

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND DATES

Aaron Sleege's Grad party will be May 24<sup>th</sup>, from 2-5, here at the building.

Emma Wallis will be leaving on her Mission Trip to Liberia on May 30th.

Gerry Moser's 90<sup>th</sup> birthday party will be July 12<sup>th</sup> from 12-4 at the Toddville Legion Hall.

## THOSE PRIVILEGED TO SERVE

|                         | 5/11           | 5/18           |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Greeter</b>          | Art W.         | Jacob S.       |
| <b>Song leader</b>      | Nate M.        | Noah R.        |
| <b>Prayer</b>           | Kim S.         | Terry T.       |
| <b>Table</b>            | Andrew S.      | Art W.         |
|                         | Aaron S.       | Kim S.         |
| <b>Scripture Reader</b> | Ben M.         | Liam K.        |
| <b>Speaker</b>          | Art W.         | Troy W.        |
| <b>Closing Prayer</b>   | Andy K.        | Troy W.        |
| <b>Communion Prep</b>   | Joyce H.       | Joyce H.       |
| <b>Speaker- PM</b>      | Noah R.        | Steve H.       |
| <b>Wed. Song Leader</b> | Nate M. (5/14) | Andy K. (5/21) |

# Welcome to

## CENTER POINT ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST

We are a family whose purpose is to glorify God, lead others to Christ, minister to people's needs, and encourage each other to grow in faith and in His word so we may enjoy eternal life with Him.

## ASSEMBLY TIMES

Sunday

9:30 Bible Classes

10:30 Worship Service

6:00 Worship Service

Available live on the church website or YouTube

Wednesday

7:00 Bible Classes

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## MAY 11, 2025

# ARE YOU READY?

By: Glen Elliott

Several centuries ago, New College was founded at Oxford University in England. The buildings were donated by the Earl of Wykeham. The main assembly hall was supported by great oak timbers taken from the Earl Estate. About a century later, the timbers supporting the roof needed to be replaced. The school's trustees asked the descendants of the Earl if they would like to continue the tradition and give money for the beams. The following response was received: "The trees are ready and waiting for you because at the time the Earl gave the original timbers he had planted a new grove of oak trees and had said to his family: 'Those trees ought to be ready for the new beams about the time the old ones wear out.'" It is not often that people give thought to things that will take place after their own lifetime. Faith is what helps the child of God look beyond this life and live in a manner befitting one who has placed his hope in the next life. Our heroes of faith were men and women who lived for a better future. Theirs was a vision which exceeded the temporal. They sought "a better country, that is a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; for He has prepared a city for them" (Heb. 11:16). Something better awaits those who have the faith to plan ahead. The word of God tells us that there is a great day coming. We cannot see it now, but we know that it is coming. The certainty of the Day of Judgment rests squarely upon the veracity of Jesus Christ Himself and His resurrection from the dead. Jesus is coming again, not to set up an earthly kingdom, but to judge the world in righteousness (Acts 17:30-31). Preparation for that day involves placing our faith and trust in Jesus and following His plan. Only then, can we be ready for that day to come.

## PLAN OF SALVATION

Hear the Gospel - Romans 10:17

Believe the Gospel - Hebrews 11:6

Repent - Acts 2:38

Confess Jesus as Lord - Romans 10:9-10

Be Baptized - 1 Peter 3:21

Remain Faithful - Revelation 2:10

## *Birthdays and Anniversaries*



5/3: Kayla Wallis  
5/9: Colleen Long  
5/10: Esse Wallis  
5/12: Isla Powell  
5/15: Wayne McGowan

5/21: Billy Clubb  
5/22: Cami Michael  
5/23: Donna Thompson  
5/27: Edna Tull



5/11: Roger and Lois Cronquist  
5/16: Noah and Abby Riggs  
5/17: Travis and Molly Pierson  
5/26: Art and Nancy Wallis  
5/27: Steve and Joyce Haugsted  
5/28: Larry and Cami Michael  
5/31: Billy and Julie Clubb

## PRAYER LIST

- **Gerry Moser** - Health
- **Marnetta Tillman** - Health
- **Doug Phillips** - Health
- **Sharla Ashcraft** - MS
- **Patty Forkenbrock** - Cancer
- **Melanie Sides** - Cancer
- **Anthony Bishop** - Heart issues
- **Cami Michael** - Cancer
- **Jeff Tracy** - Stage 4 cancer
- **Roger and Lois Cronquist** - on vacation May 14<sup>th</sup> - May 28<sup>th</sup>.
- **Marci Lass** - Cancer has returned.
- **Dawn White** - Surgery scheduled for May 20<sup>th</sup>.
- **Jacy Saucedo** - Health
- **Kyle Wallis** - Rare blood clot, surgery scheduled for May 8<sup>th</sup>.
- **Mr. Fleming** - Diagnosed with Stage 4 Brain Cancer
- **Theresa Norman** - Death of her husband
- **Clarke Family** - Birth of their daughter Alivia



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