

## **THIS WEEK**

### December Worship Schedule

**December 21 – All Together Family Christmas Acappella Worship at 10:00 am - classes WILL meet at 9:00 am**

**December 24 – Christmas Eve Instrumental Service, 5:00 pm**

**December 28 – Two Services at 10:00 am, classes will NOT meet**

**December 31 – No in person Peak of the Week service**

### Tis the Season to Bless Others

#### **WFR Angel Tree**

Every year our forever family pulls together to provide for children in need. We are so grateful for your assistance and participation as we show love to all God's children. We will continue to have a physical tree in the foyer if you prefer that! But if you shop on Amazon, the following link will bring you to a list of needs, and it will continue to be updated throughout the season. Thank you for being a blessing!

[https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/S0HER4EBKCJ6?ref\\_=cm\\_sw\\_r\\_cp\\_ud\\_ggr-subnav-share\\_GFP5688ZXHAQQAQJNSYC](https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/S0HER4EBKCJ6?ref_=cm_sw_r_cp_ud_ggr-subnav-share_GFP5688ZXHAQQAQJNSYC)

If you or someone you know from our church body needs assistance, please contact us at [cjohnson@wfrchurch.org](mailto:cjohnson@wfrchurch.org)

### An Opportunity to Bless the David Wade Correctional Center

#### **Bag of Blessings**

This year, ReDefined will be taking their Bags of Blessings to David Wade Correctional Center. Almost 800 men will receive this blessing this year. These men are forgotten year after year and for the first time, we are able to distribute them here. We are seeking donations in order for all the men to receive a bag of beanies, socks, soap, deodorant and snacks. There are many ways to donate - through WFR app by clicking GIVE-other and typing Bags of Blessings in the description, you can click the link here Bags of Blessings 2025 (<https://givebutter.com/QPjyoJ>)

Venmo @Redefined\_318

Any questions contact Mindy Lancaster or Jerri Ann Blankenship

## **THIS SUNDAY**

December 7

### **Serve Team Meeting**

8:15 am, WFR Foyer

Bible Class

### **Not By Bread Alone**

A Year of Feasting on the Word of God

taught by various leaders, 9:00 am, Event Room, live and livestreaming on all platforms

Every Sunday am

### **Unashamed Gospel Class**

9:00 am, Outreach Center

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

December 13

### **Cookies with Santa**

Come have fun playing games, making an ornament, eating good cookies and visiting the big guy! Invite your friends!! Saturday, 10:00 am in the WFR Foyer.

December 14-19

### **Sign Ups for Ladies Trauma REBOOT**

Classes will begin Monday, January 5<sup>th</sup> – March 30<sup>th</sup>. Space is limited so sign up now!

December 21

### **Prayer Walk & Worship**

Come for a night of self-guided intentional prayer and time with the Father, ending in a time of worship with our forever family. Start time 5:00 – 5:30 pm with Worship beginning at 6:00 pm.

June 1 – June 9, 2026

**Honduras Mission Trip 2026**

For more information, contact Chase Turner or <https://heraldoftruth.org/international-missions/>

EVERY SUNDAY PM

**High School Teen Church**

5:00-7:00 pm Taylor's House, 748 Johnson Rd, West Monroe

**Middle School Teen Church**

5:00-6:30 pm Howard Center

Contact Spencer Carroll if you have questions about either group, 501-580-2819

EVERY TUESDAY

**WFR PODCAST**

We have new content on our WFR Podcast every week. If you are a podcast listener, search for the **WFR Podcast** on your favorite listening device and dive into great content from your WFR Ministry Staff.

EVERY TUESDAY MORNING

**Men's Bible Study**

5:30 am, led by Mike Williams and Chad Johnson, Outreach Center

EVERY TUESDAY

**Golden 60s**

Anyone over the age of 60 is invited to join us every Tuesday at a 11:00 am!! Yes a NEW TIME, 11:00 am!! You will be greeted with the love of Jesus, enjoy a meal together and special time with forever family. Please join us!

EVERY TUESDAY EVENING

**Livestream Video Bible Study**

7:00 pm, All online platforms. We will be beginning a new series called "Gospel-Centered Parenting."

### WEDNESDAYS AM

#### **Women's Bible Study Group**

Wednesday mornings at 9:00 am at the home of Joneal Kirby. Our study this fall will be Lisa Harper's Jesus Shaped Life. Come and invite your friends. Contact Joneal for more information 318-547-2453

### WEDNESDAY PM

#### **Wednesday pm Ladies Class "Deeper Dive"**

Wednesdays, 6:30 pm in the Outreach Center, Led by Tara Foster, Kim Cook, and Missy Williams

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

#### **Young Adult Group (ages 18-25)**

Wednesdays at 6:00 – 7:30 pm. Come join us! We are meeting in the newly remodeled house next to the Outreach Center. Contact the Dunns, Osbornes, or Patricks for more details.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

#### **The Basement Class**

6:30 pm, B-Basement, The basement group is open to everyone for group and praise & worship.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

#### **Married Couples Class**

Wednesdays 6:30 pm, Event Room

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT

#### **"Secret Garden" Small Group Trauma Recovery**

Wednesdays 6:30 pm, Prayer Room, Seeking Healing from Betrayal and Trauma. Contact Sandra Bowman, Tracie Blackstock and Lisa Sturgis for more information.

EVERY THURSDAY MORNING

**Men's Bible Study**

5:00 am, led by Grant Taylor, Family Convenience Clinic

EVERY THURSDAY EVENING

**Re|engage**

6:30 pm, Fellowship Center

EVERY FRIDAY EVENING

**Celebrate Recovery**

7:00 pm, Fellowship Center

**Mark Your Calendar:**

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January 5 – Ladies Trauma REBOOT Classes begin

January 7 – Worship in the Round

February 13-15, 2026 – WFR High School Winter Retreat

February 13-15, 2026 – Marriage Retreat Session 1 – FULL, check the app for waiting list

February 20-22, 2026 – Marriage Retreat Session 2 – FULL, check the app for waiting list

March 12-15, 2026 – Women's ALIVE Retreat

March 19-22, 2026 – Men's ALIVE Retreat

June 1, 2026 – Honduras Mission Trip

## **BIRTHDAYS**

### **December**

**03** Judy Hough

Debbie Cook

Emma Dickey

04 Katrina Barkley

**05** Mark Harter

Ethny Tonniges

Belle Tonniges

Judson Crowder

**06** Fran Matz

Amber Vining

Khaleb Commanche

**07** Kyle Smith

Tyler Parker

Saylor Hampton

**09** Mary Ann Baughman

Jerry Powell

John Thomas Williams

Kaylee Gary

## **WFR Service Times**

**Bible Classes**, 9:00 am includes: Children's Classes, Youth Bible Classes, Adult Small groups and Adult Bible Class.

**Sunday, 10:00 am, One Time** in person and livestream

Acapella Service in the Worship Center

Instrumental Service in the Fellowship Center

**Sunday PM group, 5:00 pm** in WFR Church Outreach Center

**Sunday PM High School Teen Church, 5:00-7:00 pm,** Taylor's House, 748 Johnson Rd,  
West Monroe

**Sunday PM Middle School Teen Church, 5:00-6:30 pm,** Howard Center

**Wednesday Peak of the Week, 6:30 pm,** WFR Fellowship Center

**Wednesday The Basement, 6:30 pm,** WFR A Basement

### **WFR Kid's Castle Schedule**

**Sundays: 9:00 am** – Kingdom Kids (pickup is at the end of service)

**First Sunday Family Worship** – Families worship together and pickup is at 9:50

**Wednesdays: 6:30 pm** – All Bible classes meet

### **How Can I Give?**

**Online:** [www.wfrchurch.org](http://www.wfrchurch.org)

**Mobile:** WFR Church App

**Text:** Text "wfrchurch" to 833-353-9747

**Envelope:** Mail to 3201 North 7<sup>th</sup> Street, West Monroe, LA 71291

### **Looking for Community**

#### **RECONNECT - Small Group Ministry**

All of our small groups and community groups are meeting– Get Connected!!

If you have questions please contact the church office or email Josh Patrick:

[jpatrick@wfrchurch.org](mailto:jpatrick@wfrchurch.org)

### **Check out all of our online services!**

Better online experience: [wfrchurch.online.church](http://wfrchurch.online.church) (sermon notes, Bible, better chat, and prayer room) WFR app, YouTube, Facebook Live and Website: [wfrchurch.org](http://wfrchurch.org)

**We love our forever family!**

**Love God. Love Others. Share Jesus.**