



Learning to live
&
love like
JESUS.

MARCH 2026

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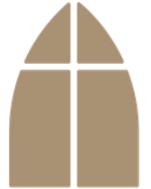
Welcome. We are glad you are here!

Scan the code to download our Creekside App.

Fill out the Connect Card so we can know you were our guest and follow up with you!



CONNECT *with* CREEKSIDE



Newer to Creekside? A great next step is the Connect with Creekside Class on **March 8th, 2026!** We will serve you lunch in our community room, provide childcare, and spend some time helping you understand who we are as a church and how we can better partner with you in God's calling on your life. This is a great way for you to let us know that Creekside is your church home, connect more intentionally with pastors, and make sure you are linked into our communications and ministry opportunities.



jesus is...

In ancient Israel, prophets, priests, and kings were each anointed—set apart to speak for God, minister to God's people, and lead them in righteousness. The title Messiah means "Anointed One," and Jesus uniquely fulfills all three roles. He is the voice of truth in a world of confusion, the mediator who brings us near to God, and the sovereign King who leads us with compassion and power. In this series leading to Easter, we'll explore how Jesus embodies these roles—and what that means for those who follow Him.

 MARCH 1ST
PRAYER SUNDAY

 MARCH 8TH
BAPTISM SUNDAY

 MARCH 15TH
COMMUNION SUNDAY

 MARCH 29TH
PALM SUNDAY

Every Week @THE CREEK

WEDNESDAY ELECTIVES

ONGOING CLASS:

The Story of Daniel

STUDIES BEGINNING MARCH 25TH:

FEARLESS PARENTING



Even parents of “easy” kids can slip into anxiety-driven parenting. Fearless Parenting offers a more therapeutic, Christ-centered approach for when behavior-based methods fall short—giving practical tools to grow and respond the way God parents us.



THE PARABLES OF JESUS



Jesus was a master storyteller. Rather than simply delivering information, He sparked imagination and invited contemplation. Together, we will sit with these short stories, asking not only what they meant then, but how they are meant to form us now. Simple on the surface, yet profoundly deep. Come ready to let Jesus' words shape your imagination—and your life.

Questions?

Email: Neil@pryorcreekside.church



CELEBRATE RECOVERY EVERY THURSDAY

Celebrate Recovery is a Christ-Centered Recovery Program. It is a safe place to discover healing and restoration from hurts, habits & hang-ups. We encourage you to come and check out the large group gathering to learn more about how Celebrate Recovery works and what it's all about.

Thursday Night (at a glance)

5:45 - Meal in Community Room

6:30 - Large Group Worship & Testimony

7:30 - Open Share Groups

*Childcare is provided - 5th Thursday's of the month will be an extended time of worship and connection with God.

Want more information?

Contact the Church Office at 918.825.1062

Exploring the issues:

The Effects of Physical, Sexual and Emotional Abuse.

Recovery is a TWO FOLD PROCESS in this case. The first step is healing from the traumas done to us in our past, and the second step is healing from the influence these past experiences continue to have on our lives.

How do we find recovery?

Through a relationship with Jesus Christ, our Savior and Higher Power, and working the 8 principles and the Christ-centered 12 steps, we can find freedom from our hurts, habits and hang-ups.

12-Step Study Groups

Men's - Starting January 2026 (See Randy)

Women's - New Study To Be Announced!

WEEKLY TIMES

SUNDAY MORNINGS

- * 9am - Adult, Student, & Kids Small Groups
- 10:30 am - Adult & Student Worship, Kids Large Group

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

- * 5-6pm - Pre-ordered meal pickup
- 6pm - Kids & Students Large Group, Adult Electives

THURSDAY NIGHTS

- * 5:45pm - Dinner
- 6:30pm - Celebrate Recovery Large Group



Bell Tower ECHOES

BELL TOWER BLESSING



Historically, church bells have rung to remind us to lift our eyes to heaven and our hearts in prayer. Each **Wednesday at 10:00am**, we gather beneath our historic bell for a time of blessing and prayer.



FIRST SUNDAY HYMN SING

Sunday, March 1st at 8:30am

We invite you to join us on March 1st at 8:30am, for a Hymn Sing. We will gather in and around the bell tower and lift our voices to some of the most beloved and timeless hymns of our faith. Coffee and pastries are served, and we will conclude our singing in time to attend Community Groups at 9am.



PRAYER TEAM HUDDLE

Following the Bell Tower Blessing, our intercessory prayer team gathers for self-guided prayer around the building, asking for God's presence to be deeply felt at Creekside and interceding for the needs of our church family. All are welcome to join the prayer team any week you are available.



Gather at the Table

THE SON OF MAN CAME EATING & DRINKING...



WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS

Every Wednesday evening, pre-ordered meals are available from 5:00–6:00 p.m. Simply place your order through our app by scanning the QR Code by Monday evening and enjoy a Chick-fil-A sandwich, chips, fruit, dessert, and a beverage. Meals are \$7 each.

We hope that these meals make Wednesday nights a little easier for your family and create a welcoming space to gather, eat, and fellowship together before evening activities.

CREEKSIDE MEN'S BREAKFAST

Join us on **February 12th**, and on the second Thursday of each month at 8 am for biscuits and gravy and Charlie Spencer's Testimony. Come early for coffee and conversation.

JAZZ & JAMBALAYA

Join us **Thursday, February 26** at 11:30 AM for our Vintage Senior Luncheon! Enjoy delicious jambalaya and live music from the Pryor High School Jazz Band. We'd love to see you there for a great time of food, music, and fellowship.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

CR WOMEN'S COFFEE

Last Saturday of the month at Heritage Cafe - 9am

CR MEN'S BREAKFAST

2nd Tuesday of the month at Lu's Eastside Cafe - 8am



SUBMIT AN ONLINE ORDER!





Stories from the Staff

EGG-CITED TO SERVE TOGETHER! (ANDREW REHBEIN - LEAD PASTOR)

This year, Creekside has the opportunity to say “yes” to something special during Holy Week. We were invited by Life Fellowship Church to partner with them and several other local churches to provide Easter Egg Hunts for every elementary student in Pryor and Osage Schools — nearly 1,700 children in total.

We said yes because we want to be known as a church that gladly partners with other believers. The Kingdom is bigger than any one congregation, and this is a beautiful opportunity to stand shoulder to shoulder with other churches to extend hospitality and share an invitation to Easter hope.

Over three days of Holy Week, Easter Egg Hunts will be hosted for each grade level. Our role is twofold: first, Creekside is assembling the Easter egg collection bags students will use during the hunts. Second, we will help serve on-site — staffing the egg hunts and hosting an iced tea stand to give teachers a small but meaningful break.

There are several ways to get involved: help assemble bags, sort eggs, or serve at one of the school sites. You can find sign-up links in the Top 3 section of this Monthly, and we'll also have a sign-up table in the lobby on March 1.

Let's show our neighbors what it looks like when the Church comes together to serve with one heart and one hope.

Lincoln | Monday, March 30 - Jefferson | Tuesday, March 31 - Roosevelt | Thursday, April 2

Council Corner

BY KRISTY MCCOLLOUGH (2026 TREASURER)



When you give to Creekside, you're not just meeting a budget — you're fueling ministry, strengthening our future, and extending the Kingdom here and around the world.

Giving in 2025 exceeded our budget by 24%. This generosity enabled us to cover all operational needs, including increased costs for property insurance and maintenance, our growing Family Ministries programs, our Connection Ministry, and Fellowship Gatherings. Additionally, we were able to increase General Fund Reserves by \$23,475 for future budget needs.

Total missions funding for the year reached \$111,678, representing 12% of total giving. This supported all budgeted items and provided an additional \$33,000 for our annual mission contribution. Of that amount, \$14,000 has already been designated for the church headquarters in Zimbabwe.

Additionally, the council discussed our transportation needs this year. We were able to set aside \$29,340 for future purchases. Combined with a designated donation of \$10,000, our Vehicle Reserve Fund now has a total balance of \$39,340.

Because of your generosity, Creekside is not only meeting today's needs — we are preparing for tomorrow's opportunities. Thank you for investing faithfully in what God is doing through this church. If you have not yet begun giving, we invite you to prayerfully consider joining in this shared mission. Every gift, large or small, helps us continue cultivating a church that loves God, loves people, and serves our community and world in Jesus' name.



Creekside Cares

THE SON OF MAN CAME NOT TO BE SERVED, BUT TO SERVE...

Creekside has committed to partner with the Church of God in Zimbabwe as they build a headquarters church — a step that will allow them to be recognized as a sanctioned church by their government. This designation will enable them to legally conduct weddings, avoid further restrictions, and expand their ministry presence in the surrounding community, where they have secured land for this project.

Originally, we anticipated helping fund the first phases of construction: digging a well and building a perimeter fence. The good news is that other donors had already covered those costs. In God's provision, they discovered an incredible water reservoir — abundant in both quality and quantity — and the fence was completed in January. Members of the congregation have even volunteered to guard the property during construction to prevent theft and looting.

Because of the outpouring of generosity at Creekside — through surplus tithes and additional designated gifts — we were able to commit \$24,000 toward the next phase: constructing restroom facilities and beginning work toward the church structure itself.

This is especially meaningful because this same congregation once built latrines for their neighbors before investing in their own property. In Zimbabwe, bathrooms save lives by preventing cholera and other disease outbreaks. Their sacrificial heart first drew us to them — and now we have the joy of building bathrooms for them.

When you give to Creekside, you help turn sacrificial faith into tangible hope — clean water, safe facilities, and a lasting Gospel presence in Zimbabwe.

TOP **3** NEEDS

Get your serve on...

1

Palm Sunday Picnic

It's time again for our annual church family gathering to kick off Holy Week. If you are able to bring candy or smoke a pork butt for the meal, sign up here!



2

School Egg Hunts

Creekside will be partnering with other local churches to provide an egg hunt at all Pryor Elementary Schools during Holy Week. If you are able to join us for any of those days to help hide eggs for the kids and serve refreshing drinks to the teachers, sign up here!



3

Lawn & Garden

Spring is nearly here and with that comes a lot of outdoor maintenance around the church. If you would be willing to be a part of our mowing team or garden team, sign up here!



CREEKSIDE KIDS

Birth - Grade 5

pryorcreekside.church/kids

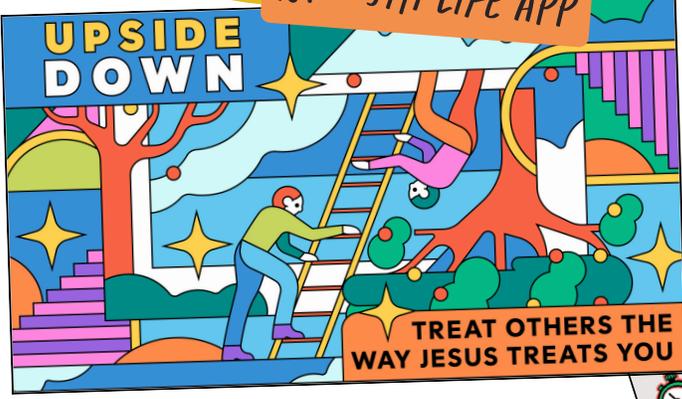
Follow us on social media!
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LIFE APP: JESUS IS AMAZING!

This month is all about celebrating our All Star, Jesus! The people who saw firsthand the miracles Jesus performed were amazed! And that is what we want for preschoolers this month. Every story we are telling will show them that Jesus really is amazing—He has power like no one else, and He loves us more than we can imagine!

1ST - 5TH LIFE APP



LIFE APP: HUMILITY

Though Jesus is King of the universe, He came humbly to serve—healing, listening to, and caring for the overlooked. This month, kids will explore how the Bible defines true success through humility and service, learning from examples like John the Baptist, the Roman commander, Mary, and Jesus Himself—who entered Jerusalem humbly and washed His disciples' feet. Through it all, they'll discover that real greatness comes from putting others first.



We're kicking off Spring Break with an epic day out! On Monday, 3/16, from 11:30 to 4:30, we'll enjoy lunch & an escape room challenge off campus. Scan the QR code for more information



Get ready for a Family Block Party in Kids Ministry on April 1st at 6:30 PM! Parents and kids will worship, explore a Bible story, and enjoy hands-on activities designed to help your family grow in Jesus—together.



A **FREE** celebration on **Friday, March 6th from 9:30am-10:30am** in the Creekside Kids Area for parents & preschoolers (0-5) with music, movement & fun! Older siblings welcome!



Join us for a 10-week Wednesday night series exploring some of the wildest stories in the Bible—and the powerful truth behind them. Kids will discover that God's Word is anything but boring, memorize a key Scripture, and learn that every story—even the crazy ones—matters. Come ready to laugh, learn, and say, "Wait... that's really in the Bible?!"



SAVE THE DATE

Kids Camp is coming! For completed 2nd-5th graders, join us June 8-12 at Camp Oakridge for an unforgettable week of fun, friends, and growing in faith. Cost is \$230, and registration closes May 17—don't miss it!



STUDENTS

at CREEKSIDE

Grades 6 - 12

pryorcreekside.church/students

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@pryorcreeksidestudents

RUMMAGE SALE

DROP OFF: NOW - MAR 3

SALE: MAR 6 - 7



Our Student Ministry is hosting its 5th annual Youth Rummage Sale, with all proceeds helping students attend summer events. Donations are being accepted at the Barn through March 3, setup will take place March 4-5, and the sale runs March 6-7 from 8:00 AM-2:00 PM. Students and parents can sign up to help with setup or during the sale using the provided link—thank you for supporting our students and investing in what God is doing in their lives!



It that time of year for a life changing week with our friends at Oakridge camp. Sign up for a time spent in worship, hearing a great speaker, late nights, laser tag, pool parties, and so much more. **Cost is \$230 and registration cut off is May 10th.**

OUR SPEAKER:



ANDI REHBEIN

Students have a message to share today! **Join us on March 25th** to hear a message from Creekside's own Andi Rehbein about the people we ought to honor and how to best do so.

SAVE THE DATE

- Rummage Sale - March 4-7
- Graduation Sunday - May 17
- Summer Kick Off - May 20
- Boot Camp - May 31
- Youth Camp - June 1-5
- IYC - June 28 - July 4
- Jr. High Retreat - July 30 - August 2
- Back to School Bash - August 16
- Resume Programming - August 19

Experiential

Join us on March 11th for one of our experiential services where we engage with our faith in surprising hands on ways. What is it? Who knows? But its bound to be transformative.

Upcoming Events



RUMMAGE SALE

March 6th & 7th from 8am to 2pm

We are gearing up for our annual rummage sale! Our student ministry is hosting this event, with all proceeds going to support their summer ministry experiences. You can help by **donating items anytime between now and March 3** at the church "barn." Then be sure to come shop the sale — and invite your friends and neighbors!



A CREEKSIDE RETREAT DAY

April 18th

Step away to be renewed during a guided time to rest, pray, and seek God in an unhurried setting. Through Scripture, silence, worship, and guided practices, this retreat offers space to be renewed, listen for God's voice, and reconnect with Him in a deeper, intentional way.

palm sunday
march 29

10:30 worship,
followed by picnic lunch
& egg hunts.

easter at CREEKSIDE

easter
april 5

9 & 10:30am worship,
celebrating the
risen Lord!

good friday
april 3

6:30pm worship,
communion & reflection
on the cross of Christ.



Community at CREEKSIDE

*Community Groups are a great place to connect.
These groups go deeper in discussion of the topics we
teach in our main gatherings.*

Find a Group!

Scan the code to explore Community Groups & Bible Studies for various ages & stages.



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OFFICE HOURS & CONTACT

- Mon. - Thurs. from 9am - 4pm
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CREEKSIDE SWAG STORE

Check out the Creekside Church Merch Online Store! Grab t-shirts, sweatshirts, hats, stickers, and more to represent Creekside in style. Proceeds support our Family Ministries, helping us invest in the next generation. Shop now with the **GOLD** QR code!

