

The Cornerstone Chronicle



Worship Service

July 19, 2026
**Spiritual Amnesia
(Part 3)**

[James 1:22-27](#)



Sunday School

July 19, 2026

Adult Class:

Prayer Topic:

Persecuted Church/Return
of Christ

Junior High:

[The Enemy Within](#)

Chapter 8

Kids Classes:

Lesson 8: God Makes a
Promise to Abram

[Genesis 11:27-12:9](#)



Prayer Calendar &
Reading Plan



See page 3 for birth
announcement for
**Justin and Cassandra
Andrews!**

Announcements

- Membership Application: Travis and Emily Hall!** *Be sure to get to know them this month. We will vote on their membership at the August Corporate Fellowship. See page 3 for a reminder of our membership process.*
- Home Fellowship Groups Beginning: August 9!** *See new groups available on page 3!*
- Skylight for Ms. Eleanor!** *Ms. Eleanor has a [skylight photo frame](#) and anyone can send pictures to her who has access. If you are interested in sending pictures to Ms. Eleanor, please contact Will or Becca C.*
- Logos (Men's Discussion Group): Name Change!** *The men's group will still meet 2nd and 4th Mondays at 6:30pm with a new name: Men's Bible Study. There will be a second men's group in the early morning during the week...the name TBD. See the emails Ryan sent this week for details. Contact Ryan if interested in these groups!*
- LifeVac First Aid!** *The deacons have placed an apparatus called LifeVac by the first aid kits in the kitchen (located to the right of the industrial dishwasher) to aid in helping choking persons. There is a second one in the nursery. They are easy to use, however, [here is a link for training](#). It would be amazing if everyone in our church watched the video and was able to use this device.*



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Vacation Bible School

Cornerstone Baptist Church
Carthage, MO

July 20-24 5:45-8:15
Dinner at 5:15

K-6th Grades! Please be praying!



Calendar

7/20-24/26: VBS (5:15-8:15pm)

7/24/26: Elders' Meeting

7/26/26: Guest Speaker (Dr. Chris Roberts)

8/2/26: Martyrs' Day

8/2/26: Guest Speaker (Mr. Jim Ziler)

8/2/26: Corporate Fellowship Meal (12:30pm)

8/3/26: Women's Bible Study (7:00pm)

8/5/26: Deacons' Meeting (6:30pm)

8/7/26: Doulos & Desert (6:30pm)

VBS is this coming week!!



Thank you for
all of your
help deco-
rating and praying and
generosity!!

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1. VBS: Prayer! *There are little lamb coloring pages for you to write something you are praying for VBS and we can post those at church. Grab one or two!*



2. VBS: Fake Food and Milk Jugs! *We are in need of some fake food for our Psalm 23 banqueting table. If you have any we can borrow for the week, we'd love to use it!!! Also, milk jugs will not be returned, but we still need some for science!*



3. VBS: Decorations Reminder! *Please remind your kids to try to not play with or touch the VBS decorations. It's going to be super hard!! They are so cute!! And, there are so many decorations too!! We can do it though!*



4. 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!](#)*

5. Guest Speakers: July 26 and August 2! *Dr. Chris Roberts will preach July 26th and Mr. Jim Ziler will preach August 2nd. Be sure to be praying for them as they prepare to share the Word with us.*

6. Martyr's Day: August 2!



7. Corporate Fellowship Meal: August 2! *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.](#)*



8. Women's Bible Study: August 3! *The women will begin meeting for Bible study again August 3 at 7:00pm in the Conference Room. More details coming soon.*

9. Deacons' Meeting: August 5!

10. Doulos & Dessert: August 7!

11. Suggestion Box! *If you have thoughts on what you'd like to see happen in the church, please email your suggestion to elders@cornerstonecarthage.com or put your thoughts in the Suggestion Box on the book table in the fellowship hall.*

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/Joki

Sunday's

Carthage

Contact: Jeremy J.

Allen

Wednesday's (6:00pm)

West Carthage

Contact: David A.

Riley

Wednesday's (6:00pm)

East Carthage

Contact: Trevin R.

Ziler/Fry

Thursday's (6:00pm)

Carthage

Contact: Jim Z.

Online Offering

zelle

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

417-358-4844

Baby Bulletin!

Congratulations Justin and Cassandra Andrews on the birth of sweet Ezra David Andrews.

Born Sunday, July 12 at 11:23pm

7lbs. 11 oz. 20 inches long

Coming soon: Baby Berryman (to Mason and Emma)

Coming soon: Baby Boice (to Derek and Maria)

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.