



Pleasant Grove Road CHURCH OF CHRIST

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday, Bible Classes 9:30 A.M.

Auditorium Adult Bible Class
Individual Age Groups
Children Classes

Sunday, Worship 10:30 A.M.

Wednesday, Bible Study 7:00 P.M.

Auditorium Adult Bible Class
Individual Age Groups
Children Classes

Preacher

Bill Weaver
Cell (321)231-4092
Office Hours: 8:30 - Noon
Tuesday - Friday

Youth Minister

Drake Rowell

Children's Education Director

Tonya Johnson

Our Elders

Doug Schneider
Mike Feeser
Brian Wyman

Our Deacons

Tommy Adkins
Charles Brinegar
JR Gallery
Ernie Lyon

Church Secretary

Diana Roberts
352-344-9173

Email bulletin announcements to

pgr@tampabay.rr.com
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Pleasant Grove

Using 3523449173

Annex Wi-Fi Pleasant Grove 2

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Welcome Visitors

Good morning visitors. Thank you for being here today.
We feel blessed to have this opportunity to worship with you.

Please take a moment to fill out a visitor's card

Place the card in the collection plate.

You may also text "Guest" to 321-231-4092.

AUGUST 9, 2026

I Run for My Colors (Philippians 3:17-21)

"Join together in
following my example,
brothers and sisters,
and just as you have us
as a model, *keep your eyes*
on those who live as we do."

 Philippians 3:17 NIV 



Announcements & Upcoming Events



**Life Groups next meeting
8/23/26 at 5:30pm**

5th Sunday

Sunday, August 30, 2026

Special Contribution for the New Roof
and Pot Luck

Please join us for food and fellowship
immediately following Worship Service.



**POLISHING THE
PULPIT
SEVIERVILLE
TENNESSEE**



August 14-20, 2026

At the Sevierville Convention Center in Sevierville, TN

A workshop for every member of the Lord's Church.

WE HAVE OVER 600 SESSIONS AND 150 SPEAKERS EACH YEAR, ALL FOCUSED ON BRINGING GOD THE GLORY.

If you are interested in learning more about this event, go to their website
<https://polishingthepulpit.com/> or see Brian Wyman



**COMING THIS FALL
TO PGR**

**Homeschool Co-op
Foundations of Faith**

**Registration will be
accepted until 9/10/26, provided
spaces are still available.**

**Class begins on 9/10/26 and
will be each Thursday 10am—
2:30pm. Call 352-293-1455 for
more information.**

WONDERFUL WEDNESDAYS AT PGR

8/12/26

"FAMILY TABLE"

6:00—6:45 PM

Salad and Pizza

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR
THE FOOD &
FELLOWSHIP**

**WEDNESDAY CLASSES AT
7PM**

PGR Kids Crew

Interactive Learning
Program
for children ages 2—12

PGR Teens

Coffee house setting
for teens

Wednesday Adult Class

Taught by Bill Weaver
In the auditorium

Additional Information

Sunday Morning Services

August 9, 2026

Greeters.....Theado\Barnes

Usher.....Joe Theado

Order of Worship

Singing.....Christian Gallery

Announcements.....Mike Feeser

Opening Prayer.....Mike Feeser

Lord's Supper.....Jacob Hensley

Direct Thoughts

Serve (Bread).....Tom Adkins

Serve (Cup).....Danny Callahan

Serve (Offering).....Gene Maynard

Serve.....James Widener

Serve.....Rob Brewer

Sermon.....Bill Weaver

Closing Prayer.....Larry Steele

Wed. Bible Study August 12, 2026

Adult Class/Devo.....Bill Weaver

Singing.....Gene Maynard

Prayer.....Jeff Wilson

Sunday Morning Services

August 16, 2026

Greeters.....Theado\Barnes

Usher.....Brian Wyman

Order of Worship

Singing.....Quade Feeser

Announcements.....Quade Feeser

Opening Prayer.....Brian Wyman

Lord's Supper.....Drake Rowell

Read Isaiah 53:3-7

Serve (Bread).....Bill Good

Serve (Cup).....Jeff Wilson

Serve (Offering).....Tom Adkins

Serve.....Larry Steele

Serve.....Eli Adkins

Sermon.....Jacob Hensley

Closing Prayer.....Rick Runyon

Wed. Bible Study August 19, 2026

Adult Class/Devo.....Bill Weaver

Singing.....Mike Feeser

Prayer.....Rick Runyon

Happy Birthday and Anniversary to...



August Birthdays

Jeff Wilson (10)

Alex Perez (14)

Abby Wyman (22)

Walker Tyler (22)

Diana Steele (22)

Brenda Weaver (22)

Denise Dix (23)

Myrta Fontaine (24)

Matt Brinegar (24)

Jensen Hill (28)

John Cushing (28)

Laura Adkins (29)

August Anniversaries

Byron & Patti Jolly (18)

Gene & Cindy Maynard (21)

Chuck & Jennifer Brinegar (23)

Ernie & Debbie Lyon (28)

September Birthdays

Pam Brewer (3)

Tom Milianta (7)

Ariana Hensley (8)

Shelby Jordan (10)

Philip Maynard (10)

Lindsey Rowell (12)

LaWanda Watt (12)

Robin Center (12)

If you are unable to serve, please **CALL** or **TEXT** Ernie Lyon in advance at 407-840-9618.

ENCOURAGEMENT CENTER

2026 Theme-Faith in Action -

August- Embracing God 's Grace

IF YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE NEEDING ENCOURAGEMENT OR

IF YOU NEED ENCOURAGEMENT,, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO

MAKE USE OF THE ITEMS PROVIDED

Scan QR to
give on line



**PGR CHURCH
APP
AVAILABLE IN
YOUR APP**

Scan to download
the app



Ladies
Bible Study on
Tuesday
canceled until
August 18, will be in
Chapter 10.

For the Record
8/2/26

Budget.....\$ 4,470

Contribution.....\$ 3,504

Attendance.....112

PGR Missions

Central Florida Bible Camp
Footprints Project
India Mission

"The grace of our
LORD was poured out
on me abundantly,
along with the faith
and love that are in
CHRIST JESUS "
~1 Timothy 1:14

Burned Out? Choose the Better!

There is a particular kind of tiredness that sleep cannot fix. It is the weariness of a soul that has been running hard, giving much, and feeling as though it is never quite enough. Many faithful people know this feeling well. They serve, they work, they teach, they help, they show up again and again, yet somewhere along the way the joy quietly drains out of it all. If that describes where you are, take heart. The Lord has something better for you, and He teaches it to us through a familiar scene in a small house in Bethany.

Luke tells the story of Mary and Martha in Luke 10:38-42. They were sisters who were focused on different things. Mary was focused on the teachings of Jesus while Martha was focused on serving everyone. Notice first that Martha was not doing anything wrong. Hospitality is good. Serving the Lord is good. Working hard for others is a noble thing. Martha loved Jesus and wanted to honor Him with her labor. Yet the very good thing she was doing had begun to pull her apart. The text says she was "distracted with much serving" and "anxious and troubled about many things." Her service had stopped feeding her soul and started consuming it. This is the doorway to burnout. It rarely comes from doing evil; it usually comes from doing good things while neglecting the one thing that matters most.

When Jesus gently repeated her name, "Martha, Martha", He was not scolding her for working. He was calling her back to Himself. He diagnosed the real problem, she was anxious and troubled, weighed down by many concerns, when only "one thing is necessary." Mary had discovered that one thing. She sat at the feet of Jesus and listened. She chose the good portion, and Jesus promised it would not be taken away from her.

Here is the lesson for the burned-out heart. When we try to serve God without first sitting at the feet of God, we run on empty. Service becomes a burden instead of joy, a source of resentment instead of a source of rest. We begin to measure ourselves against others, as Martha measured herself against Mary, and bitterness creeps in. The cure is not to stop serving. The cure is to choose the better, to return to the feet of Jesus, to His word, to prayer, to the quiet nearness of the Savior who alone can renew a tired soul.

If you are burned out today, consider a few practical ways to choose the better. Begin by returning to the word of God with an unhurried heart, sitting as Mary sat and letting His teaching soak in. "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly" (Colossians 3:16). Give yourself to unhurried prayer, casting your burdens where they belong, "casting all your anxieties on him, because he cares for you" (1 Peter 5:7). Do not neglect the assembly of the saints, for we were never meant to run this race alone. We are to keep "encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near" (Hebrews 10:25).

So if your soul is tired, hear the Master's gentle voice calling your name. He does not condemn your work; He invites you closer. Lay down the anxious striving, come and sit at His feet, and choose the good portion that will never be taken from you. Then rise renewed, and let us "not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up" (Galatians 6:9).

If you need a prayer request added, updated or removed , please use the back of the welcome card and place the card in the collection plate.

Or, you may Email the request to pgr@tampabay.rr.com or text 352-601-7306.

PGR Family Prayer Requests

**Wayne Jordan,-Health Concerns, Margaret Gay-Health Concerns, Jacob Hensley-Surgery 8/17,
For all of our Teachers and Students to have a successful School Year, Pray for the success of our
Home School students and our New Home School Coop- Foundations of Faith**

Friends & Family Prayer Requests

Ongoing Prayer Needs

**Larry Hartman, Tonyia Johnson's Father, Mardy Gardner, Bill Fondren, India Mission,
Polly Fernandez (Hoover) , Lu Ann Sweet (Theado's), Sue Wolf, Barbara Ramsay, Gail Wyman,
Sara Everhart (former member), Marinette Draine (former member), Larry Tedrow (Elgin)
Neil Gallery (Gallery), April DeStefano (Wyman), Beverly Turbee (Roberts)
Eric & Rachel Giboney (Steele), Jamie Kita (Maitland), Shannon Flanagan (George),
Steve & Kathy Hoelzer (Theado's), Stu Edgar (Heinz), Claire Costa (Wyman), Penny Johnson (Elgin)**

Those Serving Our Country

Garret Wyman, Courtney Towels (Barnes), Brendan Grove and Jacob Grove (Vaughn), Jon Carroll (Roberts)