



Volume XX, No. 34
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WELCOME VISITORS

Please fill out a visitor's card and place it in the collection plate so we will have a record of your visit, AND
Come Again Soon!

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Schedule of Services:

Sunday:	Bible Classes for all ages	9:00 am
	Morning Worship	10:00 am
	Evening Worship	6:00 pm
Wednesday:	Wednesday Evening Meal	6:00 pm
	Bible Classes for all ages	7:00 pm

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Sunday AM: Bible Classes for all ages at 9:00 am
****Please silence your phones before worship begins****

Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 am
Announcements & Prayer **Tom Waters**
Song Leader: **Richard Kellam**
Song #96 I Stand in Awe
Song #4 To God Be the Glory

Song #287 There Is a Redeemer

Communion:
Matt Oualline Chris Garner Jake Pickens
Mark Seglem Brad Chastain Larry Hooten

Song #742 When Upon Life's Billows
Contribution

Song #852 When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder
Song #167 Hosanna

Message: **Rodney Britt**

Invitation Song #912 Burdens Are Lifted at Calvary
Song #535 The Glory-Land Way

Closing Prayer: **Larry Hooten**

Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 pm **Richard Kellam**
Song Leader: **Lance Hooten**

Wednesday Evening Worship at 7:00 pm
There are **three Adult Classes**, one in the **Auditorium**, and one in the **Fellowship Hall**, and the **Ladies Class** meets in the **Toddler Class Room**.

There are three children's classes on Wednesday nights. The **Toddler Class** is being taught by **Lisa Meeks**. The **K-2nd Grade** is taught by **Richard & Rica Kellam**. The **3rd-5th grade Class** is taught by **Claudia Wilk**. The **Youth Group (Summit)** meets in the **High School Room**, taught by **K.C. & Kassie Smith**.

PRAYER LIST: (con't on Page 4)
Jeanne Killough and her sons, **Brian and Brent** (prayers for difficulties settling Larry's estate)
Peb Ratliff, mother of **Jeanne Killough** (prayers for multiple health issues) (prayers for Jeanne's sister, **Annette Strong**, Peb's caregiver)
Frank Shelton, brother of **Brenda Hooten** (complications/side effects of Parkinson's disease and medication)
Cleta Hooten (tumor on her heart)
Louise Rabe (fractured discs in her neck)
Vivian Warren's niece, **Patty** (HER2 breast cancer/struggling with anxiety issues related to her chemo treatments)
Randell Resneder (leukemia), son of **Robert & Norma Resneder** (entering a treatment plan)
René Funk (prayers requested for her entire family: son, **Troy**, her daughter-in-law **Naomi**, and their three children, daughter, **Valerie** and her two children)
Joe Mac Ivy, husband of Debbie Ivy, is now at home. Please continue to pray for Joe Mack and Debbie as he regains his strength after the complications related to his bladder surgery.
Bobby Hooten is going to undergo another round of chemo for his bladder cancer.
Diana Boyer's son-in-law's **Aunt Elnita** is still on life support after a bad auto accident. Also **Diana's** children, **Lara, Cassandra and Brian**, lost their grandmother, **Fannie Bell Adkins**, last week.
René Funk had rotator cuff surgery last Wednesday and is at her husband, Ken's house recuperating.
James Warren, husband of **Vivian Warren**, is having issues with his medication.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Aug 28	Wednesday Night Meal, 6 pm
Aug 29	Good Samaritan's Grocery Truck, 12:30 pm
Sept 9	Good Samaritan's Work Day, 12:30 pm
Sept 15	Third Sunday Nursing Home Devo, 2:30 pm
Sept 15	Third Sunday Singing and Fellowship, 6 pm
Sept 16-20	Arms of Hope Grocery Pickup

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES:

Floyd Rogers, #1216373, Allred Unit, 2101 FM369 N, Iowa Park, TX 76367
Nick & Ashlie (Ivy) Stephan, 5521 Southfork Drive N., Royse City, TX 75189
Kris & Shea Ivy, 2508 Hollon Drive, Caddo Mills, TX 75135
Cpl. Justin (and wife Lyndsey Redmon), 960 Lupine Hills Dr., Unit 58, Vista, CA 92081
AIC Stone, Chance C., 3075 B Juniper Street SW, McChord Field, WA 98439
Emily (Hooten) & Nathan Heinrichs, 241 N. Patrick St., Dublin, TX 76446
Kara (Hooten) & Devon McCasland, 141 CR 2211, Mineola, TX 75773
Anna Hooten, 3515 29th St., Lubbock, TX 79410
Luke Hooten, 2227 S. 3rd St., Waco, TX 76706
Alyssa (Hill) & Nate Dalgleish, 523 Hillary Circle, Sugarland, TX 77498
Bethany Hill, 4732 Morningside Drive, Mesquite, TX 75150
Carley Hill, Box 14445, 915 E. Market Ave., Searcy, AR 72149-4445
Delaney Hill, Box 11131, 915 E. Market Ave., Searcy, AR 72149-1132
Kenna Kellam, SB#0424, Oklahoma Christian University, 2801 E. Memorial Rd., Edmond, OK 73013-6474
Savannah V. Wright, (Vivian Warren's niece), PSC 817 Box 7301, PPO AE 09622-0074 (currently in DC for illness)
Linda Higgins, 1610 Timberbrook Drive, Wylie, TX 75098
Priscilla Martin, The Oaks Retirement Center, 3720 Williams Road, #118, Georgetown, TX 78628, phone 512-943-0281
Randell Resneder, 7102 Alcove Ave., #404, Wolfforth, TX 79385-9755
Benny Hanks, Wood Memorial Nursing Home, 320 Greenville Ave., Room 112, Mineola, TX 75773
Stacie & Todd Anderson & Wil, 12030 Carls Cove, Biloxi, MS 39532

(Please give Linda Rawle any changes or additions.)

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Budget</u>
08/04/19	105	\$4,267	\$3,000
08/11/19	117	\$3,469	\$3,000
08/18/19	90	\$3,166	\$3,000
08/25/19		\$	\$3,000

YOUTH BULLETIN BOARD

The new Youth Activity Bulletin Board is on the east wall of the north wing, **across from the High School Classroom**. Here you will find activities for all youth, regardless of what school or campus they are on.

It is important to our youth that we all support them in their individual activities throughout the year.

Be sure to go to the Point Church of Christ Facebook Page and "Like." There is also a "Church" Group on Facebook.

Be sure to visit the church website for lots of information: www.pointchurchofchrist.org.



Door Greeter for September:



Food Hostesses for September:
NEED 4 VOLUNTEERS



Correspondence Team for September:
NEED A VOLUNTEER - Visitors
NEED A VOLUNTEER - Sick
NEED A VOLUNTEER - Encouragement



Bread Baking for Visitors for September:



Ladies' Night Hostess for September:

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Our calendar starts over again in September. Please be praying for each of the above opportunities in which you can serve our congregation in the new year.

Please remember our members currently serving in the military: **Chance Stone, Savannah Wright & Justin Redmon.**

WHO TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION

Good Samaritans	Boots Hooten
Senior Suites & Rehab	Vivian Warren
Arms of Hope Cottage	Scott & Rachelle Hooten
Church Historian (give pictures, articles, etc)	Rica Kellam
Church Directory	Debbie Ivy
Visitation	Dianne Willis
Newsletter	Linda Rawle

DEACONS

Dail Hooten	Richard Kellam	Larry Hooten
Lance Hooten		Brad Chastain

COMMITTEES

Building Use and Activities Committee:

Ken Player	Robert Resneder
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Construction Committee:

Wayne Garner	Bobby Hooten
Dail Hooten	Larry Hooten

Finance Committee:

Lance Hooten	Alan Little	Mike Willis
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No one wants to suffer. No one wants to be lonely. No one wants to live in fear. No one wants to lose everything. No one wants their heart ripped to shreds. No one wants to be sick. And, no one wants to die. But these things happen in life. So the least we can do is be there for others, as we would like others to be there for us. ~Bryant McGill

AUGUST FOOD FOR THE SOUL

The **Men** of the congregation will be preparing and serving the Wednesday night meal for the month of **August**.

The next meal is **August 28 at 6:00 pm**. We have community members and many of our church family come to participate in this meal.

SEPTEMBER FOOD FOR THE SOUL

Dianne Willis Brenda Hooten Linda Rawle
Rica Kellam Dovie Coats

These women will be preparing and serving the Wednesday night meal for the month of **September**.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Lisa Clark - August 25
Marvin Smith - August 27



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Fred & Valeta Gentzler - August 29

ARMS OF HOPE GROCERY RUN

The Arms of Hope grocery truck will be in our area the week of **September 16-20, 2019**.

Their needs at this time are: **garlic powder, black pepper, cooking oil, toothpaste, tooth brushes, shampoo, and conditioner**.

AN OLD FARMER'S ADVICE

- * Forgive your enemies. It messes up their heads.
- * Do not corner something that you know is meaner than you.
- * It don't take a very big person to carry a grudge.
- * Every path has a few puddles.
- * When you wallow with pigs, expect to get dirty.
- * Most of the stuff people worry about ain't never gonna happen anyway.
- * Don't judge folks by their relatives.
- * Live a good, honorable life. Then when you get older and think back, you'll enjoy it a second time.
- * Don't interfere with somethin' that ain't bothering you none.
- * Timing has a lot to do with the outcome of a Rain Dance.
- * If you find yourself in a hole, the first thing to do is stop diggin'!
- * Sometimes you get, and sometimes you get got
- * The biggest troublemaker you'll probably ever have to deal with, watches you from the mirror every mornin'!
- * Always drink upstream from the herd.
- * Good judgment comes from experience, and a lotta that comes from bad judgment.
- * Lettin' the cat outta the bag is a whole lot easier than puttin' it back in.
- * If you get to thinkin' you're a person of some influence, try orderin' somebody else's dog around.

Here are a few things that make you go hmmm;

- How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated instead of just murdered?
- If money doesn't grow on trees then why do banks have branches?
- Since bread is square, then why is sandwich meat round?
- Once you're in heaven, do you get stuck wearing the clothes you were buried in for eternity?
- Why does a round pizza come in a square box?

WHEN THINGS DON'T GO AS WE WANT ...

*Me (in a tizzy): God, can I ask you something?

*GOD: Sure.

*Me: Promise you won't get mad?

*GOD: I promise.

*Me (frustrated): Why did you let so much stuff happen to me today?

*GOD: What do you mean?

*Me: Well, I woke up late.

*GOD: Yes.

*Me: My car took forever to start.

*GOD: Okay ...

*Me (growling): At lunch, they made my sandwich wrong and I had to wait.

*GOD: Hmmm ...

*Me: On the way home, my phone went dead, just as I picked up a call.

*GOD: All right.

*Me (loudly): And to top it all off, when I got home, I just wanted to soak my feet in my foot massager and relax, but it wouldn't work. Nothing went right today! Why did You do that?

*GOD: Well let me see... The death angel was at your bed this morning and I had to send one of the other angels to battle him for your life. I let you sleep through that.

*Me (humbled): Oh...

*GOD: I didn't let your car start because there was a drunk driver on your route that might have hit you if you were on the road.

*Me (ashamed): Oh...

*GOD: The first person who made your sandwich today was sick and I didn't want you to catch what they have; I knew you couldn't afford to miss work.

*Me (embarrassed): Oh...

*GOD: Your phone went dead because the person that was calling was going to give a false witness about what you said on the call. I didn't even let you talk to them so you would be covered.

*Me (softly): I see God

*GOD: Oh, and that foot massager, it had a short that was going to throw out all of the power in your house tonight. I didn't think you wanted to be in the dark.

*Me: I'm sorry God.

*GOD: Don't be sorry, just learn to trust me in all things, the good and the bad

*Me: I WILL trust You God.

*GOD: And don't doubt that my plan for your day is always better than your plan

*Me: I won't God. And let me just tell You God, thank You for everything today.

*GOD: You're welcome child. It was just another day being your God and I love looking after my children.

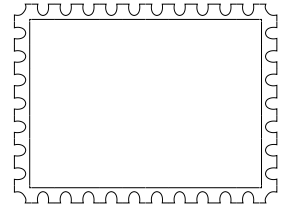
Here are a few more things that make you go hmmm;

- How is it that we put man on the moon before we figured out it would be a good idea to put wheels on luggage?
- Why is it that people say they "slept like a baby" when babies wake up like every two hours?
- If a deaf person has to go to court, is it still called a hearing?
- If you drink Pepsi at work in the Coke factory, will they fire you?



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SECURITY MEASURES

As a step toward implementing Security Measures, the Elders have decided that **the two doors on either side of the podium will remain open during services, BUT all other doors will be locked ten minutes after services start.** However, you may leave the building through any door, at any time.

Change isn't just one thing, just one time, just one big revelation. Change occurs in stages and phases, which each add depth, color, character, and create a multidimensional multifaceted you.

Prayer List: (continued from Page 1)
David Baker (Alzheimer's), and wife **Opal**, his caregiver
Tommie Nell Flegal, **Linda Rawle's** cousin
Benny Hanks (nursing home)
Delores Smith (breast cancer), a friend of **Robert Chastain**
Donna Nance, a friend of **Jeanne Killough** (liver failure and cancer has spread all over her body)
Scott Walters, the son of a friend of **Joey Chastain** (severe diabetes)
Dale Guest, a friend of **KC Smith** (cancer all over his body)
Paul Robert Hempstead (cancer), fiancé of **Mandy, Kay Gabbard's** daughter
Kay Gabbard's friend, **Greg Butler**
Al Stover, a friend of **René Funk**, and wife, **Dee**
Colten Drake, the grandson of **Roger Lennon** (needs prayers)
Bryan & Sharon Waters, the son and daughter-in-law of **Tom & Lana Waters**, and their three daughters (in Amman, Jordan for 3 years)
Mary Hunter, a friend of **Danny Meeks** (started radiation treatments for breast cancer)
Keith Moore (diagnosed with Stage 4 liver cancer)
Harrison Waldron, Harding friend of **Nikka & Justin Horshig** (accepted at a prominent facility for physical/occupational therapy in Chicago)
Chad Wallace, brother of **Justin Wallace**, a **Lake Country Higher Ground Staff member** (serious health problems)
Amber Wright, sister of **Lance Wright** (cancer throughout her body)
Michelle Grice, a friend of **Wendy Chastain**, (cervical cancer/new treatment plan for several months)

The **Asbill family** (regarding many health issues among them)
Mike McLemee, son-in-law of **Leon Fenter** (very aggressive form of lung cancer that has spread to his liver)
Ariel McLemee, great-granddaughter of **Leon Fenter** (Leukemia)
Jeanne Killough's niece, **Shauna Ferguson**, has decided to stop all chemo treatments. Please pray for peace, comfort, and pain free days.
Lian, the 11 month old son of **Amanda and Javier**, diagnosed with Neuroblastoma
Robert Resneder's nephew, **Dakota** (to be deployed to Kuwait for two years)
PLEASE CHECK THIS LIST & NOTIFY LINDA RAWLE IF THERE ARE ANY CHANGES.

“WALKING” IS THE BEST EXERCISE!
This coming year, WALK AWAY from arguments that lead you to nowhere but anger.
•WALK AWAY from people who deliberately put you down.
•WALK AWAY from any thought that reduces your worth.
•WALK AWAY from failures and fears that stifle your dreams.
•The more you WALK AWAY from things that poison your soul, the happier your life would be.
•Give yourself A WALK towards joy and the peace of God, don't try to explain yourself to everyone.
•Jesus said 'If they don't accept you, shake off the dust.' So WALK AWAY!
•Don't explain and don't try to make them understand. WALK AWAY!