

Point church of Christ

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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

ORDER OF WORSHIP THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Please silence your phones before worship begins

Sunday Morning Bible Classes at 9:00 am
Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 am

Announcements & Prayer: Tom Waters
Song Leader: KC Smith

Song #611 Walking in Sunlight
Song #470 Victory in Jesus

Song #376 He Paid a Debt

Communion:
John Higbee Jake Hooten Shannon Sheppard
Lance Hooten Jeff Oualline Don Horsman

Song #474 Thank You Lord

Offering

Song #480 Blessed Assurance
Song #449 Thy Word

Message: Steven Meeks

Invitation Song # 791 On Bended Knee
Song #615 He Keeps Me Singing

Closing Prayer: Butch Smith

Sunday Evening 6pm Richard Kellam
Song Leader: Brad Chastain

Wednesday Evening Worship at 7:00 pm
Adult Class –Auditorium Ladies' Class –Fellowship hall
Toddler Class 1st – 5th Grade Class
Youth Group (Summit) - High School classroom

UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr.10 Wednesday Night Meal, 6 pm
Apr.10 Wednesday Night Services, 7 pm
Apr.11 Women's HG Climb begins

Christ's Final Words Are Our Marching Orders

Christ's final words on earth were not a deathbed wish. They are every Christian's "marching orders," shared by our very alive Savior.

When we know Christ, we're saved, forgiven, and commissioned!

"All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age" (Matthew 28:18-20).

Notice these important elements of our mission:

1. All authority.

We're empowered by God's Spirit, authority, and strength, not our own. See [Philippians 4:13](#); [2 Corinthians 12:9](#); [1 Corinthians 16:13](#) for encouragement.

2. All nations.

Christianity is the only true faith, the only way of salvation. See [John 3:36](#); [14:6](#); [Acts 4:12](#) for confirmation.

3. Teaching them to obey.

We are not saved by obedience, but everyone who genuinely follows Christ seeks to obey His commands. Why? Because we love our Savior. See [John 14:21,23](#); [15:10](#); [1 John 2:3](#); [5:3](#); [2 John 1:6](#) for confirmation of this truth.

4. Christ is with us always.

Nothing can separate true believers from the love of Christ. Enjoy this truth in [Romans 8:37-39](#).

Yes! Christ's final words on earth are incredibly important, giving us our marching orders.



~gail@biblelovenotes

IMPORTANT ADDRESSES:

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Jo Ann Hamil 242 CR 1112 Quitman, TX 75783

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Budget</u>
3/03/24		\$	\$3,000
3/10/24	138	\$4,949	\$3,000
3/17/24	140	\$5,982	\$3,000
3/24/24		\$	\$3,000
3/31/24	This offering will go towards the Ghana mission		

CHURCH NEWS CONNECTION

The Church News Connection is a messaging system that allows us to send out important information to all the church members quickly. This information is sent out via text so you will have the information on your phone in just a few minutes. If you are not receiving any of the messages or would like to have something sent out

Please contact any of the following people.

Chandra Cline 719-377-7300

Katie Preast 903-504-9955

Jake Pickens 903-456-3445

Interested in receiving church updates?

Here is how:

- 1) Download the Remind App (it is free)
- 2) Sign up for an account
- 3) Login to the App
- 4) Click on Add a Class and then select Join an existing class
- 5) Enter the following code - @637a27

Need more assistance?

Please see Katie Preast, Jake Pickens or Lisa Clark

WHO TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION

Good Samaritans

Church Historian (give pictures, articles, etc.)

Church Directory

Visitation

Newsletter

Stephanie Garner

Rica Kellam

Debbie Ivy

Dianne Willis

Lisa Clark

DEACONS

Dail Hooten

Lance Hooten

Larry Hooten

John McAree

James West

COMMITTEES

Building Use and Activities Committee:

Ken Player

Construction Committee:

Wayne Garner

Larry Hooten

Dail Hooten

Finance Committee:

Lance Hooten

Alan Little

Mike Willis



Funeral Food Hostesses:

Laura Oualline

Brenda Stark

Vivian Warren



Correspondence Team:

Monday Morning Breakfast Ladies - Visitors -

Sick/home bound

Dianne Willis - Encouragement

APRIL WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

The **Wednesday night** meals are served at **6:00 pm.**

Vivian Warren **Norma Resneder** **Gari Looney**

Rica Kellam **Debbie Ivy**

are responsible for the meals in **APRIL.**

April Schedule

		Message	Song Leader
Apr. 7	AM	Steven Meeks	KC Smith
	PM	Richard Kellam	Brad Chastain
Apr. 14	AM	Richard Kellam	Scott Hooten
	PM	Charley Stark	Richard Kellam
Apr. 21	AM	Richard Kellam	Steven Dukes
	PM	Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship	
Apr. 28	AM	Richard Kellam	John McAree
	PM	Danny Meeks	Brad Chastain

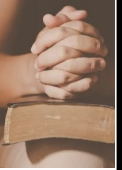
Lord's Table

Larry Hooten	Alan Little
Danny Meeks	Matt Oualline
David Seglem	Mark Seglem

Pray with All Your
Heart Believe with All
Your Soul & You Will
See God Move

*Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise.
Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord.*
James 5:13-14

PRAYERS ARE
A CONVERSATION
WITH GOD



PRAISES:

*"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."
I Thessalonians 5:16-17*

We have a brand new brother in Christ, James Smith.

Richard's dad's stress test all came back negative but still don't have answers for the issues he has been having.

Stacy Horsman had successful gallbladder surgery. Continued prayers for healing. Stacy's mother, **Ann Holley** had successful hip replacement surgery. She had some setbacks but is now home.

SYMPATHY:

Art Burns, a longtime member at Creekside passed away. A memorial service will be held on April 9th at Creekside.

Ronnie Kinworthy passed away on March 30th. His memorial service was yesterday. Prayers for family and friends

Katie Preast's Aunt Joyce passed away on Thursday. On Saturday morning, **Katies's Aunt Mary** passed away. They were sisters.

Jim Hackney passed away on Tuesday. He impacted many lives at the Garland Rd. church.

SPIRITUALLY:

April 4-7 Men's Climb

April 11-14 Women's Climb

Pray for all the men and women climbers as well as the staff members

Marvin Smith has a trial date set for Monday, May 6th. Prayers for Marvin and Tina has their wait continues.

Tina Smith's sister Natalia and her son are both in need of our prayers.

Our Elders

Our Deacons

S.H.A.R.E

League Street church of Christ and Wieland church of Christ are searching for ministers.

Rains ISD is searching for a new Superintendent.

Please pray for God's guidance in these searches.

Please pray for all of our leaders and the decisions they make.

Please remember our members and their families currently serving in the military:

Chance Stone, son of **Rheann & Gary Stone**, & **Jason Knighton**, son of **LeeAnn Knighton**.

Vivian Warren's brother, Bill Wright has been having blood pressure problems and strokes. He was taken to Tyler. An MRI showed a clot in his neck.

Jake Pickens is in ICU at UT Health in Tyler. He is stable but has a respiratory infection.

Diana Boyer's daughter-in-law's family has been called in. **Leslie's** grandmother is not expected to live much longer.

Roger and Shirley Hooten, Roger is starting more cancer treatment at MD Anderson in April

Chandra Cline has been having nerve pain since Kyros birth. Prayers for healing.

Tommy Caldwell, uncle of **Mark Eldridge** is in the Greenville hospital with blood pressure issues

Eddie Melton, friend of **James Smith** has been diagnosed with cancer

Brenda Stone, co-worker of **Pam Higbee**, was in a head-on auto accident

Nic Cline has asked for prayers for his father **David** and David's stepdaughter, **Jerrica**.

Wonda Brock, a climber from Higher Ground, asked for prayers. She is having some health issues.

James Ray Ivy's surgery is being rescheduled.

Nan Satterwhite possible heart issues.

Lois (Mooring) Osborn (fibromyalgia)

Jessica Anderson, **Carrie's** daughter (Crohn's disease)

Pam Higbee requested prayers for the following:

Meghan - Pam's daughter,

Angela Shugart - stomach issues

Ashley Moffit - brain surgery

Jodie Manning - 2 lumps found and possibly has Lupus

Annie - sister-in-law's sister

Crystal - neighbor

Norma Resneder - continued prayers for healing

Diana Boyer's daughter, **Lara** (health)

Kadie Nowell and her four children

Eric Smith, friend of **Richard** and **Rica** (amputation)

Floyd "Eddie" Rogers continued issues with his legs.

Randa Chastain's uncle, **Eugene Edwards**

Linda Rawle's brother has stage 4 cancer

Patsy Brott, cancer

John Garrett, brain aneurism

Debbie Tolison, breast cancer

Linda Wolfe, friend of **Jo Ann Hamil**, cancer

Matthew Killough, metastatic melanoma

Brenda Stark's sister, **Tammy Krantz** (cancer)

Lacy Coker, friend of **Randa Chastain** (colon cancer)

Linda Sustaire (chemo for breast cancer)

Marvin Smith's mother (cirrhosis of the liver)

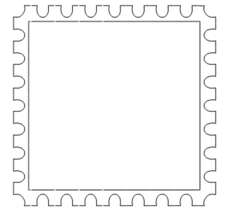
Jamie Rogers (cancer & son who has terminal cancer)

Tom Waters (prostate cancer)

Cleta Hooten (dementia)



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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.

LIVE STREAMING

If you are unable to meet with us in person, please join us on **Sunday mornings at 10 am** on the **Point Church of Christ Facebook Page** for our live streamed service.



Take Note:

Upcoming activities:

New Teacher rotation starts April 7th.
See bulletin board in the foyer for info.

- Apr. 11th - 14th Women's Higher Ground Climb
- April 20th - Daingerfield Ladies Day

Ken Player has asked for help. Let's all make a special effort to make sure external doors close all the way; that lights are turned off; and that we keep foods in the fellowship area and out of auditorium and class rooms. Please and thank you!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

April 12 - Misty McAree

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

April 7 - Trey & Jennifer Hill

April 11 - Ken & Kay Player



Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? As it is written: "For your sake we face death all day long; we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered."

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ

Jesus our Lord.

Romans 8:35-39 NIV

Higher Ground Fall Climbs



Men's Climb
April 4 - 7

Women's Climb
April 11 - 14