

OVERSEERS OF:

THE LIVING WORD PROGRAM

Sunday morning at 7:30 AM

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The Living Word Topic:

ASK FOR THE OLD PATH...

Jeremiah 6:16

May 17, 2026

“The Way of Truth”

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SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday Bible Class: 9:30 AM
Sunday Worship Service: 10:30 AM
Sunday Afternoon Assembly: 1:30 PM
Wednesday Assembly: 7:00 PM

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May 17, 2026

Bulletin:

Ray's Remarks:

Hello beloved brethren!

I hope you all are doing well and that your week is off to a great start. I am so excited about our new sisters in Christ during this last week. Last Wednesday, Grace obeyed the gospel and was baptized into Christ. What a wonderful day it was for all of us as we have been praying for her to take this step for a long time.

Sunday was also a wonderful day. Lillianna, a friend of Eli's was baptized after the morning service. He has been studying with her for some time and she decided on Sunday that she wanted to give her life to Christ. We rejoice with both of them and are so proud of this most important of decisions which she has made. Praise be to God for these two precious souls who gave their lives to Him.

Well, we are busy winding up the quarter and year at the BIM. The guys here are a little overwhelmed but are also excited to see the end in sight. Please keep Easton, Isaac and Coby in your daily prayers. They have a lot of important decisions before them as they find their own places in the Kingdom of God.

Remember that our BIM graduation will be on Saturday, May 23 at 2:00. I hope you all are planning to be present to celebrate this important time with them. They have all accomplished a lot and have done a great job. We are very proud of them all.

I was also working a little today on this year's camp session. It is hard to believe but my camp session is only about a month away. I am excited about this year's session as always and I hope and pray that we will have a positive affect on all the young people who come. I also hope we have a lot of new young people who are ready to have some fun and to learn about the Word of God. If any of you have any youngsters or grandchildren who might want to have a lot of fun in June at an overnight camp session, please let me know.

I also ask for you all to remember brother Seth in your prayers as he is recovering from his recent health scare. We also have others who need prayer like sister Betty who had a recent surgery, as well as sister Carolyn, sister Judi, and brother John Martin. All of these brothers and sisters need to be remembered in our daily prayers. May God bless them all with better health and give them comfort and peace at this time.

I hope to see you all for our midweek service this Wednesday. What better place could we be on Wednesday than to gather as God's people to study His Word and Praise His name! Also, remember to always put God first in all things, and you will never regret it. I love you all and God bless!

Ray Sullins

GOD'S PEOPLE STANDING ON GOD'S WORD!

K.E. FAMILY LIFELINE

Sunday, May 17, 2026

9:30 AM Bible Classes:

Infants – High School: In Classrooms
 Auditorium: Ray Sullins
 Fellowship Hall: Brent Green

10:30 AM: Morning Worship:

Welcome: Mark McCarty
 Song Leader: Gary Duncan
 Opening Prayer: Patrick Bryan
 Sermon: Ray Sullins
 Scripture Reading: Steve Pool
 Closing Prayer: Carl Wood

May Lord’s Table:

John Fielder Clay Hoffman
 John Sanders Tyler Gardner
 Trey Sullins Dwayne Green
 Cayden Green Nolan Heavin

Sunday PM Lord’s Table:

Jerry Sullins
 Naelith Hass

Sunday, 1:30 PM Worship:

Song Leader: Naelith Hass
 Opening Prayer: Gary Dalton
 Sermon: Brent Green
 Closing Prayer: Herman Cummings

Wednesday, May 20, 2026 – 7 PM:

Song Leader: Gary Duncan
 Opening Prayer: Nolan Heavin
 Devotional: Ray Sullins
 Closing Prayer: Tony Welch

Live Streaming of All Classes and Services:
Kechurchofchrist.com, Facebook & YouTube
 Lessons and sermons are also archived

Our Records for 5-10-26:

Sunday Bible class:	117
Sunday AM worship:	134
Sunday PM worship:	101
Contribution:	\$6,387.68
Wednesday 5-6-26	113

**“AND THEY CONTINUED STEADFASTLY
 IN THE APOSTLES’ DOCTRINE AND FELLOWSHIP,
 IN THE BREAKING OF BREAD, AND IN PRAYERS.”
 ACTS 2:42**

Prayer List

Members:

Lillianna Buyher - In her new Christian walk- She was baptized May 10th.
Grace Heavin - In her new Christian walk- She was baptized May 6th.
Seth Hass -Will have therapies after 3 TIAs/stroke diag. -Consult w/KU neurologist.
John Martin - In Cox South- having blood pressure/heart rate issues.
Herman Cummings -A back injection is scheduled for May 14th.
Betty Layton -Successful surgery (Cox #205) - bladder blood clot.
Angi Moody - Dealing w/ a respiratory virus -left w/ a bad cough/exhaustion.
Mary Sanders -As her daughter Kayla has a hernia surgery in NC on 20th.
Shirley Blades -Visiting family till July. Return for May 27 spine consultation.
Judi Martin - Gallbladder surgery scheduled for May 20th.
Trey & Ruth Sullins - Expecting a baby boy around June 5th.
Marcella Wake -June 9th -tentative date for a tube-exchange procedure.
Gail Wolf - Scheduled knee replacement surgery June 22nd.
 Donetta Clouse, Gary Dalton, Brent & Dedra Green, Odessa Johnson, Ken & Carolyn Lee, John Martin, Richard & Rose Mary Medley, Wanda McElfish, Mary Patchell, Becky Pool, Bonnie Turner, Kimmy Welch, Janet Whitlock.

In Health Care Facilities:

Pauline Duncan #121-B The Maples 610 W Sunset (07) cell #370-0723
Carolyn Lee #301 Springfield Villa 1100 E Montclair St. (65807)

Our Homebound:

David Guiheen, Charles & Odessa Johnson, Glenda Slaughter

Family & Friends of Our Members:

Our six Preaching Schools in Zambia, Ghana, Kenya, and Springfield, MO.
Uganda School -Political unrest affecting the fate of the school in their courts.
Judi Grant -Christian sister who visits K.E. -Fractured tibia -wearing a brace.
Eric Clark -Angi's bro-in-law (*Kirkwood cofC*) -Cancer returned-began radiation trtmnt.
Family of Harry & Donetta -Prayers req. serious health & spiritual issues.
Lois Marriott -Scott's mother - Declining health - in Woodland Manor.
Betty -Wanda's sis. -Recov. from another cataract surg. -Glaucoma pressure issues.
Iris Blevis -Wanda's sister -Had a recent fall- On hospice at Birch Pointe H.C.
David Rea -John & Donna's nephew-Ongoing hospitalizations w/ his health.
Brian Wolf -Miles' s brother-Lung & other health issues-biopsy was clear.
Bruce Foster - Berryville, AR elder- Waiting to have a heart valve replacement.
Catalina Venegas -Ruths' mom-Cancer is now only in lymph nodes-cont. chemo.
Harlan Sell - Christian 102 yr. old friend of many at K.E.- Moved to The Gardens.
Taylor & Stephen Wasson - Expecting a baby boy in July.
Roger Allen -Marissa's dad-More tests-St. Louis heart specialist -heart monitor.
Valerie Kehr -Ruth's friend-Omaha coC-Taking dialysis-Hoping for a kidney txnplnt.
Sheri Patterson, (*Sebring, FL*) Kevin's wife- Enduring ALS with the love of family.
Amanda Eilenstein, Mark/Pam's daug. Muscle control much improved w/Parkinson's Rx.
Charles O'Dell -Charles' nephew-Oncologist prescribed oral chemotherapy.
Charles Johnson, Jr. - Charles & Odessa's son (TX) still waiting for a pacemaker.
Brigitte Johnson - Charles & Odessa's DIL (TX) -Waiting for a kidney transplant.
Heath & Mary Jackson (TX) -Carolyn's bible student from WY-husband-pancreatic cancer.
Sarah, Alice's coworker-diag. w/ adv. colon cancer -(She has a young family.)
Cayden, Alice Drake's dear friends' 11 yr. old autistic son -Is terminally ill.
 Williams Anarfi, Kathy Chaffin, Cindy Cotter, Judi Davis, Willie Eaton, Dickie Ewing, Vicky Francka, Brandon Hall, William Hamm, Ron Hass, Carmen Slider-Hewitt, Cora Lepley, Peter Masiya, Bob Medley, Grant Miller, RJ Neal, Chuck Northrop, Mona Page, Shawn Peters, Dillon Patchell, Dakota Randall, Anna Ray, Greg & Tiffany Rippee, Oneta Sitton, Adrian, Kristen & Alexis Smith, Drew Smith, Tammy Smith, Darrell & Marilyn Snow, Carol Sumpter, Isaac Talkington, Ken Teal, Tandy Terrell, Pat Welch, Dan Wheeler, Dustin Whitlock.

Upcoming K.E. Events:

May 15- Friday Game Night- 6:30 -Bring games, snacks & drinks.
 May 16-Men's Breakfast 8 AM-Sign-up on the foyer table.
 May 23-BIM graduation- 2 PM at the K.E. church building for Easton Hass, Coby Hicks and Isaac Humphrey. Reception to follow.
 May 29-Youth Devo - hosted by the Fielders -6 PM.
 May 31 - Fifth Sunday Special Contribution and Fellowship Meal.

BAPTISMS:

We celebrate the decision of Grace Heavin to put on her Savior in baptism Wednesday night. We rejoice that she is in the precious fold of God.
 We also rejoice in the Sunday morning baptism of Lilianna Buyher who was buried with Christ in baptism after studying God's Word. Please welcome our two new sisters in Christ!



May 15 Friday Game Night @ 6:30



The Bible Institute of Missouri's Tau class will hold its commencement ceremony

Saturday, May 23, 2026

at 2:00 O'clock

at the

Kansas Expressway church of Christ in Springfield, Missouri

to honor:

Easton Alan Hass

Coby Sterling Wallace Hicks

Isaac James Humphrey

Congratulations to our BIM graduates!

Elders' Corner:

The past several days have been very exciting for our church family as we have witnessed two baptisms. David and I are so excited about Grace's decision to put Christ on in baptism this past Wednesday and just this past Sunday, Lillianna made her confession and was baptized into Christ as well. I hope you all will encourage them each time you see them at services, and strengthen them in their Christian walk, reminding them of the common love we have for our Lord.

I petition you all on behalf of our church family, please remember those who are dealing with various health struggles, including Seth Hass who has recently suffered from some stroke-like symptoms and is still dealing with the aftereffects of that. Carolyn Lee is still in the nursing home of Springfield Villa. Becky Pool continues to deal with her MS symptoms. Herman has his next appointment on Thursday of this week to get a shot in his back that we pray will help with aches and pains. Angi Moody continues to deal with her illness. As I am writing this, Shirley Blades let us know that Betty Layton is having surgery for a tumor and is in need of our prayers. John Martin was admitted to the hospital on Tuesday with blood pressure issues. Gary is doing much better and we thank God for his improvements.

As summer gets closer, I wanted to make you aware of the plans we have this summer for the Ozark Empire Fair. This year, we have reserved a booth at the fair where we can share with others our faith and our devotion to the Lord. David, Jerry and I are looking through many religious materials to purchase to hand out at the fair. The biggest items we are buying are hand fans with the plan of salvation and information about the Lord's church printed on each side. We also plan to purchase some children's reading books that talk about the wonder of God's creation, attributing Glory to Him and not to the falsehood of evolution. We will end up spending about \$10,000 on this evangelism effort. In addition to the funds to purchase these materials, we are in need of volunteers to come and work the fair booth and help hand out the various religious materials and possibly even share with others the reason for the hope that lies within you (1 Pet 3:15). Please consider this opportunity to share your faith with others.

Till we meet again,

John and David

Elder on Call for May: John Sanders