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White Bluff Church of Christ

August 31, 2025

SUNDAY SERVICES

AUGUST 31, 2025

LEAD SINGING: Nathan Barber
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Brant Sweat
PRESIDE: Greg Morris
SERVE Communion Emblems in AUGUST: Daryl Daugherty, Kenny Goodman, Jeremy Petty, Butch Lee
SERMON: Doug Couch
ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: James Sellers
DOOR GREETERS: Door # 1 — John & Amy Sudeath
Door # 3 — Denise & Jeremy Petty
Door # 6 — Butch & Ellen Lee
USHERS to Collect Contribution in AUGUST: Wesley Burns, Brent Delaney
NURSERY ATTENDANTS: Laura Parker & Donna Aldridge

Sunday Evening Service
LEAD SINGING: Young Men
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Young Men
SERMON: Young Men
LEAD CLOSING PRAYER: Young Men
PRESIDE FOR MONTH of AUGUST: Mike Jones

Wednesday Evening Bible Class 6:30
Adult Auditorium—Sept. 3— Church Unity-Terry Gross

FOOD CALL IN AUGUST: Kim Willoughby, Brenda Lyle
WASH LINENS IN AUGUST: Charlene Griffin

LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST: Brent Welch & Larry Cocke

Aug. 24 - Attendance—210 Contribution—\$15,857
Directory Updates, Prayer Request Notifications & Death Notices:
Debbie Couch 615-957-7452 or at couchd25@hotmail.com
If you have announcements to be put on the screen: send email to: whblchurch@gmail.com PLACE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT YOU HAVE FOR SUNDAY MORNING ON THE CLIPBOARD *IN THE LOBBY.*

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EVANGELISM: EACH ONE WINS ONE

To our members and visitors:

Welcome to White Bluff!
We are glad you are here!

God is With You

Joshua was taking over the leadership of the people of God, and knew that Moses left some big shoes to fill. But God gave him the assurance he needed to lead the people into the promised land. He told him to "be strong ... do not be afraid...for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go" (Josh. 1:9).

The future is always daunting and scary. What will it hold? But, every child of God should know that if God is with us, no trouble is too great, and no obstacle is insurmountable. Jesus said, "Lo, I am with you always" (Matt. 28:20). An old song says, "If Jesus goes with me, I'll go anywhere." Enter life boldly! He will be with you all the way!

Darwin Hunter



The men had a great time bowling last Saturday. It's a good thing to fellowship one with another. (However, I don't see much bowling going on:) Find out who had the highest bowling score! It wasn't Doug.



Elders:

Terry Gross	Doug Couch
Jay Wilkins	Larry Osborne
Brent Welch	Shamron Jackson

Deacons:

Larry Cocke	Gale Larkins
Tim Godwin	Butch Lee
Mike Jones	Jeremy Petty
David Karnes	Dean McKaskle
Lee Marlow	Greg Morris

Evangelist:	Doug Couch 615-973-9652
Associate Minister:	Daniel Cauthen 615-587-0965
Youth Minister:	Brant Sweat 580-861-2281

Secretaries:

Adelaide Butler	615-787-5008
Debbie Couch	615-957-7452
Julie McKaskle	615-308-8456

Sunday:

Bible Classes	9:00am
A.M. Worship	10:00am
P.M. Worship	5:00pm
Children's Bible Hour	5:00pm

Wednesday:

6:30 PM Classes for everyone

Thursday: Ladies Bible Class 10:00am
“In Search of the Lord's Way” Sunday AM 7 – 7:30
“Gospel Broadcasting Network”
(GBN) Sunday AM 7:30-8:00
“Good News Today” Sunday AM -8:00
All on Channel WUXP 30

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Heaven is Real

Heaven is an important topic and, I must confess, I love speaking and writing about the Spiritual House. Because, like you, I've lost loved ones ... and I look forward to being with my Christian family members and friends in that glorious home.

I think that it's sad that many do not have the **hope of heaven**. And it is very sad that there are many who think that they can go to heaven without committing their lives to Jesus Christ. For God told us: “there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to people by which we must be saved” (Acts 4:12, CSB).

The 17th century scientist Blaise Pascal had an interesting observation. Besides inventing the Probability Theory and describing air pressure, many credit Pascal with creating the first computer in the 17th century.

Pascal was converted from atheism to Christianity. He is just one of many, many famous and important scientists who have confessed Jesus as Lord.

After he became a believer, he was confronted by one of his atheist friends. The fellow ridiculed Pascal for his belief in heaven. Pascal explained: ”

“If you do not believe in heaven and I do not believe – in the end we both lose whether heaven is real or not.” But if it is real ... And, If you don't believe in heaven and I do – in the end you lose and I win. Then, Pascal said, “My fondest desire is for both of us to win.”

I am on Pascal's side. Jesus told us that he was going to prepare a house for us in Heaven. I believe that Jesus told the truth. I believe that our Lord was NOT a liar. Here is what Jesus Christ said:

“Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. In My Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also” (John 14:1-2, NKJV).

Heaven is real!

Larry Fitzgerald

Calendar of Events

Aug. 31—Young Men to conduct evening service
Sept. 6-7— Transform Conference for ladies
Sept. 8—Sit n Sew at 10:00
Sept. 13—Ladies Tea @ 11:00. Sign up sheet in foyer
Sept. 14—Sign Compassion Cards after service
Sept. 15—Family Night @ 6:30
Sept. 20—BIBLE BOWL in Cookeville
Sept. 28-30—School of Evangelism with Rob Whitiker from Heart to Heart @ White Bluff

Happy Birthday

Aug. 31—Brad Hartsfield, Jeff Clark
Sept. 6—Kooper Burns, Sawyer Engelman, Kesha Robnett

Happy Anniversary

Sept. 4—Roger & Ann Heath (54 years)
Sept. 5—Daniel & Laura Ann Cauthen (33 years)

KEEP WORSHIP FROM FEELING ROUTINE

- Pray before you go
- Praise God on the drive there
- Get there early
- Bring your Bible
- Take notes
- Sing out loud
- Talk to people
- Apply the message to your week





Thank You

I want to thank everyone for the visits to the funeral home, the food that was sent, the plant, and for all the acts of kindness. Especially for the prayers sent up for my mama, Frances Donegan, while she was here and my family after she passed. Thank you for being there and here for me.
With much love and appreciation, David Donegan

FAITH IS YOUR
STEERING WHEEL
NOT YOUR SPARE TIRE

Items Needed for AUGUST

PANTRY NEEDS: Spaghetti, Spaghetti Sauce & Soup
See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.

Pray For One Another Daily

Wesley Wills, grandson of Donnie & Teresa Wills is in Vanderbilt Hospital undergoing test.
Sandra Hill is in NHC, room 113.
Jimmy Butner, son-in-law of Ruth Nicholson has cancer and needs prayer. Jimmy & Tina used to attend here several years ago.

Sympathy

Sympathy to the family of **Rubie Corkan**, Peggy Heath’s mother. She passed away on Friday, Aug. 22 and her service was Sunday afternoon at Taylor Funeral Home. Pray for Peggy and the Corkin family..

Those Battling Cancer

OUR MEMBERS	OTHERS W/ CANCER	Relationship
Karl Craun	Sandra Floyd	Glenda Bull’s niece
Larry Osborne	David Stokes	Bernice Stokes’ brother-in-law
Elizabeth Daugherty	Dale Gross	Terry Gross’s brother
Bud Martin	Peggy Donegan	Shirley Daniel’s sister
Ruth Nicholson	Anthony Bennett	Jerry & Adelaide’s son-in-law
	Melanie Barber	Nathan Barber’s mother
	Lee Shockney	friend of Daryl Daugherty
	Will Petty	grandson of Aline Lampley
	Bill Shouse	Debbie Story’s father
	Sherry Stuart	Wade Lynn’s sister
	Edward Gasser	Wesley Burn’s uncle
	Eddie Hooper	nephew of Wayne Hooper

Continue to Remember in Prayer

OUR MEMBERS	OTHERS	Relationship
Carol LeBlanc	Jo Corkan	Peggy Heath’s aunt
Sue Murphy	Darryl Northern	Betty Reynold’s son
Anita St. Clair	Jean Majors & Kit	Wed. Meal recipient
Betty Caldwell	Norman Mayer	Michelle Morris’ brother
Ouida Polk	Donna Lindsley	Carol LeBlanc’s friend
Diann Smithson	Steve Crane	Michelle Morris’ cousin
Roy Hamilton	Carolyn Cauthen	Daniel’s mother
Donna Wireman	Charles Gross	Terry Gross’s brother
Marlene Jackson	Kenneth Godwin	Tim Godwin’s brother
Barbara Pickard	Gavin Bowman	Mandy Cocke’s cousin
Shirley Daniel	Eulene Tanner	Charlene Griffin’s mother
Dennis & Shirley Daniel	Joe Paone	friend of Carol LaBlanc
Larry Witherow	Alec Wagner	Kurt Wagner’s son

In the Nursing Home

Olive Branch: Dorothy Hunter, Freddie Weatherspoon, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055.
NHC: Marvinne Johnson rm 400, Ouida Polk rm 300, Lisa Butler rm 408, Sandra Hill, rm 113, 812 N. Charlotte St. Dickson
The Lakeshore Meadows: Ervin Upchurch, 8044 Coley Davis Rd. Room A-36B, Nashville, TN 37221.
Hillcrest Health Care Center: Shirley Hamilton, 111 Pemberton Dr, Ashland City, TN 37015 .
Belvedere Commons: Judy Barfield, 303 S Royal Oaks Blvd, Franklin, TN 37064
Life Care Center: Kenny Pack 112 Dickson Rd, Centerville, TN 37033.
NHC Place at the TRACE: Ruth Nicholson, rm 324, 8353 Hwy 100, Nashville, TN 37221

A Challenge For This Week

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Coming Events

September 28—30

Evangelism Workshop

with Rob Whitaker from House to House, Heart to Heart.

Sunday 9:00, 10:00,
Monday night @ 6:30
Tuesday night @ 6:30



Make Plans to Attend

Sept. 13

Ladies Tea at 11:00—for all the ladies in the congregation. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board.

It will be a sweet fellowship with your Sisters in Christ

Oct. 25

Ladies’ Day with Kristy Woodall speaking on “MOMENTS WITH THE MASTER”

Mark You Calendar for Next Year!



Nineteen from our congregation attended Polishing the Pulpit in Sevierville, TN last week. There was great singing, great teaching, and great fellowship. 4811 attendees were registered with 800 of those children. There were classes for all ages and members of the church: preachers, elders, women, elder’s wives, Bible class teachers, youth ministers, widows and widowers, etc. It was a great time to be together with fellow Christians from many different states and countries. Come join us in our cabin next year! Dates are August 12 -20, 2026. We have a spot reserved for YOU!



Kathleen and Marilyn had a great time teaching the Seven year old class one afternoon.



A Happy Heart makes the face cheerful.

Pro. 15:13 NIV

“Be cheerful. Of all the things you wear, your expression is the most important.”