

The Pottawatomie County Health Department is assessing the health of the communities they serve. All results from this survey will be kept confidential and will be used to identify ways they can improve public health where we live, learn, work and play. If you'd like to assist in the survey you'll find them at the information desk in the lobby.



Elders' Corner

We have all we need....

Have you ever felt inadequate? Specifically, if you just had this or if that were just a little different then everything would be great. Satan has a special talent in selling the doctrine of inadequacy. This doctrine teaches that if we had just a little more money or a little more time or a little more something, then our lives would be better. It motivates people to prioritize the pursuit of whatever the 'little more' is above everything else. Think about it....do you know someone who has worked so hard they have lots of things, money, etc yet their family life, their marriage and/or their spiritual life is lacking or worse, in shambles? Satan's doctrine of inadequacy may promise abundance yet it frequently delivers pain and suffering.

God tells us that we have everything we need. His word says that He cares and provides for the birds so He certainly will care and provide for us (Matthew 6:26). His masterful design of the church has the priority to care for His people. He gave His only Son for our salvation (John 3:16). His love and grace offer everything we need in order to live a life of abundance and an eternity of rich provision (John 10:10 & 2 Peter 1:10-11).

"His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is the world because of sinful desire." 2 Peter 1:3-4

Pat, Eddy and Michael



October 2020						
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- 10/11 AWTG - Ada SW, leave @ 4p
- 10/12 **Columbus Day**
- 10/13 Ladies Bible Class @ 9:30a
- 10/15-16 Fall Break
- 10/15 Food Distribution Setup
- 10/15 Men's Conference Call @ 9p
- 10/17 Food Distribution @ 9:30a
- 10/18 L2L Practice (Check w/coaches)
- 10/18 Elders & deacons meet @ 3:00p
- 10/20 Ladies Bible Class @ 9:30a
- 10/22 Men's Conference Call @ 9p
- 10/25 Reveal @ Henson's after pm svc
- 10/31 **Halloween**

BOOKS OF THE MONTH FOR

October

**Colossians, Philemon
And Philippians.**



FAMILY PRAYER NAME:



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October 11, 2020

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Hello and welcome to worship!

In one part of India the maharajah has proclaimed to all who go forth to draw water from a well in any part of his country must go with a song on their lips—and go singing all the way. The reason for this command is that a man was found dying of thirst within a few yards of a well. He did not know the well was there. He never recovered consciousness. And now, if you hear songs on the lips of one walking through the jungle today, you know that there is a well nearby.—From *"The Unknown God by One Who Loves Him."*

When we sing praises to our God, we are telling people that there is a well near by that never runs dry. We are praising the one who gives living water. In Exodus 15 we see the song of Moses and we learn some reasons why Moses sings this song. Exodus 15:1-2, "Then Moses and the people of Israel sang this song to the Lord, saying, "I will sing to the Lord, for he has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider he has thrown into the sea. The Lord is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation; this is my God; and I will praise him, my father's God and I will exalt him." What were some of the reasons that Moses sang to the Lord? First, he sang to the Lord because the Lord had triumphed gloriously. The Lord was triumphant in Moses' life and he is triumphant in our life. That is a reason to sing praises to him. Secondly, Moses sang because the Lord was his strength and song. He is our strength and song. That is a reason for us to sing praises to his name. Thirdly, Moses sang because the Lord was his salvation. The Lord is our salvation and that is a reason to sing praises to him. May we be like Moses and sing praises to the Lord. We have plenty of reasons to praise him.



Erick

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Attendance Last Week:

Bible Class: 108

Daily Bible Readers: 28

Sun Worship: 157

Sun PM: 91

Schedule of Services

Sunday:

Bible Study 9:30 am

Worship 10:30 am

Evening 5:00 pm

Wednesday:

Bible Study 6:30 pm

We can make our online contributions 2 ways now

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or a link is on HCOCT.com

Join Our PTP365 Account

Our congregation has subscribed to PTP365, a digital library with thousands of sermons to watch. Our account allows all of our members to join at **no cost** to you.

The best way to describe it is a Netflix account for Bible study material. There are thousands of classes available on a variety of topics such as spiritual growth, textual studies, marriage, parenting, and so much more.

You can learn more about how to sign up at <https://polishingthepulpit.com/welcome-to-ntp365/>

**—STAYING—
CONNECTED**

All services (Sunday & Wednesday) have resumed in the building. Please pick up your **communion sets** as you come in the door on Sunday mornings. A **collection plate** is also available at the back of the auditorium. If you are in the “high risk” category or prefer to social distance, please take advantage of our live-streamed services on YouTube.

Men’s Conference Calls are every Thursday night from 9-9:30p. The number for the call is (605) 313-5096. The code will be texted.

Ladies Video Bible Study on Zoom is on Wednesday nights now at 6:30p. Thursday classes have been suspended this quarter. Please email us at info@hcoct.com so we can send you the meeting ID and password.

Giving may be mailed to PO Box 129 or given online thru link at top right of www.hcoct.com. Or, go to the App Store or Google Play and search for “GivePlus Church”.

Online directory is located at <https://servantkeeper.com/directory/hcoct/login> (call office or reply to email for password).

If you need anything or have prayer requests, please call or text the elders at elders@hcoct.com. If you have announcements for our bulletin, please call the office (598-3514) or your BK leaders. Stay safe and please check up on each other.

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS

Privileged to Serve the Church Assembly

Preacher:.....*Erick Henson*

Song Leader:.....*Michael Kelsey*

Opening Prayer Leader:.....*Noah Henson*

Closing Prayer Leader:.....*Jason Fly*

Greeters:.....*Gary Perry, Torrey Hatler, Terry Banta, Jay Watkins, Adam Sack*

Announcements:.....*Eddy Parker*

Serving at the Lord’s Table:.....*Jamie Bess*

Scripture Reader:.....*Noah Henson*

Sound Booth:.....*Allison Fredman, Hunter Hill & Gary Stapp*

Men, if you are scheduled to be on the table, please be here by 10:15; otherwise, I will have to find a replacement. Thank you! Stacy

**PRAYERS
PLEASE**

Health (Members): Ray Grimmett, home from hospital; Ricci & Pam Smith, COVID; Bud and Lori Deadorff, COVID; Charles Wilcox, infection; Tom Austin, back therapy; Robert Britton; Kurt Shirey; Jim Hayes; Lone Arnold; Angie Sack, 3 hernias; Janice Carr; Dee Banta; Tami Lawson.

Health (Others): Clois King (friends of Eddy & Jan); Miranda Barnes (Bud & Lori Deadorff’s niece) surgery for brain tumor; Nathaniel Price (Jennifer Stapp’s friend) hospitalized after a liver transplant; Susie Clark (Jimmie Young’s DIL); Kristy Swafford’s mother; Dean Flowers (Steve’s dad) pneumonia; Tonya Kelsey’s brother (Clint) colon mass & SIL, car wreck; Linda Brooke’s son, Jerry, oral cancer; Louie Hatler’s friend’s DIL, Abagaill Mullen, heart; Carla Dame (Wilma Hixson’s niece); Nolan Perry (Gary’s cousin); Selene Williams (Bob McKnight’s granddaughter) breast cancer; Jack (Flossie Jorgenson’s brother) ALS; Mandy Dodd (Lora Sprowls’ daughter); Jim Arnold’s sister, cancer; Debbie (Burlison) Sehon (Gina Fredman’s aunt) ALS; Verlie’s sister-in-law; Bill Blochowiak (Billy’s dad); Don & Sandra Stafford (Jimmie Young’s family); Debbie Seaton (Claudia’s friend); Kent Taylor (Kristy Swafford’s brother); Mark Miener (Verlie’s friend); Jim Perry (Verlie’s friend); Xavier & Ray Grimmett Jr.

Our shut-ins: Retha Barnes; Mary Littleton; Connie Mack Stubbs; Rosie Brightwell; James & Sheila Moudy; Audrey Savory; Mildred Boone; Ellen Childers, Rosie Brightwell.

Sympathy: Extended to Bob Adams in the loss of his son-in-law last week.

Other Prayers: COVID-19 cure; ladies at Mabel Bassett, our country and military, especially our homegrown heroes: Emilee Grochow, Ryan Willis, Austin and Andrew Sack, Joshua & Caleb Kelsey, Haden Burlison and Caleb Dahle.

Please let us know if names should be added or deleted.



Announcements



October’s AWTG will be in Ada (SW) this evening. Leaving at 4p.

L2L practices will start at 2:00p on October 18th. Please verify with your coaches.

Food distribution setup and giveaway is this Thursday and Saturday, respectively. Please help if you can.



Elders & deacons will meet on October 18th at 3:00p.

Reveal will be at the Henson’s home October 25th following evening services. Phil has sign-up sheets to supply dinners and host Reveal. Please see him if you have any questions.

Do not be anxious about anything.
Philippians 4:6