

2018-2019 Schedule

October 13: Local Quiz #1
CrossPoint Church, Clinton Twp
John 1-3 (112 vs.)

November 10: Local Quiz #2
Faith EPC, Rochester
John 4-6:21 (122 vs.)

November 17: Great Lakes Tournament
CrossPointe Community Church, Wayne
John 1-6 (284 vs.; 50 new)

December 8: Local Quiz #3
St. Paul Lutheran, Northville
John 6:22-7 (103 vs.)

January 12: Local Quiz #4
First Spanish American Baptist Church
John 8-10:21 (121 vs.)

January 19: All Timers Tournament
CrossPointe Community Church, Wayne
John 7-10 (195 vs.; 21 new)

February 9: Local Quiz #5
Lake Pointe Bible Church, Plymouth
John 10:22-12 (128 vs.)

March 9: Day of Champions
Marimont Community Church, Pontiac
John 1-13 (624 vs.; 38 new)

March 24: Chicago All Teams Practice
Lake Pointe Bible Church, Plymouth
full review

April 6
WBQA Chicago Tournament
full review

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March 9 Quiz Reminders.

Need-to-know for "Day of Champions" Tournament. The March schedule is more than just a little bit different from the prior months of quizzing, so please review the following. Plan on staying all day. Bring snacks and there will be a lunch break when you can go out—or bring a lunch to eat at the church.

The address and map for Marimont Community Church in Pontiac are on page 4. Quizmasters and quiz boxes are requested to be there by 7:45 a.m.

Please bring your quiz boxes. There will be one more room in use than normal, so having extra boxes available is important.

The opening meeting will start at 8:00 a.m. and the first quiz at 8:30 a.m. There will be eight rounds of quizzing in the morning. After lunch, the playoff brackets will be announced. Following the Finals, the day will be capped off with an awards ceremony, which will include the Champions and finalists, individual All Stars (top 25% for the season), Dream Team (top 4 quizzers on the day), Rookie of the Year and Most Improved Quizzer.



Finally, the list of quizzers going to Chicago will be announced by the end of the awards ceremony. Then, before heading home, everyone going to the Chicago 2019 Tournament with DBQ needs to confirm that, and the following costs need to be submitted to Jerry Graff:

- *quizzers*: \$20 for team fee and T-shirt,
- *parent and fans*: \$10 if you want a T-shirt.

Remember, to go to Chicago as a quizzer on a DBQ team, you should have a 20-point average for the season if you're a veteran quizzer and a 10-point average if you're a rookie. You also should not have missed more than one day of quizzing throughout the season and must be present for the March quizzes. Your final average is determined after the preliminary quizzes in the Day of Champions Tournament, so there are 6 more quizzes to get your average where you want it to be.

If you think you will not qualify but you really want to go to Chicago, talk to your parents about the trip and talk to your quiz leaders, too. There may be an open spot or two that the team-selection committee at their discretion can fill with quizzers who have not qualified. The committee will be looking for those quizzers who demonstrate in the six preliminary quizzes in the morning of March 9 that they can contribute to their team when quizzing on all the season material.

Team assignments will be announced no later than Sunday, March 24, when there will be a practice for all the Chicago quizzers at Lake Pointe Bible Church. However, quizzers are encouraged to not rely on that one practice alone, but get together for additional practices as you are able. ★

Quizzer of the Month



Cordelia Fike

LP Do You Want To Leave Too?

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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 February, two quizzers attained this distinction:

Sophia Fike	270
Owen Parker	240

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. **Jack Smith's** rookie-leading 100 points caught him back up with **Kaleb Caron-Martin**, who had taken over the top rookie spot in Jack's absence last month. Just one question off Jack's pace was **Victoria Edwards** with 80 points. Make a point to encourage the rookies.

HAIKU OF THE MONTH

(Situation question edition)

Quote: "Come and see, Lord."

To whom was it said? Jesus

Result? Jesus wept.

inspired by John 11:34-35

STEERING COMMITTEE

The DBQ Steering Committee will be meeting at 8:00 p.m. on March 10, 2019 by telephone conference. Participating churches and organizations 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

February Quiz Highlights

LP Wash My Feet–90, LP Why does this concern us?–50, OCS You Must Decrease–60

Each of the three teams in this quiz had only two members present on this day. **Sophia Fike** took the first three questions for a frozen chair without error and a 70-point lead for Lake Pointe Wash My Feet. **Matthew Magro** scored on question 5, 8 and 10, also for a frozen chair without error, and Oakland Christian Schools was in a tie for the lead. Meanwhile **Erin Yonker** and **Nathan Mayer** had each scored to keep it close for LP Why does this concern us?. Sophia and Matt were back in on a question 12 toss-up won by Sophia. Then Nathan got his second score. Going into question 15, the score was 90–60–70, and with Nathan able to get a bonus it was still anyone's quiz. On question 15, Wash My Feet's **Caleb Yonker** erred but no one jumped on the toss-up. On question 16 and 16A, Nathan and Matthew erred. Sophia then took the freebie for the win.

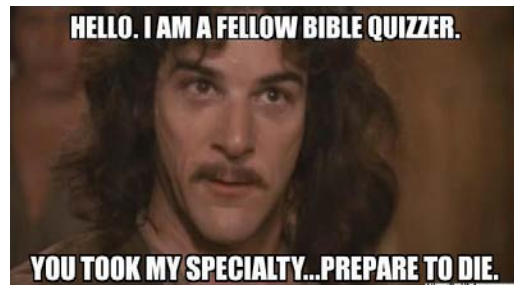
WHEN ANOTHER CAPTAIN CHALLENGES



AND YOU WEREN'T PAYING ATTENTION

OCS You Must Decrease–0, ♥ Not Your Husband–250, ♥ 2 Small Fish–40

The league's first-place team was in an amazing groove in this quiz, taking the first seven questions for a 160-point lead: three for **Owen Parker**, two for **Curtis Parker**, and two for **Sam Hatfield**. An OCS error on 8 let Owen back in for his fourth score followed by Curtis getting his third. A 2 Small Fish error on 11 let Owen back in again for his fifth score. Going into question 13, OCS and 2 Small Fish had to contend with Sam trying desperately to join his two teammates with a frozen chair. **Noel Alvarez** got the jump on question 13 to put 2 Small Fish on the board. Sam got the jump but not the answer on question 14, and Noel took the toss-up to lock up second place. On question 15, Sam got the jump again and the answer, and he had his frozen chair.



SPN Steal & Kill & Destroy–30, LP Do you want to leave too?–90, LP Wash My Feet–80

Sophia Fike got the first score for Wash My Feet. **Cordelia Fike** got the next two scores, a freebie and a 20-pointer, to take a slim lead for Do you want to leave too? Rookie **Jack Smith** then scored for St. Paul of Northville. At the half-way point, the score we 20–30–20. Sophia scored again as did Jack so their teams moved into a tie for the lead. Cordelia scored to take the lead back, but Sophia got her third score for one more lead change. Carmen Yonker got a freebie on 13B and the two LP teams were tied with a 20-point lead over SPN. Cordelia nailed question 14 for a bonus by freezing her chair without error and that locked up the win. Question 15 was for second place, and an SPN error let Sophia back in to take the toss-up and end the quiz.



The all-rookie SPN team

CP Puffy Shyeeep–20, OCS You Must Decrease–50, LP A Dispute–70

Oakland Christian School's **Annaliese Sanchez** got the scoring started with a freebie on question 3. **Grant Mayer** then took the lead for Lake Pointe. **Destiny Lloyd** scored to tie CrossPoint for the lead. Grant got two in a row for a 40-point LP lead. **Matthew Magro** scored for OCS to cut the lead to 30. Rookie **Victoria Edwards** scored for CP to cut the lead to 20. Matthew scored again to cut the lead to 10. Going into question 15, the score was 40–50–60, anyone's quiz. Errors by LP and CP and an attempt by OCS moved the quiz on to question 16 with the score 30–50–50, still anyone's quiz. Following another CP error, Grant made no mistake on the toss-up and claimed the win for LP.



Annaliese Sanchez in water-war action at the 2018 OCS Bible Quizzing Boot Camp

Note: This month's memes were found on the Facebook page "Bible Quizzing Memes." 🌟



Team Standings February 2019

Plc	Team Name	Pts	Record
1	♥ Not Your Husband	162	14-1-0
2	♥ About To Die	127	9-5-1
3	LP Do you want to leave too?	125	9-6-0
4	Marimont Raise It Up	87	5-5-5
5	LP Wash My Feet	81	4-8-0
6	OCS You Must Decrease	72	3-6-6
7	SPN Steal & Kill & Destroy	62	3-5-7
8	CP Puffy Shyeeep	58	2-6-7
9	LP A Dispute	54	3-3-9
10	♥ 2 Small Fish	53	2-5-8
11	LP Why does this concern us?	44	1-5-9

Rnk	First Name	Last Name	Team Name	Pts	Avg.	Err	Nov Pt & Err
1	Owen	Parker	♥ Not Your Husband	1140	76.00	5	240 1
2	Cordelia	Fike	LP Do you want to leave too?	1110	92.50	3	300 0
3	Sophia	Fike	LP Wash My Feet	1010	84.17	9	270 2
4	Grant	Mayer	LP A Dispute	700	58.33	9	150 1
5	Curtis	Parker	♥ Not Your Husband	690	46.00	9	180 2
6	Raine Lily	O'Ryan	♥ About To Die	660	44.00	8	60 2
7	Noah	Trevino	Marimont Raise It Up	630	52.50	8	120 4
8	Kaleb	Caron-Martin*	♥ About To Die	500	33.33	7	60 2
9	Jack	Smith*	SPN Steal & Kill & Destroy	500	41.67	25	100 8
10	Carmen	Yonker	LP Do you want to leave too?	470	31.33	6	10 1
11	Noel	Alvarez	♥ 2 Small Fish	430	28.67	6	40 1
12	Destiny	Lloyd	CP Puffy Shyeeep	430	28.67	15	20 5
13	Matthew	Magro	OCS You Must Decrease	410	34.17	14	110 2
14	Katie	Baugh*	Marimont Raise It Up	380	25.33	2	20 1
15	Nathan	Mayer	LP Why does this concern us?	340	28.33	3	150 1
16	Erin	Yonker	LP Why does this concern us?	340	26.15	4	90 2
17	Annaliese	Sanchez	OCS You Must Decrease	330	22.00	9	10 0
18	Kayla	Miller	♥ 2 Small Fish	270	18.00	15	70 2
19	Sam	Hatfield	♥ Not Your Husband	260	17.33	17	100 4
20	Rachel	George*	SPN Steal & Kill & Destroy	240	16.00	7	10 3
21	Victoria	Edwards*	CP Puffy Shyeeep	210	17.50	11	80 3
22	Lydia	Hatfield	♥ About To Die	190	15.83	7	100 3
23	Marlena	Munch	OCS You Must Decrease	130	14.44	2	0 0
24	Logan	Jordan*	SPN Steal & Kill & Destroy	120	8.00	6	20 1
25	Megan	Yonker	LP A Dispute	100	6.67	3	0 0
26	Soraya	McKay	Marimont Raise It Up	80	5.71	5	20 0
27	Mariah	Davis	CP Puffy Shyeeep	60	4.00	5	0 3
28	Nelson	Glory-Ejoyokah	LP Wash My Feet	40	4.44	0	0 0
29	Collin	Gibson	♥ About To Die	40	3.08	1	0 0
30	Trenton	Griffith*	LP A Dispute	40	4.44	5	0 2
31	Michelle	Glory-Ejoyokah	LP Do you want to leave too?	20	2.22	2	0 0
32	Caleb	Yonker	LP Wash My Feet	20	1.67	3	0 1
33	Laila	Yasin	♥ 2 Small Fish	0	0.00	5	0 1
34	Ray	Glory-Ejoyokah	LP Why does this concern us?	0	0.00	0	0 0

Individual Standings - February 2019

February 2019 Quiz Scores

Marimont Raise It Up	30	♥ Not Your Husband	160	SPN Steal & Kill & Destroy	30
CP Puffy Shyeeep	20	♥ About To Die	40	LP Do you want to leave too?	90
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♥ About To Die	50	LP Why does this concern us?	90	♥ Boy With 2 Small Fish	30
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LP Wash My Feet	90	OCS You Must Decrease	0	CP Puffy Shyeeep	20
LP Why does this concern us?	50	♥ Not Your Husband	250	OCS You Must Decrease	50
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LP A Dispute	50	LP Wash My Feet	90		
♥ Not Your Husband	140	♥ About To Die	130		

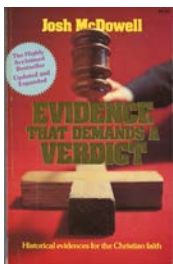
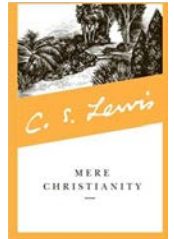
The Trilemma—"lunatic, liar or Lord" or "mad, bad or God"

What were the Jews to make of Jesus, in form a mere man born among them, but he said that he had come down from heaven to give life to the world? John 6:33, 42. He said that he and the Father are one. John 10:30. He said that he is the resurrection and the life. John 11:25. He said that he is the way and the truth and the life. John 14:6.

Some concluded that he was a deceiver. John 7:12b. Some accused him of being demon-possessed. John 7:20. Some said, "He is a good man." John 7:12a

Is it really enough to say that Jesus was a good man? C.S. Lewis, the author of the Chronicles of Narnia and other good books, answered "no" in *Mere Christianity*.

"I am trying here to prevent anyone saying the really foolish thing that people often say about him: 'I'm ready to accept Jesus as a great moral teacher, but I don't accept His claim to be God.' That is the one thing we must not say. A man who was merely a man and said the sort of things Jesus said would not be a great moral teacher. He would either be a lunatic—on a level with the man who says he is a poached egg—or else he would be the Devil of Hell. You must make you choice. Either this man was, and is, the Son of God; or else a madman or something worse. You can shut Him up for a fool, you can spit at Him and kill Him as a demon; or you can fall at His feet and call Him Lord and God. But let us not come with any patronizing nonsense about His being a great human teacher. He has not left that open to us. He did not intend to."



Josh McDowell in *Evidence That Demands a Verdict* added to the argument: if Jesus knew he was not God, then he lied and was a hypocrite because he told others to be honest. More than that, if he told others to trust their eternity to him when he knew he could not back up his claims, then he was unspeakably evil. Lastly, he would have been a fool, because his claims resulted in his own death.

To say that Jesus isn't these things doesn't leave room to simply say he was a good man; He really is Lord. ✪

March 9, 2019 Day of Champions

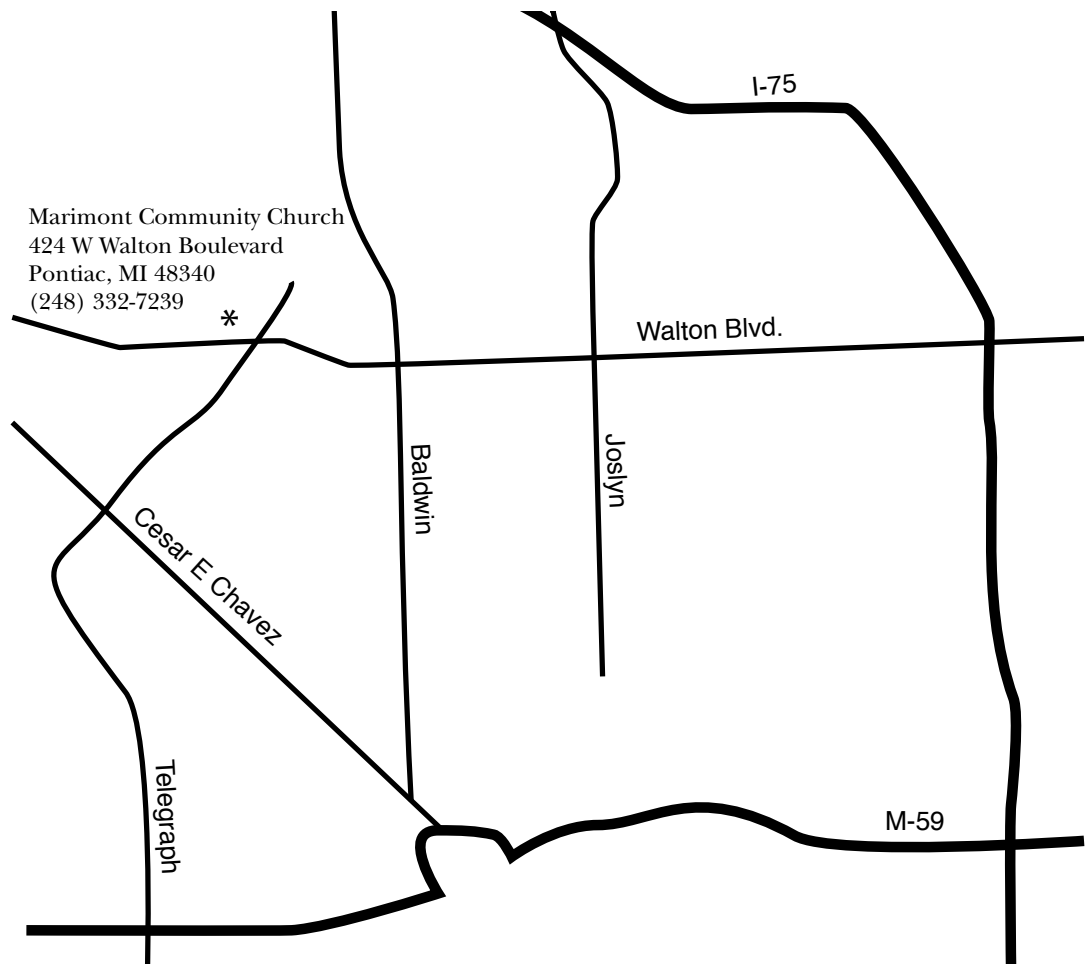
Marimont is on the north side of Walton Boulevard in Pontiac just west of Telegraph Road. The driveway into the parking lot is on the west side of the church.

via M-59 from the east:

Come west to Woodward, turn right and half-way around the loop turn right on Cesar E Chavez Avenue. At Telegraph, turn right. At Walton, turn left and the church will be on your right.

from the I-696 corridor:

From the east, take I-75 north to M-59 and follow the directions above. From the west, take Telegraph north all the way to Walton, turn left and the church will be on your right.





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April 5 – 7, 2019

Hilton Garden Inn
Kankakee, Illinois

Olivet Nazarene University
Bourbonnais, Illinois

Schedule

February 9: All quizzers, coaches, officials and parents are asked to complete the pre-registration form and turn it in at the February quiz. Even if you know that you will not be going to Chicago, it helps the Steering Committee to have that information.

March 9: Quizzers will be announced (but not teams; those will be announced by the All Teams Practice). Confirm you are going and pay for quizzer team fee and/or T-shirts to Jerry Graff by the end of the Day of Champions Tournament.

March 15: Deadline to take advantage of DBQ's reserved block of rooms at Hilton Garden Inn.

March 24: Chicago All Teams Practice at Lake Pointe Bible Church.

April 5: 3:00 P.M. hotel check-in. An orientation meeting will be held Friday evening at 9:00 (Chicago time) in the hotel meeting room we have reserved. This is a mandatory meeting for all Detroit Bible Quizzing participants.

April 6: On Saturday, breakfast at the hotel is between 6:30–7:25 A.M. Quizzing starts at 8:00 A.M. at the university, but plan on being there by 7:45 A.M.

April 7: On Sunday morning, breakfast at the hotel is between 7:00–9:00 A.M. We will have a joint worship service/sharing time starting at 9:00 A.M. back in the meeting room. 12:00 noon check-out.

Advance Costs

Team Fee and Shirts. DBQ will (1) register the teams with the World Bible Quiz Association (\$40 per team) and (2) design and obtain the T-shirts. The per person cost of these two items is payable to DBQ and to be given to Jerry Graff on March 9, as follows:

- for *quizzers*, the cost is \$10 toward the team fee and \$10 for the shirt, for a total of \$20.
- for *coaches*, the T-shirt is complimentary.
- for *others*, the T-shirt is optional, but if you want one (the cost is \$10) please order it and pay Jerry Graff on March 9.

Hotel. DBQ has arranged a discount at the Hilton Garden Inn (see below) with a block of rooms being held until March 15. However, each quiz group or family needs to make its own arrangements with the hotel to reserve your room(s). The discount rate is \$99 per room per night plus tax.

Locations

We will be staying at the Hilton Garden Inn. The address is 455 Riverstone Parkway, Kankakee, IL, 60901. The phone number is 815-932-4444. The web site is <http://hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/illinois/hilton-garden-inn-kankakee-MDWKAGI/index.html>. Plan on approximately 5-6 hours travel time from the Detroit area.

We will be quizzing at Olivet Nazarene University in Bourbonnais, IL. The address is 1 University Ave, Bourbonnais, IL 60914. The web site is <http://www.olivet.edu>. The school is 6 miles north of the hotel. Plan on a 20-minute drive

How Are Teams Made Up?

Every quizzer who qualifies for the Chicago Tournament gets placed in a pool. A team of quizzing leaders get together and put the teams together like an intricate puzzle. This team-makeup committee considers quizzers' local performance all year long (but especially in the March Day of Champions Tournament), their home location and how close they are to other quizzers in their area, their specialization (if they have one) and overall team chemistry. Each team is then assigned a coach that best fits that team's makeup.

Will There Be An All Teams Practice?

Yes, on Sunday, March 24, from 2:30-4:30 P.M., snow or not, we will be having an all teams practice. It is required for all quizzers and coaches attending. It will be at Lake Pointe Bible Church, 42150 Schoolcraft, Plymouth, MI 48170. In addition, coaches are encouraged to be creative and try to get their team together for a practice during the week, perhaps with another team as well.

What About Transportation To Chicago?

Each church or quizzing group is responsible for its own transportation. There may be room in another church's van for you if you need a ride, but you must make your need known.

What About Food?

Breakfast is included in the hotel's room charge. All of your remaining meals for the weekend will be on your own. Plan on whatever meals you will have while traveling and then add Friday dinner, Saturday lunch and dinner, and Sunday lunch going home. You should have somewhere between 4-7 total meals depending on when you travel.

How Does Someone Get A DBQ T-Shirt?

At the hotel on Friday evening, there will be a DBQ orientation meeting. At that time, the DBQ T-shirts for the Tournament will be unveiled. We try to obtain a different color for each team, as well as yet another color for all the parents and others who order a T-shirt on March 9.

What Stuff Should Be Brought?

A medical release form for quizzers 17 and under who will not be accompanied by a parent (see attached sample). What else: swimsuit for the pool or hot-tub, work-out gear for the Fitness Center, quiz portion and study materials (for last minute review!), clothing appropriate for the season (stay warm and dry!).

Have A Great Time!

Make sure that you plan on getting to know others outside of your own church. Take a risk. Make a new friend. Scripture says that the world will know us by the kind of love we show each other as Christians. Let's make sure we show them exactly what the Lord meant by that. It's gonna be a great time! We can't wait to see you all down there!

Problems or questions?... contact Nathan Parker (248) 249-9105

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