

**Heaven Bound..
ARE YOU READY?
Matthew 24:44
AMOS 4:12**



**A WARM WELCOME
TO OUR VISITORS!**

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Today's Schedule

Sunday Adult Class

Book of Revelation

Sunday Morning

Worship

Sermon Topic

There is a Season
Ecclesiastes 3:1-8

Sunday Evening

Worship

Guest Speaker
Dave Harris

**FOOD/TOILETRIES
DRIVE**

The Ladies' Class food/toiletries drive finishes up today. If you would like to donate, they could still use more deodorant, bar soap, large cans of soup, crackers, peanut butter, jelly, bread, spaghetti, sauce. Meals should feed a family of 5. You can also feel free to be more creative! Thank you!

Family News and Notes

Good Morning! We are so happy that you chose 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!

Thank You

We received a Thank You card from Bill and Delores McLaurine for the Holiday Basket. The card will be posted in the foyer. Thanks to everyone who helped with the basket preparation and distribution last Saturday.

Vandalism

It has come to our attention that there's been some **vandalism** in our building. That may sound a bit harsh, but there is no way to "pretty" it up. The things being damaged are pictures of our young people, pictures of our family, on the bulletin board in the hallway. Acting this way hurts those that work so hard to invest their time and faith in the lives of our youth. The elders write this because we love you and so that you do not sin (1 John 2:1a). If you have been a part of doing this damage, please do the following:

1. **STOP.**
2. Spend a few moments alone talking to God (**Prayer**), and tell Him why you did this, why you are sorry, and with His help, how you will try to do better.
3. **Go tell** the people you hurt that you are sorry and ask them to forgive you. They probably will!

Parents please talk to your kids, have a heart-to-heart with them regarding this. Let's all make the most of a teachable moment! Prov. 22:6 - from the elders

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UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	TIME	EVENT DETAILS	CONTACT
Sunday December 18	4:30 pm	Tabitha Class	Janie Glass
Sunday December 18	4:30 pm	Sermon Design and Delivery Class	Tim Dooley
Saturday February 4		Guess Who's Coming to Dinner	Buddy Baker

A Letter from the Elders

From the elders...

ATTENDANCE

LAST SUNDAY 124

RECORD 138

CONTRIBUTION

LAST WEEK 3744

WEEK BUDGET 2750

2011 AVERAGE 2897

Anniversaries

11/30

Birthdays

12/12 Andy Bailey

12/12 BrittLeigh Lawson

12/21 Leah Baker

12/24 Trenton McMillan

12/25 Carol Link

12/26 Cailin Cruickshank

12/29 Bill McLaurine

12/29 Brinkley Thompson

12/29 Betty Kelly

12/30 Dan Link

We never intend to leave anyone out. If you notice an omission/error, please let Jennifer know so we can update our calendar! Thanks.

Shut-Ins

Wibbie Denham

Mickey Ledger

Sheryl Pyles

Chris Reitz

YOUTH GROUP CORNER

OLDER GROUP

Party at McMillans on
12/17

Girls bring desserts or
chips/ boys bring drinks

TWIX GROUP

Meeting December 17

Thank you to everyone that was in attendance Monday night for our congregational meeting. Your example and support to this congregation is nothing short of amazing. The elders know from visiting other congregations when we travel, from going to lectureships, and from conversations we have within our brotherhood, that there is something very special about Point Pleasant. There are few congregations that can say that their bible classes are full or that the number in attendance for Sunday morning worship often mirrors or exceeds the attendance on Sunday night and Wednesday night! We are NOT perfect, but we are blessed, we're growing together, and the challenges we face are ones that many congregations could only hope for. **YOU** are to be commended, and above all, **GOD is to be glorified!**

Why so much talk on giving? Because we need a building, right? Not completely. Our rapid growth has produced our need for a much larger building. As we count the cost (Luke 14:28), our lack of biblical giving has only been magnified! Tim did a great job in presenting the truth on the act of biblical giving, how that act of worship is as important as any other and the fact that giving **is a salvation issue**. True biblical giving is at minimum 10% of our **gross** income. That is **gross income** (which is income before taxes and other deductions), not **net income**. Brother Westley Hazel followed Tim with more scriptural insight that complimented and supported what Tim had already taught about what and how God says we are to give. The elders have grown in our knowledge regarding biblical giving. As we now put this knowledge into practice, we ask that you follow our example and do likewise.

“The Christian should be able to find a level of giving somewhere between 10% & 100%” – Bro. V.P. Black.

If you missed those lessons or need to hear them again for a second, third, or fourth time, we implore to you to go back and listen with an open bible, an open heart, and an open mind to what God expects of His people and His money.

What's next? We need every single adult and every family, to sit down and commit to the exercise the elders have requested of you (Heb.13:17). Before **January 1, 2012**, the elders need your **Planned Giving Form**. You do not need to sign it or attach your name, but we must have three important pieces of information:

1. What is your current percentage of giving?
2. What is your planned percentage of giving beginning January 1, 2012?
3. What is your planned percentage goal for giving beginning January 1, 2013?

If you have any questions, comments, suggestions, feedback, or advice, PLEASE come directly to the elders. We want to hear from you. Again, please discuss this at home, PRAY about it, and let's all work together to be the **“city on a hill!”** (Matt. 5:14-16).

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Weekly Bible Study Plan

Missionary Work & Benevolence

Sunday	I Timothy
Monday	Titus
Tuesday	I Peter
Wednesday	Hebrews 1-6
Thursday	Hebrews 7-10
Friday	Hebrews 11-13
Saturday	2 Timothy

MISSIONARY

Velaphi Mlangeni is our current missionary. Velaphi & his wife Stella serve as missionaries to Zimbabwe. Please see the bulletin board for his monthly updates. Please pray for him and send notes of encouragement to velaphimlangeni@yahoo.com

POTTER CHILDREN'S HOME

We have a few Potter cans left over. If anyone would like to get a head start on collecting for next year's campaign, please see Buddy and he'll get you a can.

READ THROUGH THE BIBLE IN 2011!

OUR PRAYER LIST

<u>ADDITIONS</u>	<u>RECENT REQUESTS</u>	<u>CANCER PATIENTS</u>	<u>HEART PATIENTS</u>	<u>OTHER LONG TERM ILLNESSES/NEEDS</u>
Grandville Combs—(past elder at Withamsville) heart surgery	Steve Asche - (V Bailey brother in law) retinopathy	Caesar Carnevale—Bond's friend (Appendiceal Cancer)	John Begley (Jesse's brother) - heart problems	Stacey Carter—pregnancy
Mickey Ledger—Mickey is in the hospital and not doing well. Hospice has been called to attend to her needs.	Chris & Sarah Ashworth—(friends of Lawsons) unborn baby's birth defects	Dennis Clarkston (Lois's son)	David Bailey—heart arrhythmia	Frank Criss—Health
Cindy Ochs—MRSA in face, possibly in GI Tract, tests this week	Ruth Banks (Lois Clarkston sister) long term rehab	Carol Dooley (Tim's Aunt) -	Shannon King's grandmother—heart problems	Wibbie Denham—hospice care
Ypsilanti Church and family of Gary Vaught—Gary's Passing	Norma Carter—(Jason's mother) Meniers' Disease	Lori Ellis—(Mark Cruickshank's aunt)	David Pugh—(Jennifer Leas' father) heart problems	Gene Harlow—(Jason Carter uncle) hospice care (Alzheimer's)
	Wendi Harris—Leg weakness	Virginia Glover—(John's sister in law) stage 4	Dan Powell—(Hazel's son) heart surgery	Bill McLaurine's son—Alzheimer's
	Mary Janes—(Betty Kelly's sister) - surgery	Tina Hampton (Cindy Ochs daughter)	Rick Thompson-(Donna Stewart brother) - heart attack	Mickey Ledger
	Ted Johnson—not well	Anna Martin (10-yr old with leukemia)	<u>JOB SITUATIONS</u>	Chris Reitz—Lewey Body dementia
	Mark Phillips-broken arm	Kathy Metz	Al Rohner	Meghan Sebastian—Crohn's
	Debbie Reitz—Sciatica	Brodie Quinn—5-yr old from Florence Church)	Judy Tenoever	Wayne Sebastian-(Steve's dad) - Alzheimer's, stroke
	Janet Street—(A Bailey's friend) - antibiotic resistant pneumonia	Sharlene (Begley)	Carl Thompson	Dennis Tolliver's mother—congestive heart failure/irregular heartbeat
		Cheryl Spear (Jamie McAlpin's sister)	<u>MILITARY</u>	Stephen Tolliver—Medical problems
		May (Tuttle) (Bill's aunt)	Drew McAlpin	Cindy Ochs—MERSA
		Willis Turner (Elder @ Withamsville)	Jennifer & Allen Womacks - Allen in military service	

Family News and Notes, continued

GIVING FORMS

Please put your giving forms in the elder's boxes in the hallway by the end of the year. Please see the bulletin article on page 2 for details.

GUESS WHO'S COMING TO DINNER?

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web! Find us at
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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 - December 18, 2011

SUNDAY AM WORSHIP

Announcements	Gerry Leas
Song Leader	Trenton McMillan
Opening Prayer	Larry Beckley
Presiding @ Lord's Table	Scott Bond
Assist:	John Glass
Assist	David Dooley
Assist	Stephen Bond
Scripture Reading	Troy Gorman
Message	Tim Dooley
Closing Prayer	Alex Carter
Usher/Greeter	Deric Hutson

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

SUNDAY PM WORSHIP

Announcements	Gerry Leas
Song Leader	Trenton McMillan
Opening Prayer	Al Rohner
Preside at Lord's Table	Scott Bond
Message	Dave Harris
Closing Prayer	Daryl Denham

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Announcements	Gerry Leas
Song Leader	Stephen Bond
Opening Prayer	Letcher Vanderpool
Invitation	Andy Bailey
Closing Prayer	Bill Tuttle

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SERVE, PLEASE CALL DERIC HUTSON AT 513-238-3994.



Point Pleasant
Church of Christ
Meeting Times

Sunday Morning

Bible Study	9:30 am
Worship	10:30 am

Sunday Evening

Worship	6:00 pm
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Wednesday Evening

Bible Study	7:00 PM
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GOT ANNOUNCEMENTS?

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