

Luke 5:1-9 (NASV)

- 1 Now it happened that while the crowd was pressing around Him and listening to the word of God, He was standing by the lake of Gennesaret;
- 2 and He saw two boats lying at the edge of the lake; but the fishermen had gotten out of them and were washing their nets.
- 3 And He got into one of the boats, which was Simon's, and asked him to put out a little way from the land. And He sat down and *began* teaching the people from the boat.
- 4 When He had finished speaking, He said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch."
- 5 Simon answered and said, "Master, we worked hard all night and caught nothing, but I will do as You say *and* let down the nets."
- 6 When they had done this, they enclosed a great quantity of fish, and their nets *began* to break;
- 7 so they signaled to their partners in the other boat for them to come and help them. And they came and filled both of the boats, so that they began to sink.
- 8 But when Simon Peter saw *that*, he fell down at Jesus' feet, saying, "Go away from me Lord, for I am a sinful man!"
- 9 For amazement had seized him and all his companions because of the catch of fish which they had taken;

John 21: 15-17 (NASV)

- 15 So when they had finished breakfast, Jesus "said to Simon Peter, "Simon *son* of John, do you love Me more than these?" He "said to Him, "Yes, Lord; You know that I love You." He "said to him, "Tend My lambs."
- 16 He "said to him again a second time, "Simon, *son* of John, do you love Me?" He "said to Him, "Yes, Lord; You know that I love You." He "said to him, "Shepherd My sheep."
- 17 He "said to him the third time, "Simon, *son* of John, do you love Me?" Peter was grieved because He said to him the third time, "Do you love Me?" And he said to Him, "Lord, You know all things; You know that I love You." Jesus *said to him, "Tend My sheep.

- Reference Matthew 13
 Matthew 4
 Matthew 14
 Deuteronomy 31:6
 John 21:1-9

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We want to take this time to thank each one of you for being here today and being a part of our worship to the One, True, Living God Jesus Christ. If you are visiting with us today we are so glad you have come our way and invite you back when you are able and would ask if you would remain after services a brief moment so we might get the chance of meeting and welcoming you here in person. Again a special Thank You to each of you today.

Looking for a church home? Interested in a group or personal bible study? Looking for some assistance or know of someone who does. Please take the time to meet with us we would love to know how we may serve you.

This is a special week as our new postcards will be mailed out this week covering the west side of town. Please be praying for this effort and that these will get to those who may be searching for God, searching for a church home. In addition please pick up a few to mail out yourself just address them and add a stamp or you can address them and leave them with us and we can mail them for you.

The stories from the Old and New Testament that we read are for our learning. So often I have used the phrase "Renewing the mind" and "Transformation." What does that mean what does that look like? Its important to know and see. Today I want to use Peter as our example I really couldn't think of a better example from start to finish than the life of Peter to witness true renewing and transformation. Our text reference and scriptures remember are found on the back of this bulletin.

Worship And Study Opportunities

Sunday:

Bible School.....9:30 A.M
Worship.....10:30 A.M
Evening Worship....6:00 P.M

Wednesday:

Ladies Bible Class.....10:30 A.M.
Mid-Week Bible Class....7:00 P.M.

ELDER OF THE MONTH:.....Eric Sharum

ANNOUNCEMENTS:.....Bryan Cain

RECORDS OF THE WEEK

Bible School:	44
Morning Worship:	86
Evening Worship:	38
Mid-Week:	36
Ladies Class:	12
Contribution:	\$4,373.00
Weekly Budget:	\$3,909.00

THOSE WHO SERVE:

Sunday Morning:

Opening Prayer:Weldon Flanagan
Closing Prayer:Tommy Bowden

Sunday Evening:

Opening Prayer:Keith Parrish

Wednesday Evening:

Opening Prayer:David Byrd

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If you would like to see a past sermon you can go to our web site and click on the weekly sermons tab.

PRAYERS NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING: Glen Wampler’s brother-in-law Ross Bransford is seriously ill in Texas. He is improving and will be in the hospital 2 more days. Max Goodgion, who lived in Lawton years ago, has cancer. His address is 10404 Johnson Drive, Manassas, Virginia 22110 if you would like to send a card.

MONDAY NIGHT FOR THE MASTER will be this Monday September 12 at 6:00 p.m. at the Student Learning Center. Be sure and sign a blue card Sunday if you are going to attend.

The Ladies who will be bringing cookies are:

Shirley Mueller
Dana Parrish
Sue Peddy
Jo Ann Valdez

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- 18 - Denice Ross
- 22 - Danny Shook
- 23 - Debbie Brandon
- 25 - James Bolton

SEPTEMBER CALENDAR

- 7 - Ladies Wednesday Class
- 12 - Monday Night For The Master
- 18 - Monthly Luncheon

UPDATE for the Churches of Christ Disaster Relief Effort is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway.

NORTHWEST LADIES DAY - SEPTEMBER 10, 2016 - LIVE & FINISH STRONG - Worldliness VS. Righteousness - Begins at 9:00 AM - Registration coffee and breakfast - Lunch will be provided **SPEAKER:** Rose Crayton from Frisco, Texas - **R.S.V.P. By Sept. 1, 2016** (580) 353-4230

LADIES DAY: Plan to join us for our 4th Annual Ladies Day - Family - Our Circle of Love - Saturday, September 24, 2016 at 9:30 A.M. - Registration & Brunch at 9:00 a.m. Meal after program about 12:00 - Speaker: Molly Lemmons - Hosted by ladies at Prairie Hill Church of Christ - 79476 N 2820 Rd Comanche, Ok. 73529-9662 - RSVP by September 19, 2016 - e-mail: mpineda@pldi.net or (580)439-6665

LADIES DAY: Sullivan Village church of Christ - October 8, 2016 - 10 A.M. - 531 SE 45th Street, Lawton, Ok. Speaker: Wendy Rutledge of Mount Vernon, Texas - tiptoe OR run? - Coffee - lesson - lunch

CONTINUED PRAYER LIST: Roy Bennett, J.L. & Claudine Bolton, Barbara Bolton, Debbie Bowden, Tim, Karee & Clay Curtis, Weldon Flanagan, Kenneth Gregory, Kaiden Higgins, Leroy & Pat Horn, Brad & LaDonna McKinzie, Letha Owens, Jean Parrish, Sue Peddy, Kenny Richardson, Velma Shook, Dwaine Zacharias, David Byrd’s father, Bryan Cain’s father, Johnny Burch, Randy Hill, Glenda Kinney.

EXTENDED CARE:

Kenneth Gregory is in Willow Park in room 2 C.

Joyce Ray is in Cedar Crest in room 115.

Jack Treffinger is in McMahan in room A82B

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Pray Without Ceasing!

1 Thessalonians 5:17
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In Case You Missed It

Matthew 13:23 But he who received seed on the good ground is he who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and produces: some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.”

If you keep a grain of wheat in your pocket, it will look exactly the same ten years from now. In fact I had heard of one account that had to do with aged wheat and that one person found wheat dating back to the time of Jesus and they planted it and guess what it grew.....notice too this says the seed that landed on good soil.....Its about placing it in the right environment — some good ground, enough water — it will sprout into a living sheaf of grain! Every kind of life requires its particular corresponding environment in order to achieve its full potential. It’s no different with the seeds of the fruit of the Spirit in our hearts! God has readily made available to us the seeds of success. He gives us the opportunity to live a life of much fruit! A life abounding in the fruit of love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith and self-control. But if they are just sitting there dormant in our pocket — nothing will happen.....and I hope we are not just sitting and waiting ‘til we decide to plant them and allow them to become growth in our lives. The question for us is Is your soil fertile and ready? Let’s plant some seeds today and invite the Lord to water and nourish them so that we can produce fruit one-hundred fold for the Kingdom as this passage illustrates. We have to be willing to plant...water.....