
PAISANO 2026

"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth." Psalm 121:1-2

Program Schedule

Sunday, July 19

Morning Worship Service in Area Towns OR

- 10:30 Informal Worship led by Bruce Lampert
(Tabernacle)
- Noon Registration Begins
- 5:00 Adult Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00 Supper (First Meal Served)
- 7:15 Children (Grades 1-6) Meet at Tabernacle; Will
walk as group to Edwards Activities Building
Birth-3, Nursery
Age 4-Kindergarten, Children's Building
- 7:30 Bell Ringing and Evening Worship

Monday-Thursday, July 20-23

- 7:00-8:00 Breakfast
- 8:00-8:30 Men's Prayer Meeting (Frost House of Prayer)
- 8:30-noon Nursery (Birth-3 years old)
Preschool (Ages 4-Kindergarten, Children's Bldg.)
- 8:45-noon Children's Day Camp (Grades 1-6, Day Camp area)
Youth Activities and Worship
(Grades 7-12, Edwards Activities Building)
- 8:45-9:30 Missions Focus (Tabernacle)
Family Time (Tabernacle 5)
- 9:45-10:45 Adult Bible Study
Young Adult Bible Study (Frost House of Prayer)
- 11:00 Morning Worship
- Lunch
- 2:00-6:00 Free Time/Organized Recreation (Edwards Bldg.)
Sign-up begins Monday afternoon
Monday – No Organized Activities
Tuesday – Volleyball (at least 1 male/1 female)
Wednesday – 3-on-3 Basketball; Foot/Bike Races
Thursday – Dodge Ball (Multigenerational); Disc
Golf Tournament (All Ages)
- 1:30-7:00 Museum Open
- 4:00 Grief Support Group (Frost House of Prayer)
- 5:00 Adult Choir Rehearsal
- 6:00 Supper
- 7:15 Children's Church for Grades 1-6 (Mon/Tues/Thurs)
Edwards Activities Building
Birth-3, Nursery
Age 4-Kindergarten, Children's Bldg (Mon/Tues/Thu)
- 7:30 Evening Worship (Wed Family Worship)
Museum Open after Worship until 9:15
- 11:00 Lights Out

Volunteers Needed: Sign up in the office to volunteer for the office or Gift Shop or drop by the Museum when open to help.

Friday, July 24

- 7:00-8:00 Breakfast
- 8:00-8:30 Men's Prayer Meeting
- 8:30 – Noon Nursery (Birth-3 years old)
Preschool (Ages 4-Kindergarten)
- 8:45-noon Children's Day Camp
Youth Activities and Worship
- 8:45-9:30 Missions Focus and Family Time
- 9:45-10:45 Adult Bible Study
- 11:00 Memorial Service and Morning Worship
- Lunch (Last Meal Served)

Tuesday

2:00-4:00 Museum Open House

Wednesday

2:00 Board Meeting (open), Tabernacle
7:30 All-Paisano Worship Service
with Children's Choir (Nursery Only)

Thursday

4:00 Baptism (tentative)
7:30 Worship Service and Communion

Office Hours

8:00-10:00 am M-F; 1:00-5:00 pm M-Th

Concession Stand Hours

8:30-10 am, 12:30-5:30, 6:30-7:15, 8:15-10:30 pm

Gift Shop Hours

After evening worship, Sunday-Wednesday
After lunch, Monday-Friday

Program Personnel

Kelly & Karen Barnett, Family Time, Grief Support
Dan Baker, Music and Worship Leader
Howie Batson, Preacher
Paul Bright & Russel Gunstream, Piano & Organ
Vela Edwards, Missions Speaker (Wed)
John Elliott, Day Camp and Recreation
Sydney Gill & Evan Shannon, College
Pam & Dib Hampton, Missions Speakers (Mon/Thurs)
Rachel Lane, Children's Choir
Brady Lock and Sul Ross BSM Students, Youth
Marco Mavromaras, Physician
Elsie Morales, Preschool
Cobi & Judd Porter, Missions Speakers (Tues/Fri)
Bryan Ritchie, Paisano Superintendent
Holly Hillman Smith, Children's Church
Matt Snowden, Preacher
Alex Wagner, Nurse
Steve Wells, Bible Study Teacher

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You keep coming back to Paisano!
Future General Encampments

July 19-24, 2026
July 18-23, 2027
July 16-21, 2028
July 22-27, 2029

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For those using GPS technology, Paisano's coordinates are 30.29234,-103.7975. The physical address also works with some map programs. 91872 US Hwy 90 Alpine, Texas 79831

*"Now as the people go their many scattered ways,
May the blessings of God,
Bright like the light when the morning dawneth,
And soft as the dew when the evening falleth,
Rest and abide with them now and forevermore." Amen*
George W. Truett's Paisano Benediction