

# OVERSEERS OF:

## THE LIVING WORD PROGRAM

Sunday morning at:  
7:30 A.M.  
KOLR – Channel 10

The Living Word Topic:

Rooted and Grounded!

July 27, 2025

*“Importance of a Good Foundation”*

Other Mission Works Overseen  
by the Kansas Expressway Elders:



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East Africa School of Biblical Studies,  
Established in 2003

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Established in 2017

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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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# KANSAS EXPRESSWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST

July 27, 2025

Bulletin

Ray's Remarks:

Hello from Zambia dear brothers and sisters,

I hope all is well with you all! Things are going well in Zambia and Trey and I are in our last day of being here, before traveling home. Please keep us in your prayers as we will begin heading home tomorrow around lunch time. Lord willing we will be home by Friday around noon. It will be good to get home and see our families and you all, as well. Lord willing we look forward to seeing all of you this coming Sunday morning.

Things have been going well here in Zambia. We have been able to spend some time with the new class here in Livingstone. We were able to hear all of the new students preach a sermon for us and we were very impressed. They all did such a great job and they are already developing well to only be starting their third quarter of study.

We also were able to spend some time doing several radio programs around here. We were able to do one in Livingstone, but also in two other towns called Kalomo and Chomo. It was exciting to be a part of these programs to know that they are reaching out to so many with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Please pray that this part of the work will continue to bear fruit and help many more souls find their way to Jesus. They seem to be very effective here overall.

We were also able to worship with the brethren here at the Highland Church of Christ on Sunday. It was a great Lord's day and it was great to be with our brothers and sisters again.

Finally, let me say that we are looking forward to being home. It is such a privilege to come to Africa and do the work of the Lord. However, it is always great when we are able to get home and be with our many loved ones again.

Brethren, let me remind you how blessed we all are to be children of God. So let's make sure to always put God first in all things, knowing that those who do so will reap great reward in from our God. I love and miss you all and wish God's richest blessing upon you all.

Again, Lord willing we will see you Sunday.

Ray Sullins

**GOD'S PEOPLE STANDING ON GOD'S WORD!**

K.E. FAMILY LIFELINE

Sunday, July 27, 2025

9:30 AM Bible Classes:

Children -Teens:	In Classrooms
Adult-Auditorium:	Jerry Sullins
Adult-Fellowship Hall:	Brent Green

10:30 AM: Morning Worship:

Welcome:	David Fielder
Song Leader:	Jerry Sullins
Opening Prayer:	Brent Green
Sermon:	Ray Sullins
Scripture Reading:	Larry McCarty
Closing Prayer:	Bill Heavin

July Lord’s Table:

Robbie Kirkland	Trey Sullins
Glen Slider	Clyde Heavin
Herman Cummings	Seth Hass
Eli Heavin	Naelith Hass

Sunday PM Lord’s Table:

Gary Dalton
Laodhan Hass

Sunday Afternoon 1:30 PM:

Song Leader:	Andy Heavin
Opening Prayer:	TBD
Sermon:	Trey Sullins
Closing Prayer:	TBD

Wednesday, July 30, 2025 – 7 PM:

Fifth Wednesday -No classes-

All in the Auditorium

Live Streaming of All Classes and Services:

*Kechurchofchrist.com, Truthcasting.com, Facebook & YouTube*

Lessons and sermons are also archived

Our Records for 7-20-25

Sunday Bible Class:	96
Sunday Morning worship:	106
Sunday Afternoon worship:	94
Contribution:	\$5,059.62
Wednesday, 7-16-25	84

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

Prayer List  
Members:

Miles Wolf - Hospitalized for an infection - Home Tuesday & improving.  
John Martin -In Springfield Rehab. trying to regain some strength.  
Ray & Trey Sullins -Scheduled to return home from Africa on Friday.  
Charles Williamson -Will have tests July 29<sup>th</sup> for some health concerns.  
Mary Sanders & family -In Maegan’s passing. Mary at Tasha’s for few wks.  
Carolyn Lee -Hopeful they can keep her kidney disease steady @ stage 3.  
Richard Medley -Shoulder fracture slowly healing -5 lb. lifting limit.  
Hannah & Robbie Kirkland -A baby girl is due early October.  
Nikki & Luke Tebbe - A baby boy is due early November.  
Michael & Christie Neely - A baby girl is due mid-November.  
Ivie & Tyler Gardner - A baby boy is due to arrive late November.  
Gary Dalton, Dedra Green, Clyde Heavin, Betty Layton, Ken Lee, John Martin,  
Mary Patchell, Sandi Robison, Jerry Sullins, Marcella Wake, Virginia Winfrey.

In Health Care Facilities:

Pauline Duncan #121-B The Maples 610 W Sunset (07) cell #370-0723

Our Homebound:

Dave Guiheen, Betty Layton, Glenda Slaughter, Bonnie Turner

Family & Friends of Our Members:

Our Preaching Schools in Zambia, Ghana, Kenya and Uganda.  
Uganda School -Fate of school still in court. July is the next court date.  
Valerie Kehr, Ruth’s friend -Omaha coC -Hoping to reevaluate her arm for home dialysis.  
Cora Lepley -Colin & Rachel’s baby -Marshfield coC -Fell off a slide & broke her arm.  
Greg Garrettson - Mary Patchell’s son-in-law- Cellulitis in his foot/ankle.  
Jan Sanders -John’s mom- Has follow-up appts. w/ several Drs. in coming weeks.  
Catherine Garofalo -Shirley Blades 45 yr. old daug. (FL) Has aortic blood clot.  
Joseph Larson -Nephew of Jeff & Regina Gardner -In an accident & in a lot of pain.  
Catalina Venegas -Ruth Sullins’ mom -Cancer spreading -Starts chemo again.  
Andrew Dillon -Virginia Winfrey asking for prayers for her grandson’s life problems.  
Willie Eaton -Judi Martin’s- 95 yr. old mother, (OK) is on Hospice -alert now.  
Amanda Eilenstein, Mark/Pam’s daug. Struggling w/ hand & arm neuropathy.  
RJ Neal -Lorraine’s son -work accid. Broken hips/arm. Non-weight bearing till mid-Sept  
Karen Duncan -Gary Duncan’s aunt- Taking chemo for lung & liver cancer.  
Art Jenkin -Dylon’s dad -Gastric surg. prep. & taking classes for exercise /diet.  
Carmen Slider-Hewitt -Glen’s sis. -Has cysts & problems. w/ pancreas and her liver.  
Dakota Randall - Stephanie Wasson’s 32 yr. old nephew- Diag. w/ aggress. blood cancer.  
Sheri Patterson - FL -Kevin’s wife- Dealing with ALS complications.  
Williams Anarfi, Former Ghana school director/instructor – Declining health.  
Ocidell Massengill, Cindy’s Aunt (Shirley’s sister) In TN- kidney stone.  
Tiffany Rippee, Mary P’s grndghtr -Fract. neck -Seizures -investigate. cause.  
Eli Green, Karen’s 14 yr. old gr-nephew -Manag. his ulcerative colitis well, now.  
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.  
Oneta Sitton & family, Christian at Bona -diag. w/ aggressive breast cancer.  
Nancy Notterman, Reno, NV Christians request prayers for their mother.  
Pat Welch, Cary’s mom - (Alzheimer’s) In an assisted living facility.

David & Ashley Blades, Iris Blevins, Kelly Clark, Norma Clark, Teresa Clark, Ray Clouse, Cindy Cotter,  
Nora Crawford, Judi Davis, Dickie Ewing, Vicky Francka, Brandon Hall, William Hamm, Ron Hass,  
Bob Medley, Grant Miller, Charles Moody, Chuck Northrop, Mona Page, Shawn Peters, Dillon Patchell,  
Anna Ray, David Rea, Greg Rippee, Adrian, Kristen & Alexis Smith, Tammy Smith, Darrell & Marilyn  
Snow, Ken Teal, Tandy Terrell, Gracie Toledo, Dan Wheeler, Butch Winslow.

“HAVE MERCY ON ME, O LORD, FOR I AM WEAK;  
O LORD, HEAL ME, FOR MY BONES ARE TROUBLED.”  
PSALM 6:2

Upcoming K.E. Events:

Jul 25 - Ray & Trey scheduled to return home from Africa.  
Jul 27-Aug 1- Brent Green’s Happy Hollow Overnight Camp session.  
Jul 30- Fifth Wednesday -All in the Auditorium -singing & devotional.  
Aug 9- Men’s Breakfast- 8 AM- Sign-up on foyer table.  
Aug 9-Booth at the MO State Fair- Foyer table sign-up sheet to help.  
Aug 10-13-Our VBS-”FLOOD” Flyers available on the South & foyer tables.

**Attn: VBS Teachers-**  
VBS materials are in, and in the Teachers’ Supply Room. We also have a flash drive with PowerPoints for Adult and teen classes to use and supplemental class materials to print. Please see the office for help. JAF



- BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES:**
- 1 David Guiheen
  - 1 John Cobb (60)
  - 1 Ray Sullins
  - 2 Eli Heavin (15)
  - 4 Bill Keeton (99)
  - 5 Andy & Stephanie Heavin (20)
  - 6 Veyda Green (15)
  - 7 John & Tiffany Sanders (26)
  - 8 Ellie Sanders (19)
  - 10 Gary Duncan
  - 11 Rose Cobb (25)
  - 12 Clay & Lynette Hoffman (30)
  - 19 Patrick Bryan
  - 19 Laurie Macy
  - 22 Angi Moody
  - 22 Andy Heavin
  - 23 Gary & Brinda Duncan (34)
  - 25 David & Karen Falls (46)
  - 27 John Fielder (27)
  - 28 Robbie Heavin (81)
  - 28 Clay Hoffman
  - 30 Glen & Laurie Slider (50)
  - 30 Laodhan Hass (12)
  - 31 Tara Sullins (60)

Elders’ Corner:

Dear KE brethren,

I want to thank Brent for his lessons this past week while Ray has been in Africa. I appreciate his lesson on how we can use our various parts of our body in service to the Lord. Please continue to pray for Ray and Trey as they will be journeying home this Thursday and Friday. We look forward to welcoming them back to our fold this coming Sunday. Continue to pray for the new school that has begun in Kenya, that many faithful men will be trained there and be able to preach the gospel in their communities.

Please remember John Martin, who is currently in physical therapy, trying to regain some strength in his body. We also want to remember Miles Wolf who has been in the hospital trying to fight off an infection. He was able to go home on Tuesday, and he is much improved. Finally, remember Charles Williamson with his upcoming test on July 29 as they try and help improve his health struggles.

VBS is quickly approaching, I know the teachers are making preparations for their classes, and others are brainstorming decoration ideas to help make the lessons so much more meaningful. The same could be said about the Ladies’ Day that is planned for September 27, I know much planning is taking place currently to make these events successful. We thank everyone for their work on these two evangelistic and encouraging events.

One final reminder, I am looking for another volunteer or two to assist with staffing the church of Christ booth at the Sedalia State Fair on Saturday August 9. Please let me know if you can help with this evangelistic work.

I wanted to let you all know as well that Tiffany and I will be traveling to the Ivory Coast, Africa next month, as we join Steve Healea on his mission trip again this year. We are planning to fly out on August 21 and stay in Africa for a little over a week, then stop in Europe for a week before getting back home on Monday September 8, Lord willing. Tiffany’s parents are coming to stay and visit with the kids while we are gone. I know everyone will make them feel welcomed while they are here.

Look forward to seeing you at our next scheduled service,

John, David and Jerry

Elder on Call for July: David Fielder