# The Southwesterner

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# CONGRATULATIONS! TO OUR MAY GRADUATE!

Alexia Qualls will be graduating with a bachelor's degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing. After her wedding in the summer, Lexi's plans are to move to Enid. She hopes to find a community-centered job with lots of event planning. She is from Stratford and is the daughter of Patrick and Kimra Qualls. Lexi says, "I want to thank the Southwest congregation for all the big and small things you do for the college students. From mission trips and home cooked meals to bringing us cookies and new couches for the SBC, you made me feel loved throughout my college years here. The SBC is an absolute blessing and has always been my favorite place on campus."





May 1, 2022



#### **Shepherds**

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

#### **Ministers**

Brian Lewis David Dirrim Thorin Turner Kyle Wilson

#### **Secretary**

Dana Chilcoat

## **Family Matters**

**Don Hoover** is still in St. Anthony Hospital in Oklahoma City. They are in hopes of him being released soon. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Pete Duncan** has been in Mercy Hospital Ada. The family has requested no visitors at this time. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Glendel Hatton** is home recovering after his hospital stay. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Larry and Bobbye Darbison** have temporarily moved to Brookdale. Please keep them in your prayers.

To our family here at Southwest. Words cannot express the gratitude we feel for the inspirational words, thoughts, and prayers prior to and post God surgery. May Bless each and everyone of you. From bottom of our hearts. Thank You! and Teresa Gary Strong

#### 1 Thessalonians 5:17

"Pray without ceasing."

Please continue to pray for...

Ronald Trent. Jesse Nickell. Barbara Cannon, Barbara Hataway, Verna Cannon, Sherry Price, Lea Patsy Hill, Silkey. Shirley Love, Gerald Joliff, Katie Meaders, Johnnie Sing, Alyene Sims, Mildred West, Cherry Bennett, Shirley Perry, Pattie Mitchell, Debbie Harber. Warner Fleck, Randy Wilson, Thayne Consequellos, and Steve, Jana & Stacey Stewart.

## Happenings

Church Events & Announcements

Church Directory Pictures: There are signup sheets in the foyer to reserve a spot for pictures for the new Southwest pictorial directory we're getting ready to produce. It is our intent to both print a pictorial directory for everyone and also use the pictures in our online directory. Should you have questions or need further information, the elders have asked Kim Simpson to coordinate everything. Her phone number is 580-320-4630 should you need to contact her. Garett Hatton will be the photographer rather than using an outside firm, so there will be nothing to buy! We certainly can provide you with the digital prints if you'd like to have them. The dates the pictures are going to be taken are May 6th, 7th, 13th, and 14th.

**Ladies Prayer Group** meets on the 1st and 3rd Sundays each month at 4:00 pm in the old kitchen. The next time they will meet is **May 1st**.



# Wedding Shower

All ladies are invited to a wedding shower for *Ryan Duncan & Naleh Pryor* on Sunday, <u>May 15th</u> in the fellowship building from 2:00pm - 3:30pm. They are registered at The Knot.



#### May at a Glance

01 AWTG at Highland, Ladies Prayer Group 06-07 Directory Picture Appts. 08 Youth Meal & Devo

13-14 Directory Picture Appts.

13-15 College Spring Retreat

15 Duncan Wedding Shower, Ladies Prayer Group, Senior Night Presentation

22 Youth Meal & Devo

23 Yellow House

29 Youth Meal & Devo

30 Memorial Day (Office Closed)



05/01 Rebekah Eck, Cody Frye, Linden Hatton, Creed Proctor, Joleigh Tinsley 05/04 Cameron Butler, Joan Elliott, 05/07 Don Simpson



May 1st AWTG at Highland in Tecumseh

May 5th Youth Home Bible Study



05/07 Jeff & Pam Butler



May 13th-15th College Spring Retreat in Lawton

**Tigers for Christ** 

### **PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN** Josh Higginbottom Frank Holsapple Jr. Clay Patterson Michale Perry

#### Sunday Bible Classes

**Adult Classes** 

David Hendricks

Various Topics

Auditorium

David Dirrim

Southwest Corner Classroom

Jeff Butler

**Book of James** 

Old Kitchen Classroom

**College Group** 

Kyle Wilson

Middle Hall Classroom

Youth Group (6th-12th Grades)

**Thorin Turner** 

Youth Classroom

Kids

Elementary (K-2nd & 3rd-6th)

North Hall Classrooms

Preschool (2 Years Old & 3-4 Years Old)

South Hall Classrooms

Baby Class (Under 2 Years Old)

For the Record: 04/24/2022

**Budget** 

Bible Study	167
AM Assembly	312
PM Assembly	120
Wednesday PM	133
Contributions	\$12,005

\$13,500

#### SERVING THIS WEEK

Sunday AM:

Song Leader: Tyler Jones
Opening Prayer: Thorin Turner
Closing Prayer: Jeff Butler
Scripture Reading: Jet Frye

Lord's Supper Thoughts: Dusty Dennis

Communion Servers: Brett Butler, Dusty Dennis, Tim Hensley, Tuker Dennis, KerVon James, Chuck Love, Trevin

Vass

Balcony Servers: Jag Frye & Trenton Hensley

Attendance Counter: Cody Frye

Safety Team Walk **AM/PM**: Will Lampkin Safety Team Camera **AM/PM**: Russell Neill

Coordinator **AM/PM/Wed**: Bart Conley & Jared Griffin Sound Booth **AM/PM/Wed**: Ried Duncan & John Eck

Sunday PM:

Song Leader: Richard Howard Opening Prayer: David Hendricks Closing Prayer: Kyle Wilson

Attendance Counter: Kevin Graham

Communion: Casey Farrar & Drew Graham

Wednesday PM:

Song Leader: Jared Hudson

Announcements/Opening Prayer: Ried Duncan

8 Minute Devotional: David Hendricks Closing Prayer: Jack Cadenhead Attendance Counting: Tuker Dennis Safety Team Walk: Hunter Nickell Safety Team Camera: Lane Garrett

**May Contribution Counters:** 

Bill Young, Chuck Love, James Byers, & Ried Duncan

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome

Blessed Be the Lord - 72

Scripture: Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

Prayer

What a Day That Will Be - 916

We Bow Down - 577

He Gave Me a Song - 608

Thoughts From the Cross: Dusty Dennis

We Saw Thee Not - 342

Communion

You Are the Words and Music - 238

Contribution

When He Comes in Glory - 854

A.M. Lesson: Connecting as Family

Why Keep Jesus Waiting - 927

**Announcements** 

A Common Love - 705

Prayer

P.M. Lesson: Selflessness

An elder and wife are available in the classroom of the middle hallway of the building during each invitation.

Shepherd for May: Scott Estes
Supporting Shepherd & Wife: Butch & Denise Platt

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#### Sunday

Bible Classes - 9:00 a.m. Morning Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Evening Worship - 5:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday

Bible Class Auditorium 7:00 p.m. Youth Group - College Group K-5th Grades

Worship & Classes Online

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