

Church of God Big Sandy
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July 13, 2024 • 1:00 p.m. • Sunset 8:28

Bible studies

Interactive study–1:00 p.m.	Dave Havir
Presentation study–2:00	Dave Havir
	(also transmitted live)

Order of service–3:00 p.m.

Song leader	Reg Killingley
Pianist	Bea Gusner
Scripture reading	Acts 6:7-15
Sermon	Daniel Hammons

Quick takes

1. Every Wednesday – Bible study at 7:00 p.m.
2. Sunday, July 14 – Dominos in the building at 11:00 a.m. and/or 3:30 p.m.
3. Monday, July 15 – Senior citizen meal and presentation (“Medicare Fraud”) at the Heritage Center from 6:00-8:00 p.m.
4. Monday, July 22 – Grief counseling at the Heritage Center from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
5. Friday, July 26 – Senior crafts and games at the Heritage Center from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
6. Sunday, August 4 – Summer senior luncheon at United Church of God at noon. (Mandi Mischnick requested an RSVP by July 21. The RSVP information is on the bulletin board.)
7. Edifying the Body–This week’s article is “Bank of Israel Remains Uncertain About Potential CBDC” by Karen Webster.
8. Among Friends–This week’s article is “Book of Revelation–Part 2” by Dave Havir.
9. Eye on the World–274 headlines
10. Please remember to pray for the following people who are not able to regularly attend our church service.

• Mickey Ashcraft	• Ronnie Shirley
• Judy Biggs	• Elaine Townsend
• Angela Dunnam	• Mickey Voyce
• Timberly Dunnam	• Donna Weese
• Ruth Roe	

Prayer updates

In the June 15 bulletin, we mentioned that **Gary Wilson** was going again to Metairie, La. to receive additional hyperbaric therapy. He is scheduled to return home next Friday and is looking forward to seeing his friends at our church service.

In last week's bulletin, we mentioned that **Melodee Eishen** had an immediate positive reaction to her surgery on Friday, July 5. However, she began to encounter a few difficult days with pain, nausea and violent vomiting. She began feeling better on Monday and returned home on Wednesday.

In last week's bulletin, we mentioned that **Timberly Dunnam** had an MRI and is expecting to find out the results of the test on July 18. We heard about another trial that she deals with – she has developed many allergies, so the family is looking to talk with a specialist in Dallas about the matter. She would appreciate your prayers.

In last week's bulletin, we mentioned that **Angela Dunnam** had hurt her knee while being stung 14 times by wasps and that she was hoping to see an orthopedic surgeon. She has temporarily postponed her treatment to focus upon the needs of **Timberly**.

On Tuesday, **Dixon Cartwright** had his surgery to receive an enhanced stent in his neck. After the surgery, he was experiencing low blood pressure and a low heart rate. The doctor recommended for Mr. Cartwright to receive a pacemaker – which was inserted on Friday morning.

In last week's bulletin, we mentioned that **Randy Searer** of Kalmath Falls, Oregon (brother of **Mark Searer**) had surgery after being diagnosed with an abscess of his colon (causing leakage into his lower intestine) and the surgeon inserted a stent into the abscess for draining. (The doctor placed him on a ventilator. On Monday, his wife **Kristy** reported: "Randy is better today. He is talking clearly now and he was able to stand up and sit in a chair for the first time in six days. We are so thankful for everyone's prayers."

New prayer requests

On Monday, **Vonda Ouellette** (who lives in Houston, but was in the Dallas area to avoid Hurricane Beryl) fell and went to an ER. She was diagnosed with no breaks or bruising, but she did have some muscle strain. Her local children (**Theresa McLearn** and **Jerry Thompson**) were hoping to arrange for her to have rehab in the Tyler area. It appears that she will have rehab for 10 days at Mother Cristus on Troup Highway.

On Tuesday, **Angela Dunnam** requested prayers for her mother **Shirley Holcomb**: "Mom has congestive heart failure, COPD and Stage 4 kidney failure. Hospice was called in yesterday. Her lungs are filling up again and she refuses all treatment. Hospice is there to make her more comfortable. It's hard on the family – especially the great-grandchildren who are 12 and 10 years old. My brother is taking it hard – since they have always been real close. Our family appreciates prayers at this time." On Thursday, Mrs. Dunnam sent the following note to **Dave Havir**: "I wanted to share something with you that my mom said today. She asked if I had put her our prayer list at church. I said: 'Yes ma'am I did.' She said: 'Good. There sure are a bunch of you out there.' Mom meant that in a good way."

Daniel and **Patti Carter** request prayers for **John Bosquett** (their primary doctor for 30 years), who has an undisclosed medical issue that is causing him to take an extended leave of absence.

Danny Francis of Oklahoma requests prayers for his 87-year-old mother (**Joy Francis** also from Oklahoma). Mrs. Francis is dealing with weakness from a UTI infection. Mr. Francis reported: "She is home from rehab, but is too weak to stand, let alone walk."

Michelle Swisher of Florida, was involved in a car accident. Although she survived, she is heavily sedated and on life support.

Joe Schmitz of Bellechester, Minnesota, had two stents placed in his heart.