

Casting the Vision

As vision casters of The Life Center, we believe that the Lord is expanding an opportunity to establish a banquet/fellowship hall. Since 2018, our church was moved to its new location on 29 acres. We would like to make more room for fellowship and functions as we continue to love on people, in whom we value. As ambassadors of Jesus Christ, we hold importance to teaching people, reaching people, and taking the gospel to the world. Loving people is what we are called to do. Our focus is not where we are, but it is in where we are going in Christ. Our world is changing around us, and we have to take the lead in developing believers, raising leaders, and changing lives. We ask that you join with us.

**GET
INVOLVED**

**JOIN A
GROUP**

WELCOME
We are happy to see you!

Weekly Schedule

Wednesday

Life Groups

Life Kidz

Student Ministries

7:00 PM

Thursday

Worship Team Rehearsal

6:15-8:30 PM

Sunday

Sunday School 10:00 AM

Worship Hour 11:00 AM

Life Weekly

August 23, 2026



The Life
Center

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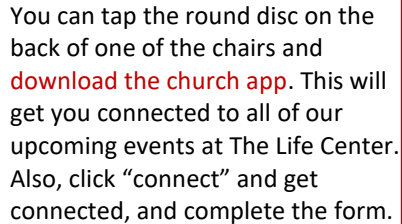
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As hope-builders and vision-casters, we believe that the Lord has mandated us to strive for the best, seeking God's will. The Life Center values people. As ambassadors of Jesus Christ, we hold importance to teaching people, reaching people, multicultural people, and family-centered people. Loving people is what we are called to do. Our focus is not where we are, but it is in where we are going in Christ. Our world is changing around us, and we must take the lead in developing believers, raising leaders, and changing lives. We ask that you join this ministry in every aspect imaginable.

Sept 20, 2026

Mark your calendars for our annual **Homecoming Sunday**. This is a great time to fellowship with the past and present of family and friends. We plan to have an inspiring message, uplifting worship and a delicious meal following the service. Please feel free to invite a special friend or loved one to join us on this special day.

FYI

Our mission team trip was completed and they were able to help 8-10 residents with toiletry items, a new deck installed by our men for the women to have access to their pond, and a wonderful home-cooked meal. We **would like to thank everyone** who attended or helped support this ministry. In His Service your gratitude and servitude are truly honored.

FYI

If anyone has any adult or children clothing, shoes or household items that you no longer need or want, please kindly donate to our thrift shop. We are currently in need of Fall items. For further details, feel free to contact Ms. Nancy. Thanks for your support and any contributions.

FYI

In regards to the meeting that the pastor discussed with us as a whole regarding our building expansion, please continue to brainstorm to get ideas how you or your team can implement a specific goal.... **A Building Project** for your church! *Keep in mind: The 5 Ps of a team: Purpose, Participation, Placement, Process and PLAN.*

The Sick and Shut-Ins
International Conflicts and Wars
Counseling & Prayer Center
The U.S. Military & U.S.A.
Henry Prevatte
The Nation of Israel

Bill Hough
Souls saved and baptized
Families and Marriages
The body of Christ
Thomas Smith
The Homeless

To be added or to add someone to the Prayer Request list, please call or email the church office. Easy email access can be found on the Church Center app.

Jacob showed his special love for Joseph by giving him a distinctive robe. Joseph's brothers saw their father's favoritism and became jealous and resentful toward him. Their jealousy created a growing hatred that would eventually lead them to betray their own brother. Joseph began having dreams that seemed to indicate that one day his brothers and even his family would bow down to him. Joseph told his brothers about the dreams, which only increased their hatred toward him. Even Jacob was troubled by what Joseph described, although he continued to think about the matter. Joseph's dreams were ultimately pointing toward God's future plan, but at this point neither Joseph nor his family understood how that plan would unfold.

Guard what God has placed in you. Not everybody needs to know everything God has shown you. Joseph told his brothers his dreams—and they weren't ready to celebrate them. Learn when to speak and when to stay silent. You don't need everybody's approval to obey God. You need God's direction. Don't confuse opposition with absence. Just because you're facing resistance doesn't mean God isn't with you. Joseph was in the pit. God was still with Joseph. Joseph was a slave. God was still with Joseph. Joseph was in prison. God was still with Joseph. And eventually Joseph stood in the palace. God had never left him. Keep moving toward what God showed you. The dream may not happen the way you imagined. Joseph dreamed of his brothers bowing down. He probably didn't dream about the pit. But God used every painful chapter to get Joseph to the place the dream required.

SERMON NOTES