



A WARM WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

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Today's Schedule

Sunday Adult Class
The Rapture

Sunday Morning Worship
Sermon Topic
Born Again
John 3:1-5

Sunday Evening Worship
Fear and Excuses
Exodus 3:11-12

Family News and Notes

We are glad that you were able to join us this morning in worship to God. Please let us know if you have questions we can answer and also let us know how we can serve you!

REJOICING WITH ANGELS!

We rejoice with the angels in heaven that Aidan Bailey made the decision to be baptized into Christ last Sunday evening. What a wonderful decision! We are proud of Aidan and welcome him to the family!

NOTES

Things to Know/Remember

- * Please have Horizons signup forms returned to Buddy Baker by May 17.
- * Items for Potter Children's home are due on May 17.
- * Point Pleasant to provide snacks at the Ronald McDonald house on June 6. Need a coordinator and volunteers. Please see Trenton if you can help.

BIBLE READING 2015

5/3	No Reading
5/4	Psalms 41-45
5/5	Psalms 46-50
5/6	Psalms 51-55
5/7	Psalms 56-60
5/8	Psalms 61-65
5/9	Psalms 66-75



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THIS WEEK'S MINISTRY OF ENCOURAGEMENT TEAM

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UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT DETAILS	CONTACT
May 7, 21	10 am	Ladies' Bible Class	V Bailey
May 15	12 pm	55+ Luncheon	T Dooley
May 15		Ladies Retreat	J Leas/J Glass
June 6		Ronald McDonald House	T McMillan
June 7-11		Vacation Bible School	T McMillan
June 15		Youth Rally at Point Pleasant	

FOR GOD HAS NOT GIVEN US
A SPIRIT OF FEAR,
BUT OF POWER
& OF LOVE
AND OF A SOUND MIND.
2 TIMOTHY 1:7
FEARLESS 2015

Mission Accomplished *by Neal Pollard*

Reader's Digest tells the story of Walter Wyatt, Jr., an amateur pilot whose plane goes down in the Atlantic between the Bahamas and Miami, Florida. He's in the deep all night, fighting off bull sharks and feeling he will not survive. He does live and a ship, the Cape York, rescues him after sunrise the next day. He wearily climbs on board and kisses the deck. He is saved, but he needed outside help to save him from the depths and from certain death.

So it was with us. As the song suggests, we were sinking deep in sin and far from the peaceful shore. Jesus lifted us, and He did so through Calvary. Yet, He saved us from a fate infinitely worse than death by a physical predator. Each Lord's Day, we have the opportunity to remember this as well as He who rescued us. As Paul once said, "Indeed, in our hearts we felt the sentence of death" (2 Corinthians 1:9). In Hebrews two, we consider three important truths about the Man who saved us from death.

First, He is over us (Hebrews 2:1-10). He is our Lord and Master. He is over us by right of accountability (1-3). In other words, we are reminded that each of us are accountable to Him. We cannot escape if we neglect so great a salvation! He is also over us by right of approval (4), namely God's approval (cf. Matthew 17:5). During His ministry, Jesus demonstrated His power to prove His identity (cf. Acts 2:22-24). Further, He is over us by right of authority (5-8). We read, "For in subjecting all things to him, He left nothing that is not subject to him." Then, He is over us by right of arrangement (10). He is our Creator. He made us. He knows us. Finally, He is over us by right of affliction. By virtue of His passion, Christ has compassion. For all these reasons, we see Jesus as One who is on a par with none. Before He was in a manger or up on a cross, He was in the beginning with God and as God (cf. John 1:2).

Second, He is like us (Hebrews 2:11-14). No matter how much we like or dislike a king or president, we may feel like he or she is unreal or unlike us. We cannot relate to their lives, and we are certain they can relate to ours. Yet, Jesus, though King of kings, is a Savior who is like us. We are of the same family, the human family (11). He associates Himself with us (11-12). Then, He shared in our humanity to the fullest, to the point of experiencing death for us (14). Nobody can rightfully say to God, "You don't know what it is like! You don't understand!" He is fully divine and became fully human, making Him uniquely able to relate to both the Father and humanity.

Finally, He is for us (Hebrews 2:15-18). The last few verses serve as final pieces of evidence proving how Jesus is on our side. He has done His part to take the fear out of death (15; cf. 1 Corinthians 15:19-20). Of all created beings, He gives His aid to us (16). He longs to be our High Priest (17). He wants to help us when we are tempted (18). Of all the Great Cloud of witnesses (Hebrews 12:1), who do you think is leading the cheers for those of us trying to make our way through this world and up to heaven?

A decade ago, I said a sentimental goodbye to the "Black Bullet," my 1985 Chevy Custom Deluxe pickup which I traded in on a "new" 1992 Dodge Dakota. I had to go to the DMV and transfer my tag and title. They did not charge much for vanity plates, so I chose "PRCHNG1." This seemed clear enough to me. As I picked up a number at the front counter, I had my tags in hand and the receptionist saw them. She said, "Oh, I've always wanted to try that. I bet that's so fun. Is it scary?" I was confused. She said, "Your tags. How long have you been parachuting?" PRCHNG1 stands for "Preaching One." I thought it was clear, but apparently my fellow motorists had been concluding that I was in some airborne division or maybe purchased hand guns. This dear lady misunderstood me, my work, and my interests.

Let us not make that mistake with the Savior we pause to commemorate each Sunday. He is over us-He's our King! He is like us-He's our brother! He is for us-He's our friend!

ATTENDANCE

LAST SUNDAY 103
RECORD 197

CONTRIBUTION

LAST WEEK 3351
WEEK BUDGET 4700
AVERAGE 4561

Anniversaries

5/7 J/M Carter
5/15 A/S Carter
5/23 Leeds
5/30 Crowder

Birthdays

5/2 Sheryl Pyles
5/6 Toni Turner
5/10 Mikie Hutson
5/13 Aiden Bailey
5/15 Pauline Vanderpool
5/15 Allen Womacks
5/18 Judy Criss
5/19 Stacey Carter
5/23 Jessie Begley
5/25 Buddy Baker
5/25 Elijah Turner
5/28 Heather Glass

We never intend to leave anybody out, but mistakes do happen...if you see mistakes/omissions, PLEASE bring them to my attention. Thank You, Jennifer



Message from Velaphi Melangani

POINT THE WAY YOUTH GROUP

EXCERPTS FROM VELAPHI'S NEWSLETTER:

The month of March was very fruitful as we preached and won 21 souls for Christ. We give all glory to the Lord! These souls were baptized at Chesa, Dando, Bulawayo and Madlulani. Please pray for them so that they too may grow unto spiritual maturity and be fruitful in His vineyard.

The WBS has again been given permission to teach the Bible to prison inmates at Khami Maximum Prison some few kilometres west of Bulawayo. Please pray for the success of this ministry. Brother Mthokozisi Sibanda is leading this Ministry.

Our brothers and sisters, thank you so much for your unflinching support for the Lord's work in Zimbabwe. May the Lord continue to bless your caring and loving hearts.

In His Service, Velaphi and Stella

- 5/16 Youth Devotional
- 5/18 Lawrenceburg Church of Christ
- 6/1 Holly Hill Church of Christ
- 6/8 Shelbyville Church of Christ
- 6/15 Point Pleasant Church of Christ
- 7/5-7/10 Horizons @ FHU
- Rolling Hills Camp: HS 6/28-7/3; 7th-8th 7/5-10; 5th-6th 7/12-17; 3rd-4th 7/19-24

Our Prayer List

NEW UPDATES

Aidan Bailey—baptized
Susie Burkett, L Clarkston's friend, is in remission
Albert Collier (L Clarkston relative) - has defied the odds and is doing well despite having pancreatic cancer
Barbie Moon's father passed away on Tuesday

DEATH IN FAMILY

Jason Carter—loss of his aunt Alma Roa
Paulette Shouse—loss of brother

BIBLE STUDIES/ GOSPEL RESPONSES

Michelle Kyle
Stephen Bond
DeWight Shouse

NEW CHRISTIANS

Aiden Bailey
Wesley Baker
Sammy Campbell
Curtis Williams

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Olivia McMillan
Josh McCarty
Tyler Powers
Kristina Stewart
Christian Thomason
Summer Turner

MILITARY

Kyrk Davis
Jonathan Harris (Carol Link cousin) in Syria
Shawn Kleindinst—(Dooley friend)

CANCER PATIENTS

Kevin Aldrich, A Bailey's coworker—brain tumor
Paul Anderson—uncle of Isaac Hall (Olivia's boy-friend)—cancer
George Baker (K Cruickshank's uncle) -colon cancer
Maggie Boone—D Stewart friend- breast cancer
Charlie Cannon (J Womacks Uncle) - bladder cancer
Tobe Chappell (C Dooley coworker grandpa)liver/lung
Katelyn Crittenden— leukemia (Munger's niece)
Jeannette Davis—breast cancer (A Womacks friend)
Lori Ellis—(M Cruickshank's aunt)
Darell Eldridge—(Danny's father) - MALT Lymphoma,
Robert Farley (Denham friend)
Mike Fleak—(Hutson friend) Stage 3 melanoma
Julie Harlow—breast cancer
Anna Martin (young girl

with leukemia)
Kenneth Luck, M Carter's grandfather, leukemia
Mike Obst—Bond family liver cancer
Lisa Osbourne, friend of Leas', appendix cancer
Brodie Quinn—Young boy from Florence c of C
Sharlene (Begley)
Benni Shanklin—(J Bond friend)—breast cancer
Bobbie Soales-friend of C Myers—brain tumor
Mandy Sutton—J Glass Manager—incurable cancer
Jeff Sydnor—Lena Wheatley's family friend
Jessica Walker—(B Shouse' friend—Brain Cancer
Erin Wells—D Stewart friend- breast cancer
Sandy (Womacks) - Stage 4

HEART PATIENTS

Jacob Walton—infant

STROKE PATIENTS

Ethyl Begley—Jessie's sister in law—stroke
Bobbie Shields—Davis' friend—heart attack

LONG TERM ILLNESS/SHUT-IN'S

Bob Carney—C Dooley's father—Alzheimer's

Norma Carter—(J Carter's mother) Meniers' Disease
Frank Criss—health probs
Ted Johnson
Bill McLaurine's son- Alzheimer's
Hazel Powell
Sheryl Pyles—MS
Chris Reitz—Lewey Body dementia@ Mountain Crest
Billy Ritchie—M Denham's cousin
Wayne Sebastian-(Steve's dad) - Alzheimer's, stroke
Paulette Shouse—COPD

PERSONAL/FAMILY STRUGGLES

Crystal Myers' Brother & family
Jordan Watson—(L Stewart's granddaughter)
Rob & Seanna Pugh (J Leas brother) - family struggles

INJURIES/OTHER REQUESTS

Melissa Allen—FHU faculty member's wife, collapsed last week
Suzi Burcham—(A Bailey coworker's wife)
Stacey Carter & baby
Stuart Daniel—Potter's driver—ruptured disk
Charlie, Donna, & Charlie Farmer Jr- Davis' friends—

health and life issues
Ron Garland (Glass family)- waiting for liver transplant
Mr Harkness-(Denham)- complications of diabetes
Teddy Jaynes—B Kelly's nephew—Kidney problems
Ann Kelly—wife of John Paul's coworker
Ashley Link
Kelly Mack- (D Link friend), knee transplant
Evelyn Parks—(J Begley friend)—hospitalized
Craig Saylor—coworker of Ron Stewart, surgery
Brenda Sloan—(S Fugate friend) grand mal seizure
Art Tewes (D Link friend) & mother, Paula—she is legally blind/insists on living alone
Lena Wheatley's Family
Kyle Vath—(J Carter's cousin)—health problems
Allen Womacks—job search
Colton Womacks—sinus problems and headaches
John Y—(B Tuttle's friend) depression

PLEASE NOTE: We routinely "CLEAN UP" the prayer list. If you notice that one has been removed in error, please let us know so that we can make the correct adjustment. We certainly don't want to forget anyone who still needs our prayer. THANK YOU! Jennifer



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What One Must Do To Be Saved

HEAR THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST *John 20:30; Rom 10:17*

BELIEVE THAT JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD
Rom 10:16; Acts 18:8; Heb 11:6

REPENT OF SINS *Luke 13:3; 24:47; Acts 3:19; 17:30*

CONFESS FAITH IN CHRIST AS GOD'S SON *Matt 10:32; Acts 8:37; Rom 10:10*

BE BAPTIZED (IMMERSED) IN WATER *Matt 28:19; Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; 10:47-48; 22:16; Rom 6:1-6; Gal 3:27; Col 2:12; 1 Peter 3:21*

CONTINUE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH *Matt 25:21, 34; 2 Peter 1:1-11; Rev 2:10; 1 John 1:6-9*

Scheduled to Serve - May 3, 2015

<u>SUNDAY AM WORSHIP</u>	
Announcements	Scott Bond
Song Leader	Gerry Leas
Opening Prayer	Stephen Bond
Presiding @ Lord's Table	Daryl Denham
Assist:	Larry Beckley
Assist	Terry Turner
Assist	Dale Reynolds
Scripture Reading	Jonathan Glass
Message	Tim Dooley
Closing Prayer	Ron Stewart
Usher/Greeter	Steve Davis
Count Attendance	Gregory McMillan
Count Attendance	Coy Baker
Count Offering	Buddy Baker
Count Offering	Deric Hutson

MEN SERVING IN THE AM SERVICE ARE REQUESTED TO MEET IN THE OFFICE AT 10:25.

<u>SUNDAY PM WORSHIP</u>	
Announcements	Scott Bond
Song Leader	Gerry Leas
Opening Prayer	Andy Bailey
Preside at Lord's Table	Daryl Denham
Assist	Larry Beckley
Scripture Reading	Gregory McMillan
Message	Tim Dooley
Closing Prayer	Wesley Baker

<u>WEDNESDAY EVENING</u>	
Announcements & Prayer	Scott Bond
Song Leader	Jeff Reeves
Invitation	John Glass
Closing Prayer	Deric Hutson

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SERVE, PLEASE CALL BUDDY BAKER AT 859-689-5867 or email buddyhbaker@fuse.net



Point Pleasant Church of Christ Meeting Times

Sunday Morning
 Bible Study 9:30 am
 Worship 10:30 am

Sunday Evening
 Worship 6:00 pm

Wednesday Evening
 Bible Study 7:00 PM

GOT ANNOUNCEMENTS?
 Contact Jennifer Leas
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