

August
Aug 10 Devotional at Homestead at 3:00 p.m.
Aug 16 Wedding Shower for John Muhl & Lyndsey Turney
Aug 17 Devotional at Homestead at 3:00 p.m.
Aug 24 Devotional at Homestead at 3:00 p.m.
Aug 28 Men’s Fellowship & Bible Study at 6:00 p.m.
Aug 31 5th Sunday Fellowship following services
Aug 31 Devotional at Homestead at 3:00 p.m.

DEVOTIONALS AT HOMESTEAD
We are in charge of the devotionals this month at Homestead Assisted Living, 500 N. Plum. Devotionals are every Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Please make time to come.

WEDDING SHOWER
There is a wedding shower planned for John Muhl & Lyndsey Turney Saturday, August 16 at 10:00 a.m. here at the building. They are registered at Target, Walmart and Amazon. Bring a favorite recipe to share. Please RSVP to Brianna at (316) 293-6843.

WEDDING RECEPTION SAVE THE DATE
You’re invited to a wedding reception honoring John Muhl & Lyndsey Turney following their private ceremony Friday, September 19 at 6:30 p.m. The reception will be held at Trigger Guard Banquet Barn, 313 N. Meridian Rd., Wellington, KS. Please RSVP at theknot.com/jlmuhl.

BLESSING BOX MINISTRY
Thank you Church family for your continued support of our Blessing Box ministry! We are in **HIGH NEED** of items! No canned good items at this time. Please bring items that can survive well in the heat. **If you would like to donate money and let someone else shop for you, please see Kendall!**
“For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall Love your neighbor as yourself.””
—Galatians 5:14 ESV

When sadness fills your heart. When tears flow in your eyes.
Always remember three things:
God is with you. Still with you. Always with you.

FELLOWSHIP ROOM USE SCHEDULE
Aug 16—Brianna Turney
Aug 28—Wes LeFlore
Aug 31—5th Sunday Fellowship
Sept 13—Jami Dodds
Sept 14—Jennifer Hines
Oct 26—Jennifer Hines

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK
Back In the Swing of Things

It’s such an interesting thought that people are such creatures of habit. People, as a whole, love routine, love tradition and, deliberately or undeliberately, develop habits.

The summertime is a time for many people that causes a break in the ordinary rhythms of life. People travel more in the summer, kids are out of school and in activities, and families that travel, generally do so in the summer.

So it’s this time of year that we begin to hear the expression, “I’m ready to get back in the swing of things,” meaning that the routines I enjoy have been temporarily unsettled, but now it’s time to settle down again.

What makes these behaviors so interesting to me is that one thing we can rely upon in life is change. We rebel against change by attempting to bend the changes and circumstances of life to our wills. Sometimes this works out alright and sometimes it simply doesn’t.

Biblically speaking, how am I to think about routines and changes? I don’t want to oversimplify the answer, but James 4:14-15 gives us some easy, straightforward, wisdom on the subject:

¹⁴ ...you do not know what your life will be like tomorrow. You are just a vapor that appears for a little while and then vanishes away. ¹⁵ Instead, you ought to say, “If the Lord wills, we will live and also do this or that.”

I think we can all easily see the truth of the statement that we do not know what our life will be like tomorrow. We’ve all lived long enough to understand that our days may be predictable, but we’ve also lived enough days to remember the ones that weren’t predictable at all. James also inserts the reminder of the brevity of life, which is always a good reminder to help us keep proper perspective.

But then comes the answer. We ought to say, “If the Lord wills, we will live and also do this or that.” In other words, it’s okay to make plans in life, but not without considering that the Lord is our master and has the right to change our plans. If you know Him and trust Him and love Him, this teaching is far easier to accept.

So I encourage you to seek Him more, get to know Him, learn to trust Him and love Him back. The changes in life will come whether you follow Jesus or not, but they are certainly easier to weather with Him than without Him.

Much love!

Wes LeFlore (918) 607-8489 or huskerwes1@gmail.com

FAMILY NEWS
Jarrold Kline—had successful kidney stone surgery. He is doing well. Keep him in prayer.

Prayer List: Carolyn Kelley, Cody Martin, Jarrod Kline, Harry Ricke, Jenkins Family, Chuck Cole, Brian May, Dianne Jeans, Marilyn Bartlow, Gary Bodine, Bob & Beth Brownlee, Richard War-tick, Kylie Lock

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION AUGUST 31
We are coming together to support Ryan & Kaylee Jenkins during a special time in their lives. They are expecting twin baby girls, which is exciting news! However, their joy turned to sadness when they learned that one of their babies, Baker Rae, has been diagnosed with Trisomy 18. Unfortunately babies with Trisomy 18 don’t live long past birth, if they make it to delivery at all. With this news comes unknown medical expenses and other expenses they aren’t expecting. This news has been really tough for them and we want to show our support by doing a special contribution, Sunday, August 31. The Elders would like to collect at least \$5000. It is important for friends and family to rally around them and offer them help, encouragement, and especially prayers.

CHILDREN’S CHURCH SCHEDULE
August
Aug 10—Linda Wartick Aug 17—**Need Volunteer!**
Aug 24—Darlene Cooney Aug 31—**Need Volunteer!**
If you can volunteer, please see Darlene Cooney!

CHILDREN’S CORNER
Like the queen was amazed by the wisdom God gave King Solomon, people were amazed by Jesus’ teaching. Jesus is God’s Son. He taught with power because He is the King of everything. Jesus came to earth to show us how to live and to save us by dying and coming back to life. Our Theme for Children’s & Teens Bible Classes for August is “King Solomon” Here is a peek at this month’s lessons, the Big Picture Question and Bible Verse.

Aug 10—Solomon Built the Temple (I Kings 6-8)
Aug 17—Solomon Thought about Life (Ecclesiastes 1)
Aug 24—The Queen of Sheba Visited Solomon (I Kings 10)
Aug 31—Wisdom of God’s People (Proverbs 1; 3-4)

Big Picture Question: Q: What does God know?
A: God knows everything.

“Be not wise in your own eyes; fear the Lord, and turn away from evil.”
—Proverbs 3:7

If you are visiting today, welcome!
We are glad that you have joined us in worshipping our God.

Outline:

Leaders Have _____

Leaders Are _____

Leaders Are _____ & _____

Notes:

<u>SUNDAY, 10:30 AM</u>	<u>Aug 10</u>	<u>Aug 17</u>	<u>Aug 24</u>	<u>Aug 31</u>
<u>Opening Prayer</u>	N. Bradbury	L. Lewis	A. Shields	K. Dodds
<u>Song Leader</u>	T. Norris	T. Norris	T. Norris	T. Norris
<u>Communion Talk</u>				
<u>& Prayer</u>	D. Pierce	K. Dodds	L. Turney	J. DeJarnett
<u>Contribution Prayer.</u>	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	E. Newberry
<u>Collection & Count</u>	C. Francisco	C. Francisco	C. Francisco	C. Francisco
<u>Greeters</u>				
	A. Hines P. Rayl	J. Church Lynette T.	T. Hudspeth Jill D.	D. Carroll P. Dodds
<u>AV Sermon</u>	P. Dodds	B. Pettegrew	A. Hines	J. Cole
<u>Closing Prayer</u>	T. Norris	T. Norris	T. Norris	T. Norris
<u>Deacon in Charge</u>	K. Dodds	K. Dodds	K. Dodds	K. Dodds

<u>Attendance:</u>	<u>Sunday, Aug 3</u>	<u>Wednesday, Aug 6</u>
Children's Classes.....	3622
Adult Class.....	2624
Worship.....	87	Total.....46
Children's Church.....	08	

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ELDERS

Nathan Bradbury
Rex Harris
Tom Norris

DEACONS

Kevin Dodds	Aaron Hines
Leroy Lewis	David Pierce
Wade Pierce	

MINISTER

Wes LeFlore

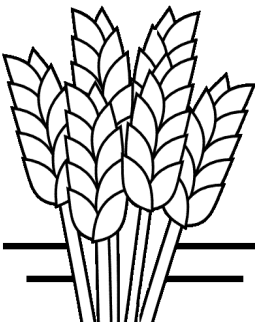
SCHEDULE OF SERVICE

Sunday
Bible Classes.....9:30 a.m.
Worship.....10:30 a.m.

Wednesday
Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 10, 2025

Call to Worship—Wes LeFlore

Song Leader—Tom Norris

Song #517 “Heaven Came Down”

Song #797 “Lord, We Come Before Thee Now”

Prayer—Nathan Bradbury

Song #113 “His Grace Reaches Me”

Communion Prayers—David Pierce

Contribution Prayer—Ed Newberry/Chad Francisco & Collection

Song #129 “Amazing Grace”

Lesson—Wes LeFlore

Song #276 “Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus”

Prayer—Tom Norris

Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children's Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the fellowship room for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.