

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

April 12, 2026



**The Life
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GOING FORWARD

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.

Upcoming Events

Biblical Counseling Class **March 1, 2026**

TLC will have class held in the Kingdom Bank Room beginning at the date listed above at **10am**. This class will give you an insight on prayer, reading and open discussion about teachings of Christ. Please see **Becky Scott** for any details.

Members Class **April 12, 2026**

Our church membership class will begin on the date as listed in the [Prayer & Conference Room](#) at **10 am**. This class will be in session for **3 weeks**. The class often covers the gospel, church bylaws, history, and the responsibilities of membership, such as attendance, giving, and serving. Feel free to contact [Pastor Michael or Mrs. Patrice](#) for any details.

Women’s Conference **May 8-9, 2026**

An empowering word to help women arise, walk boldly, and live surrendered. Spirit-led worship led through music, lyrical dance, and more. Register now for the **Women’s Conference!** A **head count** is required for lunch and refreshments purposes. **Friday (6 pm-9 pm) and Saturday (9:30 am-2 pm) Friday (6-6:30 pm, Check-In)** & Saturday: A light lunch & snacks will be served.

TLC Outpost **FYI**

We are in need of the following items for the **TLC Outpost**: Spring clothing, household items, kid & adult clothing and shoes. If you have any of these as requested, please donate. It fosters community connection, supports local outreach, and acts as a hands-on ministry. Feel free to contact **Ms. Nancy**.

Prayer Requests

The Sick and Shut-Ins
Teresa Autry
Counseling & Prayer Center
The U.S. Military & U.S.A.
Eddie Baxley
The Nation of Israel

Cathy Norton
Souls saved and baptized
Families and Marriages
The body of Christ
Economy
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.

Historical Point: Mark 6:1-3

Jesus began His ministry around age 30. Christ has an established and effective ministry. It is likely that Jesus had been preaching for several months to roughly a year before He is rejected by His own hometown of Nazareth. There He begins to teach in the synagogue on the sabbath and perform miracles also. They were taken away at the idea of how incredible His teachings were. However, the people of His hometown began to minimize Him simply as a carpenter. They could not get passed His wisdom because they were fixated on His heritage. Jesus likely felt the emotional pain of rejection in Nazareth, as the event involved His own family, friends, and neighbors turning against Him. While He knew the fate of prophets, the incident included intense anger, unbelief, and an attempt on his life, highlighting a deep, personal rejection.

Application:

Church hurt is a word that describes an offense someone experienced while part of a church. The term “church hurt” is a modern phrase that gained popularity in the 2,000s among evangelicals, particularly by way of social media. Is it really church hurt or is it the way you perceive church from people that hurt you? Could this be a tactic of Satan? The idea is demonic in an effort to redirect people from God and going to church. Is it demonic in an effort to justify your grudge and rightfully bear unforgiveness? Church is the only entity that has been demonized with a label that prefaces hurt. The term “church hurt” is a divisive term as if church is hurtful rather than a person’s behavior is sinful. Do not allow people to wound you so severely that you abandon Christ or fellowship. The world is filled with sinful people. Do not let anyone forfeit your destiny or cause you to die.

SERMON NOTES