



Today's Schedule

Sunday Adult Class

For Your Family's Sake

Genesis 48-50

**Sunday Morning
Worship**

Sermon Topic

A Message From God

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Sunday Evening

Worship

Worship will be led by young men of the congregation

Family News and Notes

Welcome! 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!

Welcome Friends and Family!

Today is a special day for us here at Point Pleasant. We are so glad that you have accepted our invitations to worship with us. Please plan to join us for lunch so that we can get to know you better. The meal will be served at the house on our property immediately following morning worship.

Potter Children's Home

Potter's will be here the week of November 10th to collect non-perishable items for the children. We've been asked to bring lawn and leaf trash bags, frosted mini wheat cereal, mustard, onion soup mix, paper towels. Please drop the items underneath the song board near the front of the auditorium. If you would like to donate money in lieu of bringing in items, please see Brian Jones. The children's Bible classes are encouraged to "adopt" an item to bring in during the month of October.

Ladies' Bible Class

We will be starting up the Ladies Bible Class on Thursday, October 3 at 7 pm. Please see Jennifer Glass or Valerie Bailey if you can't make it but want to be involved.

**MINISTRY of
ENCOURAGEMENT**

Team II (Hutson, Leas, Reeves, Stewart, Tolliver) is scheduled.

**Please Join Us!
Potluck Lunch
After Services
this morning**



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UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT DETAILS	CONTACT
Thursday, Oct 3	7:00 pm	Ladies' Bible Class	J Glass/V Bailey
Friday, October 18		55+ Luncheon	T Dooley
Wed, October 30		Trunk or Treat	B Baker
Sat, November 9		Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?	B Baker



Memories and Theological Ponderings About Rainbow Man

His name was Rollen Stewart. I didn't know him personally but he was a ever present character in my home when I grew up in the late 70's and early 80's. Being reared in a conservative, religious family, we attended Bible class on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings and every worship service, without fail. I grew in my knowledge of the Bible and certain inspired truths were deeply seated within my heart at a very young age. I remember well that Sunday morning, as we stood to sing the "Invitation Song," when I felt once again the turmoil deep within my soul that manifested itself in the form of a Ali/Frazier title fight taking place in my stomach. That morning I was baptized into Christ for the remission of my sins by our preacher, Jim Harbin.

It was about this same time that I really became aware of Mr. Stewart, better known by many as "Rainbow Man." He would appear at seemingly ever sporting event that was televised wearing a rainbow colored Afro wig and wearing a shirt (or holding a sign) with the message "Believe in Jesus" or simply "John 3:16." Well I certainly knew that verse, it was one of the first memory verses I ever learned in Sunday School. But this was my first real encounter with what I later learned to be the "faith only" doctrine.

As I grew older and began to question the validity of what I believed to be true (it happens to all of us eventually) I started to see the fallacies and inconsistencies in the denominational doctrines that permeated society. The "faith only" crowd didn't really believe what they said and contradicted themselves frequently. For example, they would contend that all one had to do was believe that Jesus was the Son of God, but then they would say that it was necessary to repent of your sins. They would say that all you had to do was believe but then say you needed to say the "Sinner's Prayer" (which isn't even found in the Bible).

So I began to cement my faith in what the Bible actually said about salvation and the gift of God's mercy and grace. And this is what I found:

True Faith. It is not merely a mental assent combined with a disposition to truth. It embraces obedience. Faith only, without works (works of righteousness, not merit), is dead (James 2:14-26).

Obedience To Christ Is What God Wants. To take a single, beautiful verse like John 3:16 out of context and distort it is blasphemy! When examined against the remote context of the Bible we can only come to the conclusion that those who refuse to do what Christ has commanded will be lost for eternity. Jesus said, "If you love me, keep my commandments" (John 14:15). The Hebrew writer said that Jesus was the, "...author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him" (5:8-9). And the inspired Paul said that those who do not obey the gospel of Jesus are subject to the wrath of God (1 Thessalonians 1:8).

Repentance Is Necessary. No one can deny that repentance was a main emphasis of apostolic teaching (Luke 24:47; Acts 5:31; 20:21; 26:20; 2 Corinthians 7:9; 2 Peter 3:9). In fact God "now commands all men everywhere to repent" (Acts 17:30). Could one honestly conclude that a soul could go to heaven while openly defying a direct command from God?

Confession Is Required. In His own words we find out that the only way to be confessed by Christ before the Judgment throne of the Father is to confess Him here on earth with our words and with our lives (Matthew 10:32-33). A thoughtful reflection on the gospel of Jesus concludes that confession is fundamental to our salvation. But notice that confession itself doesn't save us. Romans 10:10 tells us that belief leads to righteousness (it is not righteousness to simply admit to the fact that Jesus is the Son) and that confession leads to salvation.

Baptism For The Remission of Sins Is Essential! Up to this point you get little argument from most but they then bristle at this thought and I honestly do not understand why. The Bible is clear! Baptism is "for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38), baptism puts you into Christ (Galatians 3:27), baptism is where we put off the old man and put on the new man as we submit to the likeness of His death, burial, and resurrection (Romans 6:3-6), baptism saves us (1 Peter 3:21). No honest appraisal of the Scriptures can lead to any other conclusion.

Rollen Stewart "The Rainbow Man" is currently serving three consecutive life sentences in prison. I hope and pray the he, and everyone else, will come to a true understanding of what God wants before it is too late. What about you? Have you been obedient to God? If you have not; why not today? Do it and then remember, be faithful! [Tim]

ATTENDANCE

LAST SUNDAY
RECORD 168

CONTRIBUTION

LAST WEEK
WEEK BUDGET 4500
AVERAGE

Anniversaries

9/30 Turner
10/1 S/M Bond
10/10 Yerkes
10/22 McMillan

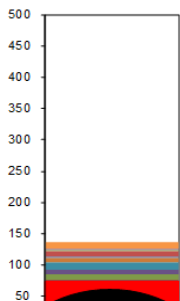
Birthdays

9/30 Ted Johnson
10/1 Jennifer Leas
10/6 Janie Glass
10/12 Kay Cruickshank
10/13 Lydia Harris
10/15 Rachel Dooley
10/16 Kasey Jones
10/17 Kayla Leas
10/21 Brett Denham
10/24 Paulette Shouse
10/25 Jason Carter
10/27 Laura McMillan
10/28 Gerald Leas
10/28 Judy Tenover

Building Fund

\$ 128,989

25.8%



as of 7/31/13



**Notes from Zimbabwe Missionary,
Velaphi Mlangeni**

Youth Group News

We had a very successful youth meeting at Gweru in Zimbabwe which was attended by three hundred youths. One of the burning issues discussed was the breakdown of communication between parents and their children. We noted that it is very important for parents to be able to communicate openly and effectively with their children. Open, effective communication benefits not only the children, but every member of the family. Relationships between parents and their children are greatly improved when there is effective communication taking place. In general, if communication between parents and their children is good, then their relationships become good as well. Eventually, children will begin to form **ideas and beliefs** based on how their parents communicate with them. Parents, let us stop being too busy with things which cause us to neglect our children. God will hold us accountable on that Great Day!

Excerpted from Velaphi's Monthly Report

TEEN YOUTH GROUP

This Month's Youth Group Activity Plans:
 September 8th—Assist worship at Owenton
 September 13th-15th—R.U.S.H. @ FHU
 September 16th—Youth Rally @ Holly Hill
 September 28th—Devotional

TWIX YOUTH GROUP

TBA

Our Prayer List

ADDITIONS

Shawn Hacker—Melissa Denham's cousin—passed away unexpectedly
 Jeanette Jent—Lena's sister in law—doctors cannot do anything for her and she is likely in her final days
 Reba Porter—breast cancer
 Billy Ritchie—Melissa Denham's cousin, accidental overdose

DEATH IN FAMILY

Vanderpool, Reitz, and Gorman Families—Death of Letcher

JOB SITUATIONS

MILITARY

Andy Arnett

CANCER PATIENTS

Charlie Cannon (Jennifer Womacks Uncle) - bladder cancer
 Albert Collier (Lois Clarkston's relative) - pancreatic

Jeannette Davis (Allen Womacks friend) - breast cancer
 Gene Dawson (friend of Sharon Fugate) - colon cancer surgery 3/4
 Herb Dooley—(Tim's dad) skin cancer, melanoma
 Lori Ellis—(Mark Cruickshank's aunt)

Darell Eldridge—(Danny's father) - MALT Lymphoma
 Virginia Glover—(John's sister in law) stage 4
 Roberta Farley (Orange Ave c of C, Denham friend) Breast Cancer
 Jeannette Jent—Lena's sister in law, pancreatic
 Margie Koonz—esophageal cancer

Garrett Link's Grandfather
 Anna Martin (10-yr old with leukemia)
 Kathy Metz—Dooley friend
 Barbie Moon—ovarian cancer
 Larry Nelson—T Turner's coworker
 Brodie Quinn—5-yr old

from Florence c of C)
 Sharlene (Begley)
 Cheryl Spear (Jamie McAlpin's sister)
 Mark Thompson—Donna Stewart's brother, liver cancer
 Sandy (Womacks) - Stage 4 cancer

HEART PATIENTS

John Begley (Jesse's brother) -
 John Glover—congestive heart failure
 Shannon King's grandmother and father

LONG TERM ILLNESS/SHUT-IN'S

Steve Asche—V Bailey brother-in-law-blindness
 Bob Carney—Colleen's father—Alzheimer's, MRSA
 Norma Carter—(Jason's mother) Meniers' Disease
 Frank Criss—health probs
 John Glover
 Gene Harlow—(J. Carter uncle) Alzheimer's

Ted Johnson
 Bill McLaurine's son-Alzheimer's
 Hazel Powell
 Chris Reitz—Lewey Body dementia@ Mountain Crest
 Meghan Sebastian-Crohn's
 Wayne Sebastian-(Steve's dad) - Alzheimer's, stroke
 Sheryl Pyles—MS

OTHER REQUESTS

Kay Ainsworth, Patsy's Daughter, has had a stroke and they also found a tumor
 Raye Arroyos (M Denham mother) health Issues
 Beanie Cappel—Joann Bond's sister, having tests on her liver
 Maria Carter—
 Joel Crowder, Jr—hip replacement
 Joshua Dudding—Tolliver nephew, slipped disks
 Frank Elliot, Womacks friend, stress, overdose
 Patty & Wayne Hacker—auto accident

Janie Glass' - niece and nephews
 Everett Harkness—Rochelle's baby, born 3 wks premature
 Agnes Shouse—DeWight's mother is in the nursing home
 DeWight Shouse—came forward asking for prayers
 Summer Turner—GI problems
 Jordan Watson—Lillie Stewart's granddaughter—family issues

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

It Is Time!



Ecclesiastes 3:1

**A WARM WELCOME
TO OUR VISITORS!**

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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 - September 29, 2013

SUNDAY AM WORSHIP

Announcements	John Gkass
Song Leader	Deric Hutson
Opening Prayer	Scott Bond
Presiding @ Lord's Table	Brian Jones
Assist:	Buddy Baker
Assist	Daryl Denham
Assist	Dennis Tolliver
Scripture Reading	Andy Bailey
Message	Tim Dooley
Closing Prayer	Dale Reynolds
Usher/Greeter	Gerry Leas
Count Attendance	Larry Beckley
Count Attendance	Doug Yerkes
Count Offering	Buddy Baker
Count Offering	Gerry Leas

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

SUNDAY PM WORSHIP

Announcements	John Glass
Song Leader	Gregory McMillan
Opening Prayer	Joshua Carter
Preside at Lord's Table	Wayne Baker
Assist	Riley Jones
Scripture Reading	Coy Baker
Message	David Dooley
Closing Prayer	Brett Denham

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Announcements & Prayer	Daryl Denham
Song Leader	Jeff Reeves
Invitation	Bill Tuttle
Closing Prayer	Allen Womacks

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SERVE, PLEASE CALL BUDDY BAKER AT 859-689-5867 or email buddyahbaker@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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