

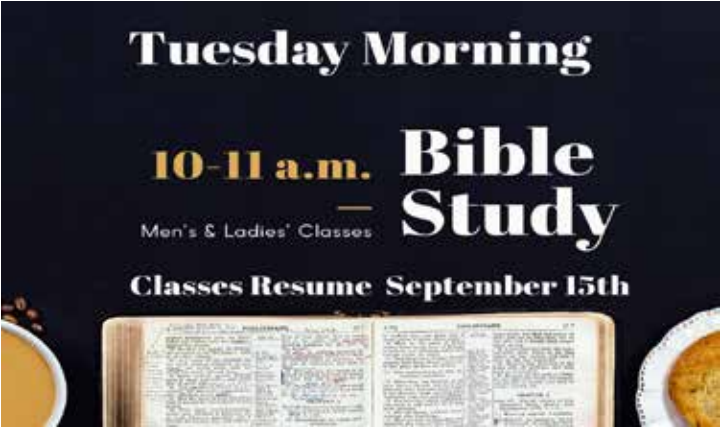
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SEPTMEBER BIRTHDAYS:

Courtney Willcut (16), Justice Imhoff (17)

Candice Smith (17), Renea Fritsch (19)



THIS MONTH'S ADMINISTRATING ELDER

Mark Speir-mark.speir@gmail.com

VACUUMING SCHEDULE

Sept. 17: Keith & Phyllis Siebert
Sept. 24: Blake & Marissa Norman

WEED-EATING SCHEDULE

Sept. 17: David Hopkins & Charlie Elliot

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
9.6.2026

BIBLE CLASS: 189
AM ASSEMBLY: 230
PM ASSEMBLY: 162
WEDNESDAY: 139
CONTRIBUTION: \$11,663

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ELDERS:

Brett Gerhardt
David Hopkins
Keith Siebert
Mark Speir

PREACHER:

Ross Haffner

ASSOCIATE PREACHER:

Bryce Mayfield



Trent Kennedy, Director
Steven Lloyd, Assoc. Director



OUR GOD IS A GARDENER (GENESIS 2:8)

Bryce Mayfield

When one meditates upon who God is, there are many titles, adjectives, and descriptors that may come to mind. According to the pages of Scripture, our God is a God of War (Exodus 15:3), He is a Shepherd (Psalm 23:1), and He is a Refuge (Psalm 46:1). There are many characteristics that could be attributed to God, but did you know He is a gardener? In Genesis 2:8, the Bible says, "The LORD God planted a garden..." (NASB 95).

In the beginning of time, God planted a garden for man, and it is in this garden that we can learn more about the Gardener. What does this garden teach us about God? It teaches us that He is a provider! In this garden He provided man with food (Genesis 2:9), work (Genesis 2:15), and even a helpmate (Genesis 2:18). God had given Adam everything he needed!

Today, God will not plant you a literal garden, but He will still provide. He has provided us His Son (John 3:16), His Word (2 Timothy 3:16,17; 2 Peter 2:19-21), and, therefore, everything we need to walk through this life free from anxiety and full of

peace and hope (Matthew 6:25-34; 2 Peter 1:3; Philippians 4:4-7; Ephesians 1:3ff). When you reflect upon our God and who He is, add Gardener to the list. God loves you, and has provided you with everything you need. May this move us to draw closer to Him, and serve Him as we ought.

September 13, 2026

“But as he which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation; because it is written, Be ye holy; for I am holy.”

1 Peter 1:15-16

WORSHIP

MORNING

EVENING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

David Hopkins

David Hopkins

PRAYER

David Hopkins

SONG DIRECTOR

Wade French

Jeremy Cessac

PRAYER

Josh Pesina

Bill Siebert

SCRIPTURE

Steven Lloyd

POWERPOINT

Carson Siebert

Carson Siebert

SERMON

**HOW TO MAINTAIN
HOLINESS**

**IS SUNDAY THE
CHRISTIAN SABBATH?**

SCRIPTURE

1 PETER 1:13-16

Ross Haffner

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LORD'S SUPPER

Tom Genduso

Tom Genduso

Jonathan Retana

Ed Grumbles

Josh Holloway

David Nuckels

Blake Norman

Ed Grumbles

Jordan Franklin

Troy Kennedy

Ty McClellen

Seth Gibson

CLOSING PRAYER

Branyon May

Jack Tisdale

NURSING HOME RESIDENTS & SHUT-INS

Rusty Altizer, Jacquelyn Fox , Tom Hanks,
Martha Smith, Mary Jo Stewart, Clarence Whetstone

CONGREGATIONAL WORKS: YOUTH PROGRAM

We have many opportunities for our youth throughout the year for study, fellowship, edification and benevolence.

- Host a devotional
- Fund activities
- Pray for our youth

COORDINATORS:
Bryce Mayfield
Mark Speir

ACTIVITIES FOR THE COMING WEEK

SUNDAY:

9:30 AM
10:30 AM

Bible Class
Morning Worship

6:00 PM

Evening Worship

TUESDAY:

10:00 AM

Tuesday Morning Bible Classes

WEDNESDAY:

7:00 PM

Bible Class & Devotional
Songs: **Troy Kennedy**
Devotional: **Gabriel Gonzalez**
Prayer: **Keith Siebert**
PowerPoint: **Carson Siebert**

THURSDAY:

7:00 PM

CONNECT Weekly Dinner & Bible Study

FRIDAY:

6:30 PM

WVBS Legacy of Service Dinner

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER:

- Tuesday Bible Classes Begin (15th)
- CONNECT Weekly Dinner & Bible Study (17th)
- WVBS Honorary Dinner (18th)
- SWSBS Student Lectures(18th-20th)
- Youth & Family Day (20th)
- CONNECT Weekly Dinner & Bible Study (24th)
- SW Annual Ladies' Day (26th)
- Congregational Singing (30th)