

# NEWSLETTER

## *Don't Settle For Comfort, Safety & No Risk*

What's the biggest risk you've ever taken? Maybe your last big risk was a decade ago.

Maybe you've never taken a big risk in Jesus' name.

I want you to think about what being bold and taking bold steps may look like.

**Be bold!** That statement looks attractive on paper and feels good to say out loud. It reminds us of every movie where the underdog gets the courage to become the hero.

Like many parts of life, bold moves are easier to talk about and dream about than to do. *Because unlike the character on the big screen, our bold moves have real-life consequences.*

Most of our fears come from not knowing what will happen. We might have to go through a dark valley to get to quiet waters and green pastures (Psalm 23:1-4).

So instead, we play it safe. We do what is expected. We take the path of least resistance because the idea of making bold moves overwhelms us.

The problem is that the life of faith is not always comfortable. Jesus saves us and invites us into a new way of living and seeing the world (Matthew 4:19). He didn't die so we would stay the same. **When we commit to following Jesus, we're inviting Him to teach us how to change.**

Following Jesus can lead us to hard things. David, the writer of Psalm 23, reminds us that even though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death, we don't have to fear. **God is with us. He is guiding us and working through us. He will give us all we need.**

Part of what makes a move bold is that it takes faith. We take a step not knowing what will happen but knowing we can trust God to meet us there. **We make bold moves because we have the mover of mountains by our side.**

Seeking to be obedient rather than always playing it safe,

*Pastor Chris*



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a move bold is that  
it takes faith.*



# Shepherds Staff

Greetings Mt. Pleasant Church from your elder team. October is upon us and that typically ushers in cooler weather and the beginning of the fall season. Traditionally, in our culture, this time of year has always been viewed as the harvest season. Farmers spend their spring and summer months planting crops looking forward to the fall months for a bountiful harvest. As a body of believers, we should view every encounter with our fellow man as an opportunity for a different kind of harvest. In Matthew 9:37, Jesus said this; "He said to his disciples, "The harvest is great, but the workers are few." At Mt. Pleasant, we are blessed with a pretty good field of workers but there is an abundance of lost souls in our community so there is always work to be done. We are called to be the hands and feet of Jesus and we should celebrate this opportunity with joy and excitement.

To highlight some of those opportunities, Family Night begins this month. What better way to fellowship with those in the community than with a delicious, home cooked meal and a Bible study. That's 8 chances to invite a neighbor or friend to join us on Wednesday evenings to draw closer to God through His word.

Another opportunity to serve is our annual "Each One Feed One" food packing event. Volunteers from MTP will join together to pack meals for children overseas that are far less fortunate than what we're accustomed to in the United States. The details can be found on our events page on the website. This is another great opportunity to boldly share the unfailing love of Jesus.

To cap off the month, our "Trunk or Treat" event has become one of largest outreach opportunities of the year. From serving hundreds of hotdogs, to handing out hundreds of Bibles, to passing out hundreds of pounds of candy, it is such a fun evening for our church family to fellowship together and to share the love of Jesus with the children of the community.

*"God has given each of you a gift from His great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another." 1 Peter 4:10 NLT*

Please reach out to us in person, via email or phone.

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Dear Mt. Pleasant Members:

As we look forward to 2025 at Mt. Pleasant Church, it is important we begin to plan and secure nominees for our leadership openings.

MTP Leadership Opportunities:

- Three (3) Elders
- Three (3) At-Large Administrative Council Members

Please take time to review the request below. Should you have any specific questions regarding the church structure, you may visit the church website and see the full [BYLAWS](#). *The bylaws document is located in the Resources tab within the footer of the church website.*

**Request:**

Mt. Pleasant is looking for three (3) Elder replacements to fulfill a 3-year term and three (3) At-Large Administrative Council members to fulfill a 3-year term.

These Elders and Admin Council leaders will begin their roles starting January 1, 2025. Nominees must be a member in good standing of Mt Pleasant Church for at least 3 years.

Elders as noted in article VIII serve as the spiritual leaders of the Church. An Elder nominee must be a mature believer who is able to teach and rightly handle the word of God. The Council of Elders shall serve on a rotating basis serving no more than 3 consecutive years.

**Action:**

If you would like to nominate a church member whom you believe would be a qualified candidate to serve in either the role of Elder or At-Large Admin Council starting January 1, 2025, please submit the names of those individuals via the [ONLINE BALLOT](#), or you may contact the church Administrative Assistant, Felecia Motsinger, 336-475-6757. Nominees can also be submitted in person to the church office or via the nominations box in the FLC Lobby. All nominations for the role of Elder and Admin Council must be submitted by no later than Sunday, October 13.

Following this date, the current Elders and Deacons will review the list of candidates and confirm qualifications to proceed forward with communication specific to a church vote to be held on Sunday November 24.

Please reach out to Pastor Chris or any of the Elders with questions.

**Current Mt. Pleasant Elders & Term Dates:**

2022 – 2024: Kevin Logan, Jay Payne, Jon Sloan  
2023 – 2025: Kelley Cameron, Mark Long, Greg York  
2024 – 2026: Tim Hege, Tommy McDevitt, Alex Sprinkle

**Current Administrative Council At-Large Members:**

Megan Williams  
Cindy Buckner  
Gail Aderhold  
Jenny Hagee  
Stephanie Godwin  
Dow Craver  
Laura Cameron  
Lee Koontz  
Julie Logan



Happy October, team! This is not a trick, you should treat yourself to something spooky, sweet, or pumpkin flavored this week. You deserve it! Thanks again for serving with us this year.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### **YOUTH GROUP | SUNDAYS 6, 13, 20 5 – 7:30P**

'YOUTH GROUP' is our Sunday evening programming. Our students come together for a night filled with team-building games, a delicious meal, high-energy music, a powerful message, and a small group discussion they won't want to miss! These nights are designed for everyone to invite someone!

### **YOUTH BREAKFAST | WEDNESDAYS 7:00A**

Wednesday mornings, when Davidson County Schools have classes. Students 5th-12th grade enjoy breakfast & devotion.

### **FAMILY NIGHT | WEDNESDAYS 5:30 – 7:30P**

Family Night is a time to enjoy a meal and fellowship as a family before breaking off into bible study classes for every age.

### **TRUNK OR TREAT | OCT 31 5:30 - 8:00P**

FREE for the entire community! Spread the word and invite a friend to enjoy music, tons of candy, free nachos, and a free hotdog dinner.

A promotional poster for the YTH Mountain Retreat. The background is a blue-toned landscape with mountains and trees. At the top, the text "YTH MOUNTAIN" is in white, and "RETREAT" is in large, bold, white letters. Below this, it says "NOVEMBER 15TH - 17TH". In the center, there is a large QR code. To the right of the QR code, there is a white arrow pointing left with the text "Register Now!" written in a cursive font along its curve.

**YTH MOUNTAIN  
RETREAT**

NOVEMBER 15TH - 17TH

Register Now!

# WHAT WE'RE TEACHING

## **MOST LIKELY TO . . . : A 4-WEEK SERIES THE NEW AND OLD TESTAMENT ON LEADERSHIP**

### **SERIES OVERVIEW:**

When you hear the word "leader," you might think about an influential artist or celebrity, or a famous politician, or a coach on a soccer field, or that kid who just got elected class president. And, sure, those people are definitely leaders! But these aren't the only ways to lead. Great leaders don't have to have official positions, titles, or people who report to them. With God, being a great leader is something anyone can achieve because leadership is simply about becoming the kind of person who's worth following. But how? In this four-week series, we'll look at the example of Jesus, plus ordinary people like Moses, Solomon, and the apostle Paul, who were all given opportunities to lead and make a difference in others' lives. Through their examples (both good and bad), we'll see how great leaders are the people most likely to follow through, choose to love, choose integrity, and follow God's lead.



## **ENGAGE IN EVERYDAY MOMENTS TOGETHER**



### **Morning Time**

As your teen starts their day, let them know something about them that makes them a good friend.



### **Bed Time**

Pray that you and your teen will bring light and life to the people who are a part of your everyday lives.



### **Meal Time**

At a meal this week, have everyone answer this question: "What is a way you reflect the character and love of Jesus in your actions and words?"



### **Their Time**

Encourage positive friendships in your teen's life by either hosting their friends, inviting them along for outings (Youth Group be a great place), transporting them to places, etc.

### **YOUTH MEAL SERVERS**

OCTOBER: Joanne Baughn, Amy Johnson, Sara Fowler

NOVEMBER: Jescena Sink, Ashley Coons, Ashli Huntsman, Kelly Kiger



**Sharing God's love,  
one child at a time!!!**

## What's Happening

- 10/2-Family Night
- 10/9-Family Night
- 10/13-Play practice  
speaking parts only
- 10/16-Family Night
- 10/20-Play Practice
- 10/23-Family Night
- 10/30-Family Night
- 10/31-Trunk or Treat

**TRUNK  
OR  
TREAT**

Join Us for Hotdogs, Nachos,  
Music & Candy

Date : 31 October, 2024

Time : 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Where : 4516 Old Greensboro Rd.

VOLUNTEER [MTPleasant.Church/Events/](#)

Register @ <https://www.mtleasant.church/kids/>



## News and Notes



On September 17th, The Point held our teacher's meeting for spring 2025 interest and beyond. As we look forward to celebrating a year of The Point, we are beyond blessed by God's continuous meeting of our needs and goals, and are absolutely *over the moon* with the potential class offerings coming up! The preliminary schedule will be available later this month!



## College and Career Day



Area homeschooling families are invited to meet with area college/university representatives as well as trade and profession representatives at our first **College and Career Day on Thursday, October 3rd from 1-3 pm**. Updated listings of attending organizations will be posted on our public Facebook page.

Registration is kindly requested for families interested in exploring these post-high school and life options via our website or the QR code.



## New Family Information Session



Are you interested in homeschooling or are a homeschooling family? Need a co-op to help round out your academic, experiential, and social aspects of homeschooling?

Join us on Thursday, October 17th to find out more about The Point! We will have an overview of the co-op, the preliminary spring 2025 schedule, and other information available. Jennifer Kearns from Gullion's Homeschool Store will also be available to help with curriculum guidance and encouragement.



Please use the QR code to register or visit our website at [mtpleasant.church/homeschool](https://mtpleasant.church/homeschool).



## Upcoming Events

*Tuesday, September 24th and  
Thursday, September 26th*

International Homeschool Spirit Week Days  
Tuesday - Decade Day  
Thursday - "What I Want to Be" Day

*Thursday, October 3rd, 1-3 pm*

College and Career Day

*Thursday, October 17th @  
6:30 pm*

New Family Information Session

*Thursday, October 31st and  
Tuesday, November 5th*

Holidays for Halloween (MTP Trunk or  
Treat) and Election Day

*Monday, November 18th*

Current and MTP Family Registration for  
Spring 2025 Session opens

*Monday, November 25th*

New Family Registration for Spring 2025  
Session opens

*Tuesday, November 26th*

Last Day of Classes  
End of Session Party (TBA)

*Wednesday, December 4th-  
Friday, December 6th*

Crankin' Engines Camp (ages 8-13ish)  
Registration required via QR code;  
\$160 due by 11/13



*Monday, December 9th*

Spring 2025 Registration closes





# CRANKIN' ENGINES CAMP

**FUN, HANDS-ON LEARNING  
ABOUT SMALL ENGINES  
FOR BOYS & GIRLS  
8-13 YEARS OLD!**

Dates:  
**DEC 4-6**

Daily Time:  
**9AM-1PM**

Camp Fee  
**\$160**

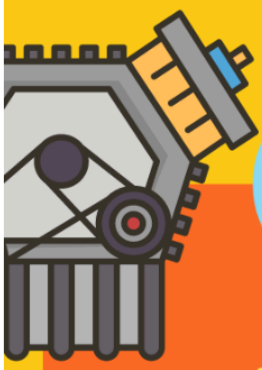
## Information:

- ✓ **Location:** 6516 Old Greensboro Rd, Thomasville, NC
- ✓ **Register:** [www.mechanichics.com](http://www.mechanichics.com)
- ✓ **Deadline:** Nov 13th by 9PM
- ✓ **Camp minimum:** 8 students
- ✓ **Camp maximum:** 12 students
- ✓ **Parent participation is encouraged!**

REGISTER



**More Information:** 336-701-2502 • [www.mechanichics.com](http://www.mechanichics.com)



# Family Night

## MEAL & BIBLE STUDY



RSVP Online | [MtPleasant.Church/Family-Night](https://MtPleasant.Church/Family-Night)

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS | OCTOBER 2 - NOVEMBER 20 | 5:30 - 7:30PM

*Dinner and Bible Study for the whole family!*

**NURSERY - ADULT CLASSES**  
Meal is \$8 Per Person / \$20 Per Family  
Kids 6 and under eat free.

### ADULT BIBLE STUDIES

- **1st & 2nd Peter - led by Pastor Chris and the MTP Elders**

Join pastor Chris and the MTP Elders as they walk through the books of 1st and 2nd Peter. They have published their own study for this Fall's large group Bible Study.

Together we will be reminded by Peter that for the Christian, painful trials are not the end. God will be victorious over His enemies and give us hope during difficult times. We are called to keep rejoicing, entrust our lives to Christ and cast our worries onto Him.

- **Overcoming Depression and Anxiety - led by Glenda Bodenheimer & Pastor Tim Starbuck**

Anyone can struggle with depression and anxiety. But God does not give us a spirit of fear or despair. Some of the questions that we will answer in this class are: What is depression? What is anxiety? What are their causes and characteristics? What are some biblical and practical applications to help manage and overcome depression/anxiety? We are not alone in our struggles. *"Do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God, I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."* Isaiah 41:10

- **American Sign Language - led by Stephanie Godwin**

Level 1 Class - learn the basics of American Sign Language. Come learn about sign language, how to spell words, communicate simple phrases and sentences in sign language. Children welcome, under Age 12 will need a parent with them.

- **BodyBuilding - led by Terrie Blevins**

In 1 Corinthians 12:27 Paul writes *"All of you together are Christ's body, and each of you is a part of it."* In Ephesians 4:12 he says we are *"to prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up."*

At Mt Pleasant Church we want to draw people into God's family and find where they can best worship, grow, and serve. To help you do this, we are offering a three-part Body Building series - no workout clothes or weights needed!

- **Genesis - led by Eric Hilton**

The Creation account. Ever since Darwin published his Origin of the Species there has been a competing theology on the creation of the world. How has this impacted Christians and what is the proper way to deal with the so-called scientific refutation of what we believe? The Genesis study will examine Genesis 1-11 historically, scientifically and most important theologically. The material will critique the scientific creation story and show why the Biblical account is more sound, logical and believable despite the criticisms otherwise. Bring your questions and we will find the answers!



## JOIN US



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## MTP Women's Group

The September meeting was Monday, September 23 at 6:30 pm in the Banquet Room. We made two Blessing Bags and brought snacks for the Hospice House. Jon Musser did a program for us about the World Relief organization. They do a lot of good work and can use volunteers, and monetary donations as well.

We provided the meal for CCM on September 12.

The October meeting will be October 28 at 6:30 pm. At that meeting we will provide items for two Blessing Bags and our Mission Project will be bags of candy for Trunk or Treat.

The Annual Pecan Sale - Orders will be taken during the month of October. There will be an order sheet in the lobby where you can place orders. If you have questions contact Stephanie Payne. The cost of a 16 oz. bag of pecans will be \$11.00 and the turtles and clusters will be \$7.00. The pecans usually arrive at the church around Thanksgiving.

The annual Country Breakfast will be Saturday, October 5. If you can provide items to sell in the "country store" – held in the banquet room - we would appreciate it. Some items are baked goods – bread, pies, cakes, cookies, etc., crafts or other things that would be good to sell in a "Country Store". We need people to work at the breakfast - in the kitchen, the Country Store and more. If you will be able to work or if you have questions, contact Jane Mendenhall.

The MTP Women will provide the meal for Family Night on November 6.

Please continue to pray for our country and our world. Praying for God's intervention in the evil in our world, for the biggest revival we have ever seen, discernment for us to know His will for our lives, and His guidance in doing His will.

Enjoy being out in the beautiful world God created this fall, as the temperatures cool and the trees turn to glorious fall colors. You are always invited to come join us for a meeting. For more information contact Tammy Dyles, or the church office and Felecia will get information to Tammy.

# COUNTRY BREAKFAST, BAZAAR & COUNTRY STORE



Menu – Bacon, Sausage, Country Ham, Gravy, Eggs, Biscuits, Baked Apples, Grits

for more information  
[www.mtleasant.church](http://www.mtleasant.church)  
Vendor Information & Registration Sign Up online





## MTP Men's Group

MTP Men will meet for breakfast and fellowship on Sunday, October 13 at 7am. All men of the church are invited to join us.

## Benevolence Committee

During the months of August and September, the Benevolence Committee has been able to assist six different families within the community and our MTP family.

All Benevolence donations throughout the month of October will go to the Baugn family to show MTP's continued love and support while Bill recovers from his recent surgery.

## MTP Singles Ministry

CAST - MTP Singles - will get together on Sunday, October 20 at 6pm for a chance to catch up, eat some snacks, enjoy a devotion and discuss upcoming gatherings.

## Evangelism Committee



## *Give a Kid a Bible*

We will continue making sure each child who comes to MTP during Trunk or Treat receives a Bible or Devotional!

What an amazing way to help

Turn our Community

**UPSIDE DOWN for JESUS CHRIST!**

*You can help!*



**DONATE ONLINE**



# Mission Committee

Join us October 27 for a **Morning of Missions!** Mallorie Ramos and Ryan and Lena Mabe will be speaking at all three services to share their ministry in Nicaragua. They will have booths set up in the banquet room between services to display more information about their ministries and for you to be able to ask them questions and get to know them. We are so excited to welcome them to MTP! Please be in prayer for all of our missionaries, Luke and Rachel Duggins, Neil Broere and family and Abraham Thomas.

**Volunteers  
needed**

**Each One Feed One** food packing event that will be on Sunday, October 6. This is a great opportunity to volunteer as a family and help those in need. Packing Event will be held at River Landing in Colfax at 1pm on 10.6. We will have pizza in the Banquet Room at 11:30, then the church bus will transport anyone interested in helping with food packing and will leave church at 12, or you can meet us there!

These food boxes will feed 15,000 people and be distributed throughout 7 organizations in our area. Just 30 cents will purchase a pack of Mac n Cheese, that will serve a family of 6. If you would like to help, please donate your money to the Mission box in the church lobby or see a member of the Mission Committee. You may also donate directly to the Mission Committee - you can write your check to MTP, just memo "Each 1 Feed 1"



Fall has officially arrived. Thanksgiving is just 8 weeks away. Christmas will be here in 12 weeks! And National Collection Week for Operation Christmas Child is 13-20 November.

So, grab a preprinted box (or two or three or ten) from the lobby. Or use those leftover boxes from your shoe purchases. Or purchase plastic shoe boxes at Walmart or the preprinted plastic boxes at Hobby Lobby. And return it (them) to the church by Sunday 12 November.

What should I put in my box? A WOW item such as a stuffed animal, school supplies, personal care items, craft activities, toys, and clothing and accessories. You may also include a personal note and photo. You can find more ideas and suggestions on the ministry table in the lobby. And most importantly – pray over your box and the child God has already chosen to receive it.

Please do not include Candy; toothpaste; gum; used or damaged items; scary or war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures; chocolate or food; seeds; fruit rolls or other fruit snacks; drink mixes (powdered or liquid); liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans.

A simple gift – that simply changes lives.



# Come and See GO AND TELL

## PRACTICE SCHEDULE:

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

## TIME:

7:30 - 8:30 PM

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NO PRACTICE

6:45 - 8:00 PM

9:00 - 11:00 AM

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## **CANTATA | SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8 | 8:30 & 10 AM**

**EVERYONE IS INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MUSICAL CELEBRATION OF THE CHRISTMAS SEASON!**

**REGULAR CHOIR PRACTICE WILL BE TUESDAYS 6:45-7:30 IN ROOM 202.**

**PLEASE ATTEND AS MANY PRACTICES AS POSSIBLE. CONTACT CANDACE GRUBBS WITH QUESTIONS!**

**CHODGIN488@AOL.COM 336-813-1945**



*Christmas Cantata*

# October Birthdays

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- 1 - Paige Green
  - 2 - Sandra Everhart, Ethan Howard, Paul Mays, Helen Terry
  - 3 - Daniel Jarosz
  - 4 - Katie Graeub, Liza McChesney, Ashley Nifong, Sammie Jo Prior
  - 5 - Kay Hunt
  - 6 - Ray Shufelt
  - 7 - Terrie Blevins, Karen Bowen, Chris Craver, Kelly Peacock, Garrett Rich
  - 9 - Rhys Cameron
  - 11 - Emeline Rich, Sean Shively
  - 12 - Bruce Skeen
  - 13 - Fleming Shufelt
  - 14 - Will Miller, Delyn Shively
  - 15 - Alex Sprinkle
  - 16 - Tony Hall
  - 17 - Cameron Koontz, Clyde Motsinger
  - 19 - Kelley Cameron, Jill Hege, Julie Kennedy, Dot Russell
  - 20 - Chris Hagee
  - 21 - James Murks
  - 22 - Rick Cecil, Kristen Hammed
  - 23 - Daniel Rich, Stan Bowen
  - 25 - Pam C. Hall
  - 26 - Audrey Koontz
  - 28 - Allison Sink
  - 29 - Wanda Cranford
  - 30 - Kailey Swaim
  - 31 - Chip Nifong

# ATTENDANCE & STEWARDSHIP

## **September 1, 2024**

8:30 Worship: 162  
9:45 Worship: 365  
11:00 Worship: 30  
Total Weekend Worship: 557  
Small Groups: 279  
General Offering: \$21,604.53  
FLC Offering: \$2,375.00

## **September 8, 2024**

8:30 Worship: 197  
9:45 Worship: 351  
11:00 Contemporary: 97  
11:00 Worship: 30  
Total Weekend Worship: 675  
General Offering: \$14,901.43  
FLC Offering: \$2,055.00

## **September 15, 2024**

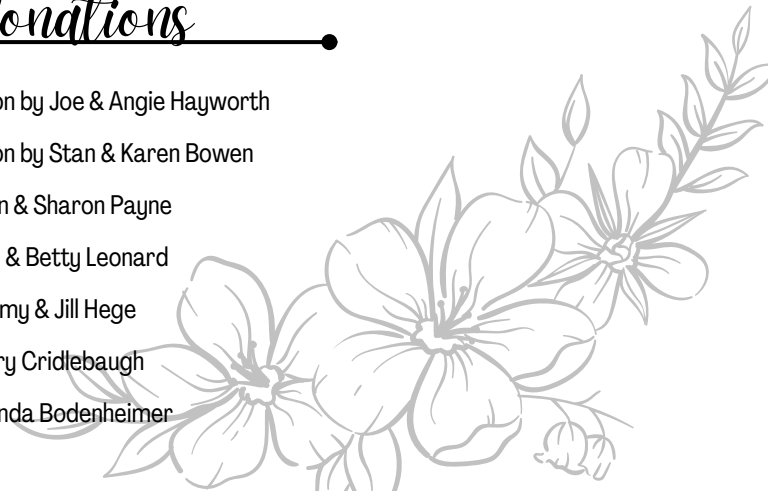
8:30 Worship: 142  
9:45 Worship: 350  
11:00 Contemporary: 65  
11:00 Worship: 20  
Total Weekend Worship: 577  
Small Groups: 318  
General Offering: \$15,479.07  
FLC Offering: \$1,811.00

## **September 22, 2024**

8:30 Worship: 165  
9:45 Worship: 301  
11:00 Contemporary: 57  
11:00 Worship: 20  
Total Weekend Worship: 543  
Small Groups: 326  
General Offering: \$10,526.00  
FLC Offering: \$575.00

# Memorials & Donations

- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary & Phyllis Hilton by Joe & Angie Hayworth
- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary & Phyllis Hilton by Stan & Karen Bowen
- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary Hilton by John & Sharon Payne
- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary Hilton by Levi & Betty Leonard
- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary Hilton by Timmy & Jill Hege
- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary Hilton by Mary Cridlebaugh
- Given to Mt. Pleasant Cemetery Fund in Memory of Gary Hilton by Glenda Bodenheimer



# SERVING THE CHURCH IN OCTOBER 2024



**Ushers:**

- October 6: Adam Buckner & Joe Hayworth
- October 13: Greg Moore & Bryan Bray
- October 20: Ronnie Russell & Gary Hilton
- October 27: Gary Craven & Tim Starbuck

**Greeters: 8:30 AM**

- October 6: Doug & Gail Aderhold
- October 13: Wendy Harper
- October 20: Stan & Karen Bowen
- October 27: Len & Terrie Blevins

**9:45 AM**

- John & Kathy Butt
- Danny & Denise Roberts
- The Shufelt Family
- Chet & Lorrie Varner

**11:00 AM**

- Joanne Baughn & Ester Skiff
- Greg Moore
- Ronnie & Dot Russell
- Doris & Patsy

**Info Center: 8:15 - 9:45 AM**

- October 6: Jay & Stephanie Payne
- October 13: Sharon Payne
- October 20: \_\_\_\_\_
- October 27: Jane Mendenhall

**9:30 - 11:00 AM**

- Adam & Sammie Jo Prior
- Keith & Paula Knolmayer
- Bo & Jescena Sink
- Dianne Reid

**10:30 AM - 12:00 PM**

- Volunteers needed
- \_\_\_\_\_
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**FLC/Sanctuary Greeter: 8:15 - 9:45 AM**

- October 6: Gayle Mabe
- October 13: Jeff & Shelby Smith
- October 20: Gail Aderhold
- October 27: Sandy Ellis

**9:30 - 11:00 AM**

- Danny & Denise Roberts
- Lee Koontz
- Andy & Tamara Plummer
- John & Kathy Butt

**10:30 AM - 12:00 PM**

- Felecia Motsinger
- Glenda Bodenheimer
- Stan & Karen Bowen
- Len & Terrie Blevins

**Coffee Bar: 8:15 - 9:45 AM**

- October 6: Deb Casselbury
- October 13: Ryan & Allison Martin
- October 20: Deb Casselbury & Doug Edgerton
- October 27: Emily Campbell

**9:30 - 11:00 AM**

- Pam D. Hall
- Casey Miller & Beth Meyer
- David & Laura Rathbone
- Ashley Craven

**10:30 AM - 12:00 PM**

- Volunteers needed
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**Parking Lot: 8:15 - 9:45 AM**

- October 6: \_\_\_\_\_
- October 13: Randy Wilhoit
- October 20: \_\_\_\_\_
- October 27: \_\_\_\_\_

**9:30 - 11:00 AM**

- Jeff & Rebecca Tussey
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**10:30 AM - 12:00 PM**

- Volunteers needed
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**Youth Greeters: 9:30 - 9:45 AM**

- October 6: Katelyn Brann & Brayden Varner
- October 13: Peyton McDevitt & Cooper Clontz
- October 20: Brady Coons & Allison Sink
- October 27: Reagan Clontz & Ellie Kiger

**10:45 - 11 AM**

- Volunteers needed
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# KIDS KLUB SERVERS - OCTOBER 2024

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## Nursery:

### 8:30 AM

October 6: Beth Craver & Janie Penry  
October 13: Jescena Sink & Katrina Darr  
October 20: Julie Motsinger & Jane Payne  
October 27: Wendy Harper & Teresa Harden

### 9:45 AM

The Garlick's & Charla Williams  
Laura, Caitlin & Carrie  
Emily, Rachel & Jamie  
Allison, Mitzi & Casey

### 11:00 AM

Tricia Anderson  
Jennifer Driggers  
Courtney Lake  
Jennifer Driggers

## 1 Year Old:

October 6: Ashley J., Kimberly H. & Maddie W.  
October 13: Amelia S., Erin T. & Kim W.  
October 20: Macie, Bryce, Jaclyn G. & Samantha P.  
October 27: Amy N., Megan W. & Abigail M.

## 2 Year Old:

Cameron & Katie Koontz  
Cenda W., Kaylee B. & Bella D.  
Micah, Jessica, Leah, Reagan & Allison  
Beth C., Janie P. & Holly E.

## 3 Year Old:

Melissa Swaney & Alura T.  
Mae H., Taylor H. & Valerie N.  
Tiffany W. & Tammy V.  
Michael & Amber Bridges

## 4 Year Old:

October 6: Brittany James & Caroline James  
October 13: Donna W., Morgan M. & Allison H.  
October 20: Janet & Spence Wood & Zhoe D.  
October 27: Chad & Courtney Fritts

## Kindergarten:

Phil & Kathy Sloan & Melony Tice  
Jill Murphy & Lucas & Mary Kate Brewer  
Misty Carr & Victoria McCrary  
Keith & Paula Knolmayer

## 1st Grade:

Tiffany Brister  
Leandra Glance  
Tess Robertson & Alex Phillips  
Josh & Heather Beasley

## 2nd Grade:

October 6: Eileen Sloan & Gabrielle Trull  
October 13: Courtney Breeden  
October 20: Jane Mendenhall  
October 27: Christina Turner & Tina Motsinger

## 3rd Grade:

Sidnee Bruner  
Bob & Jeanette Beck  
Misty Petree  
Amy Phaup & Carrie Sharpe

## 4th Grade:

Jenny Hagee  
Amy McDevitt  
Jenny Hagee  
Amy McDevitt

## Childrens Church:

### 8:30 AM

October 6: Diana Payne & Adriana & Bobby Cassell  
October 13: Eric & Emily Campbell  
October 20: Wes & Megan Payne  
October 27: Lisa Lane

### 11:00 AM

Leandra Glance, Jeff & Shelby Smith  
Cindy Buckner & The Rathbone's  
Julie Butt  
Mike & Kristin Hague



# OCTOBER EVENTS



|             |                                      |                 |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Tuesday's   | The Point - Homeschool Co-op Classes | 8:30 - 11:45 AM |
| Tuesday's   | Prayer Group Meeting                 | 10 AM           |
| Tuesday's   | Choir Practice                       | 6:45 PM         |
| Tuesday's   | Cantata Practice                     | 7:30 PM         |
| Wednesday's | Youth Breakfast & Devotion           | 7 AM            |
| Wednesday's | Family Night Meal & Bible Study      | 5:30 - 7:30 PM  |
| Thursday's  | The Point - Homeschool Co-op Classes | 8:30 - 11:45 AM |
| Thursday's  | Pickleball                           | 6 - 8 PM        |

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| Wednesday, October 2 | 1st Night of Fall Family Night Meal & Bible Study | 5:30 - 7:30 PM       |
| Thursday, October 3  | Connection Group - Lunch at The Classic in Denton | 10:30 AM             |
| Thursday, October 3  | Homeschool College & Career Fair                  | 1 - 3 PM             |
| Friday, October 4    | Men's Bible Study                                 | 5:30 AM              |
| Saturday, October 5  | Country Breakfast, Store & Bazaar                 | 7 - 10 AM            |
| Sunday, October 6    | Each One Feed One food packing event              | 1 PM - lunch at 11AM |
| Sunday, October 13   | MTP Men's Breakfast Meeting                       | 7 AM                 |
| Sunday, October 13   | Blessing of Prayer Shawls                         | 8:30   9:45   11 AM  |
| Thursday, October 17 | Homeschool Information Session                    | 6:30 PM              |
| Friday, October 18   | Men's Bible Study                                 | 5:30 AM              |
| Friday, October 18   | Feeding LHS Football Team                         | 3 PM                 |
| Sunday, October 20   | Singles Ministry                                  | 6 PM                 |
| Sunday, October 20   | Kids Christmas Play Practice                      | 3 - 4 PM             |
| Thursday, October 24 | Coffee with Starbuck                              | 10 AM                |
| Sunday, October 27   | Missions Sunday                                   | 8:30   9:45   11 AM  |
| Sunday, October 27   | Red Cross Blood Drive                             | 1 - 5:30 PM          |
| Monday, October 28   | MTP Women's Meeting                               | 6:30 PM              |
| Tuesday, October 29  | Pickleball  | 6 - 8 PM             |
| Thursday, October 31 | TRUNK or TREAT                                    | 5:30 - 8 PM          |

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### OUR MISSION

*To Boldly Share The  
Unfailing Love of Jesus*

### OUR VISION

*To Turn Our Community  
Upside Down for Jesus Christ*

### OUR VALUES

*Authority of Scripture  
Authentic Relationships  
Obedient Surrender  
Expectant Hearts*

### NEXT STEPS

*Worship - Grow - Serve - Connect*

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES: 8:30AM | 9:45AM | 11:00AM