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THE HEAVENS DECLARE

"This landscape of 'mountains' and 'valleys' speckled with glittering stars is actually the edge of a nearby, young, star-forming region called NGC 3324 in the Carina Nebula. Captured in infrared light by NASA's new James Webb Space Telescope, this image reveals for the first time previously invisible areas of star birth." (Photo and explanation from NASA.gov)

I was fascinated to see this photo shared recently from the new James Webb Space Telescope. Although I appreciate the detailed scientific explanation by NASA, I prefer the words of the Psalmist and the Hebrew writer. "He determines the number of the stars; he gives to all of them their names. Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure." (Psalm 147:4-5) "By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible. (Hebrews 11:3) Although we are the first people able to see this in 2022, our God created it and knew about it all along. What a God we serve! - Brian

July 17th, 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

Please keep these people in your prayers:

Doug Todd is struggling with his health at this time.

Bruce Huddleston will have a pacemaker installed on Tuesday in Oklahoma City.

Ember Hubbard, the daughter of **Jacob and Erin Hubbard**, has tested positive for RSV and had been sick with a fever for several days. Her fever finally broke on Thursday. So far she has had no trouble breathing.

Chuck Love, Sheri Wilkerson, and Danny Love's mother, Reba Hazday, had a bad stroke and hospice has been called in. She is also the grandmother of Brandi Cadenhead and Ashley Dansby.

Our sympathy goes out to Eugene Cannon on the passing of his wife, Verna Cannon, on Friday, July 15th.

Our sympathy goes out to Glendel and Paula Hatton on the passing of Glendel's sister, GeorgeAnn Jarman. She passed away last Friday. Her services will be at 10am Monday, at Wooster Funeral Home in Pauls Valley.

Our sympathy goes out to Darla and David Hendricks and Karla and James Garberick on the passing of Darla and Karla's mother, Hazel Jamar. She passed away Monday morning. Her services were held Friday.

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 **July 17th**.

1 Thessalonians 5:17

"Pray without ceasing."

Please continue to pray for...

Randy Hall, Ronald Trent, Jesse Nickell, Barbara Cannon, Barbara Hataway, Verna Cannon, Sherry Price, Lea Crain, Patsy Hill, Sue 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

Southwest Family, This past month seems like a blur to me with my mom. I was not prepared to let her go yet. I want to thank you for the cards while mom was in the hospital and calls of concern. Her passing went so fast after her hospital stay so now I want to say Thank you again for your out pouring of sympathy. Thank you to Janna Byrd for the paper goods, they were very much needed. Thank you Scott and Sharon for the visit and yummy food. Thank you ladies and James Byers for the delicious meal. My family could not stop bragging about the delicious food. Love you all, Denise & Butch

Southwest Congregation, Thank you all so much who showed up to help unload our moving truck. We are forever grateful! We appreciate everyone making us feel so welcome in the community and church right away! We look forward to worshipping with you all. Sarah (Heil) & Sam Austin

The Yellow House will hand out food this month on Monday, **July 25th**, from 8am to 10am. Workers this month are: Butch & Denise Platt, Don & Pam Kite, Bill Young, James Bryant, Mary Conley, and Glenn Ogle.





July at a Glance

- 03 Ladies Prayer Group,
Youth Meal & Devo
- 04 Office Closed (4th - Holiday)
- 07-09 VBS
- 10 Youth Meal & Devo
- 11 AWTG (Britton Road)
- 13 Pew Packers
- 14 Youth Home Bible Study
- 17 Congregational Potluck,
Ladies Prayer Group
- 17-22 PTC & EWES Camps
- 24 Youth Meal & Devo
- 25 Yellow House,
AWTG (Southern Ridge)
- 28 Youth Home Bible Study
- 31 Youth Meal & Devo



**July 17th-
22nd**

Preacher's
Training
Camp

**July 17th-
22nd**

E.W.E.S.
Camp



07/18 Mallory Cheek

07/20 Jezula Jonka,
Jenni Trekell

07/21 Morgan Cheek,
Becky Lillard,
Carolyn Preble

07/22 Macey Eck,
Stacey Morris,
Lakelynn Vass



07/24 Michael & Ashlee Holloway

07/14 Greg & Dana Chilcoat

07/15 James & Lynnette Bryant

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN

Josh Higginbottom
Frank Holsapple Jr.
Clay Patterson
Michale Perry

Sunday Bible Classes

Adult Classes

Various Teachers

Various Topics

Auditorium

David Dirrim

Southwest Corner Classroom

Jeff Butler

Book of Acts

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

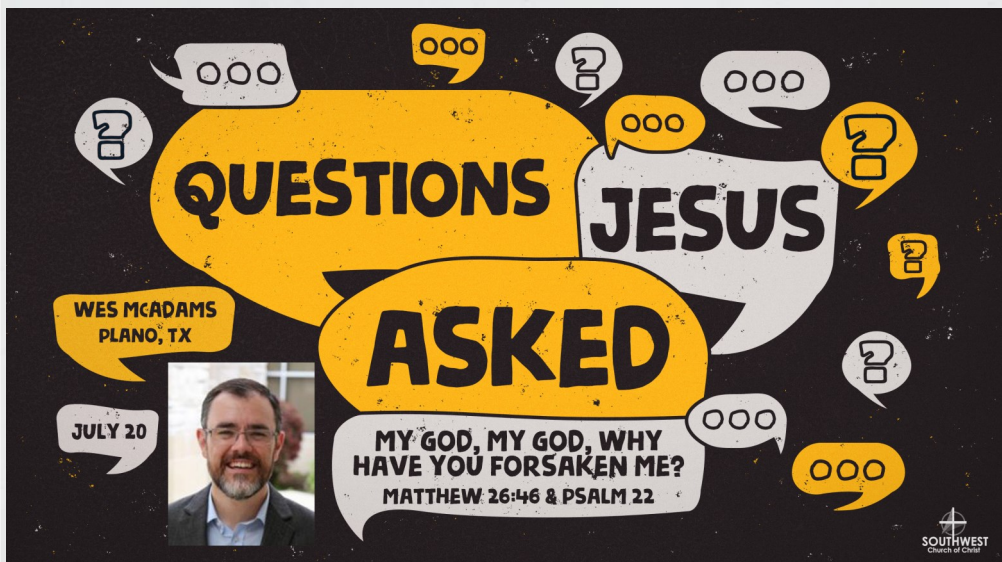
Preschool (2 Years Old & 3-4 Years Old)

South Hall Classrooms

Baby Class (Under 2 Years Old)

For the Record: 07/10/2022

Bible Study	123
AM Assembly	198
PM Assembly	110
Wednesday PM	115
Contributions	\$
Budget	\$13,500



SERVING THIS WEEK

Sunday AM:

Song Leader: Tyler Jones

Opening Prayer: Tyler Jones

Closing Prayer: David Dirrim

Scripture Reading: Jared Hudson

Lord's Supper Thoughts: Brent Lowe

Communion Servers: Trent Barrett, Jet Frye, Jared Griffin,
Alan Simpson, Chuck Love, Trever Manuel, Tommy Vass,
Tim Hensley

Balcony Servers: Trenton Hensley & Nathan Lewis

Attendance Counter: Jag Frye

Safety Team Walk **AM/PM**: Cody Frye

Safety Team Camera **AM/PM**: Brad Butler

Coordinator **AM/PM/Wed**: Caleb Estes & Garrett Hatton

Sound Booth **AM/PM/Wed**: Bruce Huddleston & David Lewis

Sunday PM:

Song Leader: Richard Howard

Opening Prayer: Justin Lane

Closing Prayer: Dusty Dennis

Attendance Counter: Kevin Graham

Communion: John Eck & Drew Graham

Wednesday PM:

Song Leader: Thorin Turner

Announcements/Opening Prayer: Thorin Turner

Closing Prayer: Bart Conley

Attendance Counting: James Bryant

Safety Team Walk: Tommy Garrett

Safety Team Camera: Lane Garrett

July Contribution Counters:

Ronnie Osborn, Will Lampkin, Cody Frye, Alan Eck

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome

Step by Step - 15

Scripture: John 14:16-17

Prayer

Jesus Is All the World to Me - 590

No Tears in Heaven - 882

How Great Thou Art - 76

Thoughts From the Cross: Brent Lowe

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross - 315

Communion

God Is So Good - 83

Contribution

Kneel at the Cross - 945

A.M. Lesson: The Spirit Who Dwells

Just As I Am - 924

Announcements

Have Thine Own Way - 552

Prayer

P.M. Lesson: Calmness

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

Shepherd for July: David Hendricks

Supporting Shepherd & Wife: Greg & Diana Hatton

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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 Class - College Group Class

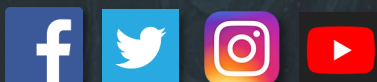
K-5th Grade Classes

Babies - Pre-K Classes

Worship & Classes Online

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