

# EVENTS

Find out more and to register for events: [connectionpointe.org/events](http://connectionpointe.org/events)

## MS & HS PARENT/SMALL GROUP LEADER BREAKFAST

Saturday, August 26 | 9:30 - 11 am | The Pointe

Parents of Middle & High Schoolers are invited to share a meal with their student's small group leader and get to know them better. Stop by the lobby display for more information.

## POINTE WOMEN: FALL BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday, September 5 | 9:30 - 11 am OR 7 - 8:30 pm | The Pointe

Join other women for this 6-week study of *The Gospel of Mark: The Jesus We're Aching For* by Lisa Harper.

## MOM TO MOM

1st & 3rd Wednesdays, starts September 6 | 9:30 - 11:30 am | B102

Mom to Mom is an opportunity to connect with other moms through food, fellowship and faith. Childcare is provided free of charge.

## FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY FLEX

Sunday, September 17 | 9:30 - 11 am | B202

These classes will teach you how to eliminate debt, save for your future and give like never before. Preview class Sunday, September 10 from 9:30 - 10:30 am in B202.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MERGE

Saturday, September 30 - Sunday, October 1 | The Student Center

Middle Schoolers are encouraged to invite a friend and attend this overnight event. They will spend time with their small group and have lots of fun activities. Be sure to register by September 15 at [connectionpointe.org/middleschool](http://connectionpointe.org/middleschool).

## CONNECTION CARD

YOUR NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE / EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

FAMILY MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE WITH ME:

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
SPOUSE / CHILDREN

### CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

- I'm new!
- How do I become a Christian?
- What's my next step?

### NEED PRAYER?

- Meet the prayer team after service
- Go to [connectionpointe.org/prayer](http://connectionpointe.org/prayer)
- Grab a prayer card in the back of the room
- Use the Connection Pointe app

### UPDATING YOUR CONTACT INFO?

Head to [connectionpointe.org/thelink](http://connectionpointe.org/thelink)

## #MYCPOSTORY



## WADE & JENNY WINGLER: OUR SMALL GROUP

Have you ever had a friend who was always there to encourage you? A friend who, you know is thinking about you daily and understands the challenges you face in life? A friend who, even if you haven't spoken for a while, you can pick up right where you left off and feel like they "get you?" Have you ever had a friend that felt more like family? Have you ever had seven friends like that, who love the Lord and are aligned with your spiritual goals and desires? Our small group is like that.

We are a group of people who genuinely love God and love each other. We are probably not a group of people who would have gotten together on our own. We were brought together during a Group Connect event and have since learned that God was at work when He put us together.

Cliché as it sounds, we have laughed and cried together. We have huddled together when life has dealt crushing blows. We have at times struggled to flex our schedules around all of life's distractions and commitments. But, we have learned that doing life is better with the joy, friendship and accountability for spiritual growth that comes from our group.

SATURDAY WORSHIP  
5 PM THE CENTER

SUNDAY WORSHIP  
8 AM THE POINTE  
9:15 & 11:15 AM THE CENTER & THE POINTE

SIMULCAST IN

August 12 & 13, 2017 • Attendance: 3,904 • Offering: \$142,968.07



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## WELCOME!

### NEW TO CONNECTION POINTE?

We're so glad you're here! Be sure to visit Connection Corner in the Main Lobby. The volunteers in blue shirts can answer any questions you might have and they have a gift for you!

### COMMUNION

We take communion every week and it is open to any believer in Christ. The bread and juice will be passed, hold them, and we will take communion together. A basket will be passed to dispose of your cups. Gluten free communion is available.

### OFFERING

Each worship service provides an opportunity to give an offering. If you are a guest, please feel no obligation to give!

## NEXT STEPS

Find your next step: [connectionpointe.org/mynextstep](http://connectionpointe.org/mynextstep)

#### DISCOVER CONNECTION POINTE

Your first step ... A 30 minute introduction to Connection Pointe!

Sept 9, 6:15 - 6:45 pm  
or Sept 10, 10:45 - 11:15 am  
in THE LIVING ROOM

#### STARTING POINTE

New to church or just returning?  
This group is a safe place to ask questions about faith.

Oct 11 - Nov 22, 7 - 8:30 pm  
in THE LIVING ROOM

#### BAPTISM WEEKEND

Demonstrate your faith in Christ through baptism. We will provide you with a t-shirt and towel.

Aug 19 & 20  
in THE CENTER

#### GROUP CONNECT

Looking to get connected into community and grow spiritually? Sign up!

Aug 27, 5:30 - 7 pm  
in THE POINTE

#### ALL IN

Discover what it means to be "all in" through community, generosity, serving and spiritual growth.

Sept 17, 9:15 - 10:45 am  
in ROOM B102

#### CARE GROUPS

Grief Share Support Group starts September 5.

Find a care group at  
[connectionpointe.org/caregroups](http://connectionpointe.org/caregroups)

## SERMON NOTES

### RESTORED! OUR STORY | RESTORED BAPTISM

Steve Reeves, Lead Pastor

August 19 & 20, 2017

#### SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

Ephesians 4:1-6  
Acts 18:25b  
Acts 18:26  
Acts 8:26-27

Acts 8:28  
Acts 8:30  
Acts 8:31  
Acts 8:32-34

Acts 8:35  
Acts 8:36-38  
Acts 8:39a  
Acts 8:39b

1. He wanted to do \_\_\_\_\_.

2. He wanted to \_\_\_\_\_ Christ as \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_.

It's a \_\_\_\_\_ and a \_\_\_\_\_.

It's a symbol of our \_\_\_\_\_ to sin and our  
\_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus Christ." (Beauford Bryant)

3. He wanted \_\_\_\_\_.

\*Two things happened after he was immersed:

(1) Philip \_\_\_\_\_.

(2) The Ethiopian \_\_\_\_\_.



# GROUP CONNECT

Small Groups are a way to grow your faith and get into community with others. If you are interested in joining a group, sign up for Group Connect. There we will guide you through the process and help you get connected.

Stop by the lobby display to find out more.

Sunday, August 27

5:30 - 7 pm | The Pointe

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