

ANGELS
Who They Are
and How They Help
Wednesday Evenings
at 6:00 PM
beginning September 8, 2021

WATER IN THE PARK
2nd Saturday of every month
Fellowship - Pray - Share God with Our Community
Jaswant Singh Khaira
Neighborhood Park

the avenue
Cornelia Avenue Southern Baptist Church
A great way to start your day...
Friday Morning Live
Prayer and Devotional
Every Friday Morning on
Facebook Live at 6:00am

Weekly Programming Schedule

Sunday	9:00 — 10:00 am	Youth & Children’s Sunday School
	9:00 — 10:00 am	Adult Bible Study Classes
	10:30 — 11:45 am	Worship Service
	12:30 — 3:00 pm	Young Adults & Singles at 6969 W. Olive
Monday	6:00 — 8:00 pm	Adult Small Group 5866 W. Belmont
Tuesday	6:00 — 8:00 pm	Women’s Bible Study at 2303 N Cornelia
Wednesday	6:00 — 7:30 pm	Impact Youth Bible Study
		Kid connect (starting 9/08/2021)
		Adult Bible Study (starting 9/08/2021)
Thursday	6:30 — 8:30 pm	Men’s Accountability Group & Study
Friday	6:00 — 7:00 am	Prayer and Devotional Live on Facebook

Deacons Ministry

Mike Arreola	903-4596	YTD Budget Requirement	\$216,878.08
Mandy Alfonso	349-8748	YTD Budget Actual	215,934.44
Bob Burrus	824-6121	2020 Budget Surplus/Deficit	(\$943.64)
Dennis Oxford	213-6176	Surplus/Deficit Percentage	(0.4%)
Jon Smith	907-3570	2020 Fiscal Budget Giving	\$234,100.73
		2020 Fiscal YTD Difference	(\$18,166.29)
		2020 Fiscal YTD Percentage Change	(7.8%)

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Challenging people of all generations and backgrounds to discover and live a thriving relationship with Jesus Christ.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY – THURSDAY, 9:00am – 3:00pm
If you need to reach someone during a time the office is closed, call 326-4826 to leave a message and someone will call you back as soon as possible.

the avenue message by Pastor David Peugh for Sunday, August 15, 2021

PRAYING THROUGH THE DARKNESS

THE PERSISTENCE OF PRAYING
PART 2

Daniel 10:10-21

¹⁰ Then behold, a hand touched me and set me trembling on my hands and knees. ¹¹ He said to me, “O Daniel, man of high esteem, understand the words that I am about to tell you and stand upright, for I have now been sent to you.” And when he had spoken this word to me, I stood up trembling. ¹² Then he said to me, “Do not be afraid, Daniel, for from the first day that you set your heart on understanding this and on humbling yourself before your God, your words were heard, and I have come in response to your words. ¹³ “But the prince of the kingdom of Persia was withstanding me for twenty-one days; then behold, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me, for I had been left there with the kings of Persia. ¹⁴ “Now I have come to give you an understanding of what will happen to your people in the latter days, for the vision pertains to the days yet future.”

¹⁵ When he had spoken to me according to these words, I turned my face toward the ground and became speechless. ¹⁶ And behold, one who resembled a human being was touching my lips; then I opened my mouth and spoke and said to him who was standing before me, “O my lord, as a result of the vision anguish has come upon me, and I have retained no strength. ¹⁷ “For how can such a servant of my lord talk with such as my lord? As for me, there remains just now no strength in me, nor has any breath been left in me.”

¹⁸ Then this one with human appearance touched me again and strengthened me. ¹⁹ He said, “O man of high esteem, do not be afraid. Peace be with you; take courage and be courageous!” Now as soon as he spoke to me, I received strength and said, “May my lord speak, for you have strengthened me.” ²⁰ Then he said, “Do you understand why I came to you? But I shall now return to fight against the prince of Persia; so I am going forth, and behold, the prince of Greece is about to come. ²¹ “However, I will tell you what is inscribed in the writing of truth. Yet there is no one who stands firmly with me against these forces except Michael your prince.

THE BIBLE TEACHES WE ARE BEING WATCHED BY THOSE WHO ARE UNSEEN TO US.

SEE ALSO: Daniel 4:13, 17, 23; 1 Corinthians 4:9; 11:10; 1 Peter 1:10-12

Why doesn't God answer our prayers immediately?
I. GOD'S ANSWERS ARE OFTEN DELAYED BECAUSE OF _____ (vv. 4-6)

II. GOD'S ANSWERS ARE OFTEN DELAYED BECAUSE OF _____ (vv. 12-14, 20)

SEE ALSO: Psalm 139:4; Revelation 12:7; Matthew 25:41; John 12:31; 14:30
John 16:11; 1 John 5:19; 2 Corinthians 4:4; Ephesians 2:2; 6:12
Luke 4:5-8; John 16:11; Hebrews 2:14

III. OUR _____

SEE ALSO: 2 Corinthians 10:4-5; Ephesians 6:11-19
James 4:2; Exodus 17:8-13

The Bible teaches prayer can be _____ someone
or _____ someone.

The Bible teaches that the battle that rages _____,
that affects what goes on _____, is ultimately
won by _____.

The tool that enforces Satan's Defeat at the Cross
is the tool of _____.

In essence... GOD says, If the church will NOT _____,
then God will NOT _____.

GUESTS AND NEWCOMERS
We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us and hope your experience is both meaningful and fun. We would like a record of your visit with us today. Please complete the Connection Card found inside your bulletin & drop it in the offering as it goes by. Please be sure to include your email address.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES – 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
Children's Kid Connect - for ages Pre-k through 6th Grade
resumes on September 8. For more information contact the church office.




IMPACT! Impact Youth (Jr. & Sr. High) Students in 7th - 12th grade are encouraged to come on Wednesday nights for worship, Bible study and crazy fun!

Pastors Adult Bible Study - ANGELS - Learn to live in the presence of Angels as we study the remarkable truth scripture reveals about these agents of Heaven. Begins September 8, 2021 (Subject to the completing the renovation of the Worship Center.)

WATER IN THE PARK - September 11th, 8:00 AM
Join the CASBC Men's Accountability Group for community outreach: We enjoy a time of fellowship, prayer, and the opportunity to share God's love to those in our community. We meet in the park on the 2nd Saturday of every month and everyone is invited to participate. Jaswant Singh Khalar Neighborhood Park at 3861 W. Clinton Ave. For more information please contact Marvin King 559-271-8915 or 559-416-6516.



 **prayer**
FACEBOOK LIVE PRAYER & DEVOTIONAL – Fridays 6:00 AM
A great way to start your Friday, praying for others. Each week Pastor David goes live on Facebook to pray and deliver a devotion, to and for all. Everyone is encouraged to come and pray with us every Friday morning.

DO YOU NEED PRAYER OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO DOES?
Our prayer room is available from 10:00 - 10:45am every Sunday in the room off of the church foyer next to the bathrooms. Everyone is invited to come pray for their needs, their friends & family, and those who are hurting and lost. Feel free to come in and ask for a prayer team member to pray with you. God answers prayer.

 **Have you joined...
a Small Group?**
**Here are your opportunities...
...to grow:**

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY ACCOUNTABILITY GROUP
Thursdays 6:30 PM
The Bible is clear: Men Grow in Christ through Bible Study, prayer, and accountability to one another. This is a time for men of all ages to fellowship through bible study while bonding as men of God and learning to trust and be accountable to each other. For more information, please call Marvin King at 271-8915.

WEEKDAY GROUPS
ADULT SMALL GROUP – MONDAYS AT 6:00pm, Charlene Stacy (559)259-5689
WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY – TUESDAYS AT 6:00pm, Debbi Peugh (559) 326-4827
MEN'S BIBLE STUDY – THURSDAYS AT 6:30pm, Marvin King (559) 271-8915

SUNDAY GROUPS
ADULT BIBLE STUDY, Mike Arreola – 9:00am, fellowship hall
ADULT BIBLE STUDY, Beth Ketcheside – 9:00am, fellowship hall
YOUNG ADULTS & SINGLES, 12:30pm, 6969 W. Olive Ave



CALENDAR OF EVENTS			
August 27	7:00 – 9:30 pm	Youth Potluck	
September 8	6:00 – 7:30 pm	Adult Bible Study and Children's Programming Resume (Subject to Worship Center Renovation Completion)	
September 11	8:00 – 11:00 am	Water in the Park	