



August Assignments

Welcome/Prayer: Garrett Patterson

Song Leader: Jim Barnes

Scripture Reading: Tracy Beaty
Ephesians 1:3-10

Lord’s Table:

Bread Prayer – Ryan Patterson

Fruit of the Vine Prayer – Dak Jones

Contribution Prayer – Jeff Thompson

Attendance cards: Connor Lucas &
Riley Patterson



Birthdays

Cole Woodard 8/30
Betty Graham 8/31
David Hendricks 9/1
Hannah Luckie 9/1
Connor Lucas 9/3
Luke Patterson 9/3
Haley Ross 9/3
Larry Bice 9/4
Wayne “Red” McCorkle 9/4

Anniversaries

Eddie & Betty Baker 8/30
Marion & Vickie Farrell 9/1

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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 5 of 6)

Neglect by Its Members

What do you need to do to kill the church? Nothing at all! You don’t have to kill it, just leave it along and it will die from neglect. Jesus pictures the judgment, with the righteous and wicked separated, the righteous on the right, the wicked on the left. What basis does He name for the separation? “*For I was hungry, and ye gave me to eat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took me in...for I was hungry, and ye did not give me to eat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me no drink*” (Matt. 25:35, 42). Those on the left are told, “*Depart from me, ye cursed, into the eternal fire which is prepared for the devil and his angels*” (Matt. 25:41). The reason they are lost is not that they were murderers, thieves, or liars. They just did nothing.

We have many members of the body of Christ who want the church to grow. They want to have good teachings. They want to see souls saved; people baptized into Christ. They want to see those in need have their needs met. But they don’t want to do the work that is required for all those things to be accomplished. They have not grown in their faith. “*For when by reason of the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need again that some one teach you the rudiments of the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and not of solid food. For everyone that partaketh of milk is without experience of the word of righteousness; for he is a babe. But solid food is for full grown men, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern good and evil*” (Heb. 5:12-14). Without spiritual growth through study and practice, we remain babes in Christ. **WE** are the church, and the only way the church can do these things is if we care enough to do them. The question of Hebrews 2:3 should continually remind us, “*How shall we escape, if we neglect so great a salvation? Which having at the first been spoken through the Lord, was confirmed unto us by them that heard.*” It isn’t that we intend to kill the church, but we just neglect to do those things that make it vital and alive. And, so, churches die.

~Clem Thurman

Prayer List

Betty Baker and Eddie are both home and continuing with rehab.

Benny Hessel, a new member, has a blood clot in both legs and one in his stomach. Please pray for him.

Larry Jones has been moved to the Reba McEntire Rehab Center for his rehab. He needs our prayers.

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.

Loretta Sills is still having rehab on her knee after surgery.

Kerry & Pat Jones' sister-in-law, **LaDonna Jones**, is back in the hospital with kidney issues. Pray for her.

Cameron Hampton has injured his back while in firefighting school. He is scheduled to have surgery on August 31st.

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

Tammy Sides had surgery on the 19th. Surgery went well and she is home recovering. Please pray for her.

Ruby Atkins's sister, **Iva Haren**, needs our prayers. The doctor has found 3 tumors in her right lung and both legs have blockage.

Carl Reed has been moved from the care center in Celina to his home and is under hospice care. Please pray for the **Don Dolezalek** and **Betty Graham** families. **Don, Jr.** passed away suddenly from a heart attack.

Joel Russell, close friends of many in the congregation passed away and leaves behind a wife and 3 children.

Jennifer Eschenfelder, daughter of Sharon Cowger, had surgery on August 25th. She is in quite a bit of pain. This is Sylvia Goodman's great niece and Harold Achimon's niece as well as a new member of our congregation. Prayers are needed.

Jared and Audrey Light has been diagnosed with COVID.

I would like to thank my brothers and sisters in Christ who prayed for my son, Jody in Japan while he had COVID. His wife, Eri and 10 year old son, Roy also got COVID. Being so far away from them during this time was tough, but it was comforting to know I had the support and prayers from this wonderful church. Thank the Lord that they have all now recovered. And thank you all, Linda Miyashita

Bible Class Opportunities

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 our study of "Being a Disciple of Jesus"

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

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

Prayers continued

A memorial service for **Betty Burelsmith, Shirley Walker's** mother will be held September 4th at 10:00 am at the Lake Ridge Chapel in Lubbock. You may go to memorialdesigners.net to see the service live streamed.

Laurie Davenport is suffering from anxiety. Her uncle, **Claude Williams** has been moved to a different facility from her Aunt Nell and he now has COVID. Pray for them.

HOSPITAL/REHAB

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

Saundra Westfall is in Beacon Hill Nursing and Rehab in Denison. She is getting better.

Those to continue to remember in Prayer:

Sylvia Goodman Iva Hampton Shelly Rubey
Ann Beavert Cory Jones' sister, Shannon
Melba Welch Keith Welch J.D. Pruitt
Shelby Ansley Lanette Swindle Bob Walker
Cindy Schindler Bill Schindler Billy Don Smith
Wade Kennedy Wayne McCorkle Jamie Miyashita
Adell Thompson Marjorie Grady Nick Moon
Stephanie McWilliams Gene Hampton
Juvean Snell Tommy Blackburn Tammy Sides
Eddie Baker Mimi Tate Cindy Cook
Dorothy Jones Brian Welch Lila Beth Davis
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
Carl Reed Joy Fowler Donna Way

Calendar Of Events – Mark your calendars

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 5th – Join us in the celebration of Wayne McCorkle's 88th birthday (September 4th). This will be at the Collinsville Community Center between the hours of 2:00 – 4:00 pm. This is a come and go. No gifts, please.

September 7th – Men's breakfast and Bible Class meets at 7:00 am.

September 8th – Our Ladies Bible Class meets at 10:00 am. A brunch is planned immediately following class. Check with Betty Graham for any additional details.

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

***** We have a sign-up sheet for Ann Beavert on the back podium. If you can take Ann for her dialysis treatments, please sign up and help our sister in need as she is unable to driver herself.**

Vital Statistics

Sunday Morning Bible	82
Sunday Morning Assembly.....	155
Sunday Morning Online Viewership.....	126
Sunday Evening Assembly.....	43
Sunday Evening Online Viewership	91
Wednesday Evening Assembly.....	54
Wednesday Evening Online Viewership	75
Weekly Budget.....	\$4,643
Contribution Last Sunday.....	\$5,482

Sunday Sermon Titles

Sunday AM: “A Study of Deuteronomy”
“Be Faithful”
Deuteronomy 28:1

Sunday PM: “Worshipping In Spirit”
John 4:19-24

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..... In what language was most of the New Testament written? *Greek*

This week's question..... Who was the first king of Israel?



Can you name this young lady?

*Last week's picture was of Betty Graham