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WHITE BLUFF
CHURCH OF CHRIST
AUGUST 14, 2022



FROM THE COUCH

You Are a Generous People!! Recent floods in Kentucky did millions of dollars in damage and killed about three dozen people. Four members of the Couchtown Church of Christ also were among the dead, including an elementary school-aged boy. The elders decided to send \$1,000 from the treasury in addition to what members contributed. As of August 8, you have given \$2,400 so we will mail \$3,400 for this congregation in Hazard, KY. Those who wish to contribute at a later time can also do so.

Iranians Are Abandoning Islam. Bill McDonough of the Windsong Church of Christ in Little Rock, AR has done mission works in Asia, Africa, Caribbean Islands, and Europe. He has helped raise hundreds of thousands of dollars for food, medicine, housing, and for gospel preaching. In a recent bulletin, Bro. McDonough told of several Middle Eastern refugees now in Europe who have been baptized into Christ. He writes: "Iran is rapidly becoming Christian with less than one-third of the population still Islamic..." (Partners in Progress, July 2022).

Other Supported Mission Works. The missions committee has recommended that the elders send a \$1000 contribution to the Somerset Church of Christ in Cape Town, South Africa for mission work and another \$1000 to the Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies in Knoxville that is under the oversight of the Karns Church of Christ. I graduated from this school in 1979. Doug Tooley of the Rivergate Church in Madison, TN is also a recent graduate.

A New School Year. Public schools resumed classes last week. Students will be learning skills that will serve them throughout life & eternity. The Founders of the United States recommended public education because they wanted citizens to be able to read the Bible for themselves. They also wanted citizens to read the Declaration of Independence so they could understand why this country became a sovereign nation, and to read the US Constitution so they could have a civic understanding how government functions.

Colleges also begin soon. Emily James, Mallary & Halee McKaskle will be attending Tennessee Tech. Katelynn Petty, Nora Welch, Luke Witherow, & Daygen Hall will be attending Freed-Hardeman. Jackson Martin will be attending Lipscomb. Please pray for all our schools & universities that students will enjoy a safe & profitable year.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Aug. 14, 2022

LEAD SINGING: David Karnes
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Harley Pope
PRESIDE: Daniel Cauthen
SERVE Communion Emblems in AUG.: Wesley Burns, Mike Jones, Mason Cauthen, Garry Sensing
SERMON: Doug Couch

ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: James Sellers
USHERS to Collect Contribution in AUG: John Willoughby, Dylan Daniel

Sunday Evening Service

LEAD SINGING: Doug Couch
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Jeremy Petty
SERMON: Daniel Cauthen
LEAD CLOSING PRAYER: Shamron Jackson
PRESIDE MONTH OF AUG: Brant Sweat

Wednesday Bible Study Devo —Aug. 10 — Harley Pope

FOOD CALL IN AUG: Konni Sullivan, Kathleen Gross
WASH LINENS IN AUG: Marilyn Wilkins

LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF AUG: Jay Wilkins and Tim Godwin

August 7—Attendance—189 Contribution \$9,045

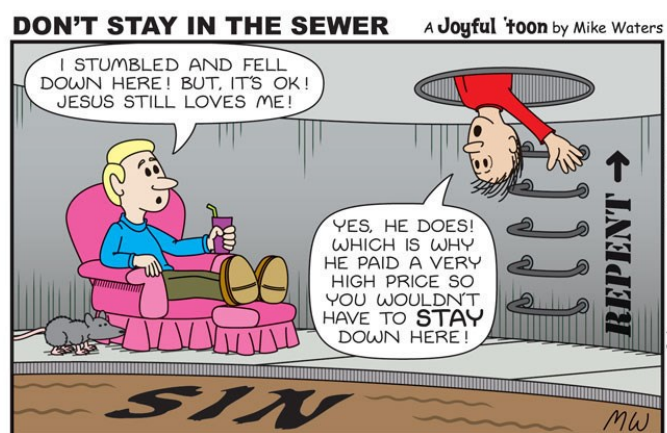
Directory Updates, Prayer Request Notifications & Death Notices: Debbie Couch 615-957-7452 or at couchd25@hotmail.com
If you have announcements to be put on the screen: send email to: whblchurch@gmail.com PLACE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT YOU HAVE FOR SUNDAY MORNING ON THE CLIPBOARD IN THE LOBBY.

Wednesday Night Adult Auditorium Class
Heroes of the Bible (Summer Series)

Aug. 17 —Marricus Ellis—PAUL
Aug. 24 —Ed Slayton — MOSES
Aug. 31—Daniel Cauthen — PETER

ONLINE GIVING

Go to www.whitebluffcoc.org and click/tap on "GIVE". Follow the instructions to "contribution by card." There is a slight card fee as expected with all credit card transactions.



What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer? — ROMANS 6:1-2 NIV

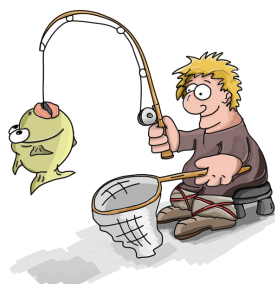
YOUTH NEWS

Ethan needs to meet with all of the Youth Group Parents Sunday morning after services up front.

Family / KFC FISHING TRIP

Saturday, August 20

at Jeremy & Denise Petty's house at 5 pm. Bring your own fishing poles, gear and chairs. We will provide worms and dinner. (not worms for dinner, lol). Come and enjoy the fun!



Elders:

Buddy Driver 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
Dwayne Daniel Lee Marlow
Greg Morris Gabe Orendorff

Evangelist: Doug Couch 973-9652
Associate Minister: Daniel Cauthen
Youth: Ethan Myers 940-783-1668
Jail: Tom Todd 615-351-2446

Secretaries: Adelaide Butler 797-3380
Debbie Couch 957-7452
Julie McKaskle 308-8456

Custodian: (Cleaning)

Dennis Donaldson 615-495-6382
Keri Donaldson 615-946-6944

Sunday:

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

Wednesday:

7 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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Happy Birthday

Aug. 14—Trevor Griffin
 Aug. 15 —Kira Burns
 Aug. 16—Breanna Chimera
 Aug. 18—Abby Webster
 Aug. 19—Hailey Connell



Happy Anniversary

Aug. 16—Mary Jean & William Cathey (48 years)
 Aug. 18—Ray & Mary Hedrick—(49 Years)

Thank You



As we continue to be amazed at the great love this church has for one another, we appreciate the kindness and love you have shown to Wilma and I. We never wanted to be honored in such a way in retirement. We only thought of cleaning and maintenance of the building as something that needed to be done. When asked to do this, "I" really didn't know how large of a building this is. But we have enjoyed the challenge.

We want to thank everyone who was involved with the supper feast that was prepared. Everything was super good. Thank you so much for the cards, well wishes, the plaque and the money wreath. We also would like to thank the Elder's for this time we had to serve.

We pray that the church here will be a glorious church, holding fast to the faith once delivered to the Saints growing in love for the lord and each other. Love in Christ, Melton & Wilma Jack

Thanks to each of you for the prayers, calls, and cards while I've been sick, I know they've helped me get better. I pray I will see Sunday. Thanks again, Shirley Daniel

Sympathy

Sympathy to the family of **McKinley "Mack" Griffin**, Trevor Griffin's father. He passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 9. His service is Thursday, Aug. 11 at 1 pm at Cheatham County Funeral Home with visitation right before the service beginning at 10 am.

Sympathy to the family of **Melissa Adcock**. She was the grandmother of Serenity Hamilton. The funeral was on Monday, July 8 at Spann Funeral Home.

Prayer Requests

Jeremy Petty has a broken foot and is having surgery on Monday.
Doug Utley is back in Centennial Hospital.
Jennifer Hillard is in the hospital with a bone infection.
Darlene Forrest is now home after having back surgery which will require several weeks of rehab. Her right leg is paralyzed but the Doctors are hopeful for full recovery.
Dianne Hall has fallen a damaged her back.
Chasity Hall had cancer scans on Wednesday and will hear results on Friday. Drs are hopeful for shrinkage of the tumors.

Those Battling Cancer...

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| Anthony Bennett | Sandra Floyd | Yvonne Quillin | Rhoda Hooper |
| Karl Craun | Kim Marlow | David Stokes | June Driver |
| Kathleen Wilson | Dale Gross | Megan Axelson | Doug Utley |
| Priscilla Roebuck | Scot Lyle | Tammy Cathey | Larry Osborne |
| Jimmy St. Clair | Kaedence Clark | Willie Hamilton | Jay Wilkins |
| Chasity Hall | Teresa Owen | | |

Continue to Remember...

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| Rubie Corkan | Jo Corkan | Aline Kerr | Cecelia Black |
| Carol LeBlanc | Lois Willis | Margie Spicer | Joyce Spicer |
| George Green | Betty Caldwell | Sandra Stiles | Joan Jones |
| Darryl Northern | Charles Carver | Pamela Todd | Joann Rist |
| Tom Jackson | Dianne Hall | Ouida Polk | Sue Murphy |
| Ronnie Chandler | Carolyn Ricketts | Sue McEndree | |

In the Nursing Homes

Olive Branch: **Freddie Weatherspoon**, Mary Buttrey, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055. **NHC:** **Charles Carver**, Rm 129, **Ouida Polk** rm 223. **The Meadows:** **Joan Butler**. 8044 Coley Davis Rd. Room A-36B, Nashville, TN 37221. **Hillcrest Health Care Center:** **Gayle Westcott**, **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. **THE TRACE:** **Betty Hall**, **Ruth Nicholson**, **Gayle Lankford**. 8353 TN-100, Nashville, TN 37221 **Brookdale Belle Meade:** **Peggy Blessing**, 6767 Brookmont Terrace, Nashville, TN 37205

Items Needed for August

MAGI Items needed for this month:

Individually wrapped candy
 (no chocolate unless it's Tootsie Rolls)



Also there is a need for someone to pick up 100 boxes from Healing Hands and drop off some quilts for Disaster Relief. If anyone is headed that way to Nashville please check with Becky Clark.

PANTRY NEEDS: Crackers Canned Ham
 Macaroni & Cheese Bar Soap Deodorant

See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.

Calendar of Events

Aug. 14 - Elders & Deacons Meeting at 3 pm
Aug. 15— Family Night @ 6:30
Aug. 28—Teacher Meeting @ 4:30
Aug. 30—5th Wednesday Night Singing
Oct. 14-16—Ladies Conference in Pigeon Forge
Nov. 5—Ladies Day at White Bluff

AREA EVENTS

Aug. 13—Men's Seminar at East Main Church of Christ in Murfreesboro. See board for more details.
Aug. 18-25— Polishing the Pulpit in Pigeon Forge
Aug. 20 - Men's Conference at Goodlettsville Church of Christ
Aug. 27—Ladies Day @ Hilldale Church of Christ in Clarksville.
 Speaker: Amanda Key "In Step With Jesus"
Sept. 17—Fall Festival at Potter's Children's Home, Bowling Green KY

FAMILY NIGHT

AUGUST 15 @ 6:30

BRING YOUR FAVORITE FINGER FOOD
 and APPETIZERS and
 ENJOY the FELLOWSHIP

Wedding Bells

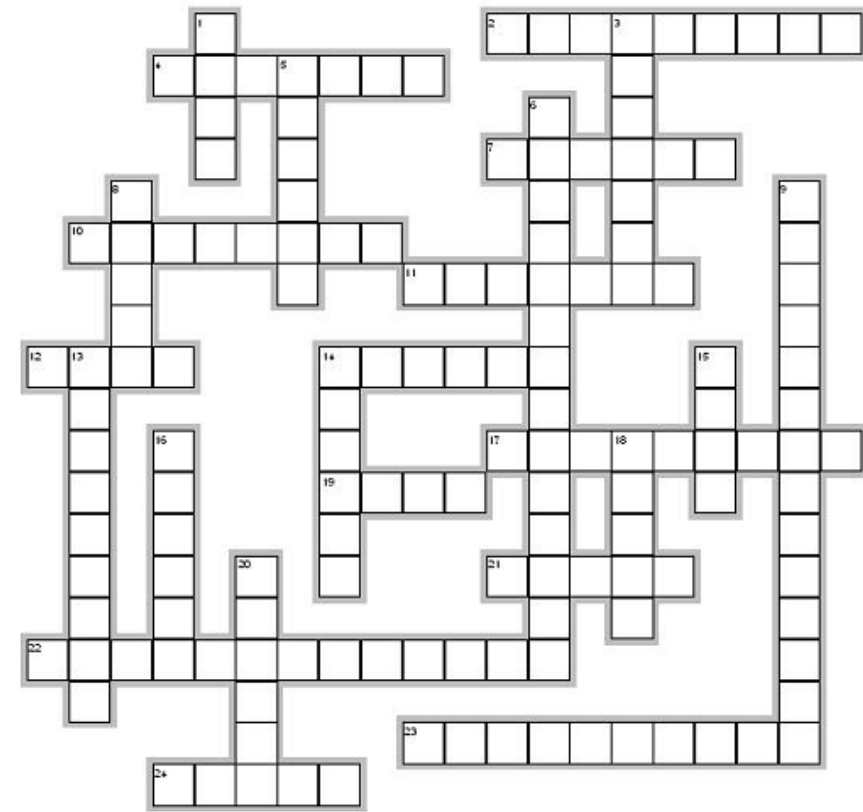


You're Invited to the wedding of
Hailey Connell & Nathaniel Barber
 On September 30, 2022 in Quitman, GA at 5 pm.

Hailey has been a member here since her baptism in March by Sharon Jackson. The couple will be moving to White Bluff after their wedding.

A Christian Crossword Puzzle

Test your Knowledge.



Across:

- Mother of John the Baptist
- Man whom Jesus raised from the dead
- The earthly father of Jesus
- Short tax collector
- Tax collector who wrote became a disciple
- Temple prophetic
- He found no guilt in Jesus, yet sentenced him to death
- Father of John the Baptist

- Doctor and New Testament writer
- The disciple who was also called Peter
- Betrayer of Jesus (2 wds)
- Blind beggar healed by Jesus
- The Way, the Truth, and the Life

Down:

- The mother of Jesus
- Father of disciples James and John
- Peter's brother
- The forerunner of Jesus (3 wds)
- The tempter
- Man who issued decree for census (2 wds)
- He asked, "How can a man be born again?"
- The disciple who called Nathanael to follow Jesus
- Writer of the second gospel
- Mary's very busy sister
- He had John the Baptist beheaded
- Official whose daughter was healed by Jesus