



**June 28, 2020**

**Sunday  
Bible Classes**

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**Morning Worship**

10:00 a.m.

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**Tuesday**

Ladies Bible Class: CANCELLED

**Wednesday**

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**Elders**

Jeff Butler  
Scott Estes  
Greg Hatton  
David Hendricks  
Richard Howard  
Brent Lowe  
Butch Platt  
Ken Roper

**Ministers**

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# *The Southwesterner*

## **Why Are We Here?**

We can say many things about story of Jesus, but one thing is clear. Coming into contact with the gospel demands a reaction. It is not something that many can be neutral about. The people of Ephesus learn that through the uproar that happens in Acts 19.

There were some who were obstinate and refused to believe or change their ways. There were others whose lives were completely changed by the message. Some who had practiced sorcery destroyed their valuable scrolls, because they knew they would no longer need them. The people of the town gathered, and verse 32 describes the gathering this way: "The assembly was in confusion: Some were shouting one thing, some another. Most of the people did not even know why they were there." When one of the Jews tried to explain what was going on, the people shouted in unison so he could not be heard.

It all happened nearly 2000 years ago, but it sounds a lot like the culture we live in. There is usually so much noise around us, it can be difficult to get the message through. Too often we find ourselves discouraged and silent as a result. At those times, we need to remember the sorcerers destroying their scrolls. Through the noise, discouragement and stubbornness, the gospel still reaches the hearts of people who might not even realize why they are here.

Throughout scripture, God brings order out of chaos. He does it during creation and keeps doing it to help His people. Currently in our world the upending of schedules and habits due to COVID-19 has brought chaos again. It is another time where God provides the answers that people are searching for. His church can help others come to know Him. Through Jesus they can have the life He intended. Sharing that good news with them is the reason we are here.

Brian

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## CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PLAN UPDATES

**Update:** The elders have decided to continue our current worship schedule of Sunday morning worship service at 10:00 am for those who are comfortable attending. We plan to continue this schedule through the month of June. Services will continue to be live streamed on facebook and youtube for those choosing to worship at home.

**Worship service** will be live streamed online at 10 am on Sunday mornings.

**All Bible classes** except the teen class are available at [facebook.com/swcocada](https://facebook.com/swcocada) or [youtube.com/swcocada](https://youtube.com/swcocada).

**Sunday:** Baby Bible Class, Children's Bible Class, & Adult Bible Class - Study of Luke taught by Jeff Butler  
Facebook Live, Southwest Young Adult Class with David Dirrim at 9:00 am

**Wednesday:** Summer Series  
Teen Bible Class - Taught by Brian Lewis on Zoom at 7:30 pm

### Servers Scheduled for 10 am Sunday, June 28th:

Song Leader - Richard Howard  
Opening Prayer - David Hendricks  
Closing Prayer - Daimon Alexander  
Communion Thoughts - Alan Eck  
Attendance Counting - Alan Simpson  
Safety Team Walk - Caleb Estes & Will Lampkin  
Safety Team Camera - Glenn Ogle  
Service Coordinator - Cody Frye  
Sound Booth - Andon Russell & Jeremy Russell  
Elder of the Month - Butch Platt



**1<sup>st</sup> – Jim McGuigan: Have the same care for....** (Online)

**8<sup>th</sup> – Ben Williams: Greet... with a holy kiss.**

**ONE ANOTHER**  
2020 | SOUTHWEST SUMMER SERIES

**15<sup>th</sup> – Randy Roper: Serve....**

**22<sup>nd</sup> – Kelly Benson: Wait for....**

**29<sup>th</sup> – Scott Franks: Love....**

**SOUTHWEST Church of Christ**

## Family News & Updates

**Charles Cannon's brother,** Howard Cannon, had a stroke Wednesday in Springfield, MO and was admitted into the hospital. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Our sympathy** goes to Clint and Paula Sturdevant and Jessie Canida on the passing of their son and grandson, Clint Sturdevant IV. He passed away Saturday morning, June 20th. His funeral services were held on Thursday. Please keep Clint, Paula, and Jessie in your prayers.

**Wednesday Night Summer Series** – Our tentative schedule is to continue with online video for the summer series for one more week. We plan to begin meeting at the building on Wednesday night, July 8th. We will only meet for the guest speaker series in the auditorium, using the same distancing guidelines as Sunday mornings. There will not be other classes meeting at the building. The summer series lesson will be live streamed on facebook and youtube.

**There is a basket** in the foyer if you would like to leave a shower gift for Holly and Casey Farrar's new baby, Hudson. In July we will have the same basket set up for Lindsay Jones and Anna Vass. Please be looking for more details.

**The church office** will be closed Friday, July 3rd in observance of the 4th of July holiday.

**Power for Today** study booklets for July-September are in the foyer.

**Senior Sunday** – We will honor our high school class of 2020 graduates on Sunday, August 2. We wanted to do this a little later this year, when more people could attend. It will be a sendoff as our graduates begin a new phase of life. Parents of graduates: there will be tables set up in the foyer for each graduate as we have done in the past. Also, please get your pictures to David Lewis for the slideshow.

**Youth Minister Candidate:** There will be a meet and greet for the new youth minister candidate, Thorin Turner from Pauls Valley, on Sunday, July 12th at 6 pm in the fellowship building. All youth group families are welcome to attend. Thorin will give a devotional starting at 6 pm and then you will be able to ask him any questions that you may have. There will be a meal right after the devo and the meeting.

**Please Continue to Pray For:** Karen Floyd, Katie Meaders, Patsy Hill, Johnnie Sing, Alyene Sims, Z.D. Parker, Joe Don Harrison, Joe Medlock, Jim Begin, Jeannie Wingard, Mildred West, Cherry Bennett, Shirley Gatewood, Shirley Perry, Anne Leaverton, Sherry Price, Pattie Mitchell, Debbie Harber, Donna Love, Thayne Consequellos, Joy Crowell, Verna Cannon, Lewis & Lea Crain, Warner Fleck, Jessie Glover, Randy Wilson, Paul & Shirley Love, Steve, Jana & Stacey Stewart, & Bill Scott.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

### June

28 Tom Denson  
29 David Dirrim, Debbie Willis

### July

01 (A) Richard & Camille Howard  
03 Titus Nickell,  
(A) Wayne & Glenda King  
04 Debbie Hataway,  
(A) Stefan & Daniela Iorga

CONTRIBUTION

Week of June 21st  
\$10,245  
Weekly Budget  
\$12,821

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## Pray For Our Service Men:

**Daniel Hataway, Payton Patton, Clay Patterson, Michale Perry, Chanse Alexander, Dawson Hendricks, Frank Holsapple Jr., & Jonathon Wingard.**

**If you have a family member or know of someone you would like to add to our prayer list let the office know.**