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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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Elders: Brad Chastain	903-473-6443
Mark Eldridge	903-513-7178
Scott Hooten	903-268-8214
Richard Kellam	903-268-7586
Tom Waters	903-473-0167
Mike Willis	903-268-6039

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: Brad Chastain  
Song Leader: John McAree

Song #162 All Hail the Power of Jesus Name  
Song #287 There is a Redeemer

Song #350 When My Love to Christ Grows Weak

Communion: Mike Willis Joey Chastain Butch Smith  
Mark Seglem Brian Sherrin Jeff Oualline

Song #781 Thank You Lord

Offering: Song #410 He Leadeth Me  
Song #449 Thy Word

Message: Richard Kellam

Invitation Song #922 Jesus Paid It All  
Song Light the Fire

Closing Prayer Tom Waters

Sunday Evening 6pm Jeff Oualline  
Song Leader: Charley Stark

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

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Aug.11 SHARE - Pasta Workshop 1:30 pm  
Aug.14 Wednesday Night Meal, 6 pm  
Aug.14 Wednesday Night Services, 7 pm

**Higher Ground Fall Climbs**



Men's Climb  
October 10 - 13

Women's Climb  
October 17 - 20

**WHAT IS HIGHER GROUND?**

The mission of Higher Ground Lake Country is to bring people into a deeper relationship with God and a better understanding of His unconditional love and forgiving heart.

We believe that true life is found only in living in constant connection to Jesus. Living in this relationship moves us to Higher Ground. Following Jesus changes the way we live. He changes us. He changes our relationship in the home and in the workplace. He changes everything and leads us to live in the here and now on Higher Ground. Jesus is the only way for a person to live on Higher Ground eternally. This conviction and a desire to encourage others to live this way are at the heart of Higher Ground.

We are all in need of growth in our lives, particularly in our relationship to God. Higher Ground is intended to enhance the Christian's commitment to God, the family and the church. It is designed to encourage self-examination that will reveal needs in individuals and find inspiration to grow from the Word of God. Higher Ground is a loving ministry of encouragement through edification and reaching out to others through God's Word.

Higher Ground is a three-day event for "Climbers." It begins on Thursday evening at 7:00 pm and concludes on Sunday afternoon at 12:00 noon. During this time there will be many opportunities and challenges for each individual to examine themselves, to share with one another, to be encouraged by others, and to encourage others. Through times of worship, times of study, quiet times of reflection, and devotionals, each climber will find motivation and paths of spiritual growth.

**IMPORTANT ADDRESSES:**

**Floyd Rogers**, Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Floyd Rogers 01216373, P.O. Box 660400 Dallas, Texas 75266 -0400  
**Kris & Shea Ivy**, 4102 CR 3221, Lone Oak, TX 75453  
**Chance Stone**, 3075 B Juniper Street SW, McChord Field, WA 98439  
**Emily (Hooten) & Nathan Heinrichs**, 1445 N. Pecan Hill, Stephenville, TX 76401  
**Mason & Anna (Hooten) Krantz**, 3870 CR 2184 Greenville, TX 75402  
**Linda Higgins**, 3400 Miles Rd. apt 2006. Sachse, Tx 75048  
**Priscilla Martin**, Brookdale Georgetown, 2600 E. University Ave, #117, Georgetown, TX 78626  
**Dustin Winkler**, 5616 Spring Valley Rd., Apt 170, Dallas, TX 75254  
**Ken Hare & Reneé Funk**, 1864 South Mountain Rd., Marshall, AR 72650  
**Jonny Knighton**, 824 Churchill St., College Station, TX 77840  
**Knighton, Jason D.** 7251 Robbins Rd., Stop #677, Moody AFB, GA 31699  
**Wonda Banks**, 219 PR 8515, Point, TX 75472  
**Kenna Kellam**, 1615 S. Delaware Pl Tulsa, OK 74104  
**Rodney & Paula Britt**, 6046 21st Century Dr., Charlestown, IN 47111  
**Cleta Hooten**, Greenville Health and Rehab, Room 404A, 4910 Wellington Street, Greenville, TX 75401  
**Randy & Jeanne (Killough) Botteicher**, 392 Spring Run Rd. Belleville, PA 17004  
**Jo Ann Hamil** 207 E. North Street Campbell, TX 75422  
**Shay McAree** 255 Williamsburg Pkwy, E102 Fate, TX 75189

	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Budget</u>
8/04/24		\$	\$3,900
8/11/24		\$	\$3,900
8/18/24		\$	\$3,900
8/25/24		\$	\$3,900

**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** 903-474-3965  
**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	Stephanie Garner
Church Historian (give pictures, articles, etc.)	Rica Kellam
Church Directory	Debbie Ivy
Visitation	Dianne Willis
Newsletter	Lisa Clark

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**DEACONS**

Dail Hooten	Lance Hooten	Larry Hooten
John McAree	James West	

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**COMMITTEES**

**Building Use and Activities Committee:**

Ken Player

**Construction Committee:**

Wayne Garner	Larry Hooten	Dail Hooten
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**Finance Committee:**

Lance Hooten	Alan Little	Mike Willis
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**Funeral Food Hostesses:**



Laura Oualline  
 Brenda Stark  
 Vivian Warren

**Correspondence Team:**



Monday Morning Breakfast Ladies  
 (see Vivian Warren - Gari Looney - Brenda Stark)  
 Visitors – Sick/home bound—Encouragement

**AUGUST WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS**

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

**MEN**

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

**August Schedule**

		<b>Message</b>	<b>Song Leader</b>
<b>Aug. 11</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>Richard Kellam</b>	<b>John McAree</b>
	<b>PM</b>	<b>Jeff Oualline</b>	<b>Charley Stark</b>
<b>Aug. 18</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>Richard Kellam</b>	<b>Steven Dukes</b>
	<b>PM</b>	<b>Third Sunday Singing &amp; Fellowship</b>	
<b>Aug. 25</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>Richard Kellam</b>	<b>KC Smith</b>
	<b>PM</b>	<b>Ed Carrasco</b>	<b>Dylan West</b>

**Lord's Table**

<b>Mike Willis</b>	<b>Joey Chastain</b>
<b>Butch Smith</b>	<b>Mark Seglem</b>
<b>Brian Sherrin</b>	<b>Jeff Oualline</b>

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*

**Connor Barth** was baptized last Sunday night. Please welcome our newest brother in Christ.

**Jackie Pickens** had successful eye surgery to implant a stent to relieve pressure however, complications have since arisen. Continued prayers that will clear up before her next appointment on Friday.

**Jake Hooten's** surgery went well. Continued prayers for healing.

**Congratulations to Hunter & Chanda Potts on the birth of their baby boy.** He was 8 weeks early but mom and baby are doing fine.

**Jerry Varney is cancer free**

#### **SPIRITUALLY:**

**Higher Ground Upcoming Climbs**

**Our Graduates:**

**Karlee Chastain  
Connor Barth  
Zach Sheppard**

**Marvin Smith** - Continue to lift him up in prayer as well as Tina.

**Clyde and Reba Kempf** as they travel with the Sojourners.

**Wood County Jail Ministry -**

**Prayers for all the recent men and women climbers.**

**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.**

**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.**

**Roger Hooten** - has not been doing well and unable to take last chemo treatment.

**Tom Kemp**, uncle of **Candice West**, Lung cancer

**Rae Daniels** asked that we keep her in our prayers. Her cancer has spread and her heart is not strong enough for more chemo.

**Phyllis Disotell** - healing from broken leg

**Jolie Ruddick** - anxiety symptoms

**Laverne Mckinzie, Tina Smith's** mom

**Hanna Davis** and her husband, niece of **Butch Smith** are expecting baby Shepherd (will need heart surgery)

**Stacy Horsman's** mother, **Ann Holley**, and her sister **Sheryl**

**Donna Kay Chamness** is trying to get stronger for liver transplant

**Tami McAree**, wife of **Corey McAree** (a HG Climber)

**Sheri Courtney**, aunt of **Connor Barth** (cancer)

**Felipe Hernandez** - brain tumor.

**Roger and Shirley Hooten** - Roger's cancer treatments

**Eddie Melton** has been diagnosed with cancer

**Nic Cline** --prayers for his father **David** and **Jerrica**.

**Wonda Brock**, HG Climber is having health issues.

**Nan Satterwhite** possible heart issues.

**Lois (Mooring) Osborn** (fibromyalgia)

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

**Pam Higbee** requested prayers for the following:

**Jade** - broken neck and long road to healing

**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

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

**Floyd "Eddie" Rogers** continued issues with his legs.

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

**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 Sustaie** (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)

**Jackie & Jakie Pickens** (several health issues)



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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:

**See bulletin board in the foyer for more information**

- Aug 11 - SHARE - Pasta Workshop 1:30 pm
- Aug 18 - Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship
- Aug. 24 - Ladies Day North Tenaha



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

August 11– Butch Smith  
August 15 - Kara McCasland  
August 15 – Fisher Smith



### North Tenneha Church of Christ Ladies Day



August 24, 2024  
9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon  
Breakfast and Registration 8:15 AM

### “Behind Our Sunday Smiles” Philippians 4:6-7



Keynote Speaker: **Monesca Smith Johnson, Ed.D., J.D.**  
North Tenneha Church of Christ, Tyler, TX



Color Theme  
Sunset Colors



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