### TO RESERVE OUR FACILITIES

We are happy that our building is used throughout each week by many different classes and groups. All building use needs must go through the main office for scheduling. You can contact Linda at 918.627.0783 or <a href="mailto:lindar@hptulsa.com">lindar@hptulsa.com</a> to schedule your event.

#### Sermons

Sermons are available at <u>hptulsa.com/media</u>. Also, look for more HP content on Roku and Apple TV devices.

#### HIGHLAND PARK STAFF

Ali Carlton: Worship Arts Director Angie Crosser: Administrations David Dunson: Pastoral Care Minister Brian Jennings: Lead Minister

Peyton Miller: Youth Director
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Linda Rock: Member Relations Secretary

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**DO NOT FORWARD** 

#### **LOVE GOD (WORSHIP)**

DATE	IN PERSON	ON-LINE	TOTAL
July 06	129	63	192
July 13	154	60	214
July 20	125	70	195
July 27	191	33	224

#### **AS GOD PROVIDES**

YTD Need: \$ 509,000.00 YTD Received: \$ 506,970.20

## **Highland Park**

# **HERALD**

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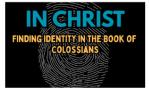






It is our hope that you enjoy this edition of the Highland Park Herald, as we attempt to communicate with our church family. If you have news or pictures of your class or small group for the September edition, please submit your information to roseanndunson@gmail.com or lindar@hptulsa.com by August 20.





August 3
Join us as we complete
our Colossians study with
"The Walking Dead"

from Colossians 2:1-23.

August 10
What are the challenges and opportunities for HP this year? Join us for VISION SUNDAY!

## COMING

August 17, 24, & 31!!





This one-day, area-wide women's event will offer worship, Bible teaching, lunch, and meaningful connection with other women who are seeking to live more rooted in the love of Christ. It is open to high school students and up.

Learn more about the event or register online, texting "Event25" to 918-228-5718. On Sunday, August 24, a registration table will be available after church for those who prefer to register using cash or check, or to provide a scholarship for others. Come join us!

#### **Elders Confirmed for 2025-2026**

At our recent congregational meeting, the following men were confirmed by the congregation to serve as Elders for the coming fiscal year.

Conor Carlton - Brian Jennings Gary Chapman - Mike Pride Dave Dunson - Jerry Wade

Their term of service will begin on September 1.



#### FOR AUGUST...

Soap - Shampoo - Kleenex Small containers of sanitizing wipes

The pantry will be open by appointment on August 9 & 23

Food pick-up is on August 16

# WELCOME TO THE FAMILY!

On Sunday, July 27, we welcomed Lucas and Caitlynn Grogg and their baby, Ivy, to the HP family. We look forward to loving and serving with them in the years ahead!

"The church has lots of time zones, but no borders"

> Brian Jennings Sunday, July 27. 2025

## **MISSION FOCUS**





OPEN DOOR LIBRARIES provides community learning centers with Christian libraries in Berlin, Germany and Prague, Czech Republic, that offer a bright, welcoming environment filled with Christian books, media and other resources for adults and children. Along with a cup of coffee and friendly, caring staff it is a place where people of all ages can read, listen, relax, socialize, and investigate Christianity at their own pace, free from judgment or pressure. It is inspiring to see people discover God for the first time and experience the hope of the knowledge of Jesus Christ.

Former HP Staff members, Steve & Debbie Thomas, serve as International Resource Directors for Open Door Libraries.



## **JOIN US!**

The tragic flooding in the Texas hill country over Independence Day weekend left us all with broken hearts. The loss of life and the devastation was unimaginable. There is an added sorrow that surrounds a mass casualty event like that.

Whether or not the loss of your loved one was part of a mass casualty, the pain, sorrow, and loss is an event that will always remain in your heart and on your calendar. That is why we regularly offer Griefshare support groups at Highland Park.

Our next GriefShare group will begin on Wednesday, August 13. We will meet at 6:30pm in Room 114. Anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one is welcome to join us. Each of the 13-week sessions will include a video lesson and discussion time. The only cost is \$20.00 for the required workbook which includes a place to take notes on each video lesson and a daily guide for review and personal devotion.

You can register by going to GriefShare.org and clicking on "Find a Group." You will see the listing for Highland Park. There are additional resources available online after you have registered. If you have any questions, please contact our Pastoral Care Minister, *Dave Dunson*, at <a href="mailto:david@hptulsa.com">david@hptulsa.com</a>.

#### **HP YOUTH**

CIY was a blast! We got to see the Grand Canyon on our way to Flagstaff. We learned about how the book of Hebrews is all about Jesus. Jesus is greater than anything - good or bad - and we are called to run this race, not perfectly, but faithfully, with our eyes fixed on Him.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Hoover Park Night - July 30

Senior Night - Wednesday, August 6 6:30-8:00pm (We'll be honoring our seniors, *Tyler Blanton* and *Reese Wood*. We encourage you to bring them a card!)

#### **CIY MOVE 2025**

Special thanks to all who helped make it possible for our youth to experience this great week of worship and learning!







#### **VBS 2025**











Thanks to every person who helped make this great week a reality for our kids!



