

This Week at Texoma Cowboy Church!

Sunday

Sunday Morning Prayer Group 8:30 (in the children's wing)

Young Adults Life Group: Meets every other Sunday at 5:30 pm.

Check online for more details.

Monday

Precept Inductive Study: Deuteronomy

Monday nights in the Lodge from 6-7:30 pm

Tuesday

Faith Reins: Youth Horseback Ride - Tuesday nights at 6:00 pm

Faith Reins: Adult Horse Ride - First Tuesday night of each month at 6:00 pm

The Women's Group: Every Tuesday morning at 11 am

Men's Prayer Group- Meets n Lodge at 6:30 am

SICK Ministries Recovery Group: Starts at 6pm at 2100 9th St, Wichita Falls

Wednesday

[TX] Kids: AWANA from 6:00 - 7:30 pm

TX Youth: Mid-Week Service from 6:00 -7:00 pm

Bible Study with Pastor Bob: A Study on The Holy Spirit 6-7:30 pm

A meal will be served at 5:15 pm for those in the Wednesday Night studies.

Thursday

SICK Ministries Recovery Group: Starts at 6pm at 2100 9th St, Wichita Falls

Alive In Christ: A Discipleship Life Group- Starts at 6pm

For more info visit our website

www.texomacowboychurch.com

If you have questions about becoming a member or baptisms, please fill out a card from the back of a chair and drop it in the offering bucket. An elder will contact you.



A Mindset For Hope

Part of the 1 Peter Series



Oct 25, 2026

1 Peter 1:13, "Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ."

NOTES:

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APPLICATION:

Senior Pastor John Riggs

REVIEW last week:

Summary

What does it mean to live as a stranger in a world that is not our true home? In this powerful exploration of 1 Peter chapter 1, we are invited to reframe our entire understanding of life, struggle, and hope. The passage reminds us that we have been born again, not by our own effort or merit, but by the great mercy of God, into a living hope grounded in the resurrection of Jesus Christ. That word 'living' carries enormous weight. Our hope is not a wishful sentiment or a vague optimism. It is anchored in a risen Savior who conquered death, hell, and the grave. As we walk through Peter's words together, we discover that every Christian holds a future inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept safe in heaven and guarded by the very power of God.

Key Points

- The resurrection of Jesus Christ is the foundation of the Christian's living hope, proving that atonement was accepted, justification was secured, and reconciliation between God and man was made possible
- Christians are actively guarded and shielded by God's power through faith, and God Himself works through the Holy Spirit to strengthen and develop that faith
- Trials and difficulties serve as litmus tests that prove the genuine nature of faith and are used by God for the believer's growth and His own glory
- Death for the Christian is not defeat but victory and the reception of a long-awaited reward, while death for the unbeliever carries eternal consequences

Key Passages of Scripture:

- 1 Thessalonians 4 (general reference to grieving with hope)
- 2 Timothy 4:7-8 (Paul's crown of righteousness reference)
- 2 Thessalonians 2 (general reference to strong delusion)
- Matthew 7:13-14 (narrow gate, broad road)
- John 10:9 (Jesus as the door)
- John 11:25 (resurrection and the life)
- Colossians 1:13 (transferred into the kingdom of the Son)
- Ephesians 2:2 (prince of the power of the air)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

FALL MEN'S RETREAT

October 23rd - 25th

The [TX] Men are heading to Broken Bow!

REGISTRATION IS OPEN ONLINE!

SICK MINISTRIES: TRUNK r' TREAT

Saturday, October 31

2100 9th St, Wichita Falls

5:30- 7:00 pm

**PLEASE DROP OFF ALL CANDY DONATIONS AT [TX]
Church front office!**

[TX] KIDS FAMILY CAMPOUT

November 13th & 14th

Starts Friday 7pm and ends at 11 am Saturday

MORE DETAILS COMING!

[TX] CHRISTMAS IN THE ARENA

Saturday, DECEMBER 12th

Open to the community!

FREE ENTRY

Food, games, petting zoo, horse back rides, live nativity, and hay ride!

[TX] CANDLE LIGHT SERVICE

Sunday, December 20th

Doors open at 5:00 pm for fellowship and refreshments

Service starts at 5:30 pm

Communion will be taken.