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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: Matt Oualline
Song Leader: KC Smith

Song #96 I Stand in Awe
Song #83 God is So Good

Song #287 There is a Redeemer

Communion:
Lance Hooten Alan Little Mark Seglem
Clyde Kempf Shannon Sheppard Terry Goen

Song #781 Thank You Lord

Offering

Song #528 I Know That My Redeemer Lives
Song #810 Listen to Our Hearts

Message: Richard Kellam

Invitation Song #635 Freely, Freely

Song #1014 Jesus Loves Me

Closing Prayer James West

Sunday Evening 6pm Marvin Smith
Song Leader: Brad Chastain

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Jan.29 Wednesday Night Meal, 6 pm
Jan.29 Wednesday Night Service, 7 pm

**WALK
P. O. Box 69, Kilgore, Tx. 75662
1/20/2025**

Dear Friends
Subject: Name change Ghana Missions to West Africa Living Kingdom (WALK)

We are excited to announce an important step forward in our mission to serve the communities of West Africa. As we continue our work to provide vital support, share God's love, and empower lives with the Gospel, Ghana Missions has officially transformed into W.A.L.K. – West Africa Living Kingdom. This mission is now serving over 700 churches in Ghana and Togo and making over 4000-6000 new followers of Jesus Christ each year.

This change reflects our growing commitment to reaching more lives throughout the region and fostering a legacy of sustainable growth, faith, and transformation. While our name has evolved, our mission remains the same: to walk alongside individuals and churches, bringing tangible resources, spiritual encouragement, and continued disciple making for growth of The Kingdom of God.

This year, W.A.L.K. is focusing on critical initiatives, including:

- Sharing the gospel among unreached people groups.
- Planting Churches, building churches, and providing training for Spiritual growth in those Churches.
- Providing access to clean water by constructing wells in remote villages.
- Equipping children with education through church, schools, supplies, scholarships and orphanages.
- Providing medical care for Gods healing in our hospital and medical missions.
- Sharing the Gospel to inspire hope and faith in every heart we serve.

To accomplish this, we need compassionate partners like you. Your donation has the power to transform lives by ensuring Christian communities have the resources they need to thrive. Together, we can be the hands and feet of Christ, walking in love and service to those who need it most.

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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
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	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Budget</u>
1/05/25	102	\$4,554	\$3,900
1/12/25	119	\$6,373	\$3,900
1/19/25	118	\$4,589	\$3,900
1/26/25		\$	\$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 Vivian Warren or Brenda Stark
 Newsletter 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:
 (sign up sheet on bulletin board)



Correspondence Team:

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

JANUARY WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS
 The **Wednesday night** meals are served at **6:00 pm.**

Brenda Stark Laura Oualline Lisa Clark

Rheann Stone Kassie Smith

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

February Schedule

		Message	Song Leader
Feb. 2	AM	Richard Kellam	Scott Hooten
	PM	Richard Kellam	Brad Chastain
Feb. 9	AM	Darren Robinson	Greg Blake
	PM	KC Smith	Lance Hooten
Feb. 16	AM	Richard Kellam	Marty Weesner
	PM	Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship	
Feb. 23	AM	Richard Kellam	John McAree
	PM	Ken Player	Richard Kellam

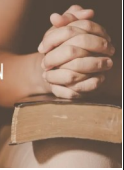
Lord's Table

Don Horsman	Jeff Howerton
Clint McAree	Joey Chastain
David Seglem	John Higbee

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

ANSWERED PRAYERS!

Marvin Smith found Not Guilty and is BACK!

Mark Eldridge's sister, Jan, was baptized!

Richard's dad is better and blood pressure controlled with meds.

Shirley Hooten had successful shoulder surgery

Jane Harman is now back with Claudia and doing well.

John & Suzanne West (niece and husband of Linda May) - they are home after a trip to Spain and hospital stay

Praises and continued prayers of healing for those who have had recent surgeries .

Toby Liles

Joey Chastain

Katie Preast

Jackie Pickens

Phyllis Disotell

SYMPATHY:

Aiden Thompson Family - he was a senior at Alba Golden

SPIRITUALLY:

Higher Ground Climbs - April Climbs are coming up soon. Pray for potential climbers. Pray for staff members.

Keep the **Clines** in your prayers as Nic goes through a work transition

Please pray for **Ethan, Jeff** and his mother, **Jennifer**, as well as the entire **Oualline family**

Wood County Jail Ministry - there have been many baptisms through this ministry

Our Elders

Our Deacons

S.H.A.R.E

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

Pray for all our First Responders everywhere.

Please pray for California and all of those who have been affected by the wildfires.

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 will have surgery on Feb.5th

Chaney Wallis (daughter of Justin & Kali from the Winnsboro congregation) has been diagnosed with leukemia and has had a set back.

Tom Waters (prostate cancer) - is having a really tough time with the chemo he is taking.

Carrie May's great nephews have both had appendectomies - **Caleb** and **Jonathan**

Prayers for those dealing with various forms of cancer

Vivian Warren

Jan Samples (Mark Eldridge's sister)

Wayne Garner

Tom Waters

Cory Mavroulis

Mark Goldsmith

Randy Weldon (Linda Rawle's brother)

Karla Johnson

Tom Kemp (Candice West's uncle)

Rae Daniels

Sheri Courtney (Connor Barth's aunt)

Eddie Melton

Debbie Tolison

Linda Wolfe (friend of JoAnn Hamil)

Linda Sustaire

Jamie Rogers & son

Prayers for those dealing with various health issues

Linda Rawle -pain management and healing after surgery

Brad Chastain

Norma Resneder

John & Nan Satterwhite

Stacy Horsman's Aunt Wanda

Jessica Anderson (Carrie May's daughter) Crohn's disease

Jordan Wolf - (JoAnn Hamil's son-in-law and Eleanor's dad) broken jaw and black outs

Eric Harris (JoAnn Hamil's nephew) kidney failure

Brian Adkins (Diana Boyer's son) hernia surgery soon

Lois Mooring Osborn (fibromyalgia)

Jolie Ruddick (anxiety)

Felipe Hernandez (brain tumor)

Donna Kay Chamness (needing a liver transplant)

Floyd "Eddie" Rogers (leg issues)

John Garrett (brain aneurism)

Marvin Smith's mom (cirrhosis of the liver)

Laverne Mckinzie (Tina Smith's mom)

Cleta Hooten (dementia)

Madison (the Cline's nanny) Cyst on her brain

Students from Sulphur Springs

Mary does not have leukemia but needs lots of prayers

Riley (open heart surgery needed)



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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

Upcoming Dates to keep in mind:

AFC Devo at Broad St. in Mineola - Feb. 1, 6:00 pm

YOU SAY Conference, Tulsa, OK - Feb. 7 & 8

Camp Deer Run Early Registration begins Feb. 9

Women's Higher Ground - April 3rd - 6th

Men's Higher Ground - April 10th - 13th

Songfest May 30th - June 1st



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Jan. 26 - Shannon Sheppard

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Would you consider contributing to support W.A.L.K. today? Your generosity can bring life changing hope to all who are touched by generosity of God's family. Thank you for being part of this journey with us. Together, we are not just serving communities in West Africa—we are building a living kingdom that reflects God's love, one step at a time. Pine Tree Church of Christ, Longview, Tx. Is sponsoring church for this mission and Ghana Missions now W.A.L.K. is in process of 501c3 non-profit approval. **Please make all donations starting now to WALK and mail check to WALK, P. O. Box 69, Kilgore, Tx. 75662**

With gratitude and hope,
Doc E. Turk (903-576-3060)
President/Chairman
W.A.L.K. – West Africa Living Kingdom



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