

# OVERSEERS OF:

## THE LIVING WORD PROGRAM

Sunday morning at 7:30 AM

KOLR 10

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The Living Word Series:

“But They Understood  
None of These Things”

Luke 18:34

September 27, 2026, Lesson:

*Many Misunderstood His Mission/Purpose*



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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

September 27, 2026

## Bulletin

### Ray's Remarks:

Hello brothers and sisters!

I hope everyone is having a great week and that you are staying busy as we shine the light of God in this dark world. What a privilege it is to be a child of God and to know that He is always with the faithful and we are never alone. What a truly loving and wondrous God we serve.

It looks like a little relief is finally here from the weather. We have had so much heat for so long it is hard to believe that it actually has cooled off a little this week. The rain sure was wonderful as well; we finally got a good soaker. It is always amazing to me how quickly things come to life after dying from the drought. God's creation is always a beautiful thing and how blessed we are to be a part of it.

Well, I hope you all are getting excited about our gospel meeting coming up. In just over two weeks we are going to have a series on evangelism, but we are going to focus on how we apply evangelistic principles in every aspect of our lives. I know it will be an encouraging time for us all and that we will be challenged to reach out more with the Gospel of Christ to those around us. Make sure and mark your calendars for October 18-21!

Praise God that everything went well with brother Herman Cummings' surgery. We pray he will recover quickly and get the relief that he needs from the pain he has had for a long time now. We also have others who are still dealing with persistent health problems such as sister Carolyn, sister Kimmy, sister Marissa, sister Shirley Blades. We obviously have others who need to be remembered as well, so please pick up an announcement sheet or a copy of the bulletin and keep all these with needs before God's throne in prayer.

Well, I hope you take advantage of the Tuesday night class tonight. By the way, we would like to have an idea of how many are watching. So if you do watch online, please let me know, as well as how many are with you watching. It would be great to know how many are taking advantage of this time to study God's Word.

Lord willing, we will also be together tomorrow. I love you all and God bless!

Ray Sullins

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

K.E. FAMILY LIFELINE



Sunday, September 27, 2026

|                            |                 |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| 9:30 AM Bible Classes:     |                 |
| Infants – High School:     | In Classrooms   |
| Auditorium:                | Ray Sullins     |
| Fellowship Hall:           | Mark McCarty    |
| 10:30 AM: Morning Worship: |                 |
| Welcome:                   | John Sanders    |
| Song Leader:               | Gary Duncan     |
| Opening Prayer:            | Mark McCarty    |
| Sermon:                    | Ray Sullins     |
| Scripture Reading:         | Larry McCarty   |
| Closing Prayer:            | Robbie Kirkland |

September Lord’s Table:

|                |                |
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| Nick Hausladen | Steve Pool     |
| Bob Hyde       | Scott Marriott |
| Jason Scharold | Dylon Wake     |
| Cayden Green   | Owen Sanders   |

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| Sunday PM Lord’s Table: | Clyde Heavin<br>Laodhan Hass |
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Sunday, 1:30 PM Worship:

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| Song Leader:    | Andy Heavin  |
| Opening Prayer: | Nolan Heavin |
| Sermon:         | Trey Sullins |
| Closing Prayer: | Tony Welch   |

Wednesday, September 30, 2026 – 7 PM:  
FIFTH WEDNESDAY-ALL IN AUDITROIUM-NO CLASSES  
We will have singing, prayers and a devotional.

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

Our Records for 9-20-26:

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| Sunday Bible class: | 111        |
| Sunday AM worship:  | 134        |
| Sunday PM worship:  | 106        |
| Contribution:       | \$5,257.85 |
| Wednesday: 9-16-26  | 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:

Marcella Wake-Diag. colon cancer- Sees surgeon 23<sup>rd</sup>. Enterogram, 28<sup>th</sup>.  
Herman Cummings -Had back surgery Sept. 22nd.- In Cox South .  
Shirley Blades-Congestive heart failure. Heart Rx making her sick- changing it.  
Charles Johnson -Had slight heart attack, possible fractured back-pulled muscle.  
Wanda McElfish-Began PT for leg/back nerve pain. Dr. appt. Oct 1<sup>st</sup>.  
Seth Hass -Healing from stroke- Therapy/intensive exercise- B.P. is improved.  
Kimmy Welch-Orthopedist appt. October 6<sup>th</sup> for hip pain.  
Becky Pool-Testing out medications to alleviate MS symptoms.  
Gary Dalton, Kay Edwards, Dedra Green, David Guiheen, Odessa Johnson, Ken Lee, Richard & Rose Mary Medley, Mary Patchell, Marissa Scharold, Aaron Snyder, Bonnie Turner.

In Health Care Facilities:  
Pauline Duncan #121-B The Maples 610 W Sunset (07) cell #370-0723  
Carolyn Lee #119 Springfield Villa 1100 Montclair St. Spfd. (65807)

Our Homebound:  
Charles & Odessa Johnson, Glenda Slaughter

Family & Friends of Our Members:  
Our six Preaching Schools in Zambia, Ghana, Kenya, and Springfield, MO.  
Uganda School -Pray for property resolution - so it can be reopened.  
Eraweh & Kaleb Nelson-Prayers for a healthy pregnancy. (*Expecting a girl in Oct.*)  
Marilyn Simpson-In the passing of her husband Rob while visiting family in Springfield. Rob was an elder at the Sweetwater church of Christ in Sweetwater, Tennessee.  
Samantha Allen- Marissa’s SIL- Recovering from ACL & Meniscus surg. on her knee.  
Gracie Toledo-Christian in NM- Maurice, her son, let us know she’s in the hospital.  
Family of Harvey Starling-Beloved missionary. Oct 1 graveside service. 11-noon. (AL)  
Ethan & Shelbie Christian-*MSU couple attending KE*-In the passing of her grandma.  
Mica McNicol-John Sanders’ sis-Diag.w/ a *non-aggressive* breast cancer-Tests sched.  
Jan Sanders-John’s mom-High BP-consid. removal artery plaque & bad kidney.  
Kevin Patterson & family, in the recent passing of his wife, Sheri.  
Betty Ridenour-Wanda’s sis.-Trying to recov.- pneumonia. More bronchial testing.  
Barry Hatcher (NC)-Friend of Karen-In the recent passing of his wife & his cancer treatment.  
Cathy Garofalo-Shirley’s daug. (FL) On medications after TIAs,  
Glynda Moore-Karen’s sister (Fouke, AR)-September consult w/ lung specialist.  
Roger Allen-Marissa’s dad-St. Louis heart team/local Dr. monitoring his heart.  
Kenneth Teal, (Ava) Wanda’s brother- Failing health.  
Eric Clark-Angi’s bro-in-law (*Kirkwood cofC*)-Cancer radiation treatment going well.  
Family of Harry & Donetta-Prayers requested -health & spiritual issues.  
Lois Marriott-Scott’s mother - Declining health - in Woodland Manor.  
David Rea-John & Donna’s nephew-Ongoing hospitalizations w/ his health.  
Catalina Venegas-Ruths’ mom-Cancer is now only in lymph nodes-cont. chemo.  
Valerie Kehr-Ruth’s friend-Omaha coC-Taking dialysis-Needs a kidney transplant.  
Cayden, Alice Drake’s dear friends’ 12 yr. old autistic son –Is terminally ill.

Williams Anarfi, Margie Butler, Kathy Chaffin, Kelly & Norma Clark, Cindy Cotter, Judi Davis, Willie Eaton, Amanda Eilenstein, Vicky Francka, Brandon Hall, William Hamm, Ron Hass, Carmen Slider-Hewitt, Heath Jackson, Charles Johnson, Jr., Cora Lepley, Peter Masiya, Bob Medley, Grant Miller, Donnie Neely, Chuck Northrop, Charles O’Dell, Mona Page, Shawn Peters, Dillon Patchell, Dakota Randall, Anna Ray, Debbie Richards, Greg & Tiffany Rippee, Oneta Sitton, Adrian, Kristen & Alexis Smith, Tammy Smith, Darrell & Marilyn Snow, Isaac Talkington, Ken Teal, Tandy Terrell, Pat Welch, Dan Wheeler, Brian Wolf.

“HEAL ME O LORD AND I SHALL BE HEALED; SAVE ME,  
AND I SHALL BE SAVED. FOR YOU ARE MY PRIAISE.”  
JEREMIAH 17:14

Upcoming K.E. Events:  
Sept 22-Tuesday Evening Class at 7 PM- Online or in-person.  
Sept 25-Youth Devo at Ray& Cindy’s 6:30-Guys drinks, girls desserts.  
Sept 27-Tuesday Evening Class at 7 PM- Online or in-person.  
Sept 30-Fifth Wednesday Devo- All meet in Auditorium - no classes.  
Oct 10-Men’t Breakfast-8 AM- Sign-up on foyer table.  
Oct 18–21 -Fall Gospel Meeting with Ken Johnson from Alabama.

Thank You:  
I appreciate so much the prayers for my husband, Rob Simpson, who had a tragic accident. Unfortunately he passed away but I know where he is. It’s wonderful to know that no matter where we go, we have a church family. I am especially thankful for the visit and prayers from David Fielder and Brent Green. Their care and compassion made it a little easier to be sitting and waiting. May God bless you all.  
Once again, thank you.  
In Christian love, Marilyn Simpson (*Sweetwater church of Christ*)

Help Needed

If you would be willing to give rides to individuals when needed for worship, please sign-up on the foyer table. Questions? Please see Brother Pool.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

8 Gary Dalton (86)

10 Ackarley Hass (7)

11 Kennedy Kirkland (1)

13 Glen Slider (70)

13 Piper Scharold (4)

15 Janet Whitlock (70)

21 Tiffany Sanders

21 Nolan Heavin (19)

23 Carl & Sylvia Wood (44)

Bible Institute of Missouri

Tuesday Evening Class

UNDERSTANDING

GOD’S COVENANTS, LAW, AND JUDGMENT

(in-person or online):

September 29th Class:

Did Jesus Fulfill and End the Old Law?

Speaker: Tyler Bird

All Lessons Are Archived

Elders’ Corner:  
Greetings brethren,  
We hope you are doing well. I want to bring to your attention a new ministry effort here at Kansas Expressway. From time to time, we receive calls from individuals who need a ride to our services. Brother Steve Pool is assisting us with providing those rides as the need arises. Steve will be coordinating those rides for us. We need your help with providing Steve a list of individuals who would be willing to assist and provide those rides. Ideally, Steve would have a list of names to utilize and would make calls based on the particulars of any given request. We have had a sign-up sheet on the foyer table for more than a week. Unfortunately, there were only two names on the list as of Sunday. If you are willing to help, please sign the list so Steve can know who is willing to help.

We want to reiterate what was said Sunday morning concerning our worship services. Worshipping our God is our privilege and duty; it is something each one of us should take very seriously. As we mentioned Sunday, we would appreciate it if all men who are taking leadership positions in our Sunday services would wear a tie. Giving God our best should be our goal in all aspects of life, especially in our worship. If any of you have any questions, please feel free to visit with us.

Please remember all our sick in your prayers. Herman Cummings had surgery today and we pray it will help alleviate his pain. Marcella Wake received some good news after her CT scan but still has more tests scheduled. Shirley Blades continues to deal with ongoing health issues and is still seeking a definitive diagnosis. Ken and Carolyn Lee, Wanda McElfish, Becky Pool and Kimmy Welch are all dealing persistent health issues.

Thank you for all you do here at Kansas Expressway. We look forward to seeing you at our next scheduled assembly.

David, John and Ray

YOUTH DEVO

September 25 at 6:30 PM

Hosted by Ray & Cindy Sullins

Boys bring drinks and girls, please bring desserts.

Elder on Call for September: Ray Sullins