MCj03248160000[1] ***Message from the Pastor’s Desk***

God Made Men to be Kings”

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the ultimate King of the universe and He made us in His

own image. We misunderstand things sometimes but in

spite of all we don’t know God still made us. With all of

our confusion we are still marvelously made. As men we

have to learn how to accept the responsibility of being

kings in Gods Kingdom. He is the King of kings and Lord

of lords but we are kings and queens under His

authority. He gives the orders and we carry out His

orders as kings and queens. I want to challenge the men

of GMP to continue doing good things for our queens

throughout the year. I don’t want us to take it for granted

the things our queens do for us. Let us continue showing

our appreciation for the jobs they do to make us look

good. God has made us men to carry out His divine

plans. God knows what we can and can’t handle. He

promised us He would never put more on us than we

could bear. Like a ship that's tossed and driven, battered

by an angry sea. When the storms of life are raging, and

their fury falls on me. I wonder what I have done, to

make this race so hard to run. Then I say to my soul, soul

take courage, The Lord will make a way somehow. Be

not discourage whatever betide you, God will take care

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***“Stay Ready”***

*If we stay ready, we don’t have to get ready. No man knows the day or the hour when our Savior will return. He’s coming like a thief in the night. As the pastor and the watchman on the wall, I have to prepare us for such a time as this. It’s a new day in the world we live in. This world is in a mess because of men greed and ego’s. The bible clearly says “And ye shall hear of wars and rumors of wars: see that ye be not troubled: for all these things must come to pass, but the end is not yet. Our country is going crazy. We must stay ready and prepared for whatever. Our country is the most unstable it ever been. Hate is at an all-time high. And as Christians, we have a responsibility as well as the supernatural ability to represent the kingdom of God visibly in the way we live, walk, and apply our faith in Christ—especially in these “evil times.” For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. We have to arm ourselves with the Word of God.**Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God: Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints; Let us stay ready so we don’t have to get ready.*

***Your Humble Servant,***

***Senior Pastor, Ned Armstrong, Jr.***

***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.**

j0116498***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***

***Sunday School Lessons for Month of September 2025***

***TABERNACLE, SACRIFICES, AND ATONEMENT***

***September 7th Here I Am! What Now? Isaiah 6:1-8; 38-1-5***

***September 14th Celebrating the Past – 2 Chronicles 30:1-9, 26-27***

***September 21st Finders Keepers! 2 Chronicles – 34:15-22, 26-27***

***September 28th How Do You Spell Relief? Isaiah 53:1-7***

***GMP DAILY PRAYER LINE***

**\*6:00 a.m. ..............................................Prayer Line**

**\*8:00 p.m.. ……………………………….…………..……...Prayer Line**

***(Call our prayer @ (425) 436- 6352)***

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***Calendar of Events September 2025***

**9/5/2025 Pastor Ned Armstrong Jr, - Birthday**

***\*Any other calendar of events - TBA***

***GREATER MT. PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH***

***"Enter To Worship / Exit to Serve"***

***September***

***Order of Service***

***Devotion...............………....................................Deacons***

***Praise/Worship …………...………..…….………Choir***

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**Altar Prayer.................................……….……..Minister**

***Selection........................... ..............………..….....Choir***

***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***

***And I will give you Pastors according to mine heart, which God Bless, Our Pastor – The Lord bless thee: The Lord make his face shine upon thee, and gracious unto thee: The Lord ……..give thee peace. Numbers 6:24-26***

***Thought for the Month***

**Pastor, you have taught us unconditionally love for God in your teaching and preaching. Thanks for all things you have done for us. We wish you a special Happy Birthday!!**

***We Love You, GMP Church Family***

***WEEKLY MEETINGS***

***SUNDAY***

**9:00 a.m. ….........Sunday School & Stewardship Class**

**10:00 a.m. ..........................................Morning Worship**

***Usher, Hospitality & Nurse Gill Meeting …………***

***(\*Every 4th Sunday after service @10:00 a.m.)***

***MONDAY***

**7:00 p.m....................................... Brotherhood Meeting**

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***SATURDAY***

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**Y*outh Rehearsal - Every Saturday (second) @10:00 a.m.***

***Women Ministry Meetings - \*Every Saturday (third) @10:00 a.m.***

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**Responsive Reading**

***"Spiritual Alertness”***

***Mark 14:38; Roman 13:12-16; 1 Thessalonians 5:2-6;***

***1Timothy 6:11-12***

***Minister: Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly is ready, but the flesh is weak.***

*Congregation: The night is far spent, the day is at hand, let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light.*

***Minister: Let us walk honestly, as in the day; not in rioting and drunkenness, not in chambering and wantonness, not in strife and envying.***

*Congregation: But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make not provision for the flesh, to fulfil the lusts thereof.*

***Minister: See then that ye walk circumspectly, redeeming the time.***

*Congregation: For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night.*

***Minister: For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them and they shall not escape.***

*Congregation: But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief.*

***Minister: Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day;***

*Congregation: Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let watch and be sober.*

***Minister: O man of God, follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness.***

***ALL: Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witness.***