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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

Song Leader: Scott Hooten

Song #3 Hallelujah! Praise Jehovah Song #162 All Hail the Power of Jesus Name Song #701 My Jesus, I Love Thee

Communion:

Dennis Tom Don Horsman Terry Goen Alan Little Charley Stark Joey Chastain

Song #705 A Common Love

Offering

Announcements & Prayer: Brad Chastain

Song #4 To God Be the Glory Song #615 He Keeps Me Singing

Message: Richard Kellam

Invitation Song #922 Jesus Paid It All

Song #38 Awesome God

Closing Prayer Dail Hooten

Sunday Evening 6 pm Marvin Smith Song Leader: Lance Hooten

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

Sept.17 Wednesday Night Service, 7 pm Sept.21 Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship, 6 pm

Higher Ground Spring Climbs



Women's Climb Oct. 9th - 12th

Men's Climb Oct. 16th - 19th

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:

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	Attendance	Offering	Budget
9/07/25	85	\$4,281	\$3,900
9/14/25		\$	\$3,900
9/21/25		\$	\$3,900
9/28/25		\$	\$3,900

September Teaching Rotation

	Sunday	Wednesday
Babies	Rheann/Kassie	Misty
Pre-School	Paula Blake	
Kinder – 2 nd Grade 3rd - 5th Grade	Candice	
Supervisor	Richard/Rica	

WHO TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION

Good Samaritans Stephanie Garner Church Historian (give pictures, articles, etc.) Rica Kellam Church Directory Debbie Ivy Vivian Warren or Brenda Stark Visitation 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 Mike Willis Alan Little



Correspondence Team:

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

SEPTEMBER WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

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

Candice West Brenda Hooten Dianne Willis Marsha Brown Linda Rawle Reba Kempf are responsible for the meals in **SEPTEMBER**.

September Schedule

		Message	Song Leader
Sept. 14	AM	Richard Kellam	Scott Hooten
	PM	Marvin Smith	Lance Hooten
Sept. 21	AM	Richard Kellam	Greg Blake
	PM	Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship	
Sept. 28	AM	Richard Kellam	Marty Weesner
	PM	Dennis Tom	Hunter Warren

Lord's Table

Dennis Tom	Don Horsman
Terry Goen	Alan Little
Charley Stark	Joey Chastain

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



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 rejoice with the Rawle family and Linda's youngest son, Matthew. He, along with his son, Fisher, are renewing and growing in their faith. Please pray that their actions will encourage his wife, Lindsey.

PRAYERS

Nikka, Justin, and McKinlee Horschig. Their baby is in the breech position. Please pray she will turn or they will be able to turn her.

Chris Garner was taken to the ER with a staph infection in his leg. Prayers for healing

Shelly Hooten was taken to the ER with heart issues. She was kept overnight but home now. She will follow-up with a cardiologist.

Melissa Glock, friend of Carrie May, had a hysterectomy. Tests from that showed it was cancerous. Pray for her as they look at treatment plans

Larry Hooten will be having more stents put in soon.

Karen Carroll (cousin of Clyde Kempf) - her cancer has come back strong and they aren't giving her good news. They ask for prayers for the tumors to shrink so they can remove but also for God's will in all of this.

Lisa Meeks co-worker's husband - physical health issues but more importantly concern for the condition of his soul.

Candice West's grandmother is in the hospital, her mother is doing some better but please continue to pray for her and her eyesight.

Linda Wolfe (friend of JoAnn Hamil) has been place on hospice care. Please pray for her

Prayers for those dealing with various forms of cancer

Lynn Chapel (a friend of the Starks) - lung cancer Randy Weldon (Linda Rawle's brother) - treatments are not working and they have given him about 4 months - prayers for peace

David Warren (Vivian's son) - Throat cancer

Wayne Garner - pneumonia is gone

Tom Waters - struggling with treatment

Jackie Pickens - another occurrence in same area

Vivian Warren - low energy

Ja. n Samples (Mark Eldridge's sister)

Sue Linsey (John Higbee's mother)

Tom Kemp (Candice West's uncle)

Rae Daniels

Sheri Courtney (Connor Barth's aunt)

Linda Wolfe (friend of JoAnn Hamil)

Linda Sustaire

Jamie Rogers & son

Prayers for those dealing with various health issues

Brooke Hooten –Dianne Willis's niece - eye sight and other health issues

Katie Preast's sister, Georgeanne - leg infection

Scotty and Marsha Brown

Judy Williams - AFib - recent procedure

Pam Higbee's daughter, Brittany - diagnosed with diabetes

Jane Harman has pneumonia. She is on hospice care.

Jeff Wilk (Claudia's son) - upcoming back surgery

Alex Kulas - Stephanie Garner's older brother

John McAree - pain management for psoriatic arthritis

Reba Kempf's brother-in-law, Daniel - heart attack and is in ICU

Linda Rawle - neck continuing to heal

Don Blevins (cousin of Linda Rawle) has had a 2nd stroke

Ray David Daughety - infection and leg surgery

Norma Resneder - much pain and hip joint issues

Cynthia Brooks - Clyde Kempf's sister

Kencade Odom - blood clotting issues

Rene' Funk's husband Ken had his leg removed above his knee.

Richard Kellam's dad, Richard - dementia

Shawn Hervey - needing kidney transplant

Clara Smith - pray for overall health

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

Lois Mooring Osborn (fibromyalgia)

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



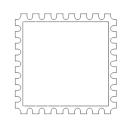
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LIVE STREAMING

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.

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.



See bulletin board in the foyer for more information Upcoming Dates to keep in mind:

Sept. 21 - Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship

Oct. 9th - 12th Women's HG Climb

Oct. 11 - Gospel Singing at Wills Point Church of Christ, 6 pm

Oct.16th -19th Men's HG Climb

Oct.26th - Autumn Sing - Winnsboro Church of Christ at Camp Deer Run, 5 pm - 8 pm

