

# Messiah Lutheran Church Information Guide

Sunday, September 15, 2019

Messiah Lutheran Church \* 1801 W. Plano Pkwy. \* Plano, TX \* 972-398-7500

Rev. Dr. Victor J. Kollmann, Senior Pastor

## Bible Class Opportunities

GROUP	LEADER(S)	TOPIC	LOCATION
Adults	Pastor Kollmann	<i>Red Letter Challenge</i>	Gymnasium
The Upper Room	Pastor Otte	The Gospel of John: Witnessing to a Post Christian Culture	E215S
Focus	Steve Sokolyk	Ecclesiastes	E237N
Ask Anything	Toby and Rachel Meeks	Changes weekly	E214S
Growing Marriages in Christ (GMC)	Paul Krizan	Women in the Bible	E110S Conf. Rm.
Mosaics	Melinda Kellerman and Alexis Maldonado	God's Influence on Daily Life	E220S
Meet Messiah	Joan Konkel & Cathy Dalton	Campus Tours	Guest Desk

*Maps to the Education Building can be found at the Guest Information Desk in the Lobby.*

**RED LETTER CHALLENGE**—The basic teachings of Jesus.

**THE UPPER ROOM**—is a lively, discussion based class. Thoughts, ideas and wisdom are shared each week. *We are very pleased to share The Upper Room Bible Study via Podcast. Subscribe today at: [messiahlutheranpodcast.com/subscribe](http://messiahlutheranpodcast.com/subscribe)*

**FOCUS**—is a small group that goes through the Bible one book, one chapter, one verse at a time. Our mission is to lead a comprehensive understanding of the Word of God.

**ASK ANYTHING**—this class centers around a box where you can submit your questions about anything! Each week we use the Bible to find biblically based answers to all of our questions.

**GMC**—Through their courage, vision, hospitality, and spiritual gifts, women played a key role in God's plan revealed in the Old and New Testaments. Join us as we take an in-depth look at women in the Bible to learn how extraordinary they were and the extraordinary way God used them to carry out His plan.

**MOSAICS**—Messiah Mosaics is a class geared at anyone in their 30s or 40s, married or single. This is a discussion based class that examines how God's Word influences our daily walk with Christ.

**MEET MESSIAH**—If you would like to know about Messiah, meet at the Guest Information Desk at 9:30am. A few of our members will take you on a tour of our campus and answer questions you may have about our church.

# Sunday School Opportunities

**Youth Sunday School Openings:** Grades 5-12 in Youth Room (E213S)

Class/Grade	Room	Teachers
2 years	E131N	Mary Hooper, Meredith Beber
3 years/4 years	E137N	Sandra Murcott, Kari Beyer
Kindergarten	E133N	Dawn Johnson, Dylan Dunlop
First/Second Grade	E111S	Steve Livingston, Dave Woods
Third Grade	E113S	Dianne Kiehne, Michelle Nelson
Fourth Grade	E135N	Chris Price, Autumn Glass
Fifth Grade	E246N	Katy Moyer, Adrienne McGregor
Sixth Grade	E244N	Matt Lee, Rose Babbitt
Seventh Grade	E242N	Rev. Donald Welmer, Sara Vogler
Eighth Grade	E214S	Kumiko Dano, Michael Neumann, Dana Terry
Ninth-Twelfth Grade	Youth Rm.	Jodi Sorenson, Barb Coen, and Elizabeth Ledford



**SUNDAY NURSERY**-An attended nursery for infants until walking steadily is in the Education Building, E123N. Care for steady walkers through age 3 is in room E125N. Caregivers available from 8:00am - 12:15pm. **We also have a cry room located at the back of the Sanctuary.**

Messiah Lambs Early Childhood Center

Amy Myers, Director

amyers@messiahlutheran.com/ 972-398-7560.

Messiah Lambs offers a nurturing, Christ filled learning environment for children who are 6 weeks old through 4 year old preschool. Registration is currently open for the new year. Please contact the Lambs office at 972-398-7560 to schedule a tour of our program and see what we have to offer.



## Lambs Basket Auction



It's almost time for the Lambs Annual Basket Auction! This year, the auction will be held between October 23-31. We will have the baskets open for the congregation to bid on Sunday, October 27, in the Reception Room. All baskets will also have the popular "Buy-It-Now" option available just in case you find one you must have and don't want to wait until the 27th or to be outbid. If you choose this option, you will be able to pay by cash/check and carry the basket home with you that morning. This is our biggest fundraiser of the school year. We will be using this money to purchase replacement rugs for a few of our classrooms and a few other items such as nap cots and shelves. Thank you for supporting our school!



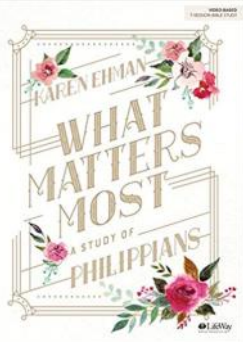
In the past few years, members of Messiah have not only purchased baskets, but have pitched in by either making and donating baskets themselves as well as contributing items to be included in the baskets. The Lambs are very grateful for any support. If you are interested in finding out how you can also contribute towards the basket creation, please call Amy Myers at 972-398-7560.

# Mid-Week Bible Study Opportunities

**This class will take a break during the summer. It will resume on September 24th.**

**PASTOR KOLLMANN'S TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** meets on Tuesdays from 9:30AM-11:00AM in the Conference Room. This class is going through the Lighthouse study on the book of Isaiah.

**PASTOR WELMER'S WEDNESDAY MEN'S LUNCH AND BIBLE STUDY**-You are invited to join this weekly study on Wednesdays for an in depth look at Paul's letter to the Ephesians. Through our study we will discover how our faith is wrapped up in the mystery and revelation of Jesus Christ.



**WOMEN'S THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY GROUP~9:30-11am.** "What Matters Most-A Study of Philippians." The world has always been full of trials, disappointments, temptations, fractured friendships, and financial hardships. Yet Paul's letter to the Philippians claims we can discover contentment and joy in the midst of it all by prioritizing what matters most—Christ.

Karrie Looney is facilitating this series. The cost for the class is \$15. To reserve your study, e-mail [eet75002@yahoo.com](mailto:eet75002@yahoo.com). We meet in Room E247N on the 2nd floor, down the back hallway. **Free baby-sitting** is offered with advanced notice to Amy Plenger, [aplenger@messiahlutheran.com](mailto:aplenger@messiahlutheran.com).



**JOYFUL!** (Join Other Young Families Uplifting the Lord) New Bible Study group for families with young children. We meet the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month from 3:30-5:30pm in Messiah's Conference Room. Join us for a potluck meal and fellowship. Please feed your kiddo(s) prior to arrival. **Childcare is provided!** For more information, please contact leaders: Josh and Courtney Hamit, 214-507-9624, [Courtney.m.hamit@gmail.com](mailto:Courtney.m.hamit@gmail.com).



Pastor Kollmann's **Adult Information Class** begins **Monday, September 23rd** from 7:00-8:30 pm, in the Reception Room. If you are interested in attending, please contact the Church Office, 972-398-7500. Notify us of any baby-sitting needs as well.



Simulcast Study with Beth Moore; Worship with Travis Cottrell  
Saturday, September 28th  
8:15am-4:30pm (doors open at 7:45am)  
St. Paul's Lutheran Church  
6565 Independence Pkwy, Plano, 75023  
Tickets are \$20 per person (\$30 at the door)  
Price includes coffee//pastry breakfast and a boxed lunch.  
Complimentary Child-care is provided.  
Register at [www.stpaulplano.com](http://www.stpaulplano.com)

# General Announcements & Fellowship Opportunities



Make sure to join our closed FB groups of interest to keep up with what's happening: Messiah Kingdom Women, MLC Line Dancers Club & MLC Not Ready for Prime Time Players.

## FREE MLC LINE DANCERS CLUB EVENTS:

Thursday, September 5th, Southern Junction Live, 7:00pm  
If interested in carpooling from church, e-mail Ellen Thorne, eet75002@yahoo.com.

Sunday, September 22nd, Messiah's 1st Floor Multi-Purpose Room, 12:30pm. Baby-sitting is offered with advanced notice to 972-398-7508. This is a great way to learn basic steps and dances that are currently done at dance halls.



## LARGE GROUP BIBLE STUDY

Saturday, September 28th  
11am-Study on Chapter 7:  
The Possibilities of a Kingdom Woman's Faith  
Noon-Lunch served by Messiah's Cabana Boys.

Free baby-sitting provided for those who request it by September 20th.



**DOWNTON ABBEY MOVIE EVENT THIS SATURDAY!!!**  
Saturday, September 21st, Alamo Drafthouse, Richardson  
6:30 PM Meet & Mingle in the Lobby. 7:15 PM Movie.

The seats we purchased have all been sold, but there are some seats available at [www.drafthouse.com/dfw](http://www.drafthouse.com/dfw)

You're welcome to dress for this 1920s themed event!  
Doors will open 30 minutes before the showing!



**MLC NOT READY FOR PRIME TIME PLAYERS FELLOWSHIP**  
Addison Oktoberfest,  
Thursday, September 19th,  
6-11pm; Come when you can; leave when you must.

This annual event is an authentic re-creation of the Munich Oktoberfest! Thursdays are free!

Located at Addison Circle Park  
For an FAQ, visit [addisonoktoberfest.com](http://addisonoktoberfest.com)

Dan & Kathy Koeneman have been attending this event in past years and will lead the way as we attend Addison Oktoberfest. Watch for the evite or e-mail [eet75002@yahoo.com](mailto:eet75002@yahoo.com) to RSVP.

**SAVE THE DATE:** On Saturday, October 26th, Barbara Janowski has arranged for us to go to the Dallas Culinary Arts School to cook and enjoy a 4-course meal. Cost will be around \$25 a person.



**JULIE's Dining Out**  
(Just Us Ladies Into Eating Together)

Monday, September 29th, 6:00pm  
at Aboca's Italian Grill ([abocas.com](http://abocas.com))  
100 S Central Expy, Ste 63,  
Richardson, TX 75080

To sign up, please e-mail Ellen Thorne [kingdomwomen4ever@gmail.com](mailto:kingdomwomen4ever@gmail.com)





## DINING OUT

Outback Steakhouse

1509 N Central Expressway, Plano, TX

Thursday, September 19th, @7PM

Arrive earlier to mingle.

Hosted by Dorothy & John Rigg (972 943 0025).

Sign up sheets will be at Information Desk and at Pastor Kollmann's Bible Class.



SAVE THE DATE FOR KINGDOM WOMEN (for women of all ages) CROCKTOBERFEST 2019 & OPEN HOUSE Friday, October 11th 6-10pm

Check out all of the information and sign up at the Kingdom Women table by The Lamp Gift Shop.

### Kingdom Women Krafters

Sep 11th - Fall Pumpkin w/Cynthia Tonn - \$10

Oct 15-17th - Photography, Knitting, Crochet, Card Creations, Baking etc at Broken Bow OK Cabin - \$65

Nov 13th - Planing Meeting for 2020 -FREE

Dec TBD - Holiday Party

#### DETAILS:

6:30 PM at the home of Marla Johnson 2175 Toole Dr Lucas, 75002

PH: 972-978-9563 marlajohnson30@gmail.com

REGISTRATION REQUIRED Call or eMail for specifics



BE A PART OF MESSIAH'S WALK TO END ALZHEIMER'S TEAM! Join this cause in any way you are able: walk with us, pray for all who are affected by Alzheimer's and Dementia, or make a donation. Messiah Marches for Memory Team will participate on Saturday, September 28th, at Nebraska Furniture Mart in The Colony. The walk starts at 9am with activities beforehand.

To join the team go to [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org) or ask Ellen for help with this. Click on "Find Your Walk" Click "Find a Team" We are listed under "Messiah Marches for Memory" Click "Join" and follow the instructions.

Questions? Contact me at 972-398-7508 or [eet75002@yahoo.com](mailto:eet75002@yahoo.com)

If you want to donate towards the team, go to the same website. Click on "Donate." Enter a walker's name, or the team name, to make your donation. Thank you.





***"Having Fun Serving the Lord  
in the Prime of Life"***



DATE/TIME	EVENT / LOCATION/DETAILS	SPONSOR
<b>SEPTEMBER 17th 9:30 AM</b>	Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, 2200 N. Pearl St. Guided tour at 10 AM - lunch following at El Fenix, 1601 McKinney Ave., Meet in the parking lot on the north side of the Federal Reserve Building at 9:30 AM	Chuck Hays
<b>OCTOBER 24 7:00 AM-5:00 PM</b>	1-Day Bus Trip to North Texas Hill Country  Wounded Warrior Gift Bags starting 09/30 through 10/21	Paul & Nancy Kaufman  Cudly & Rystrom
<b>NOVEMBER 7th 6:00 PM</b>	Annual PrimeTimers Planning Meeting Messiah Lutheran Church	Hiser
<b>NOVEMBER 10TH</b>	Assist LWML with Veterans Luncheon	Cudly & Rystrom
<b>DECEMBER</b>	<b>A Tuna Christmas, Garland Civic Theatre</b>	DayTrippers Team



The PrimeTimers will be visiting the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas on Tuesday, September 17, 2019. Our tour is scheduled at 10:00 AM. We will meet in the visitor parking lot on the north side of the Federal Reserve Building off Thomas Avenue at 9:30 AM. The Federal Reserve Bank is located at 2200 N. Pearl St., Dallas. Following the tour we will lunch at El Fenix, 1601 McKinney Ave., Dallas. Contact Chuck Hays at 214-535-7572 if you have any questions.



**ONE DAY TRIP  
Saint Jo, Muenster,  
and Nocona  
OCTOBER 24**

**Highlights are:**

A visit to Saint Jo to tour the Stonewall Saloon Museum-Largest Ordnance Museum in US, shopping around the square, Arche Winery and Lunch (beautiful scenery), Nocona-Huge Auto Museum in Nocona, and tour of Nocona, Supper at Rohmer's German Restaurant in Muenster. If time permits, a trip to the German Market in Muenster!

Cost is \$75 per person and sign-up sheets are at the Prime Timer's Table

Questions please contact Nancy Kaufman at 972-974-3257 or [nlkaufman326@hotmail.com](mailto:nlkaufman326@hotmail.com) or Judy Samuelson at 972-690-0989



## PRIMETIMERS SERVICE PROJECT



Messiah's PrimeTimers will once again be supporting the Warrior Getaway sponsored by Joni and Friends Ministry. The PrimeTimers provide gift bags given to the families that attend the retreat, with items that include something for all members of the family. Cash and \$10 Walmart gift cards will be collected at the PrimeTimers table Sept. 29 through Oct. 20.

The benefits of the Warrior Getaway are restored marriages, enhanced family relations and soldiers with a new-found hope in Christ. This renewed hope helps them along with the family to press forward in their new life journey.

Thank you in advance for your support! Please contact Joan Konkel at 972-762-6539 with any questions.



## MEN'S



## RETREAT

### Time to sign up for the 2019 Men's Retreat!

**When:** Friday, October 4<sup>th</sup> Social Hour at 5PM Dinner 6PM  
Bon fire and star gazing after evening lesson

Saturday October 5<sup>th</sup>, Breakfast 8 AM, wrap up at 4PM

**Where:** Springhill Retreat Center 3991 Renner Road

<http://www.phpc.org/springhill/>

Sign up at Church office or watch for sign up table on Sundays between services and after the late service beginning September 1<sup>st</sup>.

Cost: \$45 total includes meals, facility and book. Checks are to payable to Messiah Lutheran Church. Books are available at church.

**Reference Book** - 1,2,3 John and Jude by Max Lucado

4 rooms have been reserved for overnight guests. Each room sleeps 2 persons. We can reserve more rooms if necessary so please indicate if you need a room when you sign up. This will be a great opportunity to study and reflect on the words of John, who walked with Jesus, and it will include rewarding fellowship. If you have any questions, please contact John Sweitzer at [JSweitz227@gmail.com](mailto:JSweitz227@gmail.com), 469-288-6884.

## Messiah Serves: Our Social Ministries and Outreach

Dawn Johnson - 972-948-8966 - dawnmj@fastmail.net



*The mission of our Outreach Ministries is to be Jesus' hands to our church, city, national, and international community. We do this through weekly opportunities for hands-on service such as those listed below and also through contributions to community charities such as Network of Community Ministries and the Assistance Center of Collin County, wonderful organizations who are equipped to deal with the long-term needs of struggling individuals.*

### Fall Harvest/Thanksgiving Boxes and Purple Bags Are Almost Here!!

### Our Fall Service Projects Are Just Around the Corner...



#### Fall Harvest/Thanksgiving Boxes for Meals on

Wheels - Every year Social Ministries and Outreach participates in a service project benefiting local Meals on Wheels clients. Mid October through early November, we will shop for food to fill Fall Harvest/Thanksgiving boxes, which will be distributed to local Meals on Wheels clients just before Thanksgiving. This is a wonderful and touching service project we do each year that I encourage you to participate in.



#### Thanksgiving for Families 2019/Good Samaritans of Garland, Inc-

In addition to our Thanksgiving boxes for the Meals on Wheels clients in our neighborhoods, we also have an opportunity to help local families in need. Once again, we will support Good Samaritans of Garland, Inc with their Thanksgiving for Families Project.

### COMMUNITY DAY OF SERVICE

Our Community Day of Service event supported the efforts of Feed My Starving Children located at 1680 N. Glenville Dr., Suite 300, Richardson, TX 75081. <https://www.fmsc.org/> A very heartfelt thank you to all who signed up to volunteer at Feed My Starving Children during our Community Day of Service event. We had a great and fun opportunity to serve by hand-packing **nutritious Manna Pack™ meals** specifically designed to assist in reversing and preventing undernutrition. Founded in 1987, Feed My Starving Children (FMSC) is a Christian non-profit that provides nutritionally complete meals specifically formulated for malnourished children.



**ONGOING COLLECTION PROJECTS**-Please note that all collection projects are located in [the designated collection area next to the Family Room in the chapel building](#). Questions about any of our collection projects you can contact me at [dawnmj@fastmail.net](mailto:dawnmj@fastmail.net) or 972-948-8966. Details regarding our ongoing collections can be found at <http://www.messiahlutheran.com/ministries/adult/social-ministries-outreach/>



# Children & Youth News

Amy Plenger-972-398-7524 or aplenger@messiahlutheran.com

Elizabeth Ledford-972-398-7509 or eledford@messiahlutheran.com



**THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING GRANDPARENTS** who read to the Sunday School children last week: Liz Beetley, Anita and Gordy Hanson, Joyce Laux, Joan Nilmeier, and

Bob Sands. The kids loved having you as their guest readers. Please come back anytime!

**FOOTPRINTS OF FAITH** for new Kindergarten students is this morning. Families are meeting in the Multipurpose room at 9:00am for breakfast before we get active with a Family Faith Walk and discussion.

**CHILDREN'S RED LETTER CHALLENGE** begins today for students in Kindergarten through 4<sup>th</sup> grade. The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade students are encouraged to get the children's version of the book from the Lamp gift shop for personal use each day at home during these next 40 days.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHALLENGE FROM CHILDREN'S MINISTRY** During these 40 days I challenge our church to form a team of adult volunteers who will support a weekly Good News Club in a neighborhood elementary public school. What an opportunity to bring the love of Jesus into our community! More details coming...



**JAM** - 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to JAM, our weekly junior high Bible study! JAM has officially moved to Wednesday nights from 6:45 to 7:45 PM in room E247N, which is the same room that 8<sup>th</sup>

graders have been using for Sunday School.

**MESH** - High School students are invited to hang out in the couch room from 7 to 8:30 on Wednesday for our weekly Bible study! See you there!

**High School Paintball Deadline is Today** - High school students are invited to play paintball at Fort Paintball on Saturday, September 21. The cost is \$25 per person. Please RSVP, bring your waiver, and pay today!

**MYM Returns on October 6!** - MYM is our youth gathering for 5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders! We get together, hang out, play games, eat dinner, and learn about God. This year we will be trying something new with MYM! MYM will be the first Sunday of each month, 5 to 7:30 PM in the couch room! Each MYM will have a theme - the theme on October 6 is Super Heroes! Please feel free to come in costume, and get ready for an exciting night!

**Looking Ahead** - We know many of you might already be thinking ahead to next summer. Our Confirmation Camp will be June 1-4 this year, which means Confirmation Sunday will be June 7.

# Pray for One Another This Week

Christa Nelson, sister of Edward Stuart, for peace of mind as she continues to go forward with her breast cancer diagnosis.

Thank God, praise God and everybody for the prayers! John starts immune therapy this Tues., drug company will pay for it. Aunt Mabel passed. (Dorothy Rigg)

Paige & daughter Kylie, (granddaughter of close friend), Paige died in a car wreck with two of her friends. As a very young child Kylie has been left with no parents and will for now be with her grandparents. Kylie and her grandparents need prayers and love. (Ruthann Swanson)

Bill Hester, brother of Ed Hester, healing for a sick family member.

Steve Chambers, that he may come to church and come to know Christ. (Brig & Sami Chambers)

Sandra Ward, definitive results from MRI.

Thank you, Lord, for watching over me this past week! Your loving servant. (Norma R. Hernandez)

Lois Cassady, Mike's mom, for strength as she continues her chemo treatments. Prayers also for my mom, Sandra Ward for relief of her pain. (Kim Cassady)

Rose Family, (stepfamily), keep them in your prayers, their son, Anthony, age 19 passed away. (Jakob Yandell)

Patty Luecke, healing of pneumonia and bronchitis. (Ellen Thorne)

Becky, the skin graft may work. Hawk's, to gain strength. (Kay Ross)

Haarberg Family, for safe and healthy travels this week and for protection over our children while we're away. (Sondra Haarberg)

John Rigg, prayer of thanksgiving as God's miracle of resolving the cost issue concerning drug treatment for John. All praise to God for this Blessing. Continue to be with John and Dorothy. (Jane & Jerry Baedke)

Mike K., son, peace in his heart. (anonymous)

Jim Holliman, friend, for restored health and that he will be able to come home soon. (Sandra Brock)

Jennifer Taylor, thank God that she was unhurt after bad auto accident yesterday. Jennifer is Ethan's mother. (Clyde Collins)

Natalie Redle Carpenter, (daughter), strength, healing for Natalie and unborn child and God's great blessings. (Deby Redle)

All the people effected by the hurricane. (Kathy Woolston)

**RECOVERY:** For Healing-Angela Herigon, Gabriel Maele, Ken Lynn Trimpe, Dorothy Hawk, Richard Switzer, John Devine, Chris Andersen, Alan Schroeter, John Rigg, and Jay Friestad. Lois Bengtson-shoulder and Sandra Ward-back.

**SHUT-INS:** Michael & Barbara Albert, , Carol Avellanet, Jan Bender, Marian Collins, Lyle Dornbusch, Peggy Embler, Sue Fackler, John Fey, Rosella Frank, Kathleen Haarberg, Freda Hafeman, Mary Hook, Stu & Kris Johnson, Dorothy Koeneman, Karen Krejci, Jerry Krontz, Betty Ladishew, Tom & Jean McCutcheon, Ann Murphy, Jean Osburn, Rich Tobaben, and Alma Zadow.





**TODAY  
WE BEGIN  
THE RED LETTER CHALLENGE  
FOR 40 DAYS.**

**What Does This Mean???**

The challenge involves taking Jesus' words and putting them into practice. Literally. We hope this will be 40 days of discovery, inspiration, and guidance in how we best follow Jesus based on 5 main principles: Being, Forgiving, Serving, Giving, and Going.

**How To Do the Challenge???**

- 1) Pray and ask the Spirit to stir up your heart and make you ready for this Challenge!
- 2) Pick up a copy of the Red Letter Challenge book in The Lamp Gift Shop! There is a book for adults and a book for kids. Suggested donation is \$10.
- 3) Attend the RLC Opening Day on September 15th. Pastor will introduce the series. Some youth/adult Bible Classes, and the 3rd-4th grade Sunday School Class will use the RLC for their 6-week focus.
- 4) The rhythm of a follower of Jesus is to be both a hearer and doer of what God says. Each day there is a corresponding Scripture reading as well as a challenge for how to implement Christ's words into your life.
- 5) Find someone to come along with you in this Challenge; or grab a few friends for coffee and invite them to join you on this journey.
- 6) Use social media to share as you are comfortable, to share the experience with those at Messiah, and around the globe. Use #RedLetterChallenge, and #MLCPlano and/or Facebook.
- 7) Visit the Challenge Table in the Worship Lobby from September 15th-October 20th for more resources and ways to share this journey with others!



**SAVE THE DATE**

***Pure Desire Conference***

October 4-5, 2019

Northway Bible Church, Dallas, Texas

A solidly Biblical conference designed to raise awareness of the harmful impact of sexual addiction, as well as to inspire the fight for healthy, God-pleasing sexuality.

Covered Topics are: Culture of Grace; Renewing the Mind; Establishing Sobriety; Group & Family Dynamics; Men's and Women's Breakouts; Healing Woundedness

Designed for men and women; intended for addicts, spouses, pastors, church leaders, and students ages 14 and above.

General admission is \$99 (\$129 after 9/19/19). Student admission is \$49 (\$69 after 9/19/19).

Further information and registration is at Pure Desire's website: [www.puredesire.org/events](http://www.puredesire.org/events) or email at [events@puredesire.org](mailto:events@puredesire.org). Phone (503) 489-0230. Messiah contacts include Pastor Otte or Fred Duchow ([fgduchow@yahoo.com](mailto:fgduchow@yahoo.com)) or Michelle Duchow ([mrmduchow@me.com](mailto:mrmduchow@me.com)).

# Together in the Lord This Week

## TODAY

### Red Letter Challenge Kickoff

<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>
Footprints of Faith	9:00 AM
New Member Reception	9:30 AM
<b>Bible Class/Sunday School</b>	<b>9:45 AM</b>
<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>
Visitation Team-Nilmeier	1:00 PM
JOYFUL Bible Study	3:30 PM
Grace Community Church	4:00 PM

## MONDAY

Boy Scouts	7:00 PM
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## TUESDAY

Primetimers Event	9:30 AM
Joyful Ringers	6:00 PM
Sanctuary Choir	7:00 PM

## WEDNESDAY

Men's Bible Class	12:00 PM
Cherubs/Choristers/Youth	6:00 PM
JAM (Youth)	6:45 PM
<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>
MESH (Youth)	7:00 PM
Praise Team	7:30 PM

## THURSDAY

Women's Bible Class	9:30 AM
NRFPPT Addison Oktoberfest	6:00 PM
Open Gym	7:00 PM

## FRIDAY

Messenger Crew	9:00 AM
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## SATURDAY

Downton Abbey at Alamo	6:30 PM
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## NEXT SUNDAY

<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>
<b>Bible Class/Sunday School</b>	<b>9:45 AM</b>
<b>Worship Service</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>
Line Dance Lessons	12:30 PM
Visitation Team-Wolfe	1:00 PM
Grace Community Church	4:00 PM



**THE FLOWER ON THE ALTAR** is in honor of the birth of Drake Daniel, son of David and Ali Daubert, born on September 6, 2019.



## New Members joining today

**TRANSFER**-Timothy, Sarah, Jackson, and Riley Conlin, Bethany, Overland Park, Kansas, Charles and Elizabeth James, Immanuel, Columbus, Nebraska, and Kim Lorenzen, Zion, Mitchell, South Dakota.

**REPROFESSION OF FAITH:** Steve, Gwen, and Robert Corley, Debbie Bohannan, Jolene Henry.