



New Beginnings

Great Banquet Community
of East Central Illinois

The Next Great Banquet Weekends Are Scheduled for October 16-19 (Men) and October 23-26 (Women) in 2025

Merry Christmas, Great Banquet community! We are making initial preparations for our next set of Banquet Weekends at the First Presbyterian Church (10 Charleston Avenue - Mattoon, IL 61938) in 2025. Please join us in prayer as a team is assembled and as we start thinking about which guests to invite. The cost of the weekend is \$100 for guests and team members, but please contact us if there is financial hardship.

We are so grateful for our God, who came to dwell with us, and whose birth in Bethlehem changed the world!

CALENDAR:

Next NBGB GATHERING

**Saturday, February
22, 2025
2:00 - 4:00 PM
@ First
Presbyterian
Church
(10 Charleston Ave -
Mattoon, IL 61938)**

2025 Weekends

**October 16-19, 2025
(Men's)**

**October 23-26, 2025
(Women's)**



Let Us Not Give Up the Habit of Meeting Together

Read Hebrews 10:25

Fourth Day Meetings, Accountability Groups, and our Gatherings (next one scheduled for February 22, 2025 from 2-4pm) are needed opportunities for us to connect with our sisters and brothers in Christian fellowship. We cannot thrive as disciples of Jesus Christ in isolation, as wise teachers such as Paul often remind us in the Scriptures. Please make it a priority to connect with your Great Banquet community, in order to be blessed, and in order to be a blessing to others. Help us to combat the spirit of isolation and depression, which is so endemic in our culture. You have friends, and we are so grateful for you.

God bless you!

In Christ,
Matthew Froeschle

Do you want to financially support the New Beginnings Great Banquet ministry, and help guests and team members finance future weekends? If so...

**Make checks out to:
New Beginnings
Great Banquet**

**Mail to:
New Beginnings
Great Banquet
P.O. Box 1792, Mattoon,
IL 61938**

The typical cost of a weekend for team members or guests is \$100/person, but any size donation is very much appreciated.

Thank you so much!

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