



2017-2018 Schedule

October 14: Local Quiz #1
CrossPoint Church, Clinton Twp
I Corinthians 1-4 (91 vs.)

November 11: Local Quiz #2
Faith EPC, Rochester
I Corinthians 5-8 (86 vs.)

November 18: Great Lakes Tournament
CrossPointe Community Church, Wayne
I Corinthians 1-9 (204 vs.; 27 new)

December 9: Local Quiz #3
Oakland Christian Schools
I Corinthians 9-11 (94 vs.)

January 13: Local Quiz #4
Bethany Baptist, Clinton Twp
I Corinthians 12-15:19 (103 vs.)

January 20: All Timers Tournament
CrossPointe Community Church, Wayne
I Corinthians 8-15:43 (234 vs.; 24 new)

**February 10: Local Quiz #5
Meadowbrook, Rochester Hills
I Cor. 15:20-II Cor. 1 (87 vs.)**

March 10: Day of Champions
Marimont Community Church, Pontiac
I Cor 1-II Cor 2 (478 vs.; 17 new)

April 7
WBQA Chicago Tournament
full review

Highlights

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February 10 Quiz Reminders.

The map with directions for **Meadowbrook Church**, in Rochester, is on page 3.

The opening meeting will start at noon. There will be a raffle drawing to award prizes to the quizzers selected by the quizmasters in January.

There will not be snacks set out, so please plan accordingly for what you would like to eat or drink between quizzes.

Please bring your quiz boxes and pads.

Chicago Tournament Preview. The number of quizzers eligible for Chicago based on points/average continues to climb. There are still 9 more quizzes to get your average where it needs to be if you're not there yet. Remember, there is an attendance requirement, so plan on making it to all the remaining quizzes. Ask a member of the Steering Committee if you have any questions.

There will be pre-registration forms at the February quiz. Quizzers, coaches, quizmasters and parents are all asked

to fill these out to let the Steering Committee know whether you are a yes, maybe or no for the Chicago tournament.

The team selection committee has the discretion to fill out teams with quizzers who did not quite qualify, so if you think that might be you and you want to go to Chicago, please indicate your desire to go on the pre-registration form so the committee won't overlook you.



All Timers Tournament Recap.

Six DBQ teams, which included nine of this year's league quizzers, attended the 10th Annual All Timers Tournament on January 20 to compete with four teams from Pennsylvania and southeastern Michigan. Three of the DBQ teams made it into the Finals.

The Greatest of These started really strong but faltered late and took three quizzes in the playoffs to be the last into the Finals. But finishing the morning in fourth place, they took second in the Finals.

The Imperishables, led by a first-time quizzier who came in second on the day as an individual, finished the morning rounds in second and were second into the Finals.

Returning champions Beauty & the Beards took a second and a third in their first two quizzes, but went undefeated after that.

A good time was had by all. See page 3 for more coverage of this unique and fun tournament. ✪

Quizzer of the Month



270 pts.

Jessica Matthews
♥ We Are Homeless



Beauty & The Beards

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Tidbits

Honorable Mention. Three frozen chairs without error in a day of quizzing equals 210 points. When quizzers get that many points or more and yet don't make Quizzer of the Month, they deserve some recognition. In January, five quizzers attained this distinction:

Grant Mayer	260
Owen Parker	260
Sophia Fike	250
Cordelia Fike	230
Matthew Magro	210

Rookie Watch. A great part of quizzing is to see which rookies start off strong and which are able to catch on later and make a run for the top spot. The standout rookie performance in January was the 110 points scored by **Spencer Graffmiller**, and that was good for a move up three places in the individual ranking. Meanwhile, **Ray Glory** scored his first ever points.

HAIKU OF THE MONTH

Spiritual gifts:
the Spirit's work in us all,
for the common good.
inspired by 1 Corinthians 12:1, 7, 11

STEERING COMMITTEE

The DBQ Steering Committee will be meeting at 8:00 p.m. on February 18, 2018 by telephone conference. Participating churches are welcome to have a representative join in.

CONTRIBUTIONS

If you have news to share about a quizzer or quiz-related subject, please e-mail the editor at pdpaternoster@sbcglobal.net

December Quiz Highlights

♥ Prepare for Battle–20, CP The Immovables–40, OCS Runners Run–90

Oakland Christian Schools got the early lead as **Matthew Magro** scored on question 1 and **Luke Umphrey** scored next. Heart's **Noel Alvarez** cut the OCS lead in half, but Matthew came back with two more to freeze without error. Rookie **Spencer Graffmiller** then got Cross Point on the board. With the score 20–20–90 and five questions left, the quiz was wide open still for any team. But questions 11-14, four in a row, were all passed. On question 15, OCS had the win well and truly locked up; second place was at stake, and Spencer's second correct answer of the quiz won second for CP.



OCS Runners Run

OCS Take the Prize–20, Marimont Bears–140, LP Stumbling Blocks–110

This was a see-saw battle royal between Marimont and Lake Pointe; Oakland Christian Schools wasn't able to get a word in edge-wise until the very end. **Grant Mayer** was first to score for LP. **Curtis** and **Owen Parker** took the next two for a Marimont lead. Grant tied it up, Curtis retook the lead, and Grant froze without error to take the lead back. Owen scored twice to freeze and take a 30-point lead. LP's **Caleb Yonker** scored to cut the lead to 10—at that point, 190 points had been scored without error spanning questions 2 through 10. Back in on a toss-up, Grant gave LP its third lead of the quiz on question 12. Owen did the same thing for Marimont on question 13A. Curtis froze his chair on 14 for a 30-point lead: not a lock, but it was a tall order for LP to get a bonus on 15 for a tie. That's when rookie **Annaliese Sanchez** stepped up and avoided the shut out for OCS.

LP Team Corinth–90, Heart We Are Homeless–80, Heart Prepare for Battle–70

Do not be deceived, the highest score at the end of the quiz is not always the winner. The first 70 points went to Lake Pointe's **Carmen Yonker**, freezing her chair on question 4. **Jessica Matthews** scored the next three to freeze on question 7 and pull Homeless within 10 points. **Noel Alvarez** scored to get Battle on the board before Jessica got back in on a toss-up to give Homeless a 10-point lead. Going into question 13, the score was 70–80–20. But **Micah Gendich** and **Collin Gibson** each got one of the three remaining questions, and that gave Battle a three-person jumping bonus, pulling them into a tie for second with LP. As Collin answered question 15 correctly, that ended regulation with Homeless being the winner by 10 points. On the tie breaker, rookie **Ray Glory** got his first jump ever and answered correctly for his first points ever, and that is how LP got second place, but the high score for the quiz.



Marimont Believes

LP Revealed with Fire–90, LP Stumbling Blocks–70, CP The Immovables–0

The first eight questions featured three errors, two passed questions and three correct answers—the latter were all scored by **Grant Mayer** to spot Stumbling Blocks to a 60-point lead. The next six questions featured one error, two passed questions and three correct answers—the latter scored by **Sophia Fike** to pull Revealed with Fire into a tie. A Blocks error on question 14 opened the door for Sophia to give Revealed its first outright lead, but **Caleb Yonker** quickly tied it up again on 15. The tie-breaker started with a Blocks error, and Sophia made no mistake on the free question to claim the win for Revealed.

CP The Immovables–70, Marimont Hopes–60, Heart We Are Homeless–90

In the last quiz of the day, question 15 ended in a three-way tie at 70 points each, as each team had one quizzer freeze without error. Heart's **Jessica Matthews** froze on question 5, Marimont's **Noah Trevino** froze on question 9, and Cross Point rookie **Spencer Graffmiller** completed his frozen chair on question 15. The tie-breaker started with a Marimont error, and on the toss-up Jessica came through for the win and the 20 points she still needed to secure Quizzer of the Month. 🌟



Marimont Hopes

All Timers Tournament Round-up

The All Timers Tournament uses the Youth for Christ quizzing style. That means one way to win a quiz is “by position.” As quizzers answer correctly, they move to the left of the line of quizzers. If the three on a team can quiz their way to the three left-most chairs, they win the quiz. In 27 quizzes this year, four ended in position wins: two for The Greatest of These and two for Beauty and the Beards.

For The Greatest of These, they won their first quiz on question 10, when **Curtis Parker** joined his dad and brother on the three chairs to the left. Curtis repeated the feat in their second playoff quiz and that advanced them to a chance to quiz into the Finals. Coincidentally, Curtis was the only current league quizzier to break into the All Star rankings (the adults are tough competition).

The Finals were much closer than the final score suggests. Through question 12, the score was 80–20–60. All three teams still had a chance to win. But that changed on question 13 as **Michele Stanton** got her second correct answer to extend the lead to 40 with two questions left. Now, The Imperishables needed them both to avoid third place, but The Greatest needed them both to tie for first.

On 14, The Imperishables got the jump but couldn't come up with the answer. On 14B, Beauty and the Beards were jumping “to err,” so that The Greatest could get no more than 10 points on a free question. Still, **Owen Parker** got the jump on the merest of breaths coming from the quizmaster's mouth, but that was not enough. Beauty and the Beards took the freebie and question 15 to put an exclamation point on their win.

Beauty and the Beards–130, The Imperishables–20, The Greatest of These–60

Final Team Standings

- 1 Beauty and the Beards
- 2 The Greatest of These
- 3 The Imperishables
- 4 Quiz Busters
- 5 Dim Reflections
- 6 Bible Bug Extinction
- 7 One Point in History
- 8 Scorpions of Death
- 9 Tongues of Fury
- 10 The 3 Cs



The Imperishables



The Greatest of These



All Timers Tournament top 12 All Stars

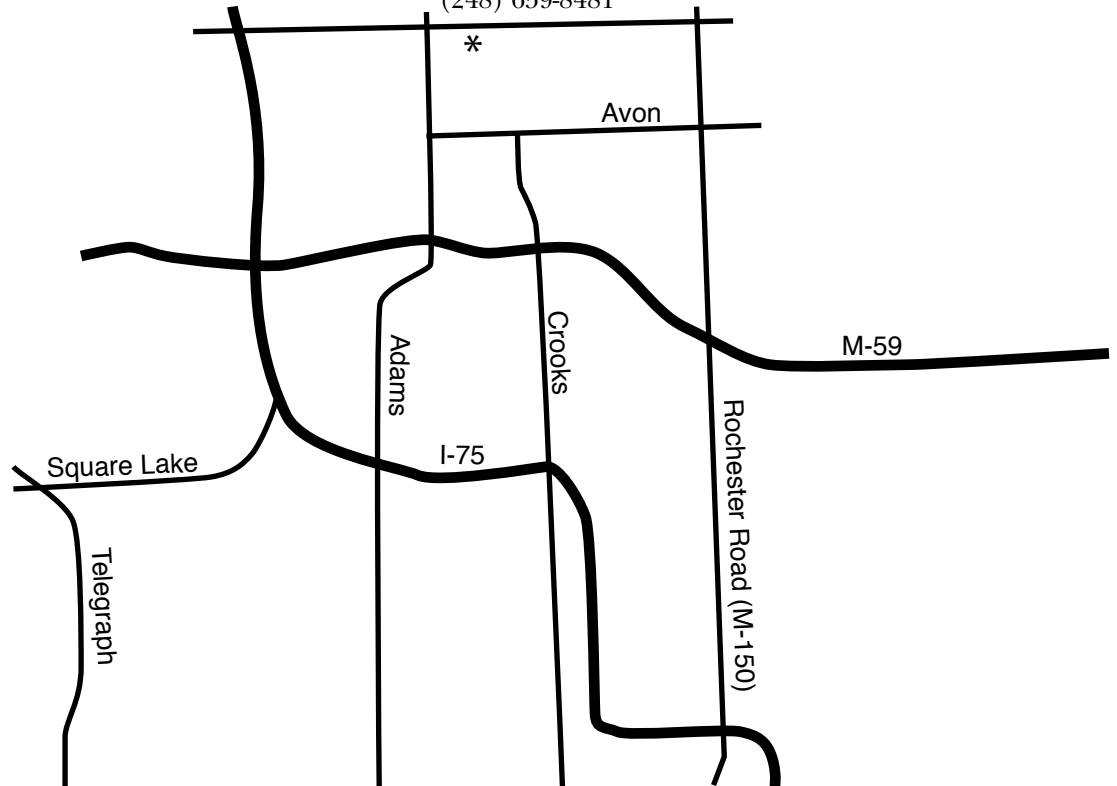
February 10, 2018 Quiz 12:00 noon

Meadowbrook Christian Church is on the south side of Walton Boulevard about a quarter-mile east of Adams Road.

For most people, whether east, west or south, find your way to M-59. Adams Road is Exit 42. Take Adams north for 2.7 miles and turn right onto Walton. The church will be on your right.



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Individual Standings – January 2018

Rnk	First Name	Last Name	Team Name	Pts	Avg.	Err	Jan Pt & Err
1	Sophia	Fike	LP Revealed with Fire	1050	87.50	8	250 2
2	Owen	Parker	Marimont Bears	1040	86.67	8	260 1
3	Cordelia	Fike	LP Fools for Christ	1000	83.33	5	230 0
4	Jessica	Matthews	♥ We Are Homeless	920	76.67	9	270 2
5	Matthew	Magro	OCS Runners Run	750	62.50	9	210 0
6	Grant	Mayer	LP Stumbling Blocks	740	82.22	6	260 1
7	Carmen	Yonker	LP Team Corinth	620	51.67	12	90 2
8	Marlena	Munch*	OCS Take the Prize	520	43.33	4	60 1
9	Curtis	Parker	Marimont Bears	500	41.67	4	200 1
10	Caleb	Yonker	LP Stumbling Blocks	410	34.17	13	60 5
11	Noah	Trevino	Marimont Hopes	350	38.89	14	170 3
12	Maria	Magro*	Marimont Believes	350	29.17	16	40 2
13	Nathan	Mayer	LP Fools for Christ	290	24.17	0	90 0
14	Annaliese	Sanchez*	OCS Take the Prize	270	30.00	3	90 1
15	Matthew	Colletti	OCS Strict Discipline	270	22.50	9	120 1
16	Collin	Gibson	♥ Prepare for Battle	270	22.50	10	20 1
17	Nelson	Glory*	LP Stumbling Blocks	260	28.89	5	0 0
18	Erin	Yonker*	LP Fools for Christ	240	20.00	5	60 1
19	Megan	Yonker*	LP Revealed with Fire	200	22.22	0	80 0
20	Jordan	Johnson	OCS Strict Discipline	190	21.11	7	130 2
21	Noel	Alvarez	♥ Prepare for Battle	180	15.00	4	60 1
22	Spencer	Grafmiller*	CP The Immovables	170	15.45	13	110 2
23	Luke	Umphrey	OCS Runners Run	80	6.67	14	40 2
24	Michelle	Glory*	LP Team Corinth	60	6.67	1	0 1
24	Lydia	Hatfield	Marimont Hopes	60	5.00	1	20 0
26	Jordan	Hatfield	Marimont Hopes	60	6.67	2	20 1
27	Mariah	Davis*	CP The Immovables	60	5.45	3	0 1
27	Soraya	McKay*	Marimont Believes	60	6.67	3	20 0
29	Laila	Yasin*	♥ We Are Homeless	60	5.00	4	0 1
30	Micah	Gendich	♥ Prepare for Battle	50	4.17	2	50 1
31	Destiny	Lloyd*	CP The Immovables	50	4.17	3	0 0
32	Kayla	Miller*	♥ We Are Homeless	40	4.44	2	0 0
33	Ray	Glory*	LP Team Corinth	20	2.22	0	20 0
34	Angelina	Tringali*	OCS Take the Prize	20	1.67	1	0 0
35	Dean	Moshier*	OCS Strict Discipline	0	0.00	3	0 0
36	Madison	Zembrzycki	CP The Immovables	0	0.00	2	0 0
37	Sam	Hatfield	Marimont Bears	0	0.00	1	0 0
38	Jake	Matthews	Marimont Believes	0	0.00	0	0 0
38	Cheyanna	Moeser	♥ We Are Homeless	0	0.00	0	0 0
38	Jillian	Hayward*	LP Revealed with Fire	0	0.00	0	0 0
38	Rhys	Townsend*	OCS Runners Run	0	0.00	0	0 0



Team Standings January 2018			
Plc	Team Name	Pts	Record
1	Marimont Bears	119	10-2-0
2	LP Fools for Christ	109	8-4-0
3	LP Revealed with Fire	100	7-5-0
4	LP Stumbling Blocks	95	6-5-1
5	♥ We Are Homeless	89	7-3-2
6	OCS Runners Run	67	3-7-2
7	OCS Take the Prize	61	2-7-3
8	LP Team Corinth	52	3-3-6
8	OCS Strict Discipline	52	3-3-6
10	♥ Prepare for Battle	40	2-2-8
11	Marimont Hopes	37	1-4-7
12	CP The Immovables	28	0-4-8
13	Marimont Believes	24	0-3-9

January 2018 Quiz Scores

♥ Prepare for Battle	20	LP Team Corinth	90	LP Fools for Christ	110
CP The Immovables	40	♥ We Are Homeless	80	OCS Runners Run	90
OCS Runners Run	90	♥ Prepare for Battle	70	OCS Take the Prize	40
♥ We Are Homeless	100	OCS Runners Run	70	LP Stumbling Blocks	120
OCS Take the Prize	90	OCS Strict Discipline	60	LP Fools for Christ	170
OCS Strict Discipline	60	Marimont Hopes	80	LP Team Corinth	0
Marimont Hopes	60	LP Revealed with Fire	90	CP The Immovables	70
Marimont Believes	0	LP Stumbling Blocks	70	Marimont Hopes	60
Marimont Bears	180	CP The Immovables	0	♥ We Are Homeless	90
OCS Take the Prize	20	OCS Strict Discipline	130		
Marimont Bears	140	♥ Prepare for Battle	50		
LP Stumbling Blocks	110	Marimont Believes	30		
Marimont Believes	20	Marimont Bears	140		
LP Revealed with Fire	130	LP Team Corinth	20		
LP Fools for Christ	110	LP Revealed with Fire	110		