

JOIN US FOR THE END TIMES SERIES....

# COMING SOON

THE TIME TO HARVEST  
HAS COME, AND THE FRUIT  
OF THE EARTH IS RIPE

REVELATION 14:15 NLT

WORSHIP 9-10 |

*Going Deeper*

10:15-10:45 | WORSHIP 11-12

## This Week at Centerpoint Fellowship

April 18th, 2010

### Just Down Old Farm Lane...

...is where you'll find Centerpoint this Sunday. Both services (9 and 11) will meet at [Prattville Christian Academy](#). The leadership of PCA has been very gracious in letting us use their outstanding facility and we might even wind up here again should conflicts at the Legends arise, so please take care of the place and be sure to thank anyone from PCA whom you happen to meet (a number of students, alums, and their parents attend CP, after all)! Find out more about PCA [on their website](#).

### The End Times, They Are a'Changin'

Pastor John Schmidt started a new sermon series, "Coming Soon," this past Sunday. We've had to modify the order and content of the series slightly to better accommodate the material. Here's how the rest of the series will go:

- Apr 18th: **The Antichrist**
- Apr 25th: **The Tribulation**
- May 2nd: **Armageddon**
- May 9th: **Heaven**
- May 16th: **Judgment Day**
- May 23th: **Hell**
- May 30th: **The Millennium**

We added the Antichrist, because what would any series on the end times really be without a good, juicy discourse on the Son of Perdition himself? Always guaranteed to pack 'em in! We also moved some of the other sermons around, without, of course, moving "Heaven" from Mother's Day (May 9th). Some kids might think "Judgment Day" more appropriate for that Sunday, but we certainly didn't want to run afoul of the very powerful Mom's Union, or it would be... (wait for it)... Armageddon (and then "there'd be hell to pay")! (Hah! Two puns in one sentence! Sometimes we *really* crack ourselves up!)

### REMINDERS:

**Youth Events:** "Normal" youth and tweenager activities, this and every Wednesday (unless otherwise noted) at [Camp Grandview](#) from 5:30 to 7:30 pm.

**Let Us Pray!** Answering prayer needs is a vital part of our ministry. If you need prayer, you can find volunteers to pray with and for you every Sunday (under the "Prayer" sign). You may also write prayer requests on your connection cards and/or contact our prayer team at [prayer@centeringlives.com](mailto:prayer@centeringlives.com).

**Drama Team:** Meets every Tuesday, 6:00 pm, at the [church office](#). Contact Karen Hunerwadel, (334) 358-8638 or at [jklandm@charter.net](mailto:jklandm@charter.net) for details.

**Photography Team:** Anyone interested in helping document Centerpoint's events in pictures (and providing material to help advertise our ministries) please contact Anita Thebo at 365-8229 or [nospam61@gmail.com](mailto:nospam61@gmail.com).

**Centerpoint Merch: T-shirts** will be sold for a few more Sundays to raise money for missions. You show off your school colors all the time - now show off your "church colors" too! [Details are here](#).

**Volunteers:** The church offers several ongoing opportunities for volunteer service (such as bulletin assembly and communion set up). Contact Cyndi at the [church office](#), (334) 356-3076 or at [cyndi@centeringlives.com](mailto:cyndi@centeringlives.com).

**Remember Lunch** (like you could forget it): The [Legend's excellent buffet](#) is available after service each Sunday.

**If you have questions about the end times** (and who doesn't?), we will be collecting those that are frequently asked and John will answer them at Q & A sessions during our Going Deeper time between services. Please submit your questions to [faq@centeringlives.com](mailto:faq@centeringlives.com).

## Double the Fun

**Two services are now a permanent feature of Centerpoint Sunday worship.** We've had standing room only for many single services (and did again at the 9 am service on Easter), so we had to expand in order to meet existing demand, not to mention in order to reach more people in the future. Our service schedule henceforth will be as follows:

- 9:00 - 10:00: **First service**
- 10:15 - 10:45: **Children, youth, and "Going Deeper" for adults**
- 11:00 - 12:00: **Second service**

(Note: Nursery care will still be available from 10:00 - 11:00.)

For adults, we will go deeper with special prayer time, testimonies, question-and-answer sessions with John and/or others, and other series-specific material. Please note: This time is NOT "Sunday School" and is most definitely NOT a substitute for going deeper still in a Connect Group. (In fact, we hope to make this inter-service time a springboard for getting more people involved in Connect Groups.)

## Centerpoint Challenge Run

**Our first sponsored race / fun run was a great success**, with over 350 runners taking part! We have plenty of pictures! Here we see Pastor Schmidt biking among the runners, offering greetings and encouragement. For some reason, John didn't seem quite as winded as the other participants...



[Go here for lots more pictures](#) of the fun we had (and also see what our photography ministry is up to)!

## Well, No Blimps, but the Next Best Thing...

**Centerpoint volunteers will be operating the children's area at Prattville CityFest**, on Saturday, May 1, from 9 am - 5 pm. We'll be supervising the games area and the "inflatables." When we heard about the latter, some of us thought, "dirigibles at CityFest! What could be cooler?!" But the City Council meant bouncy castles. Still fun, but... This will be Centerpoint's first official outreach event and a great way to introduce our growing church to the community. Several of our Connect groups are volunteering as part of their groups' service time, but we still need more workers. Come, work a shift, then enjoy the sights and sounds of CityFest with your family for the remainder of the day. If interested, please contact Cyndi at (334) 356-3076 or [cyndi@centeringlives.com](mailto:cyndi@centeringlives.com).

## Servants for Missions

Need help with prepping flower beds, spreading pine straw and fertilizer, changing baby diapers, cleaning windows & toilets, hazardous waste disposal,

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or other dangerous and degrading jobs? **The Peru Mission Team will be hosting three "Servant Days," April 17, May 1 and May 22.** Okay, we're not serious about "dangerous and degrading" - certainly not about "dangerous" (they can't do anything you need to be bonded to do), but they will be working for donations and the proceeds will support their mission trip in June. Sign up some servants and please donate generously! If interested, contact the church office at 356-3076 or Connie Riddle at [connie.riddle@tcschools.com](mailto:connie.riddle@tcschools.com) to schedule a job and date. We have *lots* of volunteer kids, but very few signed up to use them so far. Don't miss this great opportunity!

## Senior Appreciation

Centerpoint has a large number of seniors graduating High School this year and we'd like to show our appreciation of them during services on May 23rd. If you have a senior you want "appreciated," contact Scott Schumpert at 356-3076 or [scott@centeringlives.com](mailto:scott@centeringlives.com).

## Nashville Bound

**From June 1-4, Associate Pastor Scott Schumpert will take our 7-12 graders to Nashville** for a one-of-a-kind mission experience. Trip applications are available on the website ([centeringlives.com](http://centeringlives.com), click on "Nashville Mission Trip") and on Sundays in the lobby of the Legends. The trip will cost \$200, which includes transportation, food, and lodging, but only a \$100 deposit is due at signup. Deadline for signup is April 28th. Contact Scott ([scott@centeringlives.com](mailto:scott@centeringlives.com) or 356-3076) for more details.

## Nursery Workers

**Centerpoint needs two ladies to serve as paid nursery workers** on Sundays (and occasionally other days for special events). If you know someone who might be interested, please contact Cyndi at 356-3076 or [cyndi@centeringlives.com](mailto:cyndi@centeringlives.com).

## Our faithfulness

At 9 am, 437 joined us, as did 206 at 11 am, for a total of 643. Giving totaled \$18,676.07. Welcome and thanks to all!

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