

SOUTHWEST CHURCH OF CHRIST

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MAY BIRTHDAYS:

Aaron Anderson (11), Austin Cauley (14)

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THIS MONTH'S ADMINISTRATING ELDER

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VACUUMING SCHEDULE

May 13: Patrick and Josha Gooch
May 20: Bonni Peeks & Taylor Speir

WEED-EATING SCHEDULE

May 13: Kevin Molenaar and Alex Hernandez
May 27: Ralph & Brian Felp

WORSHIP & STUDY OPPORTUNITES

SUNDAY: Bible Classes 9:30 AM, Worship 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM
TUESDAY: 10:00 AM (Sept.-May), Men's & Ladies' Bible Classes
WEDNESDAY: Bible Classes, 7:00 PM

RECORD FOR 5.2.2021

BIBLE CLASS: 133
AM ASSEMBLY: 164
PM ASSEMBLY: 109
WEDNESDAY: 119
CONTRIBUTION: \$12,651

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ELDERS:

Brett Gerhardt
Bill Siebert
Mark Speir

PREACHER:

Cody Westbrook



Steven Lloyd, Director
Clay Bond, Assoc. Director



BLESS THE LORD!

Cody Westbrook

Psalm 103:1 is an emphatic and imperative call to praise the Lord. The command implies affection and a sense of gratitude as well as effort and energy. To bless the Lord with all that is within me involves my entire being. Someone may casually remark that they do not get much out of worship. As this passage reveals, that is the case when one does not put enough into worship. The remainder of the psalm identifies a number of reasons why we should bless the Lord with all that is within us—why we should worship Him with affection, gratitude, effort, and energy.

We bless the Lord because of what He has done for us (Ps. 103:2-5). God pardons and releases us from all our iniquities. He heals all of our diseases. He buys us back from destruction. He takes us from the pit to the palace and places a crown woven of lovingkindness and tender mercy upon our heads. He satisfies our needs and fulfills all our longings. “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits” (Ps. 103:2).

We bless the Lord because of how He has dealt

with us (Ps. 103:6-18). Jehovah does not deal underhandedly or begrudgingly with His people. Rather, He deals righteously and justly. He has revealed His will to us. He has extended mercy in abundant quantities. He knows our nature, our strengths, and our weaknesses, and has therefore dealt with us accordingly. His mercy is from everlasting to everlasting to all those who keep His covenant and remember His commandments. “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits” (Ps. 103:2).

We bless the Lord because He reigns forever (Ps. 103:19-22). Countless kings have occupied thrones since the creation of the world. Countless armies have battled, and countless empires have risen to prominence. Eventually, every king dies, every army is defeated, and every kingdom falls, but not our God. No army will ever dethrone Him, for He rules over all. His angels excel in strength and his ministers do His pleasure. Everything praises Him. “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits” (Ps. 103:2).

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May 9, 2021

*“Her children arise up, and call her blessed;
her husband also, and he praiseth her. Many daughters
have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all.”*

- Proverbs 31:28-29

WORSHIP

MORNING

EVENING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jack Tisdale

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PRAYER

Bill Siebert

SONG DIRECTOR

Alan Putnam

Steven Petrosky

PRAYER

Brett Gerhardt

Adan Hernandez

SCRIPTURE

Tyler Latimor

SERMON

**JOCHEBED: A PORTRAIT
OF A GODLY MOTHER
EXODUS 2:1-10**

**WHEN JOHN ENCOURAGED A
CHURCH**

Matt Gibson

Logan Summers

Ed Grumbles

Ed Grumbles

LORD'S SUPPER

Anthony Scherffius

Greg Campbell

Tom Genduso

Phil Savage

Winston Kinser

Greg Campbell

Josh Pesina

Daniel Hall

Sam Hatchitt

Charlie Cauley

CLOSING PRAYER

Mark Fritsch

Brett Gerhardt

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & SHUT-INS

Ola Brown, Edith Farris, Rosemary Garrett,
Jeannette Hansen, Rosemary James, Charlene Johnson,
Caroline & Jon Little, Nell McCown, Ginny Oswald,
Angela Young

A complete prayer list is available on the credenza, our website, and on the Lightpost app.
Please contact the church office to make requests

ACTIVITIES FOR THE COMING WEEK

- SUNDAY:**
 - 9:30 AM** Bible Class
 - 10:30 AM** Morning Worship
 - 6:00 PM** Evening Worship
- MONDAY:**
 - 6:30 AM** CWS Chapel & Bible Class (Ladies)
- TUESDAY:**
 - 10:00 AM** Tuesday Morning Bible Study
 - 12:00 PM** Potluck Luncheon
- WEDNESDAY:**
 - 7:00 PM** Bible Class & Devotional
 - Songs: **Caleb Nash**
 - Devotional: **Jesse Moser**
 - Prayer: **Jim Scott**

UPCOMING EVENTS

- MAY**
 - 3rd Sunday Youth & Family Day (16th)
 - Connect Dinner & Devo (25th)
 - Questions & Answers (30th)
- JUNE**
 - 2021 Graduation Celebration (H.S./College/Grad School)(6th)
 - Camp Hensel (13th-18th)
 - Servant's Academy (Week of July 27th)