

# THE WAYPOINT



*“a reference point along a course to reach a destination”*

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Sunday 10:30 a.m.

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Sunday 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday 7:00 p.m..

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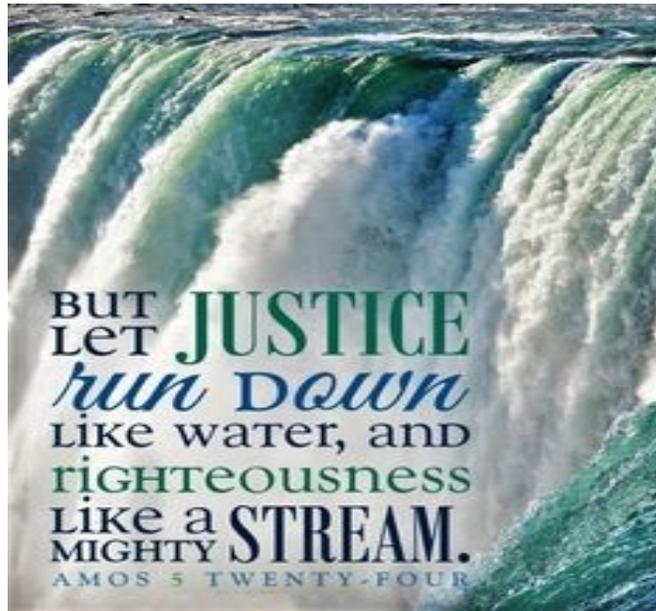
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## What's Happening—

**GRIEFSHARE**—This program begins this evening from 5-7 p.m. in Room 11. It is for anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one. It will run for 14 weeks, 13 weeks of the regular program and a final week of “How to Handle Holidays.” Please sign up if you plan to attend. See Bob Sutton for more information.



**TIME TO RENEW  
IN 2022!**



**SUMMER SERIES ON  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT—**

Thank you to Scott Blomeley for his lesson on Jonah last week. Next week Craig Embry will speak on David. Come out and participate in our mid-week Bible study as it is a great way to grow spiritually, and encourage your brothers and sisters.

## Opportunities on YouTube—

**SUNDAY WORSHIP**—Our Sunday worship is live streamed and posted on YouTube.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY**—Our auditorium classes are posted on YouTube weekly. We intend to provide these for encouragement. On Sunday we will be studying from **Luke** in 2022, and Wednesday is **Great People of the Bible** as a summer series for the months of July and August. We assume you may have Biblical or spiritual questions, so please contact Craig or Terry, so we can answer them for you to keep growing.

\*\* Please “Like”, **Subscribe**, and **Share** our videos to help promote others to see them. Thank you for your dedication to our mission of saving souls & the growth of every member.

## PREACHER'S COLUMN

### "THE JUDGEMENT"

**Text:** Revelation 20:11-15

- Have you ever been influenced by others for your choices/preferences?
- Have you ever heard of a court case and disagreed with the verdict?
- What does the Bible teach about a Judgement? Referred to as —  
The Day of wrath ("judicial wrath") (Romans 2:5-6)  
That Day when He comes (2 Thessalonians 1:10)  
Last Day judged by Christ's word (John 12:48)  
Great Day of judgement (Jude 6)

Keys to consider for Judgement Day —

1. Who? "A great white T\_\_\_\_\_ and Him who sat on it"  
(Psalm 89:14, 2 Corinthians 5:10, Romans 14:10, Eccl. 12:13-14)  
  
Revelation 4 & 5      God is Creator — He is the ultimate Cause.  
John 16:7-13      God is Truth — Sin, Righteousness, Judgement
2. What? "Books were opened...Book of Life...Book of Deeds...and the Book of R\_\_\_\_\_." (John 12:48-49, 2 Corinthians 5:10)
3. Why?      A crown of life (James 1:12)  
                  A crown of glory (1 Peter 5:4)  
                  A crown of rejoicing (1 Thess. 2:19)  
                  A crown of righteousness (2 Timothy 4:8)  
                  An i\_\_\_\_\_ crown (1 Cor. 9:25)
4. How do we get our name into the Book of Life? Acts 2:47, 1 Peter 4:17  
2 V\_\_\_\_\_ : Good (Matthew 25:21-23) or Bad (Matt. 7:21-23)?

Quote — "Time is coming for all people when they will either be born again or wish they had never been born at all."

## SHEPHERD'S CORNER

As I listened to Craig's sermon last week, causing our relationship with Jesus and many different ways serving increases others to flourish. It makes us more our faith popped into my head. Think obedient and more focused on Jesus. about how serving helps us see and Servants follow Jesus by doing what He experience that for which we've been made (Eph. 2:10), and how each of us 20:28 He came to serve, not to be has been gifted by God and are incredibly served. As we care and serve others, God valuable to Him and the church (Eph. 4:7-13), and how God uses our serving and those with whom we serve to reveal our part of what Craig was saying, there's no gifts. Serving weaves the fabric of the church family even tighter through myself and place it on others. That's what encouragement, prayer and teaching, servants do. Scott Blomeley

### PRAYER LIST

#### LOCAL - TREATMENT

Linda Turner, September knee surgery.  
Roy LaBard, cardiologist appt.  
Sheryl Belair, pain.  
Sandra Ransom, eye specialist appt.  
Sandra Harrelson, torn ligament.  
Donna Johnson, tissue damage in ankle.  
Caroline Hellmer (Linda Vernon's grand-daughter) treatments.  
John Bolotin, chemo, radiation.  
Eric Ipe (Mark & Robin's son)

#### HOME -

Mary Harris, weak.  
Patrick Owens, cancer diagnosis.  
Marianne Owens  
Sue Fredenburg  
Jean Cook  
Anthony Poignard  
Donna Coleman  
Joe Jones  
Bob Hardy (new brother in Christ)  
Brenda Sawyer, pain.  
Carolyn LaBard, vision problems.  
Tim Story, defibrillator replacement surgery soon.  
Mary Merritt  
Mary Ann Gardner

#### OUT OF TOWN -

Charlene Sauceman (MO, Megan's grandmother) recovering from hip surgery.  
Fabio Rubio (Fecith's relative, Columbia) in hospital with diabetes and covid.  
Lucille Hunnicutt (TN, Ed's mother) skilled nursing.  
Barry Foster (MI, Crystal's brother) home.  
Joe Arnold (TN, Vanessa's father) lung biopsy.  
Mary Walker (Linda V.'s mother) lung disease.  
Cheryl Snapp (OH, Rick's mother)  
Sharon Weaver, migraine procedure 8/9.  
Carl McCormick (Jordan F.'s grandfather) chemo treatments.  
Tim Tramel, safety working overseas.  
Josh Walters (John's son) hospice.

## FAMILY LIFE COLUMN

Have you ever “crammed” for a test? I do not miss doing that. The terrible art of procrastination usually brought on the unnecessary task of “cramming.” In high school or college many of us waited until the last possible moments to try to take in all the information we could, hoping to be able to regurgitate it on an exam. I can tell you that this method rarely works and if it does work, it doesn’t work well. As kids and young adults, we certainly thought it did. Someone much smarter than me once said to me “why don’t you just take the time to actually learn the material?” That sounded like great advice. It still sounds like great advice some 27 or so years later.

When an exam is scheduled, you have no way to escape it. You can pretend to be sick or come up with other excuses, but at some point you will have to face the test. Either that or just fail it all together. Each day we are tested. Not a day passes us that we don’t have some kind of test that we must

take. We do this by making choices all day long. God requires us to put him first in everything we do. 1 Corinthians 10:13 tells us that we can overcome temptation and that those faithful to God will not be tempted beyond what we are able to bear. Having a relationship with God and the gospel provides us a way of being able to bear these tests.

At some appointed time, we will all face judgement. Trying to “cram” God’s teaching in at the last second does not provide us an escape from judgement. Everyone that knows God’s word knows the day is coming. Why not learn the material now? Why not help others learn about the Good News? I can recall times in my schooling when many of us would sit down and study together. We all wanted each other to do well. Christians should have this same mentality. We need to teach and preach to anyone who will listen so when that day comes, many will be prepared. Craig Embry

*The youth are on lesson 6 this week.*

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**TRAIL MIX**—It’s good to have Suzanne Perry back from Tennessee and Miguel Martinez back from Alaska.

**BACK TO SCHOOL**—This week all our youth will begin school again. Keep the teachers, parents, and youth in your prayers. We all know the tests of their age, and the day we live in today. May God bless them and help them discern good and evil. May we encourage them and never block their way.

**ALL FAITHS FOOD BANK**—The next opportunity to volunteer will be Tuesday, August 9, at 1 p.m. There is a limit of 10 people, so please sign up to reserve your spot.

**SYMPATHY**—Sympathy is extended to the family of Nathan Coon Jr., Miralyn Gleason’s brother-in-law, husband of Gail, who passed away on July 29.

**SCHOOL SUPPLIES**—School supply lists will be placed on the bulletin board in the short hallway. Each sheet will contain one child’s list. If you take a sheet and adopt the child, buy the supplies on the list. The supplies will need to be purchased quickly so the parent knows the need is met. Give the supplies to the parent or child when complete. A couple of people may want to adopt the same child, that’s okay, just shop together or work out what to get. Look for new lists each week as not all kids will get theirs right away, and some will get them right before school starts.

## Worship Assembly 8/7/22

Song "Send the Light" #650  
Welcome/Song Leader Caleb Betts

Song "There Is a Habitation" #860  
Song "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" #674  
Song "Be with Me, Lord" #778  
Prayer John Walters

Song "More Precious than Silver" #273  
Song "Lead Me to Calvary" #332

### **Lord's Supper & Contribution**

Preside—Mark Hughes

Song "Lord, Take Control" #790  
Song "Jesus Is Coming Soon" #712

Scripture Revelation 20:11-15 Anthony Poignard  
Sermon "Judgement Day" Terry Chapman

Invitation Song "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder" #852  
Shepherd's Prayer/Announcements Doug Tackett

Sound Room—Justin Seymour  
Projection—Mike Chivleatto  
Communion Assist—Bob Sutton  
Wednesday Night Song Leader—TBA (8/10)  
Wednesday Night Sound Room—Dan McCartney (8/10)

Youth Programs  
Lads to Leaders/Leaderettes  
Florida Bible Camp  
Vacation Bible School

Ladies' Projects  
Rockin' Bobbins Sewing Group  
Ladies' Mystery Night  
Ladies' Bible Class

Seniors  
OWLS (Older Wiser Loving Servants)

Edification  
Equip (Orlando July 2023)

Benevolence Ministries  
Mt. Dora Children's Home  
Churches of Christ Disaster Relief, Nashville

Mission Works  
Italy, Ukraine  
Nicaragua  
Upper Valley, Vermont  
India  
France  
In Search of the Lord's Way, WGN & WTOG Sun a.m.

7/31/21  
Attendance Sunday AM — 136

Budget \$9,580 Contribution \$5,767  
YTD Budget \$297,270 YTD Contribution \$369,232

## Why We Believe What We Do

Welcome to the church of Christ at South Trail! We are glad to have you with us, as we strive to present the love of Jesus to you. Our goal is to teach others about Jesus and His Word.

If anything is clear today, it is the gross religious confusion in the world. Why do people choose to seek God in so many ways? How can anyone know they are right?

These questions are very serious ones. No one should consider them trivial. A long time ago God said, "There is a way that seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death." (Proverbs 14:12) God has a prepared way. We are to find it through His Son. (Matthew 17:5) Jesus declared, "Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter into the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven." (Matthew 7:21) For this reason, we believe that the study of the Bible is to find answers to life's most important questions.

The church of Christ is not a denomination. It is neither Catholic nor Protestant, but strives to be the church Jesus founded nearly 2000 years ago. The gospel has not changed, so we urge obedience to the same conditions of salvation. When a person obeys the gospel, that person

becomes a Christian, nothing more or less. Undenominational Christianity is all that existed in the New Testament, so we teach that today. The basis is the Bible as our only creed. All doctrines, creeds, confessions and catechisms are written by uninspired men. Seeking to restore the church of the New Testament is our goal. Therefore, we speak where the Bible speaks; and we are silent where the Bible is silent.

In the New Testament the Lord has provided a complete pattern for His church: the names, doctrine, organization, worship and mission. Our desire is to please God by honoring His design for the church, to love and serve one another in our community. Caring and sharing is the Lord's way. The church is unified in its mission to reach out to the lost with the only hope of the world—Jesus! We pray that you may seek to please Him in the same way.

If you are a Christian and are looking for a local church, we would invite you to work with us to bring glory to God as we worship God in spirit and truth; practice fellowship and service toward one another; teach God's word to both the lost and saved; reach out to our community in love; and look forward to the eternal blessings in heaven.

Terry Chapman

## **ADDITIONAL PRAYER REQUESTS**

### **LOCAL:**

Patricia, Brittany, McKenzie, & Trenton Bollinger (Brenda's friend)  
Cole Lehman (Hertel's nephew) ICU, ruptured spleen.  
Bernadette Clark (Betty Herman's friend) recovering from surgery.  
Jeanie Evans (Miralyne's sister) completed treatments.  
Charlie Bass (Bob Hughes' friend)  
Jennifer Prime (Bob Hughes' friend)  
Dan Watnem (Reams' friend) colon cancer diagnosis.  
Dot Anne Erickson (Deb Magner's friend) heart issues.  
Dana and Krissy Smith (J&M Seymour's neighbors) Krissy on chemo treatments.  
Lon Schindler (member at 53rd Ave.) waiting for second liver transplant.

### **OUT OF TOWN:**

Evelyn Moses (NJ, Miralyne's cousin) recovery.  
Phyllis Chester (Clearwater, Miralyne's friend) cancer treatments.  
Laurel Gilbert (Riverview, LaBard's friend) pain.  
Staci Wyatt (AR, Embry's friend) lung cancer diagnosis.  
Mark & Barb Ruleffson (KS, D&L Thompson's friends) Barb in end stages of pancreatic cancer.  
Helen Austin (Joe A.'s sister-in-law) melanoma has spread internally.  
Chuck Jordan (KY, Miralyne's friend) mass on colon.  
Roy Conner (SC, former member) memory issues.  
Ed Troutman (AK, Bonnie L.'s brother-in-law) cancer.  
Brenda Herman (IN, Dayna's cousin) dialysis.  
Ken Shumard (GA, Bob's brother) recovering from cancer treatments.  
Sharon Adams (AR, former seasonal member) treatments.  
Karen Hipp (Orlando) treatments.  
Amy Hill & Family (TN, Couch's friend) treatments.  
Aline Wineland (TN, Mary R.'s cousin) treatments.  
Jay & Piera Young (VA)  
Lynda Bailey (VA, former member) leukemia.  
Hillard & Alma Story (MO)  
Dave Doederlein (CA)

**OUR COLLEGE STUDENTS:** Amanda Sawyer (UNH); Hannah Holder (SCF); Presley Blunkall (USF); Keira Jackson (UH); Andrew Miller; Ashley Bess (Santa Fe)

**OUR FAMILY AT HOME OR ASSISTED LIVING:** Charlotte Haznedar, Jim Lewis, Sue Fredenburg, Lois Gleason, Paul & Betty Gerber, Paul Miller, Margaret Earls.

**OUR MILITARY & FIRST RESPONDERS:** Dan Walters (Army); Hunter Mangrum (Navy); Nick Hertel (Navy & Police Dept.); Kiana Kirkland (Air Force); Mariah Sanders-Solis (Army National Guard); Malcolm McEntyre (Marines); Aaron Boyette (Coast Guard); Tim Tramel (National Guard & Fire Dept.); Scott Bickel (Air Force); Brandon Hughes (Air Force); Kyle Zinsner (Marines); Michael Jackson (Sheriff Dept.); David Dunn (Sheriff Dept.); Cody Linderman (Sheriff Dept.); Greg Irwin (Fire Dept.); Steve Rissler (Fire Dept.); Ben Carpenter (Fire Dept.); Ryan Hellmer (Fire Dept.); Amber Mangrum (Fire Dept.); Derek Kroll (Police Dept.); Terry Chollera (security) 8/7/22