Welcome to Plymouth Church!

Sunday, October 4, 2026

Call to Worship

Blessed Assurance (p. 442)
By Faith
Ancient of Days

Special Music Choir

Scripture Memory Challenge

Romans 12:4-5 (ESV)
For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Scripture Reading 1 Corinthians 11:23-32

Children's Church Dismissal

Parents – please do not let your children head to Children's Church until they are dismissed. Please take them directly to the appropriate room. Thank you.

Pastoral Prayer

Message 1 Corinthians 11:23-32 Pastor Rick Hopkins
"The Communion/Missions Connection"

Jesus Paid It All (p. 218)

Communion

Closing Prayer and Benediction

We're glad you're here to worship the Lord with us!

Visitors, we invite you to stop at the Welcome Center for more information about Plymouth Church. Fill out a Visitor Card and receive a special gift!

Schedule for This Week (10/4/2026 – 10/10/2026)

Today	***Communion Sunday***
~	Church Library Fall Open House
9:00 a.m.	Worship Service
10:30 a.m.	Sunday School & Adult Discipleship Classes
6:00 p.m.	Evening Service
6:00 p.m.	Visions (High School Youth Ministry)
Monday	
Tuesday	
9:00 a.m.	Ladies' Bible Study w/ Suzy W.
11:00 a.m.	Deaconess Meeting
6:00 p.m.	Trustee Board Meeting
Wednesday	
6:00 p.m.	AWANA
6:00 p.m.	Church Library is Open
6:00 p.m.	Wings (Middle School Youth Ministry)
6:15 p.m.	Bible Study w/ Pastor Rick
Thursday	
12:00 p.m.	Noon Prayer Meeting
7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
Friday	
4:00 p.m.	WINGS Corn Maze Trip
Saturday	
8:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast & Bible Study

Looking Ahead

October is Pastor Appreciation Month!
October 10 – 8:00 a.m. – Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
October 11 – 11:30 a.m. – Annual Congregational Mtg & Potluck
October 16 – 6:00 p.m. – AWANA Sparks Family Fun Night
October 17 – 10:00 a.m. – Women's Book Club
October 17 – 11:00 a.m. – Zooloween Boo @ Menominee Park
October 30-November 1 – Visions Fall Retreat @ LLBC
November 1 – 10:15 a.m. – 25-Year Recognition: Pastor Rick
November 1 – 6:00 p.m. – Reformation Evening of Worship
November 7 – 9:00 a.m. – AWANA Grand Prix
November 8 – 5:00 p.m. – Veterans' Celebration & Dinner
November 12-14 – OCC Shoebox Prayer & Packing Party
November 15 – 12:00 p.m. – Missionary Luncheon with the Jensens
November 16-23 – OCC Shoebox Collection Week
November 25 – 6:00 p.m. – Thanksgiving Eve Service
December 3-4 – OCC Shoebox Processing Center Trip
December 12 – 12:00 p.m. – Adorned Christmas Gathering

Library Fall Open House ~ Today!

Stop by the library to browse our seasonal selection of books and other materials for fall and enjoy some delicious treats!

Get Connected

Family Check-In – All children must be checked in prior to attending any children's ministries. Please see one of our volunteers at our Family Check-In desk in the foyer.

Nursery (Room 237) – Available for 0–3-year-olds during the morning worship service and Sunday School hour.

Children's Church – **Midway through the worship service**
Age 3-2nd Grade may be taken by their parents to Room 232
3rd-5th Grade can fill out worship notes, available at the Check-In desk

Family Room (Room 113) – If your child is unable to be in the sanctuary or nursery, please feel free to stay with them in the Family Room, which has a live feed of the worship service.

Discipleship Classes – During our **10:30 am hour** for all ages

Adult Discipleship Classes

The Biblical Foundation of Soul Care and Discipleship
Led by Jeff Miller – meets in Room 126

The Gospel of John
Led by Pastor Brian Bradley – meets in Room 127

Survey of Church History
Led by Pastor Rick Hopkins – meets in Room 228 (Music Room)

Growing in Grace and Truth Ministries

3 years – Kindergarten (Room 232)
1st & 2nd Grade (Room 114)
3rd & 4th Grade (Room 105)
5th Grade (Room 107)
Middle & High School (Room 124)

Adult Bible Studies – Meeting weekly/biweekly

Adult Bible Study – Wednesday evening at 6:15 p.m.
Led by Pastor Rick Hopkins – Meeting in his office

College & Career Bible Study – Every other Friday at 6:00 p.m.
Led by Pastor Brian Bradley – Meeting at Church

Ladies' Bible Study – Tuesday morning at 9:00 a.m.
"Living for God's Glory" – Led by Suzy Wasmuth – Music Room (228)

Ladies' Bible Study – 2nd & 4th Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m.
"Elizabeth: Dealing with Disappointment" – Led by Lisa W. – Room 206

Moms' Bible Study – Every other Tuesday morning at 9:00 a.m.
"A Life Well Lived: The Book of Ecclesiastes" – Conference Room

Men's Breakfast & Bible Study – 2nd Saturday morning at 8:00 a.m.
A Study of 1 John – Led by Pastor Brian Bradley – Music Room (228)

Youth Groups – Meeting weekly during the school year

Wings (Middle School) – Wednesday evening at 6:00 p.m.
Visions (High School) – Sunday evening at 6:00 p.m.

Please contact a Pastor or the church office at (920) 231-8231 for more information on any of these opportunities!

Letters to Missionaries

Attention Sunday school classes and AWANA teams:
Help us acknowledge, thank, and encourage our supported missionaries who have served the Lord Jesus so long and faithfully! Materials are provided in the foyer to write a note of encouragement and thanks. Letters will be sent in early October. Please see Pastor Rick or Jeff Miller with any questions.

Congregational Business Meeting & Potluck

Sunday, October 11: Potluck @ 11:30 a.m. ~ Meeting @ 1:00 p.m.
Plymouth members, please plan to join us to vote on the approval of nominees for office in 2027, as well as the establishment of a Search & Screen Committee for the hiring of a Senior Pastor.
A potluck signup, the proposed meeting agenda, the minutes from the May 2026 meeting, and a list of proposed nominees have been posted for review.

Zooloween Boo

Saturday, October 17 @ 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Candy needed! Please consider donating individually-wrapped, non-choking treats. If you are interested in handing out candy and tracts at this event, please reach out to Kurt Shafer: (920) 420-9070.

Celebrating 25 Years of Faithful Service

Save the Date: Sunday, November 1, 2026
(10:15 am/immediately following the church service)
Celebrating Pastor Rick and his family's 25 years of ministry at Plymouth Church! Please mark your calendars to join our church family in the fellowship hall for a time of refreshments and acknowledging Pastor Rick's faithful service at Plymouth Church.
More details to follow...keep an eye on your email and church mailbox!

Reformation Celebration Evening of Worship

~ Sunday, November 1 @ 6:00 p.m. ~
Join us for a special service to celebrate the Protestant Reformation and 500 years of the English Bible. More information coming soon!

Veterans' Celebration & Dinner

~ Sunday, November 8 @ 5:00 p.m. ~
All veterans are invited to this special dinner and celebratory service! A free ticket is required for all attendees, and many volunteers will be needed for this event. Please see Pastor Brian or the church office for tickets or to volunteer.

OCC Shoebox Needs

Our greatest needs for shoeboxes currently are:
Matchbox cars, bouncy balls, & Barbie clothes.
A bin is located in the church foyer for easy drop-off.

Weekly Tithes & Offerings

Fund	9/27/2026 Offering
General ~ Needed Weekly: $7,117.17	$3,988.10
Parking Lot Fund	$0.00
Flooring (Ongoing)	$10.00
Needed Year to Date: $92,523.21	$83,316.65

Elder Flocks
A through Bo – call Nick Matiash – 920-642-0040
Bp through E – call Joel Cook – 920-589-4014
F through H – call Don Bradley – 920-312-0638
I through L – call Jim Woller – 920-517-6960
M through Q – call Kurt Shafer – 920-420-9070
R through So – call Dan Patterson – 920-410-3245
Sp through Z – call Jeff Miller – 330-606-1721

Nursery Workers Today: Monitor: Katie Bradley
9:00: Katie Bradley, Jodi Matiash
10:30: Jessica Bradley, Heather Steffen

Nursery Workers Next Week: Monitor: Candace Leach
9:00: Candace Leach, Linda Carder
10:30: Jessica Bradley, Bernice Post

Greeter Today: Kim Patterson
Greeter Next Week: Kendra Arthur

Child Check-In Lead Today: Leah Patterson
Child Check-In Lead Next Week: Aurelia Arthur

Children's Church Teacher Today: Jessica Bradley
Children's Church Helpers Today: Leah Patterson, Aarya Leach

Children's Church Teacher Next Week: Jessica Bradley
Children's Church Helpers Next Week: Leah P., Josie Jepson

Sound/Projection Today: Otto Henning, Heather Steffen
Sound/Projection Next Week: Christopher Jepson, Erich Graves

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Blessed Assurance

Verse 1
Blessed assurance Jesus is mine
O what a foretaste of glory divine
Heir of salvation purchase of God
Born of His Spirit washed in His blood

Chorus
This is my story this is my song
Praising my Savior all the day long
This is my story this is my song
Praising my Savior all the day long

Verse 2
Perfect submission perfect delight
Visions of rapture now burst on my sight
Angels descending bring from above
Echoes of mercy whispers of love

Chorus

Verse 3
Perfect submission all is at rest
I in my Savior am happy and blessed
Watching and waiting looking above
Filled with His goodness lost in His love

Chorus (x2)

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By Faith

Verse 1
By faith we see the hand of God
In the light of creation's grand design
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness
Who walk by faith and not by sight

Chorus
We will stand as children of the promise
We will fix our eyes on Him our soul's reward
Till the race is finished and the work is done
We'll walk by faith and not by sight

Verse 2
By faith our fathers roamed the earth
With the power of His promise in their hearts
Of a holy city built by God's own hand
A place where peace and justice reign

Verse 3
By faith the prophets saw a day
When the longed-for Messiah would appear
With the power to break the chains of sin and death
And rise triumphant from the grave

Chorus

Verse 4
By faith the church was called to go
In the power of the Spirit to the lost
To deliver captives and to preach good news
In every corner of the earth

Verse 5
By faith the mountain shall be moved
And the power of the gospel shall prevail
For we know in Christ all things are possible
For all who call upon His name

Chorus

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Ancient Of Days

Verse 1
Though the nations rage, kingdoms rise and fall
There is still one King reigning over all
So I will not fear, for this truth remains
That my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus
None above Him none before Him
All of time in His hands
For His throne it shall remain and ever stand
All the power all the glory
I will trust in His name
For my God is the Ancient of days

Verse 2
Though the dread of night overwhelms my soul
He is here with me, I am not alone
O His love is sure, and He knows my name
For my God is the Ancient of Days

Chorus

Verse 3
Though I may not see what the future brings
I will watch and wait for the Saviour king
Then my joy complete, standing face to face
In the presence of the Ancient of Days

Chorus

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For my God is the Ancient of Days

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Jesus Paid It All

Verse 1
I hear the Savior say
Thy strength indeed is small
Child of weakness watch and pray
Find in Me thine all in all

Chorus
Jesus paid it all
All to Him I owe
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow

Verse 2
Lord now indeed I find
Thy power and Thine alone
Can change the leper's spots
And melt the heart of stone

Chorus

Verse 3
For nothing good have I
Whereby Thy grace to claim
I'll wash my garments white
In the blood of Calvary's Lamb

Chorus

Verse 4
And when before the throne
I stand in Him complete
Jesus died my soul to save
My lips shall still repeat

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