

Life on a Boat

We must travel by faith, even when water is in the way.

Do you want to live on a boat or walk on water?

- I. What did Peter remember?
 - a. The fall?
 - b. The exhilaration he felt as he actually walked on water?
 - c. Did he fail?
 - i. But there were eleven bigger failures still sitting in the boat.
 1. I would rather be an inept water walker, than an inactive “boat potato.”
 2. We were made for more than simply avoiding failure!
 - ii. Sitting and watching somebody else do something has become the norm.
- II. If you want to be a water walker here are some points you need to understand.
 - a. The call will always require more faith.
 - i. Jesus is often going to show up when you least expect it.
 - ii. Jesus is never going to call you to sink.
 - b. His assignments will always make you face your fears.
 - i. Have you ever done what Peter does?
 1. God will answer a prayer like that!
 - a. Parable of the talents (Matt. 25:14-30).
 - b. Matt. 25:26.
 2. 1 Peter 3:14-15.
 - c. Water walkers desire to be in the presence of God.

What would you do with a bit more faith?

“Grant me more faith to. . .” Time for silent prayer?

Jesus’ gift to you is the power and ability, your gift to him is to leave the boat.

COUNTRY CLUB ROAD
CHURCH of CHRIST

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Sunday Worship (10:00 a.m.)

Sunday Bible Study (9:00 a.m.)

Wednesday Bible Study (6:30)

Life Groups (Various Locations)

Minister:

Doug Austin

Elders:

Tim Dunnahoo

Wayne Fenter - Lee Rogers

Kent Taylor - David West

Elder Chairman of the Month:

Kent Taylor



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JESUS
AND TO MAKE HIM
KNOWN.

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The Encourager

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Song Leader: Kent Taylor

Call to Worship: 32 – I Will Call Upon the Lord

Welcome: David West

Songs: 10 – Awesome God

183 – Highest Place

424 – Lord, Reign In Me

302 – In Christ Alone (vs. 1 & 4)

Communion Song: 339 – Low in the Grave He Lay

Communion/Offering: Jesse McCarty

Song: 253 – Open the Eyes of My Heart

Sermon: Doug Austin – “Life on a Boat”

Song: 206 – He Is Able

Invitation Song: 856 – There’s a Fountain Free (vs. 1 & 3)

Closing Song: 252 – Create in Me

Closing Prayer:

Sunday Morning Bible study (9:00 a.m.)

Outreach – Kerry Holton (Rm. 25)

Revelation (Spanish Class) – Mynor Vasquez (Rm. 22)

Jr. High/High School – Thomas Beard (Teen Room – Rm. 26)

JL 4th – 6th grade – various classrooms, look for blue flag

JL 1st – 3rd grade – various classrooms, look for red flag

4’s, 5’s & Kinder – Amy Joy (Rm. 12)

2’s & 3’s – Rachel & Mattie McCarty (Rm. 3)

Nursery up through age 2 – Various teachers (Rm. 1)



Visitors, please scan this QR code and tell us a little about yourself!

Prayer Requests

- **Luciano Garcia, grandson to Mynor Vasquez**, is having a pyloromyotomy procedure on October 5th. He is only two months old. Prayers are much appreciated!
- **Please keep Matt Rogers in prayer as he continues to receive treatments for leukemia at MD Anderson.**

Continue in Prayer

Rosemary O’Neal, Anita Zuniga, Clara O’Neil, Wanda Walker, Sam & Pat Gentry, Cheryl Ringheimer, Helen Aston, Elaine Bell, Kathleen Sherman, Chris & Glenna Bertola, Mary Ann Baeza, Pat Davenport, Larry Young, George & Betty Vinson

From the Mailbag...

To the brothers & sisters at the Church of Christ, We want to thank all the members & Elders for the calls, cards & prayers on Raymond’s behalf. We are so grateful for your concern. God bless every one of you,
Ray & Dolores Sanchez



Trunk or Treat is rapidly approaching! We will need lots of decorated trunks—sign-up sheets are out on the foyer table. Please keep the candy coming!

Life@CCR

- A hearty thanks is extended to **April Bailey** and her girls for the tasty Recharge meal on Wednesday night! Look forward to next week’s meal of beef stew and cornbread.
- **Kerry Holton had mentioned in his bible class this past Sunday the “Bless Every Home” website.** If interested, simply go to this website, create an account, and input your address to receive daily emails with names of individuals in your neighborhood to pray for. The website to go to is blesseveryhome.com.
- **We are currently collecting donations of frozen meals to bless the Rattan family as they care for Matt & Onnie’s boys.** You can drop off your frozen meal by the church office at any time. Please remember to attach heating directions to your dish.
- **The 4’s, 5’s & K’s class needs a helper on Wednesday nights.** If you would be willing to assist the teacher, or if you have questions, please see Amy Joy.

**CHURCH -
Come here to learn,
Go forth to serve.**

Journey Land Rotation for 10/8 - 10/11			
Red Team		Blue Team	
Sunday	Wednesday	Sunday	Wednesday
10/8: Theater	10/11: Theater (buyout)	10/8: Games	10/4: Science (buyout)

Those Scheduled to Serve for October

Deacons on Duty: Dan Montgomery, Jose Baeza, Brandon Cometti, Brian Houghtalin
Men on Duty: Kevin McCormack, Thomas Beard

**Week @ a Glance
Celebrations & Happenings**

8th	Bible Class @ 9 a.m. A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube. Barbara Garrett, Britannie Burden & Gerald Cox’s b-day.
9th	John Matta & ReChele Taylor’s b-day.
10th	JoVely Lopez’s b-day.
11th	Ladies Bible Class @ 10 a.m. Wednesday Night Recharge @ 5:30 p.m. Wednesday evening bible study @ 6:30 p.m.
12th	Nici Austin & Jesse McCarty’s b-day.
13th	Brandon Cometti & Izabella Dorrance’s b-day.

Study Guide

Text: Matthew 14:22-33

1. Of all your adventures in life, what was the most daring?
2. If you had been with the disciples and saw someone walking on the water, what would your reaction have been?
3. What do we learn about Peter from this story?
4. Did Peter completely fail? Why or why not?
5. A line from the sermon went something like this, “I’d rather be an inept water walker, than an inactive boat potato.” Agree or disagree? Why?
6. How do we move people from sitting and watching to actively doing something?

For the Record

Sunday/Wednesday Bible Class.....104/84
 Sunday AM.....190
 Weekly Contribution.....\$8,827