



August Assignments

Welcome/Prayer: David Davenport

Song Leader: Harold Achimon

Scripture Reading: Justin Patterson
Ephesians 2:1-2

Lord's Table:

Bread Prayer – Gene Hampton

Fruit of the Vine Prayer – Kerry Jones

Contribution Prayer – Quint Westfall

Attendance cards: Austin Patterson &
Nolan Patterson



Birthdays

Erick Swindle 8/18

Juvean Snell 8/19

Camille Thompson 8/19

Jaxson Smotherman 8/21

Runez Pruitt 8/21

Anniversaries

Tony & Donna Way 8/20

Mark & Jennifer Eschenfelder 8/21

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¹⁸Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 29:18-20

TO:

Be sure to tune in to **"Let the Bible Speak"** Sundays 6:30 am on KTEN NBC 10 and 9:30 am KTEN ABC 9.

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TIME OF SERVICES

Bible Class:	9:30 am
Worship	10:30 am
Evening	6:00 pm
Wednesday pm	7:00 pm

What Causes Churches to Die? (Part 3 of 6)

Lack of Concern

Jesus had been arrested by the Jewish leadership, forsaken by His apostles, condemned by the Romans, and nailed to a cross. The Scripture describes those who were present. *"They sat and watched him there"* (Matt. 27:36). Isn't that a sad image? There was seemingly no compassion, no concern for His suffering. In the story we call "The Good Samaritan" (Luke 10:30-37), the priest and Levite were not blamed for the robbery, but each of them *"saw him, passed by on the other side."* They were not concerned enough to "get involved" in someone else's problem. The lament of Jeremiah depicts that attitude perfectly. *"Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by? Behold, and see if there be any sorrow like unto my sorrow, which is brough upon me"* (Lam. 1:12).

A church that is blind to the needs of those about it will soon die. Jesus cared about people in trouble – the sick, the poor, the bereaved, those burdened by guilt, the discouraged – and so must we. One of the first problems in the early church was about caring for some of their needy members (Acts 6). The churches among the gentiles provided funds for the Christians of Judea who were in financial need (1 Cor. 16:1-2; 2 Cor. 8:1-14). Paul wrote that he and Barnabas were charged to *"remember the poor"* (Gal. 2:10), which they did. It is basic to following Jesus that we care for those who are less fortunate than we are. *"Pure religion and undefiled before our God and Father is this, to visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unspotted from the world"* (James 1:27). We should share with them using our time, energy, and funds. When there is a need, and Christians *"sit and watch,"* the church dies.

~Clem Thurman

Prayer List

Betty Baker is home from rehab on her hip. She is doing well and on schedule.

Eddie Baker is continuing with his knee rehab in Whitesboro.

Benny Hessel, a new member, has a blood clot in both legs and one in his stomach. Once he has a cat scan, the doctors will determine what to do. Please pray for him.

Larry Jones is scheduled to be transferred to Carrus Health for a few days.

Carin Patterson’s relative, **Boyd Stockton** needs our prayers. The doctors have found the masses in his brain are in fact cancer and very fast growing. He needs our prayers.

Please pray for **Joy Fowler**, a new member of our community. She has breast cancer, going through treatment and is asking for our prayers.

Jim Barnes’ mother, Brenda Barnes, is home now. She seems to be doing better now, but is very weak.

Loretta Sills is scheduled to go back to the rehab facility this week after knee surgery.

Kerry & Pat Jones’ sister-in-law, **LaDonna Jones**, has a lot of health issues and on Saturday fell off her scooter that she rides on to get around and broke her hip. She is in the hospital with a lot of health issues and needs our prayers.

Donna Way had her cataract surgery on August 10th. She did great!

Ann Beavert is home from the hospital. She needs to continue with dialysis at the hospital, so we are asking those who are able to help by taking her to the hospital to please let Betty Graham know as she has a sign-up sheet. Ann will need the help through the month of August.

Cameron Hampton has injured his back while in firefighting school. He is scheduled to have surgery at the end of the month.

Pray for the **Spraybary** family as **Marlie, Jennifer’s** daughter has COVID. **Austin and Katlin** are very sick with COVID.

Carrie Sills has COVID.

Jody Miyashita, son of Linda Miyashita, has COVID.

Tiffany Thomson, daughter-in-law of Tom and Adell Thomson, has COVID.

Tammy Sides is scheduled for another surgery on August 19th at Baylor Scott and White in Plano. Please pray for a quick recovery.

Bible Class Opportunities

9:30 am Sunday Adult
Auditorium / Ricky Patterson

9:30 am various Bible classes throughout the building.

10:30 am Worship in Auditorium and on Facebook

6:00 pm Worship in Auditorium and on Facebook
7:00 pm Wednesday evening class in the auditorium as well as on Facebook. This week we are continuing with the Story of the Bible, “Revelation”

Men’s breakfast and Bible class will meet at 7:00 am on Tuesday, September 14th .

Ladies Bible Class will begin again at 10:00 am on September 8th. We will have a brunch right after class.

Jennifer Spraybary was baptized this week. Please welcome her!

HOSPITAL/REHAB

Tyrena Jones is in Cedar Ridge Rehab and Healthcare located in Pilot Point after breaking her hip.

Carl Reed, Jeff Reed’s dad, is in the Settlers Ridge Care Center in Celina.

Saundra Westfall is in Beacon Hill Nursing and Rehab in Denison.

Those to continue to remember in Prayer:

Sylvia Goodman Iva Hampton Shelly Rubey
Danyelle Barnes Smith Cory Jones’ sister, Shannon
Melba Welch J.D. Pruitt Shelby Ansley
Lois Petty Lanette Swindle Bob Walker
Cindy Schindler Bill Schindler Billy Don Smith
Wade Kennedy Wayne McCorkle Jamie Miyashita
Keith Welch Adell Thompson Marjorie Grady
Stephanie McWilliams Gene Hampton
Juvean Snell Tommy Blackburn Tammy Sides
Eddie Baker Mimi Tate Cindy Cook
Ann Beavert Dorothy Jones Brian Welch
Jim and Linda Barnes Mavis Burton Dortha Reed
Dalton Williams Charlene King Amy Yost
Bill Huddleston Carolyn Gilbreath Rosina Magana
Lila Beth Davis Jeff Thompson Donna King

Calendar Of Events – Mark your calendars

August 15th – There will be an Elders & Deacon’s meeting after our evening worship services.

August 18th – Collinsville students begin a new school year!

August 29th – The Commerce Street Church of Christ in Gainesville is hosting 6 lessons by Gerald Hardesty starting August 29th through September 1st. Please see insert to bulletin.

August 29th – A baby shower is being planned for 2:00 PM for Haley Crowe Hertel. She is registered at Amazon and Target. If you would like to help with the shower, please see Lesa Reed or Linda Barnes.

September 10th and 11th – The Brown Street Church of Christ in Waxahachie will be hosting a Teaching and Ministry Workshop. See insert to the bulletin.

We have several people who have offered to help with the audio/visual team. If you are interested, please let Linda Barnes or Wendy Smith know.

“I push towards the goal...”
Philippians’3:13

Vital Statistics

Sunday Morning Bible65
Sunday Morning Assembly.....154
Sunday Morning Online Viewership.....144
Sunday Evening Assembly.....38
Sunday Evening Online Viewership108
Wednesday Evening Assembly.....43
Wednesday Evening Online Viewership63
Weekly Budget.....\$4,643
Contribution Last Sunday.....\$7,137

Sunday Sermon Titles

**Sunday AM: “A Study of Deuteronomy”
“Taking Care of My Brother”
Deuteronomy 25:6**

**Sunday PM: “Assembling For Worship”
Acts 2:42**

Pray for our military

J. R. Lance Zack Turpen Matt Frizzell
Chad Lorenz Trea Baker Brock Murray
Seth Rodriguez Matt Upton Madalynn Baker

Mustard Seed Ministry


We are taking up money to help Camp Pettyjohn Springs to put in a tornado shelter between now and September 24th. Please give money to Scott or one of our Elders.

Trivia

We hope you were able to answer last week’s trivia question.

Last week’s question..... What is the most likely first of Paul’s letters written? (1 Thessalonians)

This week’s question.....What is the shortest book in the Bible?



Can you name this gentleman? You see him every time the doors are open!

*Last week’s picture was of Martha Vannoy Beaver