UPCOMING

CONNECTION POINTS

Fall Fun Fest
Saturday, Oct. 24, 2-4 PM

Women's Go Deeper: A Study in the Psalms
Saturday, Nov. 14, 8-12:30 PM

Upcoming Baptisms
November 15

Drumstick Dash 2026
Thanksgiving Morning, 9 AM
Use code LIFEPOINT2026 for $5 off registration

Tables of Christmas
December 4 & 5 with speaker Nicol Sponberg
Ticket sales are on Nov. 1 for Table Hostesses and Nov. 8, 15, & 22 for all guests.

CONNECTION POINT

Want more information about upcoming events? Want to sign up to serve, register for an event, give, or check in kids? It's all right there in one place! Stay connected with our new app, Church Center, for everything happening at LifePoint.

Scan QR Code or Tap the Tag in your row to download now.

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NEED PRAYER?

Prayer Chain:
Please call Diane Hawk (317-862-3924) or the church office during business hours for prayer needs within our church family.

VISITING?

Introduce yourself.
We're so glad you're here. We'd love to learn a little about you... Fill out the Welcome form by scanning the QR code.

This lets us know what ministries you might be interested in exploring.

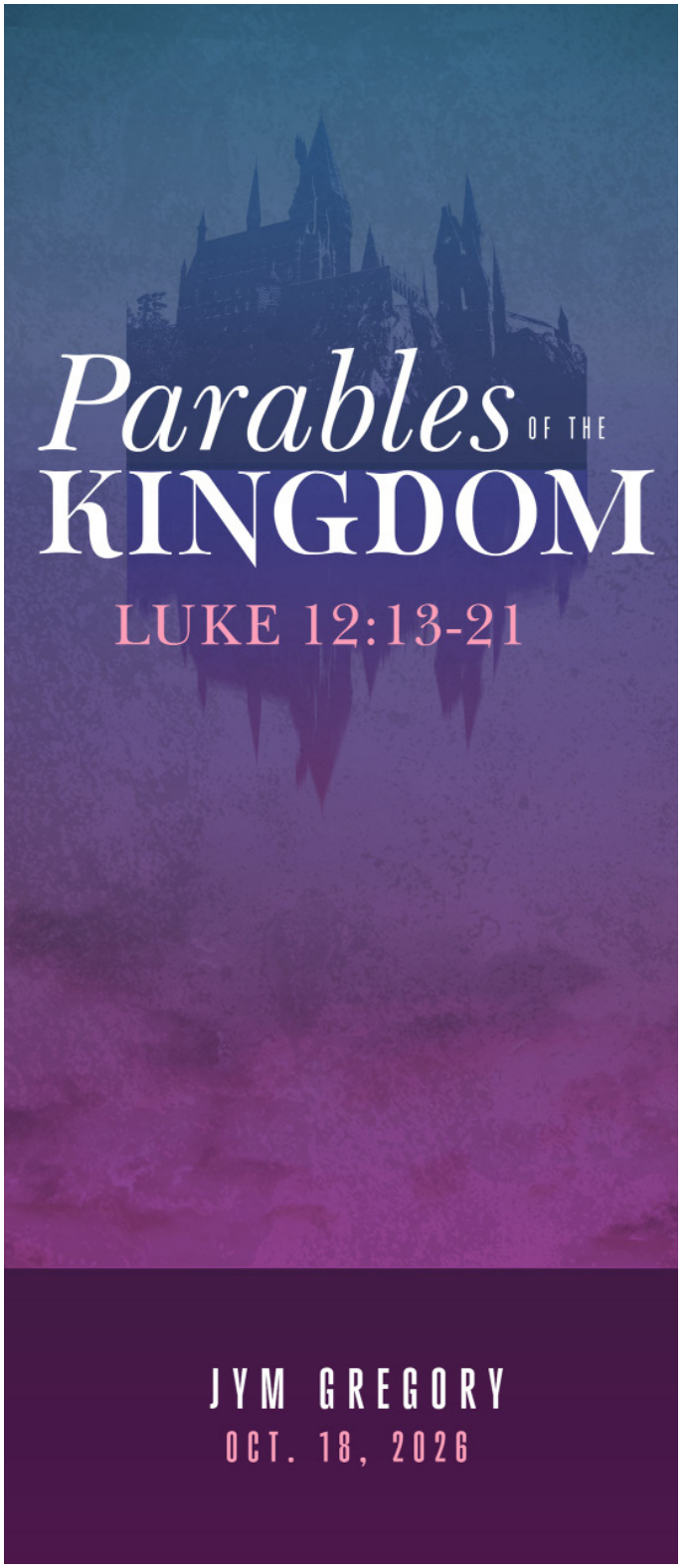
LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE:	931

FINANCIAL UPDATE:	General Fund	Mission Fund
October Giving	$89,725	$24,407
YTD Budget - September	$1,755,000	$504,400
YTD Giving - September	$1,666,244	$540,089
YTD Expenses - September	$1,612,615	$524,001

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This Week's
MISSION FOCUS

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SECURITY PURPOSES

PARABLES OF THE KINGDOM

Treasuring the Kingdom
Luke 12:13-21
October 18, 2026

I. USING JESUS

- A man in the crowd demands that Jesus involve himself in a dispute concerning an inheritance. Jesus flatly refuses (Vs. 13; Matt. 22:15-17).
- Although Jesus is ultimately every man's judge, this is not his mission, nor is this discussion helpful in the kingdom of God.
- When there is an inheritance to divide, there is almost always a death to be mourned. The man in the crowd seems concerned only with potential income.

II. BE ON YOUR GUARD!

- Covetousness, the idol of the man in the crowd, can easily become our idol as well (1 Tim. 6:10).
- Hoarding can also become an issue for those who lack faith. We must not evaluate our lives based upon the abundance of our possessions (Vs. 15; James 5:1-6).
- The parable does not condemn a person for preparing for the future. It does, however, warn against a self-centered outlook on life and the accumulation of wealth (Vss. 17-18; Prov. 23:6-7; Luke 6:45).
- The man in the parable declares seven "I" statements. God responds with one definitive statement of reality (Vs. 20; Matt. 16:24-26).

III. BEING RICH TOWARD GOD

1. Treasure God's kingdom over all the kingdoms of this world.
2. Enjoy life without demonstrating selfishness.
3. Be rich in faith and good works.
4. Practice generosity.
5. Practice humility.
6. Trust in the providence of God.

KNOW: The Kingdom of God is not built on abundant possessions. Those who seek to enrich themselves through covetous living are fools. The king in this kingdom does not tolerate foolishness but is generous toward those who are rich toward God.

DO: Turn away from covetousness. Be rich toward God.

Suggested Readings:

The Treasure Principle by Randy Alcorn (Avaliable in the LifePoint Adult Library)

Next Week's Text: **Luke 14:12-24**