

ORDER OF WORSHIP
September 14, 2025

Welcome!

34: *I Stand in Awe*
337: *All Because of God; Amazing Grace*

Opening Prayer

515: *I Am a Sheep*
226: *More than Anything*

Communion

150: The Lord Thy God

Sermon

459: Light the Fire

Announcements

414: *Father God, Just for Today*

Closing Prayer

ASSIGNMENTS:

Preaching: Larry Tittle
Song Leader: Victor Howard I
Opening Prayer: Skip Rigmaiden
Communion: Tracey Bell
Closing Prayer: Nathaniel Harris

Contact Roddgrick Washington before Sunday if you are unable to serve:

Sunday A.M. – September 14, 2025

Gospel of Matthew

Matthew 20:1-16

God Moves Unexpectedly

They all worked for the same master. They all worked until dark. The only difference is the time they clocked in was different, but the time they clocked out was the same. No matter how long each one worked, their paycheck was the same: 1 denarius.

This unexpected move angers the early workers, who feel they deserve more. We may sympathetically agree with them. They worked 12 hours, some worked 9 hours, some worked 6 hours, some worked 3 hours and some worked 1 hour.

The angry early workers are confronted with the master’s response, (Matt. 20:13-15)

13 But he replied to one of them, ‘Friend, I am doing you no wrong. Did you not agree with me for a denarius? 14 Take what belongs to you and go. I choose to give to this last worker as I give to you. 15 Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you begrudge my generosity? 16So, the last will be first and the first last.

We are not privy of how the workers responded to that. The point we are to take away from this is that God can dispense His grace and mercy as He sees fit and we are not going to be left out.

All should have rejoiced because they were rewarded for their effort.

I wonder if sometimes we think that if we have been disciples for decades and there are those who are in a new walk with Jesus that somehow we deserve just a little more than the newcomers.

Let’s don’t question how God acts, especially when He does the unexpected.

Blessings,

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WELCOME TO PARKVIEW!

We are SO glad you are with us today!

Are you our guest? We would enjoy meeting you! **Please take a moment to fill out an attendance card found next to the hymnals in front of you.** You can pass the card to the aisles or drop it in one of the collection boxes on the lobby tables, next to the communion elements.

What to expect: We seek to follow the New Testament example for our assembly. So you may notice that we sing without accompaniment; different men lead us in prayers and a sermon; we take the Lord’s Supper, or communion, each Sunday; and members give financially.

If you have questions about what we do or why we do it, please – let us know.

CONTACT US!

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BEHOLD
OUR *God*
2025

PRAYER LIST

Janet Armstrong, (Helen Smith’s daughter) at home doing well
Laura House, testing for her heart
Angela Anderson, behavioral health treatment
Gina Jones, (Daniel Phelps’ mom) Rm 702 TMC, some better
Ethel Dawson’s Nephew, sitting up and took steps
Roberta Campbell, doing well, in pain
Lawrence Muniz, recovering
Sandy Rigmaiden, pain management
Shirley Pearson, spine is deteriorating
Rhonda Moster, eye surgery TBD
David Taylor, leukemia (husband of Terri Short’s cousin)
Julie Collins (Susie Ellis’s daughter) prayers for cancer treatment
Thomas Vaughn, (Peggy’s bil) Apex Rehab

ADDITIONAL CONCERNS: Janie Baker; Jeff Baker; Alma Bentley; Barry Cox; Tommy Langford; Faye LeDane; LaVerle & Bob Mathis; Johnna Nowlin; Vicki Oliver; Norma Quaye; Sandy Rigmaiden; Naomi Shannon; Terri Short; Welton & Betty Stoker; Marcus Stroup; Alison Tesney; Melissa Tittle Trcka; Rita Veale; Shirley Woodson;

BATTLING CANCER: Mary Haley; Ron Owens, Julie Collins; Phebe Eubanks

SHUT-INS: Mary Martin (Woodlands, rm 212); Judy Low (now at home); Betty Wright (Christian Care Ctr.)

MILITARY: Cody & Laura Blomstedt; Luke Clinton; Gabriel Clinton; Kimberly Cole Wilson; Chuck Harville, Joshua Baker, Stephen Shannon

Responses: Angela Anderson: Prayers Deborah Ackley: Rededication and place membership

PARKVIEW FAMILY NEWS

HOW CAN I HELP? Clothing Room Request: Children’s clothes and men’s jeans & belts. Pantry Items Needed: Soup, pancake mix/syrup, cereal, canned meat, peanut butter, saltines

Change Cans for Fosters: Oct. 6th is the pickup date for change cans and special needs items. See posted list of items.

Ladies Bible Class: The 10 am Tues. Ladies Bible Class has resumed. Come join our study about angels.

Bulletin Workshop: If you are interested in helping with the bulletin, demonstrations will be given every Friday 11am at the CTC until October 4th. On Oct. 4th at 10am an overall workshop will be given. If you can make either or all let Camille know.

BAPTISTRY TOWELS: Jenifer Cox NURSERY: Angela AV LiveStream AM: Camille AV PPT: Katia AV LiveStream PM: Amber



UPCOMING EVENTS: Howe Ladies Day: Saturday, September 20, the Howe Church of Christ ladies will host a “Loving Bible Study,” led by Cindy Colley. Registration begins at 9am, and lunch is provided.

Woman 2 Woman: Saturday, Oct. 4, the Lewisville church of Christ will host Woman 2 Woman. Strength in the Lord is the theme with Lori Boyd speaking. Registration, 8:30; program, 9-12:30, brunch provided. Register: lewisvillecofc.org/w2w

Man Up: Saturday, Sept. 20, Marsalis Avenue Church of Christ will host the Man Up conference. Breakfast starts at 8am and the conference at 9am.

87th Homecoming Service: Grand Ave. coC invites you to their 87th homecoming on Oct. 12th. Bible class: 8:45am , Morning worship at 10am and afternoon worship at 2:30pm.

Trunk or Treat: We will be hosting a community wide trunk or treat Oct. 18th. Sign up to host a car/ give out treats or volunteer to help run an activity. See sheet in foyer.

FOR THE RECORD 9/7/25 Sunday morning Bible class: 71 Sunday morning assembly: 102 Sunday evening assembly: 54 Offering: \$4,972 Weekly budget: \$4,151 Missions goal: \$21,500 Missions contribution: \$17,035

TO SUBMIT UPDATES & PRAYER REQUESTS, please contact the church office via email: choward@pvfamily.org. OR via our Church App



YOUTH & FAMILY Summer 2025

Youth CLASS TOPICS: Sunday: The Big Picture (It all points to Jesus) Wednesday: Small Groups PV Kids TODAY: Children’s Church After communion!

2025 SUMMER/FALL EVENTS: Sunday Night in the Light: Sept. 14, 5pm, at Whitesboro TBD: Activate Plano Youth Girls Bible Study: Sept. 27th 10 am, CJ’s Coffee Parents: Don’t forget to sign the Universal permission form for 2025: Link: https://pvfamily.org/universal-permission-form

BIBLE CLASSES

Summer 2025: Sunday Morning Adult Classes: Rm 102-103 - The Life of Jesus - Welton Stoker Rm 110 - Behold Our God - Larry Tittle Rm 115/116 - Colossians/Philemon - Victor Howard I NE Corner Rm - Matthew - Marcus Stroup Wednesday Night Adult Classes: Rm 102-103—John—Sergio Lopez Rm 104—Matthew—Larry Tittle NE Corner Room—Various Topics