

# City Point *Restoration*

JUNE 2020

## Love From the Center

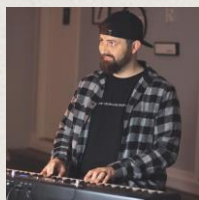
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I recently posted a short devotional for our students that was initially meant to be just a quick reminder that we are to be an example as a Christian in our daily life. What was a friendly reminder has become an area that God has been speaking to me in a fresh way. We've seen now more than ever the mindset of the "church without walls," which is a great way to look at things! It is, however, a very difficult thing to do when there are things going on within our life, our community or our world that we don't understand, or quite frankly just don't like. God has been challenging me to truly think about the way I respond in this time of crisis. It's easy to sit back and be critical of all the things that I don't like or things that I don't agree with.

As believers, we are instructed to love God and to love people. I love the way Romans 12 was written in the MSG version, where we are reminded to fix our attention on God and to be changed from the inside out. Readily recognize what he wants from you, and quickly respond to it. Wouldn't it be great if we were ready to recognize and respond to this time of uncertainty the way God wants us to?

Not pointing fingers at who is handling things differently than you are. Not arguing and fighting with someone who has a different political opinion than you. Doing our best to show the love of Jesus. In the words we say, the way we live, how we show our love and even the way we live out our faith.

We have a great opportunity to use what influence we have to set a good example for the people around us. We truly are a church without walls! We just have to decide what kind of church we are going to be. A church that's loving and understanding? A church that believes in a God who was the ultimate sacrifice of love, but lashes out at those who believe differently than we do? God has been challenging me to be a more loving church and I believe He is doing that for us as a whole. May we be sensitive to His guidance and direction as we attempt to know Him and make Him known to those around us!



## Church Calendar

- **Family Bible Study Wednesday Nights 7pm**
- **Reflect & Revive Devotion Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri & Sat 10am @FB**
- **Sunday Morning Service 9am & 11am (No children's church, sunday school or nursery)**
- **Sat, June 6, 2020  
Laundry of Love Ministry**
- **Sat, June 20, 2020 9am  
Morning Manna Ministry**
- **Every Thursday 9:30-10:30am  
Open Hearts Ministry**
- **Every Monday 11am-1pm  
Open Prayer @ Church**



# CPR Family Corner

Each month we will feature a different family that is a part of CPR, giving you a chance to get to know them more!

Meet Tim and Erica Hindman!

Together they are leaders in CPR's Student Ministry and individually Tim is our drummer and Erica runs a lot of the videography/streaming you see during our online services.

These two love hanging out with their family and have a great appreciation for traveling. When you see them buzzing around the church the next time you're around, they'll be the ones with the big smiles! Make sure you stop them and say hello!



## Food Pantry

Please remember to buy the items you signed up for. Now more than ever we need to make sure the pantry is stocked for those in need.

804-207-9584

## Jesus Offering 2020:

\$14,326.00

## Graduates!

Congratulations to our 2020 Graduates! There is a basket at the front welcome center desk for cards for the following:

### High School Graduates:

Kaylin Bovinette  
Rose Stables  
Sierra Shearin  
Sabreena Hill

### College Graduate:

Ashley Allen

### Church of God MIP Graduate:

Naomi Bussinger

## Pastor Appreciation!

Due to Covid-19, we have been unable to have our yearly Pastor Appreciation Day service to honor Pastor Thurman and Vicki. However, we still want to show our love and appreciation to them for all they've done for us and especially for going the extra mile to keep us connected and making sure we were cared for during this pandemic. There will be a gift basket in the foyer next Sunday through the month of June if you'd like to give them a card with a gift, or if you're still not comfortable to attend services, please feel free to mail them a card or drop them off at the office.

## Important Contacts

Pastor: Thurman Collier 757-373-6900  
Associate Pastor: Davis Adkins 804-382-0405  
Kids Ministry: Ashley Allen 804-926-5085  
Office Manager: Vicki Collier 757-613-2698  
SS Secretary: Pam Parker 804-919-1905  
Care Pastor: Cris Bovinette 804-930-7003  
Music Pastor: Bethany Collier 804-382-7033  
Grounds Keeper: Danny Martin 804-921-3797

## CPR T-Shirts!

Don't forget to buy your CPR shirts. Sizes are small to 5xl and are \$10/ea. If you are interested in purchasing one while we are experiencing the COVID Pandemic, please contact Vicki Collier so we can find a way to get it to you.