



**We Strive to Be: A church devoted to making disciples of Jesus Christ, growing together in knowledge and relationship with God and each other.**

**Today's Events**

Leave for Pettijohn Springs:  
9:00 a.m.

Olson/Thornton Wedding Shower  
2:00 p.m.

**Upcoming Events**

- July 20** – Meal: Sub Sandwiches, Veggie Tray, Chips, Texas Sheet Cake
- July 16-23** – Pettijohn Springs Camp Ocho
- July 17-23** – LCCC Senior Session
- July 24** - H.O.P.E. Group: 6:00 p.m.
- July 24-25** – Float Trip
- July 27** – Pizza, Salad, Cookies
- July 31** – Potluck & Labor Auction
- Aug 13** – Back to School Bash: 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
- Aug 14** - H.O.P.E. Group: 6:00 p.m.
- Aug 19** – Youth Lock-In
- Aug 31** – Stamp Out Starvation

**Birthdays:**

- 17<sup>th</sup> ..... Dan Kent
- 19<sup>th</sup> ..... Brenda Wright
- 23<sup>rd</sup> ..... Baylor Burford

**Anniversaries:**

- 17<sup>th</sup> ..... Wayne & Dena Schoeling
- 20<sup>th</sup> ..... Dudley & Megan Darrow
- 23<sup>rd</sup> ..... Robb & Carrie Mills

**Order of Worship**

<b>Welcome/Announcements/Scripture Reading</b> .....	<b>Erik Granberg</b>
<b>Pilgrim's Praise</b> .....	<b>Derek Tinius</b>
<b>Song Leader</b> .....	<b>Robb Mills</b>
#277 .....	<i>Shout Hallelujah</i>
#163 .....	<i>Come Now is the Time</i>
<b>Prayer</b> .....	<b>Chris Taylor</b>
#175 .....	<i>Wonderful Merciful Savior</i>
#70 .....	<i>We Shall Assemble</i>
#130 .....	<i>Come to the Table</i>
<b>Communion Talk</b> .....	<b>Dudley Darrow</b>
#299 .....	<i>At the Name of Jesus</i>
#295 .....	<i>Holy Spirit</i>
<b>Sermon: Walking Through Acts: The Spirit Comes</b> .....	<b>Erik Granberg</b>
#139 .....	<i>Light the Fire</i>
<b>Shepherd's Prayer</b> .....	<b>Dan Kent</b>

<b>Nursery</b> .....	<b>Jamie Barr</b>
<b>Sound Booth/Slides</b> .....	<b>TBD</b>

**Sermon Scripture:** Acts 2

**Sermon Thought:** The Spirit's appearance at Pentecost was tumultuous-rushing wind, flames of fire, a cacophony of languages being spoken at once, shouting and confusion. God may reveal himself this way or may be in a gentle breeze. Either way God is with us.

**Sermon Questions:**

1. Why do you think the Holy Spirit came so dramatically?
2. How had the Spirit been at work before this time?
3. What was the thrust of Peter's sermon given to the people on Pentecost?

## Heroes of Faith

### Hosea

Hosea is an incredible **hero of faith** by what God asked him to do and the prophetic message he proclaimed. His name means “salvation,” and that is the outcome God desired for Israel because they were engaged in religious apostasy. To demonstrate what God saw from his heavenly perspective, he told Hosea to marry a harlot. “Go, take to yourself a wife of harlotry and have children of harlotry, for the land commits great harlotry by forsaking the Lord” (Hosea 1:2). Hosea did as the Lord asked and married Gomer who bore him three children.

We can’t even begin to imagine the agony and personal grief our **hero of faith** felt as Gomer then gave herself to be a lover of other men. Her life of harlotry portrays the immoral state that Israel was in before God. While they kept the name of God, they gave themselves to the ritual and practices of Baal. What an amazing picture of God’s love as Hosea even took care of Gomer’s physical needs while she was committing immoral sexual acts. Then God told him to take her back and love her again as his wife. “Go again, love a woman who is beloved of a paramour and is an adulteress; even as the Lord loves the people of Israel, though they turn to other gods and love cakes and raisins” (vs. 2:1). Hosea was obedient to God in all he asked, and his experience gave him a powerful message to proclaim to Israel. Hosea’s prophecy against Israel resulted in God taking them back just as he did Gomer. God tells Israel, “For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice, the knowledge of God, rather than burnt offerings” (vs. 6:6). The life of our **hero of faith** stands as a testimony for our lives and the great nation of America to be mindful of our faithfulness and obedience to his commands. “...for the ways of the Lord are right, and the upright walk in them, but transgressors stumble in them” (vs.14:9).

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### Camp Mail

Here is a list of campers/workers going to Pettijohn Springs this week. Let’s encourage them with some mail!

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#### Campers

Houston Moore  
Ally Coker  
Connor Key  
Caleb Key  
Sofia Simmons  
Michael Granberg  
Amarah Granberg  
John Granberg  
Kayden Lawrence

#### Workers

Kim Tinius  
Nate Tinius  
Derek Tinius  
Jennifer Barclay

### Next Week’s (7/24/22) Servants:

**Song Leader:** Dee Plummer

**Opening Prayer:** Derek Tinius

**Communion  
Talk:** Cole Roberts

**Shepherd’s  
Prayer:** Pat Meek

**Sound Booth/  
Slides:** Dudley Darrow

**Nursery:** Jeanita Meek

### New Prayer Concerns:

**Jaqueline Anderson** – prayers for concerning checkups this month: colonoscopy, thyroid tumor, echocardiogram

**Karma Barker** – recovering from quadruple bypass surgery

### Pilgrim’s Praise Memory Assignment:

1 John 3:8

The Son of God appeared for this purpose, to destroy the works of the devil. (NASB)

### Items to be collecting for future outreaches:

- Money to help Stamp Out Starvation (Aug)
- Empty toilet paper rolls
- Empty paper towel rolls
- Gently used backpacks, duffel bags, rolling children’s suitcases (Nov)
- Toiletries from hotels or travel sized (March)