



**“Growing A Congregation in Today’s World”**  
Philippians 1:27-30

**The question: How do we show the world that we are not ashamed of the Christian Life?**

1. We must not be \_\_\_\_\_ to live a Christian life in front of the world around us.
2. We must not be ashamed to stand together with one \_\_\_\_\_ for the faith of the gospel.
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4. We must not be ashamed to make it \_\_\_\_\_ who is saved or who is destroyed based on God’s Word.
5. We must not be ashamed but willing to \_\_\_\_\_ for the cause of Christ.

**Philippians 1:27-30 ESV**

27 Only let your manner of life be worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether I come and see you or am absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving side by side for the faith of the gospel, 28 and not frightened in anything by your opponents. This is a clear sign to them of their destruction, but of your salvation, and that from God. 29 For it has been granted to you that for the sake of Christ you should not only believe in him but also suffer for his sake, 30 engaged in the same conflict that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

**Record for August 4, 2024**

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	177
Morning Worship	358
Contribution	\$21,649.29
Budget	\$16,450.00
Wednesday Evening 8/7	182

**Elders**

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**Elder In Charge for the week of:**

August 11 - Ron Fox / August 18 - Ken Keiser

**Schedule of Services**

Sunday Morning Bible Classes	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Classes	7:00 p.m.

Office hours: Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
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Worship services and Bible classes are available to view on the <https://www.youtube.com/c/faithvillagechurchofchrist> channel.

Open your phone camera to scan the **QR code** which will direct you to Linktree or visit: [linktr.ee/faithvillagechurch](https://linktr.ee/faithvillagechurch)  
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**Welcome**

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**How Great Is Our God**

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**Prayer**

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**Lord’s Supper / Contribution Prayer**

**A Shield About Me**

**All To Us**

**Sermon: “Growing A Congregation in Today’s World”**

**#810 Listen to Our Hearts**

**Shepherd’s Prayer**

**#613 Hold to God’s Unchanging Hand**



*Good Morning!*

If this is your first time with us, welcome!  
Thank you for being our guest today.  
We're glad you're here.

### Sunday Mornings

- Nursery (birth - 24 months):** Attendants are available during the Sunday morning and Wednesday evening classes/service.
- Children (pre-k -5th grade)** will be dismissed to attend a Bible lesson in the Red Room of the Children's Hallway after the scripture reading.
- Auditorium:** Chris Swinford - "One Week in the Life of Jesus"
- FC-2: Jeremy Prather - "Study of New Testament Churches"

### Sunday Afternoons, Evenings & Worship Activities

#### Afternoons

2:00 pm **Texhoma Christian Care Center Worship** (11, 18, 25)

- TODAY:** Lawrence Robinson, Gene Moore, Alvin Willson, Chris Swinford
- Aug 18: Youth led
- Aug 25: Jim Pittman, Lee Jackson, Rock Marker, Chuck Dennis

-**Teacher Appreciation Lunch:** After the morning worship service, Sunday, **Aug 18th** in the Family Center

#### Evening Activities

-**TODAY: Fellowship Families**

**Communion** will be offered at 6 pm at the building for those who could not participate this morning.

- August 18: 6 pm worship
- August 25: Community Service

Tuesday (13, 20, 27)

- Men's Bible Study:** 6:30 pm, Tuesdays, in the Family Center
- The 60-Plus Unattached Group** will meet 6:00 pm, Tuesday, **August 13**, at Jason's Deli. A meal is provided. The group meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Questions? Call Wayne (940) 733-7136 or LaDonna Fowler (940) 636-1450.

Wednesday (14, 21, 28)

- 2024 Summer Series** in the large auditorium.
- 8/14 Charlie Thomason**, 8/21 singing night, 8/28 teen led worship.

Saturday (17, 24, 31)

- Team Sew's Sewing Saturday:** 10:00 am, in the Family Center (**17**). Team Sew meets every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- FV CoC 3rd Annual Family Picnic:** 9am to 11:45pm, (**24**), at Jellystone Park Camp-Resort.

### The Village Youth (FVYM) Upcoming Events (7th-12th grade)

- TCCC Worship: 2 pm**, Sunday, **August 18th**. A van will leave from the YC at 1:15 pm and return around 3:30 pm.
- Youth-Led Devo: 7 pm, Wednesday, **August 28th** at in the auditorium. No class in the YC!
- Parent Meeting and Luncheon:** Sunday, August 25th immediately following worship services in the youth center. More details will be made available soon!
- August – December calendars are printed and available on the YC welcome desk!**

#### August Community Outreach /August 11 thru August 18

- Plastic pocket folders
- Glue sticks
- Kleenex boxes
- Wide-ruled notebooks
- Washable markers
- Expo dry erase markers
- #2 pencils
- Colored pencils
- Hand sanitizer bottles
- 24-count crayon box
- Kid-safe scissors
- Clorox wipes

### Teacher Appreciation Lunch Sunday, August 18th.

Please join us in the Family Center *after our 10am worship on Sunday, August 18th*. If you have taught in our nursery and children's classes in the last few years, plan to teach in upcoming quarters, or are interested in helping in any way with our children's Bible classes, we hope you and your family will attend.



#### **FAITH VILLAGE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

#### **3RD ANNUAL FAMILY PICNIC**

at

#### **JELLYSTONE PARK**

**SATURDAY, AUG 24, 9AM TO 11:45PM**

**JOIN US FOR A DAY OF FAMILY, FELLOWSHIP, AND FUN AT  
JELLYSTONE PARK CAMP-RESORT.**

Informational flyers and sign-up sheets  
are out on tables near the entrance doors.

**Hurry, sign-up deadline is August 18th  
for this special fellowship event!**

### Save The Dates!

**Plan to attend, pray for success, and participate!**

- September 14-15: Grief Seminar - "Beyond the Valley of Death"/ Jeff Jenkins
- October 13: Pumpkin Giveaway
- October 27: Fall Festival
- November 3: Annual *Friends' Day* Service and Meal
- December 14: Stocking Giveaway
- In 2025 - Workshop: "Build A Stronger Marriage" Trey & Lea Morgan

### Information as of cutoff time: 12:00 pm, Thursday

Please add the following to your lists of prayers, thoughts & deeds.

#### Health Care Facilities for Recovery

**Wassel Lewis:** The Gables, Rm 29

#### Under Hospice Care

- Michelle Hutson: Hospice Plus** - WF (at-home care)
- Mary Nabors:** Brookdale Sikes Lake, Rm 1115
- Sue Quinn: Hospice** - at-home care (She would enjoy calls to set up visits)
- Wynetta Weston:** Hospice Home Care

#### Prayer Request

- Wylie Ford** (5-month-old grandson of Cindy Langlois) who is having tests done because of an enlarged kidney.
- Kaitlin Geer** was admitted to Cook Children's Medical Center last Monday, Aug 5. She has been diagnosed with a stroke. Please pray for Kaitlin as she recovers, her family, and those caring for her at the hospital. Continue to pray for Kaitlin's family as they are still navigating the repercussions of losing their home to a fire.
- Paula Hill** has been diagnosed with cancer. They have requested **no visitors at this time** but covet our prayers.

-**Bobbyeann Wilson:** Has been diagnosed with covid. Please pray for her recovery. Also pray that Lanier, who also has it recovers with no complications.

#### Sympathy

- Former FV member, **Betty Jo Dunn**, passed away August 4. Our sympathy to her many dear friends here at FV. Her service will be held at 10th and Broad Church of Christ at 3:00 pm on August 17th under the direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral Home.
- Our sympathy to Linda Davis in the loss of her brother-in-law, **Bill Eskew**, who passed away August 5. His memorial service was held August 9 at East Point Church of Christ in Wichita, Kansas.