

Volume XXVII, No.43 October 19, 2025



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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
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: Matt Hook

Song Song Song

Communion:

Jeff Howerton Gary Williams David Seglem John Higbee Jordan Meeks Danny Meeks

Song

**Offering** 

Announcements & Prayer James West

Song Song

Message: Richard Kellam

**Invitation Song** 

Song

Closing Prayer Charley Stark

Sunday Evening 6 pm Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship

Wednesday Evening Worship at 7:00 pm

Adult Class – Auditorium Ladies' Class – High School room

Toddler Class

1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Class

Youth Group (Summit) - Fellowship Hall

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Oct. 19 Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship, 6 pm

Oct. 22 Wednesday Night Meal, 6 pm Oct. 22 Wednesday Night Service, 7 pm The Verse that Shut Me Up and Set Me Free (Romans 3:19) By Kyle Winkler

Author & Bible Teacher

I used to try hard to follow the "rules," as I saw them. I didn't drink, didn't cheat, didn't lie (much). And I was proud of that.

Then I read Romans 3:19: "The law's purpose is to shut every mouth."

That verse stopped me cold.

Suddenly, I realized that the law (beginning with the Ten Commandments) isn't a checklist to prove my goodness.

It is a mirror showing my need.

It didn't just expose my imperfections; it leveled the playing field.

My pride? Shut down.

My comparisons? Silenced.

My excuses? Gone.

But here's the beautiful part: when the law shut my mouth, grace opened my heart.

The law pointed me to Jesus—not to condemn me, but to show me the only One who could fulfill it.

And He did.

At the cross, Jesus fulfilled the law and took it out of the devil's hands (see Colossians 2:14–15).

That means no more accusations, no more condemnation, no more pressure to perform.

I don't have to prove myself anymore. I just have to embrace what's already been done.

It's the same for you.

If you've been trying to earn God's love or outrun your past, let this truth settle in: the law did its job. ...

Now grace gets the final word.

## **IMPORTANT ADDRESSES:**

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	Attendance	Offering	<u>Budget</u>
10/05/25 10/12/25 10/19/25 10/26/25	110 118	\$5,311 \$3,389 \$	\$3,900 \$3,900 \$3,900 \$3,900



## 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

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### **DEACONS**

Dail Hooten Larry 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

**Finance Committee:** 

Lance Hooten Alan Little Mike Willis



# **Correspondence Team:**

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

## OCTOBER WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

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

# Gari Looney Vivian Warren Rica Kellam Debbie Ivy Carrie May

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

## **October Schedule**

		Message	Song Leader
Oct. 19	AM	Richard Kellam	Matt Hook
	PM	Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship	
Oct. 26	AM	Richard Kellam	Matt Hook
	PM	KC Smith	Brad Chastain

## Lord's Table

Jeff Howerton	Gary Williams
David Seglem	John Higbee
Jordan Meeks	Danny Meeks

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

Please Continue to keep Our Higher Ground Staff and Climbers in your prayers.

Millie Horschig is home and doing well

Dwanna Winkler's daughter-in-law, Tiffany is doing well after her by-pass surgery

Chris Garner had successful toe surgery

James Ray's great granddaughter, Eloise, is healing well after she broke both bones in her lower leg.

Wally Bundy had pacemaker surgery this week in Sulphur Springs.

The **Froneberger's** ask that we keep baby Charlie in our prayers. There are a few health concerns that they pray all will be resolved before her two week checkup.

Matt Hook has one student and one student's mom going through some pretty scary medical issues right now. Please pray for these students and their families

Rene' Funk (former member) is schedule for hip replacement surgery later this month.

Tredway and Boyer Families - continued prayers as they travel down a difficult road with their family

Joe Boyer (Diana's husband) has some blockages in his neck they will looking at more closely.

## **SYMPATHY**

Geary Cason, father of Higher Ground staff member, Jacob Rabe passed away on Wednesday

Pray for all our children and grand children and the difficulties they face each and every day.

Pray for all our First Responders everywhere.

Pray for Rains County Leadership

# Prayers for those dealing with various forms of cancer

Karen Carroll (cousin of Clyde Kempf)

Lynn Chapel (a friend of the Starks) - lung cancer

Randy Weldon (Linda Rawle's brother) - prayers for peace

David Warren (Vivian's son) - finishing up radiation treatment

Wayne Garner

**Tom Waters -** struggling with treatment

Jackie Pickens - another occurrence in same area

Vivian Warren - eye pressure is a bit high

Jan Samples (Mark Eldridge's sister)

**Sue Linsey** (John Higbee's mother)

**Tom Kemp** (Candice West's uncle)

Rae Daniels

Linda Sustaire

Jamie Rogers & son

# Prayers for those dealing with various health issues

Marty Weesner's brother, Mike - prostate issues Helen Stevens (James Warren's sister) - heart ablation Kari Smith - extremely sore from broke or cracked ribs

**Ken Player** - vertigo

Allie Chastain

Melissa Glock, friend of Carrie May

Nancy Hooten's father, Walter Addington - broke arm

Lisa Meeks co-worker's husband

**Larry Hooten** - recovering from having stents put in.

James Ray Ivy's great grandson, Lennox - seizures.

Candice West's mother and grandmother

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

Scotty and Marsha Brown

Pam Higbee's daughter, Brittany - diagnosed with diabetes

Jane Harman has pneumonia. She is on hospice care.

Jeff Wilk (Claudia's son)

Alex Kulas - Stephanie Garner's older brother

**John McAree** - pain management for psoriatic arthritis

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

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

Rene' Funk's husband Ken

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



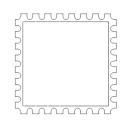
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### SECURITY MEASURES

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

### 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.



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

- Oct. 19 Third Sunday Singing & Fellowship
- Oct. 24 Feeding Football boys, 11 am
- Oct.26 Autumn Sing Winnsboro Church of Christ at Camp Deer Run, 5 pm 8 pm
- Nov. 24 Thanks Singing! Areawide Worship McDermott Road



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Oct. 21 – Levi Stephan Oct. 23 - Charley Stark Oct. 24 - Jennifer Hill Oct. 24 - Brian Sherrin Oct. 25 - Brad Chastain

