



Welcome

Church of Christ
P.O. Box 155
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SUNDAY SERVICES

December 28, 2025

LEAD SINGING: David Karnes

LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Dean McKaskle

SERVE Communion Emblems in DEC: Wade Lynn, Robert Qualls,

Nathan Barber

Preside Communion:—John Willoughby

SERMON: Brant Sweat

ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: Robert Qualls

DOOR GREETERS: Door # 1 — Karmen & Wesley Burns
Door # 3— Daniel & Laura Ann Cauthen
Door # 6 - Peter & Breanna Chimera

USHERS to Collect Contribution in DEC: Brent Welch, Cameron Jones

NURSERY ATTENDANTS: Haley Barber, Kelly Connell

Sunday Evening Service

LEAD SINGING: David Karnes

LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Don Mosley

SERMON: Brant Sweat

LEAD CLOSING PRAYER: Pierre Griffin

PRESIDE FOR MONTH of DEC: Brant Sweat

Wednesday Evening Bible Class 6:30

FOOD CALL IN DEC. — Ann Heath & Debbie Couch

WASH LINENS IN DEC: Rebecca Clark

LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF DEC: Daryl Daugherty & Dean McKaskle

Dec. 21 — **Attendance— 245 Contribution—\$10,177**

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.

ONLINE GIVING

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



EVANGELISM: EACH ONE WINS ONE

To our members and visitors:

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



Time Changes Everything Except...

Time changes everything in our lives. As time goes on, our bodies change, our activities change, our families change, our finances change, etc., etc. In life, everything is in a constant flux of change.

But through all of this, let us remember that God never changes. Malachi 3:6 reminds us , "For I am the LORD, I do not change." Isn't it wonderful that through all of life's uncertainties and changes, we can rely upon God. His immense love, His sure promises, His unlimited power are all abundant, constant, consistent, and unchanging!

So, through the shifting sands of time and life, trust fully in the One who "is the same yesterday, today, and forever" (Hebrews 13:8). He will see you through all of the changes of life.

Edd Sterchi, Broadway CoC, Campbellsville, KY



White Bluff Church of Christ

December 28, 2025

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

Church office email address:

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YEAR IN REVIEW 2025

Baptism

Jan. 12 – Ben Robnett
Mar. 1- Luis Reyes, Lennie Reyes

Restorations/Asking for Prayers

April 27 – Donna Wireman
June 15 – Daniel Cauthen
June 22 - Barbara Hunter
Oct. 5 – Danny Featherstone
Nov. 23- Hannah Pickard
Nov. 30 – Donnie Wills
Nov. 30 – Austin Wills

Placing Membership
May 4 – Brian Pickard family
May 6 - Kevin Deal family

Births

April 18- Lincoln Sullivan, Grandson of Konni Sullivan
June 3 – Hallie Gail Harp, daughter of Kristie & Blake Harp
Nov. 7 – Oliver Smith, grandson of Joanna & Shamron Jackson
Nov. 12 – Iris Welch, granddaughter of Brent & Kelly Welch

Deaths

Jan. 7 – Reba Carter, Missy Hayes' mother
Jan. 18 – Janet Osborne
Feb. 23 -Dallas Goodnight, Sue Goodnight's husband
Mar. 15 – Yvonne Quillin
June 10 – Jerry Butler
July 21 – Frances Donegan, David Donegan's mother
Aug. 12 – Jimmy St. Clair
Aug. 22 – Rubie Corkan, Peggy Heath's mother
Oct. 27 – Brian Petty, Harold & Peggy Petty's son
Nov. 8 – Linda Grubbs, Kelli Santilli's mother
Dec. 10—Gladys Purnell, Robert Qualls aunt
Dec.20—Steve Crane, Michelle Morris' cousin

Calendar of Events

Dec. 31—5th Wed. night Singing at 6:30
Jan. 4—Sister's in Christ will meet to draw names for 2026
Jan. 19 – Family Night 6:30
Jan. 23-24—Men's Retreat at Leatherwood
Check the bulletin board for area events.
Jan. 31—Lads to Leaders at FHU

Holiday Schedule

There will be no Wednesday meals delivered on December 31.
Bulletins will not be mailed out on Dec. 31, but they will be emailed.
Wednesday night services will be a devotional and singing on Dec. 31 at 6:30.

"The only things that we can truly give to each other are the only things that we truly need — an ear to listen, a heart to care, a word of encouragement and a hand to help."

Jimmy Carter submitted by Mark Morey

Happy Birthday

Dec. 28—Kaden Burns, Bettie Reynolds
Dec. 30—Teresa Hall
Jan. 2—Buddy Driver, Betty Nicks

Jan. 3—Drew Daugherty, Ella Hartsfield, Shelly Runkle, James Stanfield, Amy Suddeath

When you pick up your 2026 Calendar be sure to mark these

Important dates for 2026:

Leatherwood Men's Retreat – January 23 -24

Leatherwood Women's Retreat – February 27-28

Gatlinburg Couples' Retreat - April 9 – 12

Spring Sing – April 26

Graduation Dinner - May 3

College Secret Pal Reveal – May 17

Bible Camp - June 14 – 20

Vacation Bible School – July 19 – 22

Bible Bowl – Sept ???

Ladies Day – October 24

Trunk or Treat – October 31

Cookie Bake for Shut-ins – December 12

Pray For One Another Daily

Gale Larkins is in Horizon hospital with pneumonia

Phyllis Green had a pacemaker installed recently. She is doing well but was diagnosed with RSV last week.

Larry Osborne has a blood clot in his leg and had a biopsy last week. He requests prayers for a good outcome

Our sympathy to the family of Steve Crane, Michelle Morris's cousin, He passed away last Saturday evening in Chatworth, GA.

It's time to sign up for Food Calling and Washing Linens for 2026. See the list in the foyer to choose a month that is convenient for you.

Those Battling Cancer

OUR MEMBERS

Karl Craun
Larry Osborne
Elizabeth Daugherty
Bud Martin
Ruth Nicholson

OTHERS W/ CANCER

	Relationship
Sandra Floyd	Glenda Bull's niece
David Stokes	Bernice Stokes' brother-in-law
Dale Gross	Terry Gross's brother
Peggy Donegan	Shirley Daniel's sister
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
Jimmy Butner	son-in-law of Ruth Nicholson
Harriett Reed	mother of Denise Petty
James Tipton	friend
Ashley Lynn	Wade Lynn's daughter

Continue to Remember in Prayer

OUR MEMBERS

Carol LeBlanc Sue Murphy
Betty Caldwell Pamela Todd
Janie Taylor Donna Wireman
Larissa Dills Marlene Jackson
Rusty Crick Barbara Pickard
Larry Witherow
Buddy & Brenda Driver

OTHERS

	Relationship
Jo Corkan	Peggy Heath's aunt
Yvonne Smithson	Wed. meal recipient
Jean Majors & Kit	Wed. Meal recipient
Norman Mayer	Michelle Morris' brother
Donna Linsley	Carol LeBlanc's friend
Charles Gross	Terry Gross's brother
Kenneth Godwin	Tim Godwin's brother
Gavin Bowman	Mandy Cocke's cousin
Eulene Tanner	Charlene Griffin's mother
Joe Paone	friend of Carol LaBlanc
Alec Wagner	Kurt Wagner's son
Luke Bass	Konni Sullivan's Grandson

In the Nursing Home

Olive Branch: Dorothy Hunter, Freddie Weatherspoon, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055.

NHC: Marvine Johnson rm 400, Ouida Polk rm 300, Lisa Butler rm 408, 812 N. Charlotte St. Dickson

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

Coming Events

Clothing Giveaway
Monday, December 29
6:00-7:00 PM

Help is needed to set up at 9:00 that morning as well as during and following the giveaway with clean up.

Additional volunteers are needed to assist in the nursery on Sunday mornings during worship services. If you are willing to support this effort, please contact Debbie Johnson. Volunteers will typically be scheduled once every other month.

Angel Tree Thank You

This year our congregation was able to support 93 children in the White Bluff community with our Angel Tree program! With the money that was donated we shopped for 31 children. Through your generosity we were able to show God's love with this simple act of kindness. The parents/guardians that picked up the gifts expressed their heartfelt gratitude to the entire congregation. Thank you to everyone who shopped, donated, and supported this outreach. Mark 10:13-16 "People were bringing little children to Jesus for Him to place His hands on the, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this, He was indignant. He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it. And He took the children in His arms, placed His hands on them and blessed them. Next year we will be trying something a little different in hopes that we will be able to support 100 kids so stay tuned!!!

The Great Gift

Everything we have. Everything we are is a gift of God's grace (2 Peter 1:3-9). The fullest expression of grace is this: "We, who were once dead in trespasses and sin, but we have been made alive through faith in Jesus Christ" (Ephesians 2:5).

Here is God's grace in action. "And being found in appearance as a man, (Jesus) humbled himself and became obedient to death – even death on a cross!" (Philippians 2:8). And, "For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith – and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God - not by works, so that no one can boast" (Ephesians 2:8-9).

But God's gift does not negate the importance of obedience. Indeed, Faith demands Obedience or it isn't true faith. "... through whom (Jesus) we have received grace and apostleship to bring about the obedience of faith among all the Gentiles for His name's sake" (Romans 1:5).

Thank you, Lord, for your saving grace!

Larry Fitzgerald

Jesus is THE One!

In the gospel account of John, Jesus is recorded as saying, "I am the..." in reference to Himself in several different ways and on different occasions. The word "the" is a definite article which indicates only one thing in reference. So when Jesus said, "I am the..." what follows is a statement meaning that He is "the one and only" concerning several important matters. Let's examine them.

- When Jesus said, "*I am the bread of life*" (John 6:35), He was indicating that He is the only source of proper spiritual nourishment.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the light of the world*" (John 8:12), He was revealing that He is the only author of true enlightenment.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the door*" (John 10:9), He was saying that He is the only passageway to heaven.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the good shepherd*" (John 10:11), He was saying that He is the only director of the church and how she operates.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the Son of God*" (John 10:36), He was saying that He is the only Savior of the human race.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the resurrection*" (John 11:25), He was saying that He is the only way to have eternal life after death.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the way, the truth, and the life*" (John 14:6), He was saying that He is the only avenue of access to the Father in heaven and eternal life with Him.
- When Jesus said, "*I am the true vine*" (John 15:5), He was saying that He is the only means of true spiritual productivity.

Let us never forget how powerful and important the word "the" is in connection to Jesus, and how He is "the" One who can make all "the" difference in our lives.

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