



West Seventh Church of Christ

Striving to be
completely committed
followers of Jesus
Discipling
Equipping
Serving
Loving

July 5, 2026

Elders

Bill Alsup	505-2282
Steve Cofer	615-519-1228
John Corn	540-230-8713
Marty DeJarnette	797-2387
David Hendrixson	256-303-3115
John Law	698-2236
Chris Shrader	334-9977
John Simmons	626-5524
John M. Smith	215-1391
James Thomas	698-8014
Jeff White	615-828-3509

HOSPITALITY

- An alone person in our gathering is an emergency; go meet them immediately.
- When worship ends, meet people you don't know before speaking with your friends.
- Invite newcomers to your Bible class or escort them to one.
- Introduce them to others; help widen their circle of friends.
- Invite someone to lunch, to your table or to your backyard.
- Invite them into your life.
- Make God's love visible; be hospitable.

Staff

Barry England	Marriage/Family
Nathan Graham	Student
Randy Owens	Preaching
Suzi Parrett	Children

Office 931-388-6514

Laurel Burton	Ministry Assistant
Lauren Kennedy	Ministry Assistant
David Ward	Facilities

Spanish Speaking

Elyar Sanchez	615-853-4627
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Welcome Guests! We are honored that you joined us and hope that you will be blessed today.

PLEASE REGISTER ON THE ATTENDANCE PADS IN EACH PEW.

The Information Center has more details and is in the hallway as you exit the door to the left of the pulpit.

Gluten Free Communion is available in the foyer.

Hearing Assistance is available; see an usher for assistance.

TO ASSIST FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN:

Attended Nursery The Nursery is provided for children younger than two years of age.

It is in the hallway as you exit the door to the left of the pulpit.

Cry Room This space in the Foyer is reserved for parents with young children only.

Nursing Rooms The Cry Room has a private room for nursing and an additional private room is just past the Nursery.

Diaper Changes Are available in the Cry Room, the men's & women's restrooms in the Family Center and the men's restroom adjacent to the Nursery.

Prayer Room Parents wishing to rock a sleeping baby during worship may use this room to the right of the pulpit.

Quiet Bags These bags have helpful items for children and are available at the rear of the Auditorium.

Today

9:00 Worship

10:10 Coffee Fellowship

10:30 Bible Classes

The Young Professionals Class will not meet today.

11:30 Worship in Spanish

6:00 Singing in the Teen Center

Evening - Hospitality- We should show hospitality all the time, but this open Sunday night is a perfect time to connect with someone you don't know well or would like to know better. Take someone to lunch; have them in your home; meet them for coffee; do whatever is best for you to open yourself to others.

Wednesday, July 8

Sewing Ministry will meet at 9 a.m. in the Outreach Center.

Bible Classes will meet at 6:30 p.m. All adults will meet in the Chapel for "Survey of the New Testament." This week Tyler Sells will survey the book of Philippians.

Sympathy

Is extended to Parker and Addison Thomas, son and daughter of Rachel Thomas, on the death of their grandmother, Judy Paulette Thomas, who passed away June 25. The funeral was July 1.

To the family of Mark Marchal who passed away unexpectedly June 9. There was no public service.

Prayer Request

Peggy McEwen is going on a mission trip July 6 - 10 to Texas and Mexico with Healing Hands International to deliver M.A.G.I. boxes.

People's Table

We are the hosting church for the People's Table on July 7 and July 14. Volunteers are needed to serve the meal and should arrive at First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall at 5:00 p.m. To help offset the cost of the meal, please make your donation to West 7th and note People's Table in the memo line or donate online. If you have any questions, please contact Rickey or Julie Savage.

M.A.G.I. Boxes

We are participating in the M.A.G.I. project with Healing Hands International. We are supplying boxes for 8-10-year-old boys and girls. There are printed lists at the Information Center with items needed for boxes. Donations need to be placed in the bin at the Information Center by Friday, July 31. If you prefer to donate money for items or shipping (\$8.00 per box), please give your donation to the church office, Linda James or Peggy McEwen. Please note 'MAGI Boxes' in the memo section.

Congratulations

To Will Pike and Libby Love who were married June 20. Their new address is 2401 Alexander Circle NE, Atlanta, GA 30326.



Food Ministry

Ramona Ward and Tamara Trulove are organizing meals for members who have illness, surgery, are homebound, or need food for a funeral visitation and service. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, please reach out by phone or email.

- Ramona Ward (931)215-4008 drjeward@gmail.com
- Tamara Trulove (931)224-0647 tyrulove@yahoo.com

If you are currently a part of this ministry and need to update your information, please contact them. If you no longer wish to receive the Meal Train emails, please let them know.

Food Pantry

The Food Pantry is in need of small jars of peanut butter (16 oz), packaged peanut butter crackers, and Nutty Buddy Bars.

Service Station

Support the EA Cox Cougar Store! At EA Cox Middle School, students earn Cougar Tickets for demonstrating positive behaviors, following school expectations, showing kindness, working hard, and being responsible members of the school community. Students can then redeem those tickets in the Cougar Store for rewards they truly value. Every item donated helps to recognize and celebrate students who are making great choices each day. Use the following link to donate.

<https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/KOSOO3AB05FK?type=wishlist&viewType=list>

Attendance Pads

There is an attendance pad on each end of the pew. Please sign in (guests at the top, members at the bottom) and pass your sheet to the inside aisle. During the shepherd's blessing, young men will collect the sheets.

Sewing Ministry

The Sewing Ministry is in need of t-shirts. To donate leave them in the church office or the back of the Auditorium.

Food for New Moms Ministry

Amy Hendrixson is now coordinating food for new moms. Please contact her by phone (256-468-5508) or email (amyvanessah@gmail.com) if you would like to be a part of this wonderful ministry.

Events

Check the bulletin board at the Information Center for a list of upcoming events in the area.

Pray without ceasing

Reported sick this week:

Nancy Bennett is in NHC - Maury, room 1308, recovering from a stroke. Visitors are welcome.

Karen Corn has shingles.

Mabry Gray, daughter of James and Bethany Gray, is recovering from a broken leg.

Amanda Shires is scheduled for spine and neck surgery soon.

Mayer Shirley, daughter of Cason and Randi Shirley, is recovering from a broken leg.

John Arrucci, frequent visitor, is recovering from jaw surgery.

Continue to Pray...

Recovering | Extended Illness | Homebound

Wayne Alderson	David & Nancy Heffington	Sammy Salters
Harold Allen	Olivia Howell	Beverly Simmons
Faye Bell	Lenora Hunter	Annelle Tubb
Xiomara Berland	Ken & Faye Jackson	Lottie Umstead
Jim & Betty Carrigan	Janice Jernigan	Melinda Watts
Ramona Cherry	Sue Jones	Molly Watts
Marynelle Criswell	Glenda Kennedy	Carnice White
Ruby Dunn	Winnie Love	Jacob Williams
George & Shirley Freeland	Bob & Kerma Parrett	
Jane Hawkins	Margaret Parsons	

Friends and Family

Carol Carnahan's father -	John Williams
Vickie Cofer's father -	Ralph Roach
AJ DeJarnette's mother -	Deborah Grimes
Tina England's father -	Gene Carter
Lyndell Fox's sister -	Connie Howell
Sue Fox's friend -	Gina Robinson
Calvin Jackson's sister-in-law -	Carla Davis
C.T. Johnson's friend -	David Upchurch
Rob Johnson's friend -	Tammy Bradley
Shelby Johnson's mother -	Barbara Massey
Joy Jones' mother -	Peggy Knox
Kevin LoRe's friend -	Tammi Ettinger
David Mann's sister -	Mary Jo Bertie
Carrie McCullough's niece -	Hattie Fields
Sheila McDonald's mother -	Frances Byrd
Cindy Netherland's mother -	Marlene Smesler
Andrea Stevens' brother -	Derek Orban
Shirley Stone's daughter -	Tracy Bolton
Shirley Stone's friend -	Max Hill
The Tribbles' friend -	Phyllis Neely
Kelly Williams' brother-in-law -	Bill Ford

Preparing to Marry

Jackson DeJarnette & Morgan Wrigley

Expectant Parents

Josh & Hannah Cottrill



Suzi Parrett
615-693-9427

You're Invited to Preschool Play Day!

Who: Moms and their young children

When: July 9 from 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Where: Family Center

What: A fun morning to enjoy visiting with other moms while kids play in the Gym, bounce house, and water area.

Wear a swimsuit and bring a towel.

Drinks and light snacks provided.

Contact Suzi Parrett (615-693-9427) with questions.

W7 STUDENT MINISTRY

Nathan Graham	Annabeth Graham	Jacob Love
865-415-7356	931-215-8697	931-797-1399
Jacob Hunnicutt	Eric Nash	Ben Jones
615-517-4761	615-351-8384	931-698-1206

Today Intern Fieldhouse
Ultimate Frisbee

Today - July 11 W7SM Survivor
Week long water gun war
(prize \$100) Sign up by June 28.

July 10 Lock-in

July 17-18 Ocoee White Water Rafting
Turn in \$75 and release form ASAP

July 20-24 Columbia Work Week

* Check GroupMe for the Summer Calendar and to sign up for activities*

Church Record

Sunday a.m. Worship	446
Auditorium	409
Spanish Speaking	19
The Bridge	14
Wednesday	124
Contribution	\$16,464

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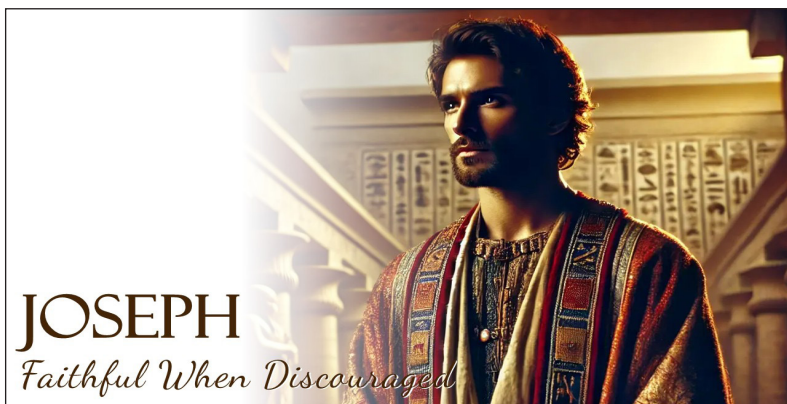
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West 7th Church of Christ

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TEXT: Genesis 40

Introduction: Joseph's Discouraging History

Evidence of Joseph's Remarkable Faithfulness:

Joseph _____

Joseph _____

Joseph's _____

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Joseph's _____

Lessons to Learn from Joseph:

1 When you're discouraged _____

2 When you're discouraged _____

3 When you're discouraged _____

*No discipline seems pleasant at the time, but painful.
Later on, however, it produces a harvest of righteousness
and peace for those who have been trained by it.*

Hebrews 12:11 NIV84

Order of Worship

Song Leader.....Rob Johnson

Blessed Assurance - 71

Scripture ReadingWyatt Ayers

Psalm 33:12, Proverbs 14:34

Prayer.....Bobby Kennedy

My Country 'Tis of Thee - 803

Faith of our Fathers - 136

A Mighty Fortress - 6

Battle Hymn of the Republic - 802

God of our Fathers - 173

America, the Beautiful - 801

Come Share the Lord - 916

Communion.....John Kodatt

Offering

God Bless America - 801

Message.....Randy Owens

Amazing Grace My Chains are Gone

Announcements and

Shepherd's Blessing.....John Corn

Nursery - Katie Freeman & Mary Murphy

Sunday Adult Classes

College Christian Disciplines John Law
OC - Columbia Room
How to have good daily spiritual rhythm at college.

Young Pro "Unexplainable Jesus" Marty DeJarnette
What Made Jesus Appealing Room 306

Young Marrieds David Hendrixson
Philippians Room 307

Young Families Barry England
Habits of the Household Tyler Sells
OC - Tennessee Room

Homebuilders Jon Bennett
Acts David Esslinger
Rush Holladay
T.V. Studio

Adults Joel Oswalt
Genesis Chapel

Adults Tom Anderson
God is Light Auditorium

Adults John Simmons
Biblical Teaching on Contemporary Issues Room 214

Spanish Speaking Elyar Sanchez
Room 212

Wednesday Adult Classes

Adults Various Teachers
Survey of the New Testament Chapel