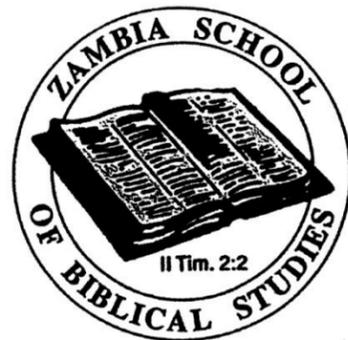


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THE LIVING WORD PROGRAM

SUNDAY MORNING AT:
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AUGUST 20, 2017
HIS OWN SPECIAL PEOPLE
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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAY:

BIBLE CLASS 9:30 AM
MORNING ASSEMBLY 10:30 AM
EVENING ASSEMBLY 5:00 PM

WEDNESDAY:

EVENING ASSEMBLY 7:00 PM

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AUGUST 20, 2017 BULLETIN RAY'S REMARKS:

THE K.E. FAMILY LIFELINE

Hello brethren. God has blessed us all with another week of life and I hope that we are all making the most of it. If you are like me, things have been a little busy lately. I have been working with some of the men who are coming to the BIM this year. In fact, it's hard to believe but classes start next Monday. We have three men starting classes next week and three returning students from last year. Please keep all of these brothers and their families in prayer. It's going to be another great year.

This quarter I will be teaching New Testament Greek 1 and General Introduction to the Bible. Both of these are second year classes. They are not exactly easy courses, but beneficial for these men to have a great knowledge of the Bible and where it comes from as well as the language the New Testament was written in. It will definitely be a challenging, but encouraging quarter.

Also, most of the area schools have started back by now. It's hard to get back into the routine of all the stuff that goes on with school, but at the end of the day I know that Chase will have another great year. It's hard to believe that he is a Sophomore now. Most of you shared the joy of him coming into the world 15 years ago. Oh, how time flies!

I am thankful that Dad and Mom will be returning this week. They have had a long, but no doubt profitable time in Africa. I am happy to know that all of our preacher schools in Africa are doing well and continuing along great. We have many men training to preach the gospel in these schools and we should feel blessed and thankful to have a part in it. Let's remember all of our African schools, their teachers, and students in prayers!

Well, I hope to see you all tonight at our mid-week gathering. Furthermore, let's be present Sunday, eager and ready to give God our very best. May God bless us all in our service for Him!

Ray Sullins

GOD'S PEOPLE STANDING ON GOD'S WORD!

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 2017

DOOR GREETERS:

North: Clyde Heavin
South: Seth Hass

MORNING SERVICES:

Announcements: Mark McCarty
Song Leader: Gary Duncan
Opening Prayer: Charles Williamson
Scripture Reading: Jerry Sullins
Sermon: Ray Sullins
Closing Prayer: Donny Gardner

LORD'S TABLE - AUGUST:

Bob Hyde T-Roy Hass
Robbie Kirkland James Cartwright
Dante Villarreal Mitch Rogers
Chase Sullins Herman Cummings

SUNDAY EVENING:

Song Leader: Andy Heavin
Opening Prayer: Clay Hoffman
Sermon: Ray Sullins
Closing Prayer: Gary Duncan

P.M. LORD'S TABLE:

Diego Villarreal
Charles Williamson

WEDNESDAY EVENING AUGUST 23, 2017:

Song Leader: Seth Hass
Opening Prayer: Chase Sullins
Devotional: David Fielder
Closing Prayer: Bill Heavin

DRIVERS FOR AUGUST:

Sunday Morning: Mary Patchell
Sunday Evening: Mary Patchell
Wednesday Evening: Charles Williamson

OUR RECORDS ~ 8/13/17

Sunday Bible Class	100
Sunday Morning Worship	128
Sunday Evening Worship	116
Contribution	\$3620.15
Wednesday Night 8/9/17	105

IN "SEARCH" OF THE LORD'S WAY
Sunday-7:00 A.M. KOLR - Channel 10
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PRAYER LIST

MEMBERS:

Jerry & Edith - Scheduled to return Thursday (Aug. 17th).
Samuel Cartwright - answered prayers - free from blood disorder
The Duncan and Heavin families - Dorma's funeral was last week
Myrna Schmeiser - dealing with a lot of pain.
Marge Langston - recovering at home (pelvic fracture).
Mary Sanders - recovering from a broken pelvis & collar bone.
Sarah Cartwright - dealing w/severe anemia & other health prob.
Donna Rothermel - last chemo. treatment is August 29th.
Ken Lee - doing physical therapy to relieve a compressed nerve.
Harry Clouse - recovering from rotator cuff surgery.
Peggy Cummings - dealing with health complications.

Ruby Ewing, Freda Fielder, Erma Folsom David Guiheen, Reva Lewallen, Mary Mainor, Wanda McElfish, Leon Wake.

IN ASSISTED LIVING & HEALTH CARE FACILITIES:

Jeannie Bradley - JamesRiverCare #109 3550 E. Battlefield 65802
Mary Keeton - Spfd Rehab/Health 2800 S. Fort Rm#A-109 65807
Evelyn Long - Maple Wood- 1146 E. Lakewood #1 65810
Lucy McGinnis - Woodland Manor 1347 E Valley Water Mill Rd. #B26 (03)
Mildred Thompson - Springfield Villa 1100 E Montclair #325 65807

OUR HOMEBOUND:

Pat Bailey, Ruth Brownlow, Mary Gazette, Earlene Owens, Bonnie Turner.

FAMILY & FRIENDS OF OUR MEMBERS

Brook Boydston, Carolyn's cousin (M'liss') son - m'cycle accident (Hawaii).
Nick Thrasher, Deanna Giles brother - having blood clots in his legs.
Carolyn Gourley, Sarah's g'ma - got a good report (heart doctor).
Caleb McCurry, Stacey's son - fluid in his ears & Panama mission trip.
Gene Lott, Marcella's nephew - one week of antibiotics, then kidney surg.
Caleb Blades, grandson of Shirley - prayers to turn his life around.
Reagan Bryan, Preacher @ Willow Springs' daugh. leukemia complications.
Edith Thrasher, Mom of Deanna Giles - Alzheimer's - recov. broken arm.
Spencer Grenup, Evelyn Long's renter's brother - accident - paralyzed.
Ron Gilbert, friend of Jerry & Edith's (TN), Guilain-Barre Syndrome.
Linda Smith, Donetta's friend in St. Louis - heart & lung problems.
Loren Hall, Zachary Hall's dad - having health problems.
Blanca Baize, Susie's daughter - colon/stomach cancer treatments.
David Page, bro. of Mary Sanders & Mildred Thompson - cancer trtmnt.
Laura Acton, Susie's daugh-in-law - dealing with cancer, also.
Betty Morrison, former member of K.E. - several health concerns.
Pat & Regina Woods, former members at K.E. - Health concerns.
Judy Grant, Friend of many - undergoing treatment for colon cancer.
Maxine Painter, Mitch Rogers' neighbor who attends here - improving.
Robby Ros, Ken & Carolyn Lee's friends' son (OK) - cancer treatments.
Betty Wolfe, Betty June Layton's mom, Spfd. Rehab.
Jimmy Campbell, Richard Medley's cousin, chemo treatmnts - lung cancer.
Ed & Debra Sperry, sis & bro-in-law of Mary Jo Horst - thyroid cancer.
Ken Chorce, June's son - doing well (multiple myeloma) - calcium inject.
Mona Page - Rose Mary Medley's sister - continuing home rehabilitation.
Ann Wilson, Mitch's mom - struggling with some health problems.
Ron Hass - Seth's dad - ongoing cancer evaluation.
Pearl Hollan - young friend of Pam, Whitney & Lynette - kidney complic.
Anna Ray - Sister of Harry Clouse - recovering from two major strokes.

MORE FRIENDS & FAMILY:

Teresa Clark, Judi Davis, Rebel Lynn Dilcher, Coy Duncan, Rick Griffiths, Amy Jo Garretson, Ginnie Grimm, Leah & Carson Hamm, Janice Rogers, Adrian, Kristen & Alexis Smith, Danny Wheeler.

UPCOMING K.E. EVENTS:

August 27 - Agape groups 2 & 3 meet for a fellowship meal. We are having chinese food - please bring what your leaders call and request of you.

August 27 - Youth go sing/visit our homebound after lunch.

RESPONSE:

Sunday P.M. - K.C. Hamm

SYMPATHY:

Our sympathies are extended to the Green family in the passing of Dwayne's aunt, Dorothy Burgess of West Plains, Missouri on August 9, 2017. Her graveside service was Saturday, August 12th in West Plains. She was 84 and a faithful member of the Curry Street church of Christ.

THANK YOU:

K.E. Family,
Thank you for all your prayers, cards, calls and comforting words during this difficult time. Many thanks to the ones that prepared the food and for Robbie and Brenda for serving the meal. We are blessed to have a loving church family. *Family of Dorma Lea Duncan
*The note is from all the family. *All their names are signed in the note and it's posted on our bulletin board.*

ELDER ON CALL FOR AUGUST:
GARY DALTON

"You are worthy, O Lord,
To receive glory and honor and power;
For You created all things,
And by Your will they exist and were
created."

Revelation 4:11

IS IT SAFE OR UNSAFE TO FOLLOW YOUR CONSCIENCE?

by Garland M. Robinson

Certainly, everyone not only should, but must follow their conscience. As a matter of fact, we cannot help but follow our conscience. To violate your conscience makes one not only wrong, but miserable as well. God designed it that way. Romans 14:23 says, "And he that doubteth is damned if he eat, because he eateth not of faith: for whatsoever is not of faith is sin."

God has made our conscience to serve as a barometer to warn us of wrong doing. However, we need to keep in mind that to follow our conscience does not mean we will always be right. It simply means we feel comfortable with what we are doing.

Our conscience could lead us wrong (and many times does) because it has not been properly taught. Saul of Tarsus was a zealous persecutor of Jesus because he followed his conscience. "And Paul, earnestly beholding the council, said, Men and brethren, I have lived in all good conscience before God until this day" (Acts 23:1). In Acts 26:9 he said, "I verily thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth." Paul was not an immoral man. He was not a godless man. He did what he did because he truly thought he was serving God. Multitudes of people today are zealously following what they believe to be religiously right but are like Paul; they are sincere, but they are sincerely wrong. These same people need to follow Paul's example that when he learned he was wrong, he repented and obeyed the gospel by being baptized to wash away his sins (Acts 22:16). He became a zealous worker for the Lord instead of against Him. When he learned better, he did better!

We must, therefore, educate our conscience so it will be in accordance with God's Will. The place to turn to educate our conscience is the Bible. We must learn God's Will þ what he wants and what he does not want þ what is acceptable and what is not acceptable in His sight. Feelings or emotions have no place in dictating whether we are right with God or not. Simply because we feel good about ourselves and have a clear conscience does not make us right before God. To be sincerely wrong is still wrong.

Our conscience is not always a safe guide! Educate your conscience by studying the scriptures and make sure you are doing what God says, not just what "seems right" to you (Proverbs 14:12).