



Cornerstone

Life: God's Way *Church*

*jump in*  
*Baptism Sunday*



## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**Cornerstone Church  
Arlington, TX  
September 14, 2025**

**10:00AM SERVICE**

### **Cornerstone's Vision:**

Developing living stones inwardly, outwardly, and corporately, making disciples who make disciples for Kingdom life God's way.

### **Welcome To Cornerstone!**

Thank you for joining us today. We count it an honor to have you worship in your homes with us. If you are watching us for the first time, please send us an email to [connect@cbcarlington.org](mailto:connect@cbcarlington.org) and let us know you watched. Our staff will respond to you and assist you with any questions you may have. Thank you for visiting us today!  
~ Dr. & Mrs. Wm. Dwight McKissic, Sr.



### **Bereavement Reports**

**Jewell Powell, Jr.**     **Claudette Crockett**

*Husband of:* Cininni Powell  
702 Champion Way  
Mansfield, TX 76063

*Aunt of:*  
Joyce (Rickey) Wilson  
6125 Country Hill Ct.  
Forth Worth, TX 76140

*Father of:*  
Kumaras Powell, Krsna  
Powell, & Kyrana Powell

### **Sick/Hospital Report**

**Hoyt Ferguson**

*Husband of:* Michelle Ferguson  
501 Neils Court, Arlington, TX 76002

**WE ARE**  
*Praying*  
**FOR YOU**

**MONDAY – FRIDAY**

**PRAYER CALL**

**6AM – 7AM**

**(240) 220-5809**

**NO CHARGES WHEN USING A CELL  
PHONE. LANDLINES MAY INCUR A FEE.**





## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES



### CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

AWANA stands for Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed and we need some workmen willing to volunteer to work with our children on Wednesday nights. We also need volunteers to work with our Children's Ministry on Sunday mornings. Contact Nyjha Andrews at [nandrews@cbcarlington.org](mailto:nandrews@cbcarlington.org) for the areas of service needed and all the details.

### Volunteer Facilitator Is Needed For GRIEF SHARE®

A GriefShare facilitator is needed to lead a GriefShare support group for individuals experiencing grief. The facilitator's role involves creating a safe and supportive space for participants to share their experiences, guiding discussions based on the GriefShare curriculum, and offering encouragement and compassion. Contact Rev. Cecil Cornelius in the church office at 817.468.0083 for more information.

**JOIN OUR TEAM TODAY**



## youth SPEAKER'S MINISTRY

Attention Cornerstone parents and high school students in grades 10–12! It's time to join the Speaker's Ministry—a powerful opportunity for youth to develop their skills in writing and delivering impactful speeches grounded in personal experiences and God's Word. Participants will also have the chance to compete at regional events and even earn scholarships. To register, simply text speakers25 to 817-468-0083.

**Volunteers Needed:** The Speaker's Ministry is seeking dedicated volunteers to support and mentor our youth. Individuals with experience in writing, public speaking, or a strong passion for working with young people are encouraged to participate. Your involvement will play a meaningful role in equipping the next generation with confidence and communication skills rooted in God's Word. Please email [pwilson@cbcarlington.org](mailto:pwilson@cbcarlington.org) for more information.



# Anniversary Mass Choir Rehearsals

September 25  
October 2  
7pm

## LET'S BE...

### Ladies Pajama Party Sleepover

September 26-27


Held at Cornerstone - \$30pp  
Scan The QR Code To Register



Authentic  
Loving  
Joyful  
Kind  
Worshipful  
Prayerful  
Brave  
Christ-Like  
Bold  
Strong  
Confident  
Women of God!

Grab your air mattress, PJs, and come out for an overnight party with breakout sessions, craft activities, community outreach Saturday morning, food, and much more! Register today!





# **YOUTH CHOIR**

## *Rehearsal*

### **WEDNESDAYS**

**@ 6PM IN CHOIR SUITE**

Grades 6th-12th



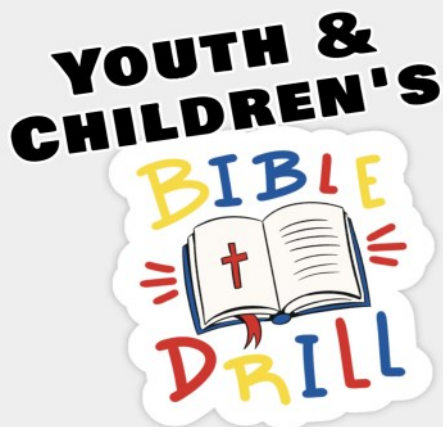
## *Join Our*

### **Children's Choir Rehearsals**

For Children in Grades K-5th

## **REHEARSAL DAYS**

**WEDNESDAYS @ 6PM**



Have you heard about Bible Drill for our youth and children? It's a life-changing ministry that helps them learn and memorize Scriptures and they compete with other churches. The verses they remember will stay with them for a lifetime. Bible Drill meets every 1st and 3rd Sundays at 3pm. We encourage you to sign your 4th – 9th grade students up.

# **YOUTH PRAISE DANCE**



Let them  
praise  
**HIS** name  
with  
dancing  
Psalms 149:3

Calling all girls in grades 6-12 who want to participate in praise dance - JOIN US!!!  
Rehearsal/meeting dates are the 1st and 3rd Sundays from 12pm - 2pm in the MPR in Building B.



# Awana Clubs

Because Kids Matter to God

Awana  
**Sparkies**

Awana Clubs  
**Piggles**

## Approved Workmen Are Not Ashamed

Register your children 6th grade and under now by texting AWANA26 to 817.468.0083.



Awana Clubs  
**Cubbies**

# Children & Youth

Our Youth & Children Usher ministry starts back Saturday, September 20th with a special practice time of 10:00am-11:30am. Anyone interested in participating must be in the 1st through 12th grade. Regular practices are on the 3rd Saturday of each month from 10am-11am in the sanctuary, and the youth & children serve on the 3rd Sunday of each month. If you're interested text "jrusher" to 817.468.0083.

## Usher Ministry





## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**WE ARE  
HIRING  
NOW!**



### **Position Available** ★ Nursery Worker

We are currently seeking nursery workers for Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. You must be 18 years old and up to apply for this position. The rate is \$10 per hour. For more information or to apply contact Veronica Griffith @vgriffith@cbcarlington.org.

## **SOD & DOD Registration Now Open**

Registration for the 2025-2026 year of Sons of Daniel and Daughters of Deborah is now open! This is for any child in grades 4-12 and it's absolutely FREE to participate. Sessions are held on the 2nd and 4th Sundays from 5-7pm beginning September 14th. Don't let your youth or grandchildren miss this opportunity to grow, learn, develop life-long friendships, and experience new adventures. Text the word SOD26 for the boys and DOD26 for the girls to 817.468.0083.

Come and find your place to serve!



# **Ministry Fest 2025**

This event is for members to get to know what ministries we offer and to participate in one or more of them. Come and be apart of the growing ministries at Cornerstone!

**AUGUST 31**

**SEPTEMBER 7**

**SEPTEMBER 14**



# NEXTGEN

# AWE

Lord, I am filled with awe!

*Habakkuk 3:2*

## SEE YOU AT THE POLE

GLOBAL DAY OF STUDENT-LED PRAYER

SEPT | 24

## “SEE YOU AT THE FLAGPOLE SERVICE”

SEPTEMBER 21 @ 10AM

We're having a NextGen “See You At The Flag Pole Service” where children and youth will run the service and make commitments to host or participate in a prayer gathering around their school flag pole on Wednesday, September 24th. Parents we need your support to encourage your children to participate. Contact Minister O'Rourke for more information.

You don't want to miss that Sunday. There will be activities for the youth and children after service, while the adults are in the Annual Church Conference. Where your favorite school shirt that Sunday!!!

Gentlemen, there's a  
new men's study being  
offered just for you!

## MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays  
@ 7pm

Twelve Facets of the  
Complete Christian Life

What does a real relationship with God look like? What is the biblical vision of true spiritual life? How do we grow in spiritual maturity? How we answer these questions influences the health, potency, and witness of Christians in an increasingly complex and hostile world. Using Kenneth Boa's *Conformed to His Image* as the main resource, this class seeks to answer these questions with clarity and insight, offering a comprehensive, balanced, and applicable guide to spiritual growth.

Open to men 18 and up, this class will give men both inside and outside of Cornerstone the opportunity to analyze their spiritual state with biblical, and relational resources, to help them grow into the godly man they've always wanted to be.

This class takes place every Tuesday at 7pm in the Conference Room. Sign up under the UTC class roster. Pastor Al and Pastor JP can't wait to see you!



**SAVE THE DATE FOR**

**A NIGHT OF  
LIGHTS**

**FRIDAY • OCTOBER 31  
7PM-9:30PM**

**FALL FESTIVAL 2025**

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO DECORATE THEIR CARS FOR TRUNK FEST AND HOST A GLOW PARTY GAME AT YOUR CAR. WE WILL SUPPLY THE CANDY AND A GAME IF YOU NEED ONE. WE ALSO NEED A FEW VOLUNTEERS TO OPERATE SOME GAME STATIONS WITHOUT CARS AND THE CHECK-IN STATION.

**DIVORCE** *Care*<sup>®</sup>  
&  
**GRIEF**  **SHARE**<sup>®</sup>

**Griefshare and Divorce Care are  
Sundays at 1pm. Go to  
[www.cbcarlington.org](http://www.cbcarlington.org) for more details.**



Save The Date

# Church Picnic

October 18

Games/Food/Fun

Detailed information  
coming soon!



## DivorceCare for Kids

DC4K is a support group for children age 5 to 12 living in fractured families, without both parents. Children are taught effective coping skills in their journey and are pointed to Jesus. The 11-week cycle is from September 8 to November 24 on Mondays from 6pm to 7:30pm. Space is limited to 10-12. Scan the qr code to register for DC4K!





## MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

### *So You Think You Know Scripture*

3 CHURCHES COMPETE  
ONLY 1 COME OUT VICTORIES

SATURDAY, SEPT 20th

**ENTRY FEE: \$10**

**GAME STARTS AT 7:00**

3732 MILLER AVE, FT. WORTH

More Information:

CONTACT MICHAEL HALL

817-707-7623

### *Annual* **CHURCH** CONFERENCE September 21

**After Church**

Save the date of September 21st and make plans to join us for our annual church conference following service. We will vote on the 2025-2026 budget and hear the ministry review of this past year. You must be a member to participate in the meeting. Text the word "vote" to get the zoom link. You can pick up a copy of the budget to review at the Connection.

*Join us for*

**WEDNESDAYS @ 7PM**

# UTC



## *Bible*

## STUDY CLASSES

UTC is the University of Transformation at Cornerstone  
- where we study God's Word, learn the spiritual  
disciplines to grow closer to Christ, and apply His truths  
to transform our daily lives.



# U.T.C.



UTC is the University of Transformation at Cornerstone - where we study God's Word, learn the spiritual disciplines to grow closer to Christ, and apply His truths to transform our daily lives.

Below are the course descriptions and fees (if any) for each class being offered for the 2025 Fall Semester. Classes are Wednesday nights at 7pm.

## **Make Jesus Personal To Your Life - Studying The "I AM" Statements of Christ**

**Veronica Griffith, Instructor**

**Book Fee \$8**

Light. Bread. Shepherd. Life. Door. Vine. The Gospel of John uses these words to paint a picture of who Jesus is. Through the I AM statements Jesus describes Himself with rich images, showing us that He is both fully human and fully Divine and calling us as His followers.

In this study you will discover how these words point beyond themselves to the deep mystery of Jesus Christ. You will also find your own story inside these powerful declarations, illuminating a Jesus we've always known but perhaps never fully embraced. As you complete this study of Jesus' words, you will be encouraged and blessed by HIS enduring love and ongoing provision for HIS children, for HE is the great I AM.

## **Next-Level Spiritual Warfare: Advanced Strategies for Defeating the Enemy**

**Rosie Pea, Instructor**

**Book Fee \$8**

Does it seem as though your prayers aren't being answered? Even after praying fervently, do you feel that God isn't listening, that God isn't speaking or acting? Most of us have felt this way. Are there tools and strategies we can implement to break through the barriers? Keying in on two vital areas of spiritual warfare—restoration and retribution—this study will reveal strategies for engaging heaven with the expectation of answers to your prayers.

## **Developing Inner Strength**

**Vera McKissic & Carolyn Thornton, Instructors**

**Book Fee \$7**

*Are you lonely or anxious? Do you feel burned-out and exhausted with life?* In *Developing Inner Strength*, you will look first at Scripture, and then at yourself. You will be led through a variety of emotional issues—including fear, brokenness, abuse, guilt, and frustration—and learn what the Bible has to say about gaining victory over those areas of your life. Best of all, you will learn that God's Holy Spirit is available to you—every day, in every situation—to bring you the peace and joy of God.

## **The 4 Seasons of Marriage**

**Jermont & Mitchiko Jackson, Instructors**

**Fee \$12**

"Every marriage is still in process." In *The Four Seasons of Marriage*, you will discover how marriages commonly move from one season to another – from summer to fall or perhaps from winter to spring. This study teaches that marriages are perpetually in a state of transition, continually moving from one season to another – perhaps not annually, as in nature, but just as certainly and consistently. The cycle repeats itself many times throughout the life of a marriage. After analyzing each marriage season, you will discover the "seven strategies to enhance the seasons of your marriage."

## **What Is The Gospel? - The Gospel That Jesus Preached**

**Rev. JP Wilson, Instructor**

**No Fee**

This class will show you how understanding The Gospel that Jesus preached helps us proclaim The Gospel today. "Jesus came into Galilee, preaching The GOSPEL of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in The GOSPEL." (Mark 1:14-15)

There will be ten lessons covered:

Introduction to The Gospel (In 10 Words) and the Heartbeat of God, God, Redemption, Plan, Impact, Mankind, Kingdom, Agenda, Commitment to the Heartbeat of God, Review- The Gospel (Discussion & Prayer)



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### **This Is Your Story**

**Dale Jenkins & LeKeisha Dawkins, Instructors**

**No Fee**

A workshop designed to assist participants write and tell a testimony about their walk with God. Our greatest witness is our own story of how Christ has impacted our lives. Every Christian has a story to tell but many don't know how to tell it or have spent little time thinking about how to verbalize what Christ has done in their life. We often say, "Christ has changed my life" and if we ask Christians, the question, "have you experienced the power of the Holy Spirit in your life?", most will reply with a confident "yes". But what happens when we go a step further and ask how or when? So often, we stumble over providing the details. We stumble, not because we don't have the experiences with Christ, but because we have not prepared ourselves to articulate our own story. In this workshop you will be guided through the process of writing and telling a testimony about your relationship with Christ. The testimony may be about your salvation and how you came to know Christ, it may be about an experience you encountered with the Holy Spirit or about a change in your life because of your faith in Christ.

### **How To Study The Bible**

**Rev. Cecil Cornelius, Instructor**

**No Fee**

Have you ever felt like you wanted to know more about the Bible but you didn't know where to start? How to study the Bible is something every growing disciple needs to know to develop a more intimate relationship with Christ. Rev. Cornelius will walk you through some steps to help you grow more comfortable in reading and studying the Bible for yourself.

### **College & Career Class**

**College & Career Instruction Team**

**No Fee**

Do you find reading the Bible intimidating? Do you want help in understanding what the text is saying? Join the community of young people as they seek to better understand God's Word. This a study and fellowship time for college and career young adults. Wednesday nights at 7pm.

### **Embrace Grace**

**Erica K. Perry, Instructor**

**No Fee**

An unexpected pregnancy can be scary says Amy Ford, the author of Embrace Grace. Embrace Grace is a twelve-week session with video teachings, discussions and a study guide to compliment the teachings each week to help the expectant mother find the hope and support she needs to be brave and strong as she carries her baby to term. This group meets at 6pm and not 7pm each Wednesday.

### **Twelve Facets of the Complete Christian Life**

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### **Youth Bible Study**

**Xavier O'Rourke and The Teaching Team, Instructors**

**No Fee**

Wednesday Nights at 7pm our youth will meet with their own Bible study.

Our youth ministry is for students in 7 - 12 grades.

This semester the youth will study a series designed to help students deepen their relationship with God.

### **AWANA for Kids**

**AWANA Teaching Team, Instructors**

Wednesday Nights at 7pm our CHILDREN will meet with their own Bible study and activities in the MPR - Building B. To register your child for AWANA, please text AWANA26 to 817.468.0083 and complete the form on that text link. There is no need to register for this group on this form.

AWANA—This Bible based ministry is for children three years of age to sixth grade. Weekly they are challenged to memorize





# Celebrating 42 Years of Ministry

We will be celebrating our 42nd Church Anniversary along with our Pastor & Wife's 42nd Church Anniversary October 5th. Come dress in your Sunday's best attire. There will be photo opts available and a popcorn bar after service. We will also shower a love gift on our Pastor and First Lady so pray now on the gift amount you will present.

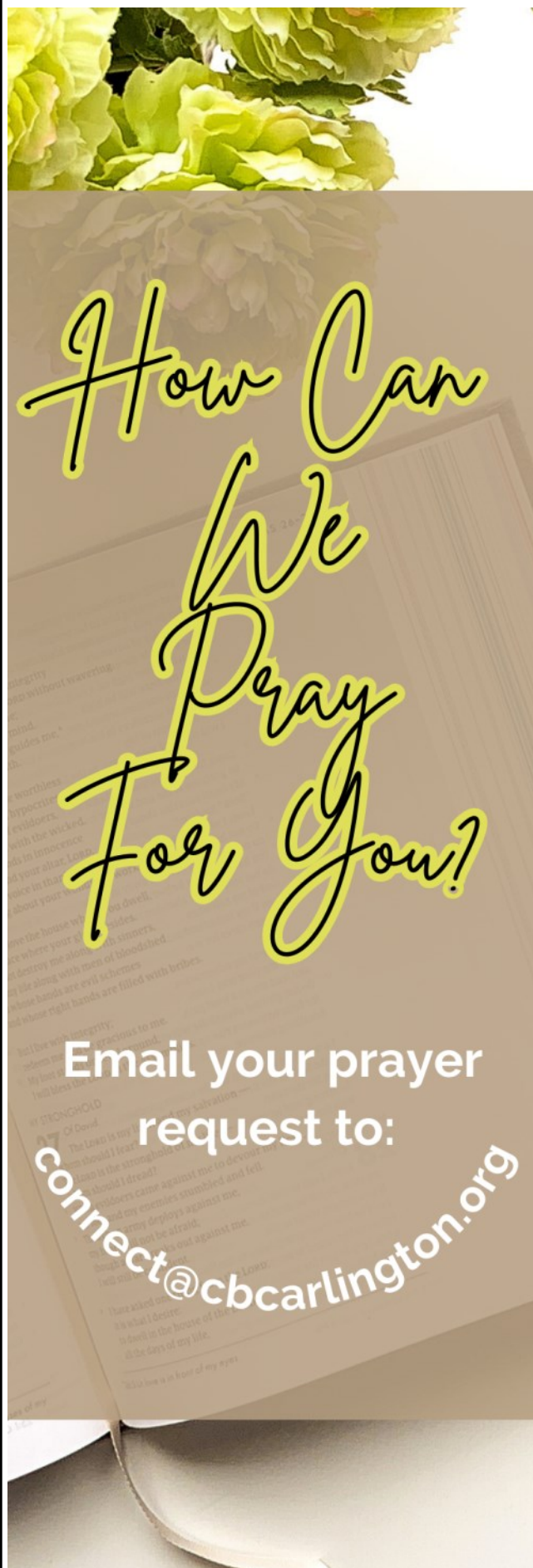


## Noon Day Prayer & Devotion

**Monday - Friday**  
**Live From 12noon - 12:15pm**

Anyone Can Participate Via Zoom Meeting ID at Meeting ID: 491 440 810  
or by phone at 1.346.248.7799 and use the Meeting ID: 491 440 810.

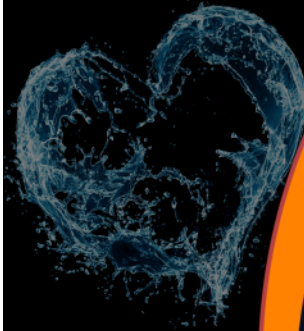




*How Can We Pray For You?*

Email your prayer request to:  
[connect@cbcarlington.org](mailto:connect@cbcarlington.org)

# CHURCH BAPTISMS



*2nd Sundays  
During the  
10AM Service*

**CALL THE CHURCH  
FOR DETAILS**

**817.468.0083**

MONTHLY

## PRE-MEMBERS *Class*



EVERY 3RD SATURDAY  
9AM VIA Zoom

Text "MEMBER" to 817.468.0083

If you would like to be a member of Cornerstone and complete the class, text "member" to 817.468.0083 to get the details and complete the membership process.





## WAYS TO GIVE



PHONE

TEXT TO GIVE  
TEXT ANY AMOUNT TO  
817-755-5777



IN-PERSON  
TITHING ENVELOPE

PLACE IN THE  
TITHE BUCKET



MAIL

5415 MATLOCK RD.  
ARLINGTON, TX 76018



ONLINE

GO TO  
CBCARLINGTON.ORG



CASH APP

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Text to give your tithes or offering by texting the word “give” and any dollar amount to 817-755-5777. The first time you text any amount, you will have to set up your account through the company, but after that you will only need to include the word give and your giving amount in the text. If you would like to give towards paying off the church mortgage, put the code loan after a space behind your giving amount.

## Men and Women Saturday Morning Prayer Calls Are Open To Everyone

We host Saturday morning prayer calls each Saturday from 7am - 8am for men and women of all ages. Use the numbers listed below to join the calls:

### Men

Call In # - 425.436.6323  
Access Code: 714574

### Women

Call In # - 909.318.7965  
No Access Code

Please remember to **MUTE** your call unless you are talking at that moment. Thank you.



**PRAYER CALL  
SATURDAY MORNINGS**

Cornerstone Baptist Church \* 5415 Matlock Rd. \* Arlington, TX 76018 \* Phone: 817.468.0083 \* Fax: 817.468.0309  
Cornerstone Academy \* [www.cornerstoneacademytx.org](http://www.cornerstoneacademytx.org) \* Phone: 817.375.2235 \* Fax: 817.472.7816  
Web: [www.cbcarlinton.org](http://www.cbcarlinton.org) \* E-mail: [cornerstone@cbcarlinton.org](mailto:cornerstone@cbcarlinton.org) FB/TW/IG @CornerstoneTX