

## Order of Worship

We Are The Body Of Christ

### Welcome

### Prayer of Worship

Holy Ground Medley

Nearer, Still Nearer

### Communion

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

Nearer My God To Thee

Christ Is Enough

O To Be Like Thee

### I Peter 2:4-10

### “The Christian’s Identity”

Is Thy Heart Right With God?

### Shepherd’s Prayer

Sing To Me Of Heaven

## Ministry and Activity

**Summer Speaker Series:** Wednesdays through August 11th! There are brochures in the foyer to hand out to family and friends!

**Discipleship University** for the youth-Saturday 8-7-21 in Dripping Springs. The van will leave the building at 8:00 am and return at about 10:30 pm. See Cooper for questions, as well as for registration, which will be due by Wednesday, 7-14-21.

**Remember: Men’s Coffee** Thursdays at 9:30 am  
**Ladies’ Bible Class** Tuesday, 7-14-21 at 9:30 am.

### Save the Date:

**Farewell Luncheon for the Ferris Family** on the 18th after morning services. There is a sign-up sheet for food in the lobby by the doors to the auditorium. There will be a large wooden letter for everyone to sign that will be presented to them at the luncheon.

Sunday Evening Fellowship July 18 at Ethan Lafferty’s house.

If you know of a **need for meals** for the month of July, please contact Shelley Alexander at 361-549-5686.

*Pantry Items: crackers or canned tuna.*

## Daily Bible Reading Plan

**July 11**-Joshua 14-15; Ps 146-147; Jer 7; Matt 21

**July 12**-Joshua 16-17; Ps 148; Jer 8; Matt 22

**July 13**-Joshua 18-19; Ps 149-150; Jer 9; Matt 23

**July 14**-Joshua 20-21; Acts 1; Jer 10; Matt 24

**July 15**-Joshua 22; Acts 2; Jer 11; Matt 25

**July 16**-Joshua 23; Acts 3; Jer 12; Matt 26

**July 17**-Joshua 24; Acts 4; Jer 13; Matt 27

# Riverside

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

625 Harper Rd. Kerrville, TX 78028 (830) 257-5445

Sunday Bible Study: 9 AM Sunday Worship: 10 AM

Wednesday Bible Study: 7 PM

July 11, 2021

## Welcome Guests!

Thank you for joining us in our worship today! You are our honored guest. Please remain with us short while after services so that we can visit with you. We meet together to praise God and to encourage one another. The Bible is our only guide at Riverside for worship and the Christian life. We will be happy to answer any questions that you may have about the Riverside church family. Please visit us again whenever you have the opportunity!

## The Good Portion

There are lots of good things to do as a Christian, but even good things can distract from our ultimate focus – Jesus. In Luke 10:38-42, Martha was providing services of hospitality to a traveling Jesus. Martha had a God-given role and command to fulfill, yet she was “distracted” (40, ESV) from Jesus. She was doing it *for* Jesus but was indeed *distracted* from Jesus. There was a choice to make and her sister, Mary, chose the “good portion” (42). Mary chose the person of Jesus. In all of our Christian activity, let us not forget the “good portion” who is at the center of it all.

-Cooper Atkeson

## Ministers

Pulpit Minister

Kevin Kasparek

(918) 470-5873

Family/Worship

Cooper Atkeson

(417) 461-4834

Outreach/

Involvement

Raoul Ferris

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## Elders

Dale Alexander

(361) 537-3219

Gene Bosse

(830) 285-3241

David Moore

(830) 928-1869

## Deacons

Orlando Barraza

Cody Bush

Jerry Durbin

Darrell Fudge

Tom Lovelady

Chris Mulliniks

## THE NUMBERS

Sunday 7/4/21:

Bible Class: 93

Worship Service: 169

**Contribution:** \$8360

**Budget:** \$7,200

Wednesday Night 7/7/21: 78

# Pray For Others

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**Our Supported Work** - Richard Patton, World Bible School:  
Richard@worldbibleschool.net

**Kareene Taylor** is in PRMC, room 269 with serious congestion and a broken ankle. **Don Taylor** is suffering with two fractured vertebrae from a fall. Please pray for comfort and healing for these two.

Pray for our members who are in nursing/assisted living facilities: **Doris Burton, Ann Marshall, Alice McGuire, Nancy Moore, and Kathy O'Hara.** They have had limited visitors since March. Some visits are now allowed, check with the facility prior to visiting. Your visits would be much appreciated.

Let's remember all of the health care workers and their families at Riverside: **Rona Barrozo, Ashton Bosse, Jolene Fudge, Kaysi Garrett, Karen Wootton, Karla (Wootton) Carter, Debra Zink,** and those around the nation and world, who are on the front lines of the pandemic. Also, remember **Chad Lovelady,** who is a police officer in Fredericksburg.

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*“Now therefore fear the Lord and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness. Put away the gods that your fathers served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. And if it is evil in your eyes to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your fathers served in the region beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.”* Joshua 24: 14-15.

*“As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious, you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in Scripture: ‘Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.’ So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe, ‘The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone,’ and ‘A stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense.’ They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of the darkness into his marvelous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God’s people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.”* I Peter 2:4-10

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# And Keep Praying

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## **Ongoing Health Concerns**

**Doyle Brown,** recovering from shoulder surgery and undergoing occupational therapy.

**Chuck Coleman,** is home and he is in pain still but is doing better. Your prayers are appreciated. Please continue to pray for both **Chuck** and **Kathy.**

**Olden Cook,** recovering from foot surgery. Please pray for complete healing.

**Larry Delaney** began immunotherapy on 6-24; which he will have every 3 weeks for 3 months, with follow-up scans to evaluate effectiveness. Continue to pray for **Larry,** and **Kenda** as she sees to his care.

**Barbara Dodd,** is wheelchair bound, but hoping to come back to worship soon.

**Jerry Durbin,** recovering from a compression fracture in the lumbar spine.

**Bev Jones,** at River Hills Health & Rehabilitation, Room 101 for rehab following a stroke.

**Ann Marshall** dealing with several serious health concerns

**C.E. and Virginia Packer;** as C.E. and his family make decisions regarding his care moving forward.

**Betty Phillips,** at Hilltop, receiving rehab after successful heart surgery.

**Bill Whitt,** recovering from knee surgery and undergoing physical therapy.

## **Of Friends and Family**

**Debra Dombrowski, Martha McDuffie's** sister, recovering from major surgery.

**Matthew Donaldson, Genita Donaldson's** grandson, diagnosed with cancer.

**Bill Fitch,** son of **Katie Fitch,** undergoing treatment for cancer.

**Carolyn Hixon,** sister to **Judy Lovelady,** diagnosed with breast cancer.

**Rick Love,** brother-in-law to the **Haby family,** as he was in an automobile accident, and has serious injuries.

**Holly Macy,** daughter of the Packers is doing better.

**Lacy Ramey,** wife of the Lovelady's grandson, who was in a car accident and has multiple injuries. Please pray for Kyle and Lacey Ramey and their three kids.

**Larry Smith,** friend of the **Lovelady** family, suffering with colon cancer, but improving.

**Treva Vogl,** sister of **Reba Durbin,** being treated for cancer.

**Erin Wharton,** cancer free, and doing well.

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