

The Cornerstone Chronicle



Worship Service

June 21, 2026

The Wisdom of Meekness (Part 2)

[James 1:19-21](#)



Sunday School

June 21, 2026

Adult Class:

Prayer Topic:
Doctrinal Purity

Junior High:

[The Enemy Within](#)
Chapter 4

Kids Classes:

Lesson 4: Cain Rebels
[Genesis 4:1-15](#)



Prayer Calendar &
Reading Plan

CORNERSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH
Summer School

Join us for Paul Tripp's
Parenting: It's Not What You Think It Is
June 3, June 17, July 1, July 15 - 6:30pm
We will watch a 45ish minute video and discuss this hard and wonderful topic of parenting. Child care available.

Announcements

- Membership Application: Parker and Chelsea Day!**
Be sure to get to know this family this month before we vote on their membership at the July Corporate Fellowship Meal.
- Cleaning the Church: Summer!** *See page 2 along the left side for the cleaning schedule.*
- VBS: Volunteer Needs!** *You may [click here to see a short description](#) of what each volunteer role would need to do. [Click here to see the volunteer needs](#) for Vacation Bible School this summer. Also, [Be sure to register here!](#)*
- Father's Day: June 21!**
- Spring River Baptist Kids' Camp: June 22-26!** *The kids get dropped off Monday morning and picked up Friday. See yellow box for more info.*
- Last Men's Saturday Work Day: June 27!** *Starting at 9:00am! If you are available to help work with the deacons on the church building these dates, let Josh Hickerson know! If you have a favorite tool or any of the following feel free to bring it along: gloves, razor knife, tools for paint prep and painting. If you have a shop vac, let Josh know, that might be helpful. The church will supply safety glasses and other protective gear. Thanks for helping!*



[Calendar](#)

6/21/26: Father's Day
6/22-26/26: Summer Camp
6/26/26: Elders' Meeting
6/27/26: Men's Work-day (9:00am)
7/1/26: Summer School Session #3 (6:30pm)
7/4/26: 4th of July
7/5/26: Corporate Fellowship Meal (12:30pm)

Summer Camp!

Be praying for the kids that are at summer camp next week at Baptist Hill Camp in Mt. Vernon. The kids leave Monday, June 22 and return Friday, June 26.

Click [here for a flier](#) for all the information. Here is [another document](#) with important information about registration. Here is a [packing list](#)

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[Nursery Volunteer Schedule](#)



[Children's SS Schedule](#)



[HFG Cleaning Schedule](#)



[Equipping Schedule](#)



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1. Summer School Session #3: July 1! Join us for a video and discussion on parenting in the fellowship hall at 6:30pm.

2. Childcare for Summer School: Yes! During the adult summer school classes, the kids are invited to join Mrs. Anne Andrews in a little choir class while the parents are in class. Jessica, Hannah, Emily, and Letitia will be assisting Mrs. Anne while having the older kids assist with the super littles during singing.

3. Corporate Fellowship Meal: July 5! Join us for a potluck meal after church. We will vote on the Day's membership. [Click here for the mealtrain to see what you can bring.](#)

4. Deacons Meeting: July 8!

5. Summer School Session #4: July 15! Join us for a video and discussion on parenting in the fellowship hall at 6:30pm.



6. Vacation Bible School: July 20-24! We will serve dinner at 5:15! VBS will be from 5:45-8:15. [Be sure to register!](#)

7. Suggestion Box! If you have thoughts on what you'd like to see happen in the church, please email your suggestion to el-nders@cornerstonecarthage.com or put your thoughts in the Suggestion Box on the book table in the Fellowship hall.

8. Schedules! The updated schedules for the nursery, Children's Sunday School, and Cleaning are uploaded. Click on the logo to the left to see the schedule for the year for the appropriate ministry. The Equipping Schedules will be uploaded a little later this summer. Thank you David Allen for all of your work on the website to make the links happen!

Sunday School Classes - Children's, Jr. High, Sr. High

	Lower Elem.	Upper Elem.	Jr. High Girls	Jr. High Boys	Sr. High
Grade	K-2	3-6	7-9	7-9	10-12
Age	4-7	8-11	12-14	12-14	15-18

*This is determined by the grade the child will be going into in the fall.

**Considering there may be homeschooling families, where age may be easier to go by, it is determined by the age of the child on Pentecost.

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Cornerstone Membership Process

1. Membership Class—*Elders and those interested in finding out more about membership.* These are offered semi-annually or as the need arises.
2. Membership Application—*Individuals interested in membership.* The individual fills out application and returns it to the elders.
3. Membership Interview—*Elders and applicants.* This interview is for the elders to personally get to know the applicants, verify baptism and testimony, as well as discuss what it means to be a member of the Church universal and Cornerstone, specifically.
4. Baptism & Testimony—if necessary
5. Announcement of Membership Application & Testimony—*Elders, applicants, congregation.* The elders announce the application for membership and the applicant shares their testimony with the church. The church is encouraged to get to know the applicant over the next month(s).
6. Membership Vote—*Congregation.* This vote is to admit the applicant into fellowship. This vote marks two things: one, that the current members, on what information they have, accept the elders' recommendation for membership; and, secondly, that the current members, on what information they have, accept the applicant into fellowship.

Home Fellowship Groups

Jones

Sunday's (4:30pm)

South Carthage

Contact: Jeremy Jones

Callen/Allen

Wednesday's (6:00pm)

West Carthage

Contact: Will Callen

Riley/Adams

Wednesday's (6:00pm)

North Carthage

Contact: Trevin Riley

Andrews/Ziler

Thursday's (6:00pm)

East Carthage

Contact: Jim Ziler

Online Offering



If you desire to give online to Cornerstone, please use Zelle and the church phone number.

417-358-4844

Baby Bulletin!

Andrew and Morgan Griesemer welcome

Lila Jean

7 lbs. 9 oz., 18.75 inches

Born at 1:38pm!

February 9, 2026



Children's Closet

Remember, we have a closet for kids clothing. Cassandra and Leticia are the people to talk to about clothing needs or donations. The closet is available between Sunday school and worship service on the second and fourth Sundays.

DOULOS

[Ministries & Coordinators](#)

Doulos is a group of servants joyfully volunteering to love the body by coordinating and assisting communication regarding various ministries of the church under the authority of the elders.