

South Canadian Valley Church of Christ
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SOUTH CANADIAN VALLEY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Church of Christ

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Elders

Glen Taylor Bruce Kessler Mark Woody
Craig Hayes

Deacons

Travis Ashley Larry Minson
Leslie Jones

Our Mission and Commitment Statement

As Christ's church our purpose is to go and make disciples of Christ, foster their spiritual growth, and equip them to serve the church and the community, thereby glorifying God.

**Church Service
Schedule**

Sunday Mornings 10:00

Additional services at 1:00 on 2nd Sundays

Wednesday Evenings 7:00

Location: **2217 24th Ave SW
Norman, Okla.**

From HW 9 and 24th Ave SW, go two
blocks south (on the left)

**(check inside for more detailed monthly
scheduled activities & information)**



to our visitors. We're very happy to have you here with us today. We hope we have made you feel welcome and invite you to be back with us anytime. Let us know if you have any questions or if we can help you in any way. Please fill out a visitors card.

Call if you need a ride to Church:

Bruce Kessler 405-820-8474
Travis Ashley 405-818-1144

Verse: Philemon 1:25 (KIV)

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit. Amen.

Thought:

Have you noticed how words of blessing are in such short supply? There is something about our fallen state that makes sarcasm and ridicule easier to use than blessing. But, in God's family, words are always to be used for the benefit and blessing of others. What simpler or kinder

words do we need to use to bless others than these words Paul sent to Philemon? Let's find a way to say them ... and say them again ... and again ...

Prayer:

Loving Father, you have blessed me so much with your grace. Please use me to be a blessing to everyone I meet today. In Jesus' name I pray. Amen.

By Phil Ware



Set Your Mind On Things Above

Rivermont Singing Today at Noon - We will go to Rivermont at noon today to sing first at the Gardens and then at the Trails. Join us if you can.
The address is: 750 S Canadian Trails in Norman.

Pizza & Singing - This Wednesday evening, June 5th, we will have pizza and singing at the Church building beginning at 6:30.

The Church Food Pantry will be open this coming Saturday, June 8th from 10:00 - 11:30

Next Sunday, June 9th - We will have a cookout for lunch and afternoon services at 1:00.

June Men's Study – Tuesday the 25th
This month's men's study will be held at the building on Tuesday, June 25th at 7 PM.

SCV Family Prayers are held on Zoom every Monday at 5:30 PM.
The Zoom Meeting ID is 3708723828 and the Passcode is 031923.

Follow our public assemblies on "Facebook Live" at www.facebook.com/scvchurchofchrist.

June Greeters	Issac May
June Communion Prep	Ashleys
July Greeters	Roeann Gibson
July Communion Prep	

June Sunday 2024 Schedule					
	2	9	16	23	30
AM Speaker	Travis Ashley	Mark Woody	Mike Hall	Craig Hayes	Michael McCorkle
1 PM Speaker		Leslie Jones			
Communion Lead	Jordan Winslow	Chris Hutcherson	Dustin Gaskins	Chris Taylor	Dale Danser
Usher	Joe Addison	Jake Rudd	Cuinn Hayes	Paul Woody	Chaney Jones
Usher	Jake Rudd	Brandon McCorkle	Jordan Winslow	Carter Hearst	Cuinn Hayes
Usher	Tanner May	Carter Hearst	Mark Barrett	Dustin Gaskins	Joe Addison
Usher	Isaac May	Paul Woody	Isaac May	Jake Rudd	Mark Barrett
Livestream	Brandon	Cuinn	Travis	Isaac	Brandon
Audio	Carter	Travis	Tanner	Kevin	Bruce
Reading	Chris Hutcherson	Rick Boaz	Chase Barrett	Mark Barrett	Leslie Jones
Prayer	Rick Boaz	Jordan Winslow	Chris Taylor	David Robinson	Ray Speights
AM Songs	Cuinn Hayes	Mark Woody	Brandon McCorkle	Leslie Jones	Craig Hayes
AM O/C	Craig Hayes	Larry Minson	Leslie Jones	Travis Ashley	Mark Woody

June Wednesday 2024 Schedule				
	5	12	19	26
Speaker	Pizza/Singing	Isaac May	Clyde Woody	Chris Hutcherson
Livestream	Isaac	Brandon	Cuinn	Travis
Audio	Travis	Tanner	Kevin	Carter
Open/Close	Bruce Kessler	Mark Woody	Craig Hayes	Larry Minson

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have a good word to say about others. On this particular occasion, Roger described someone as "salt of the earth" and went on to list the character traits that made him such. I couldn't help but think that we know many people who could be described that way (Roger and Joyce included).

What do you think of when you hear that someone is "salt of the earth"? I think of words like dependable, trustworthy, reliable, honest, humble, fair, true, and good. Someone who is full of integrity and committed to doing the right thing.

Jesus described the "blessed" with words like "meek," "merciful," "pure in heart," and "peacemakers." He then called them the "salt of the earth" and the "light of the world" because others would see their "good deeds" and God would be glorified (Matt. 5:1-16). He was talking to His disciples. "You are the salt of the earth."

A couple of millennia have gone by since Jesus said those words, urging His followers to stand out by way of good character and good deeds. How many have risen to that calling since then and still do today? We have no way of knowing, but if my own limited exposure is any indication, then there have been a great number! If I were tasked with listing names of "salt of the earth" people that I know, I could small-font fill a paper in no time.

The church is filled with people humbly doing their best to glorify God with their lives. They're not perfect. They're just striving to be the "blessed" that Jesus described. They are the salt of the earth, and we are blessed to know them!

By Kathy Pollard

Praying for you

James 5:16 - *Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that you may be healed. The Effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much.*

If you need prayers from the church, please call or text Larry at **405-820-9506** or April at **405-833-7207** or email us at: **Lminson319@gmail.com.**

John Robinson's wife, Nikki Robinson is very ill and is asking for your prayers.

Susan Robinson has kidney stones and will be receiving treatment on one of the stones tomorrow

at Norman Regional on Porter Campus. Visitors are not preferred Sunday as she will be having a treatment.

Chaney Jones had surgery to remove his gall bladder on Friday and is at home now doing fine.

Michelle Barron has been diagnosed with Myelodysplasia. She has started her treatments.

Mary Barrett was scheduled for surgery but it has been postponed..

Travis Ashley is asking for prayers for his childhood friend, Dennis Clark, who suffers with cancer. He is now at home and doing well.

Jean & Chris Taylor are asking for prayers for their daughter, Chrysti Kendrick that her health will improve.

Suffering with cancer:

Taylor Epperson, 22 yr. old niece of a good friend of the Addison's * Ray Speights * Susan Hutcherson with NET Cancer * Sheila Dorn's mother, Clara Kaniatobe has lung cancer * Sean Hanley's wife Laurie with Colon Cancer * Joe Addison's cousin, Norman Festervand has stage 4 cancer * Joe Addison's sister-in-law Teresa Addison * Joe Addison's sister-in-law, Rhonda Addison has early stage cancer * Arlinda Geffen, a friend of Tanya Speights with breast cancer * Nicole Robinson's brother, Chris has Leukemia * Lakela Whinery's cousin, Hayden Reagan has Leukemia.

Always keep in our prayers:

Tanya Speights stage 4 Kidney disease * Della Combest's daughter-in-law, Laura Combest, has Alzheimer's * Bruce Kessler with Parkinson's Disease * Cassia Woody suffers with POTS * Linda Thompson's brother, Jerry McNichols suffers with extreme Arthritis * Chris Hutcherson's father, Dan Hutcherson suffers with chronic pain.* Jim & Bonnie Osborne with chronic pain * Joe Addison's mother, Ruthie Addison * Leslie Jones' mother with COPD * Loraine Ashley with a severe auto immune disorder* Dean Howard

Please keep in your prayers those serving in the military & all first responders.



June

Nathan Hale	4th
Craig Hayes	5th
Hannah Winslow	5th
Roeann Gibson	8th
Susan Robinson	10th
Rachael Whinery	12th
Tanner May	13th
Elaina Hess	17th
Karli Sneed	18th
Aubrey Danser	20th
Ellis Claunch	26th
Buddy Davis	28th
Jesse Gaskins	29th
Chris Hutcherson	29th

If your birthday or anniversary was left out, let Larry or April know.

Go to mixlr.com/bkess & listen to Bruce Kessler's on-line radio show, "Passion for Christ"

June Anniversaries

Daniel & Alisa Fryar 1st
 Leslie & Cathy Jones 10th
 Craig & Emily Hayes 17th
 Jim & Bonnie Osborne 15th
 Mark & Kelly Woody 20th
 CD & Rachael 23rd
 Rick & Tammy Boaz 28th

Statistics For Last Sunday & Wednesday of this week

Last Sun. Morning Attendance	101
Last Sun. Afternoon Attendance	n/a
Wed. Attendance	63
Sunday Contribution:	\$3,990

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June Calendar

1st Sunday	2nd	12:00 noon	Nursing Home Singing
1st Wed	5th	6:30 p.m.	Pizza & Singing
2nd Thursday	13th	10:30-12:00	Glen Taylor's Bible Study - fellowship room
2nd Saturday	8th	10:00-11:30 a.m.	Food Pantry Opened
2nd Sunday	9th	1:00 p.m.	2nd Service (following lunch)
3rd Sunday	16th		Plan Fellowship with Other Members
3rd Monday	17th	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study at Mark & Kelly's Home
4th Thursday	27th	10:30 a.m.	Glen Taylor's Bible Study-fellowship room
4th Saturday	22nd	9:00 a.m.	Men's Teacher Training

Every Monday at 5:30 PM we will have "Prayer Together With the Church". The meeting ID and passcode will be texted to you. Be sure you have "opted in" to texts.

Every 5th Sunday we will have a pot luck luncheon in the Church fellowship room.

Oklahoma Gospel Meetings

9th & Colorado Church of Christ - Chickasha
 Meeting - Chase Palmer
 May 29 - June 2
 Sunday 10:30 & 1:30
 Evenings 7:00

Main Street Church of Christ, Alex
 Meeting - Chase Palmer
 July 7 - 14
 Evenings 7:00
 Sundays 10:30 & 1:30

7th & Monroe Church of Christ, Purcell
 Meeting - Mike Hall
 May 29 - June 2
 Evenings - 7:00
 Sunday 10:30 & 1:30

North Jardot Church of Christ, Stillwater
 Meeting - Chase Palmer
 July 14 - 21
 Evenings 7:00
 Sundays 10:30 & 2:30

Sooner East Church of Christ, Midwest City
 Meeting - Nathan Springer
 June 9 - 16
 Evenings 7:30
 Sunday 10:00 & 2:00

South Penn Church of Christ, OKC
 Meeting - Jay Loyd
 July 31 - August 4
 Evenings 7:00
 Sunday 10:00 & 1:30

East Main Church of Christ, Stratford
 Meeting - Jameson Crouch
 June 9 - 16
 Evenings 7:30 Sunday 10:30 & 2:00

9th & Colorado Church of Christ - Chickasha
 Meeting - Lee Adair
 August 2 - 4
 Sunday 10:30 & 1:30
 Evenings 7:00

Shawnee Church of Christ, Shawnee
 Meeting - Ian Jones
 June 16 - 23
 Evenings 7:30
 Sundays 10:00 & 2:00
 Topic: Learning to Praise the Lord in Song

Tulsa Church of Christ, Tulsa
 Meeting - Mike Hall
 September 25 - 29
 Evenings 7:30
 Sunday 10:30 & 2:00
 Topic: Grace and the Law

Tulsa Church of Christ, Tulsa
 Meeting - Ty Fleming
 June 23 - 30
 Evenings 7:30
 Sundays 10:30 & 2:00 Topic: Hermeneutics

South Canadian Valley Church of Christ
 Gospel Meeting - Ian Jones
 October 25th-27th
 Friday & Sat - 7:00 p.m. Sunday - 10:00 a.m.

52 Reasons to Love the Church

#22- The Salt of the Earth

Neal and I recently had lunch with our dear friends, Roger and Joyce Johnson. One thing I've noticed about them is they always