

TO RESERVE OUR FACILITIES

We are happy that our building is used throughout each week by many different classes and groups. All building use needs must go through the main office for scheduling. You can contact Linda at 918.627.0783 or lindar@hptulsa.com to schedule your event.

Sermons

Sermons are available at hptulsa.com/media. Also, look for more HP content on Roku and Apple TV devices.

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- Brian Jennings: Lead Minister
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DO NOT FORWARD



LOVE GOD (WORSHIP)

DATE	IN PERSON	ON-LINE	TOTAL
June 07	133	43	176
June 14	170	43	213
June 21	156	45	201
June 28	153	40	193

AS GOD PROVIDES

YTD Need:	\$ 462,100.11
YTD Received:	\$ 473,004.92

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Text **VBSHELP** 918-228-5718 to volunteer
Text **VBS** 918-228-5718 to register kids!

July 21-24 6-8 PM

SUNSET BIBLE CAMP



Our HP kids had a fantastic time learning about God and how they are part of his perfect creation! One of our students was baptized! Thank you, Church, for supporting Sunset Bible Camp and giving these students (& MANY others!) the opportunity to unplug, have fun, and learn about God!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY,
HIGHLAND PARK!

HIGHLAND PARK LEARNING SCHOOL

Highland Park Learning School is now enrolling for the 2026/2027 school year. We are accepting enrollment to the 2's, 3's, and Pre-K classes. Text Istour to 918-225-5718.

Congratulations!



Jerry & Shirley Wade are proud great-grandparents to *Hudson Milo Wade*, born May 22.

Ron Powell is enjoying a new great-granddaughter, *Ruby Joy Haley*, born June 3 to *Jared & Kailey Haley*.



Mike & Jan Pride are rejoicing in the birth of their new grandson, *Ezra Michael Seymour*, born June 21 to *Josh & Maggie Seymour*.

OUR MISSION OF THE MONTH IS
CHRIST IN YOUTH.

OUR YOUTH

Lots of good times with HP Youth recently: grad parties, hang outs at the Gathering Place, learning how to cook with *Ashley Thalken* and best of all - CAMP!!!

Our intern, *Sahara*, and I took four middle school girls with us to Sunset Bible Camp, and I'm so thankful for the time we got to spend together learning about God and how He draws near to us. Our very own *Kyia Crosser* who came with us to camp decided to get baptized and we got to celebrate that with her and with all our church family! Congratulations, *Kyia*!

Over the summer, we'll be studying Ephesians 2:8-10. I'm excited to dig into these verses with the students to better understand God's love and grace and how we have a purpose within His plan.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

June 30-July 1 - Pickleball Camp

July 1 - 4th of July Party

July 13-17 - CIY MOVE

July 19 - CIY MOVE Follow-Up - Anyone in the church is welcome to come hear about how CIY was for our students.

July 26 - Senior Night

July 29 - Park Night for kids and youth

August 26 - Park Night for kids and youth

Welcome to the Family!



We welcome *Kyia Crosser* to the family of God. *Kyia* made her confession of faith at Sunset Bible Camp and was baptized at HP on June 21. *Kyia* is the daughter of *Angie Crosser*.

OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY

We extend our love and sympathy to *Shirley Wade* on the death of her sister-in-law, *Martha Brant*. She was 87 years old. *Jerry* and *Shirley* drove to Salem, Illinois, for the funeral that was on June 27.

The HP family is devastated by the death of *Masood Hozhabri*. He suffered a massive stroke on June 26 and passed away on June 28. A funeral service for *Masood* will be held at Highland Park on Friday, July 3. Please keep *Terri* and the family in your prayers.

"Precious in the eyes of the Lord is the death of His faithful servants." (Psalm 116:15)

GRIEFSHARE BEGINS AUGUST 12

Highland Park has offered GriefShare for 10 years. GriefShare is a network of faith-based, 13-week support groups designed to help individuals navigate the grieving process after the death of a loved one. It provides a safe, welcoming environment where participants can process difficult emotions, understand what is "normal" in grief, and learn coping strategies.

In our GriefShare support groups, we have had people who have experienced the loss of a spouse, a child, a parent or some other relationship with a close friend or relative. No type of relationship loss is more or less painful to those who survive that loss. Losses may be different, but no more or less significant.

GriefShare addresses the unpredictability of grief. It provides tools to help manage common struggles, such as, anger, guilt, depression, loneliness, sadness, daily living and financial challenges, and feeling stuck and learning how to move forward. GriefShare is not a group of people sitting around complaining about their sadness. Instead, it is a caring group of people who are experiencing the sadness of their own losses, but finding the tools to help them cope and recover.

To register, please go to www.GriefShare.org, click on the "find a group" tab, and click on Highland Park Christian Church. If you have questions, please contact our Pastoral Care Minister, *Dave Dunson*. You can reach him through the Church Office phone number, 918-627-0783, or by email at davidd@hptulsa.com.

OUR ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

The *Dunson Bible Class* will be continuing a study of the Book of James. Special thanks to *John Wilson* for teaching during *Dave's* recent absence. This class welcomes new members and meets in Room 201 at 9:30am each week.

The *Tyner Bible Class* continues to enjoy the *Facts of Acts* study. They meet in Room 114 at 9:00am on Sundays. We have room for you in our interactive study.

2:20 CENTER

Hello HP family! Summer is here! We have a few updates we would love to share with you and some *slightly* different donation requests for you to consider this month.

Jennifer and *Carole* were able to attend a yearly conference through the *Foodbank of Eastern Oklahoma* and, boy, the learning and inspiration they came back with! Stay tuned as we work through some updates in the 220 space and strive to make it an even more welcoming and safe environment for our neighbors and friends who come to visit every month.

We also wanted to share that we have been stretching our ministry out in another way the past few months by keeping emergency food bags on hand for anyone in immediate need on days the pantry itself isn't open. We ask you to pray that these short meetings to meet those critical food needs will lead to deeper connections and relationships. We also ask you to consider donating items to help fill those bags with things that are shelf-stable and require little to no prep. (think granola bars, beef jerky, water bottles, etc.)

As always, we appreciate your donations and support, as well as encouragement and prayer as we serve the mid-town neighborhood on your behalf.

The pantry will be open 9am-11am on July 11 and 25. Food delivery day will be July 20.

TOUGH QUESTIONS

Starting August 16th 2026

A SERMON SERIES OF HIGHLAND PARK CHRISTIAN CHURCH