newsletter. We appreciate your thoughtfulness.

TAKE TIME TO LOVE AND BE LOVED: It is a God-given privilege.  
TAKE TIME TO BE FRIENDLY: It is the road to happiness.

SHUT-INS

- Edgewood Manor: Tommy Johnson,  
Bill Bowman, Carol Taylor  
St. Catherine's Manor: Keith Binegar  
Court House Manor: Jackie Gardner;  
Sylbia Yahn, Harvey Everhart  
Bell Gardens/Hillsboro: Denise Carter  
Home: AnnaBell Haney

Missions We Support:

- Hippo Valley  
Southern Cross Ministries  
Lifeline Missions  
Butler Springs  
Woodburn Christian Children’s  
New Directions  
Greenfield Area Christian Center  
Mission Trips  
Elizabeth Hope Pregnancy  
Hope House  
Benevolence/Contingency Fund

Blessing’s Box Food:  
Canned meat, peanut butter,  
jelly, cereal, dry milk, soup  
or feel free to bring any-  
thing non-perishable.

FEBRUARY

GROUNDHOG DAY

Valentine's Day

I DO LOVE YOU

PRESIDENTS DAY



One Call Now: If your name and phone number are not on the list and you would like to have it added, please call the church office or let Becky know. This is used for prayer chain requests, announcements, cancellations and general info for the entire congregation.

Immediate Prayer Requests can be called into:  
Church 937-981-2484 David Herbert 480-261-2673  
Becky Johnson 740-703-9323

If you would like to have your birthday or anniversary listed on the big screen and in the newsletter and you have not signed up already. Print your name and birthday or anniversary and put in the mailbox on the secretary’s door.

Grocery Receipts from Community Market are being collected by the U & I Sunday School class. The store gives back a portion of each sale. The money is used for many projects around the church. Leave the receipts on the Welcome Center.



- Sunday School 9:30 am  
U & I—Taught by Jim Chamblin  
Seekers—Taught by Jay Fabin.  
Believers—Taught by Bill Ebright .  
Preschool -- Taught by Teresa Friedman  
Elementary—Taught by Becky Ebright  
6-8 Grade—Taught by Pam Fabin