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WHITE BLUFF
CHURCH OF CHRIST
DECEMBER 18, 2022



SUNDAY SERVICES
December 18, 2022

LEAD SINGING: Gabe Orendorff
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Carl Wood
PRESIDE: Pierre Griffin
SERVE Communion Emblems in DEC: Harley Pope, Dylan Daniel, Donnie Wills, Cameron Jones
SERMON: Doug Couch
ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: Terry Gross
USHERS to Collect Contribution in DEC: Eddie Clayborne, Mike Jones

Sunday Evening Service

LEAD SINGING: Gabe Orendorff
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Brant Sweat
SERMON: Ethan Myers
LEAD CLOSING PRAYER: Cameron Jones
PRESIDE MONTH OF DEC: Butch Lee

Wednesday Evening Devo Dec. 14 -Jett Smith

FOOD CALL IN DEC: Barbara Martin, Bonnie Dills

WASH LINENS IN DEC: Glenda Bull

LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF DEC:

Jerry Western, Dean McKaskle
December 11- Attendance-209 Contribution - \$9,019

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

Holiday Christmas Party
December 18 after evening service
Everyone is invited. Please bring finger foods and desserts. Drinks will be provided.
Kids for Christ will also have a special gathering with a secret visitor during this time. Please let Dwayne or Leslie Daniel know if your children will be participating, so there will be plenty of goodies.

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

WHAT A SAVIOR

Much more than, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him. (Rom. 5:9)

Three great truths are taught in this verse. One is the reality of God's wrath. Though some attempt to deny it, God's wrath is very real. If it were not, there would be no need for us to be saved from it.

A second truth is that humans are not capable of rescuing themselves from His wrath. Because of sin, all have been given a death sentence (Romans 3:23; 6:23). We are absolutely powerless to do anything about that. The humblest have often said, "I don't feel like I am good enough to go to heaven." That is true, none of us, on our own, are good enough. We never will be.

A third truth is equally evident. We are made fit for Heaven by the blood of Christ. The simplest definition of "justified" is "declared not guilty." We are declared "not guilty," not because we have not sinned, but because Jesus bore the penalty for us. His blood was shed to save us from the wrath of God.

A final truth is made clear; Jesus is a great Savior. He, alone, can save us from God's wrath. Willingly and without any hesitation, He left heaven, came to earth, and died on a cross to do what we could not do for ourselves.

Philip Bliss said it in a beautiful way. "Man of sorrows, what a name For the Son of God who came, ruined sinners to reclaim! Hallelujah! What a Savior."

Ron Harper

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.



Congratulations to Kira Burns for being awarded MVP Team Defensive player in soccer for Harpeth High School. We have a great group of young people here that do there best in every way. "Grow in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man." Lk 2:52



WiFi Info- If you would like internet access while you are at the church building, please see Debbie Couch to set up a password.
If you are visiting: User: GUEST
Password: ISPYWCZX



If you need help accessing the online Church Directory or you need a new paper copy of the church directory please check with Debbie.



Wednesday Night Adult Bible Class
Dec. 21- Daniel Cauthen-John, the Baptist
Dec. 28-Harley Pope -the Doubting Apostle

## Happy Birthday

Dec. 19—David Karnes  
 Dec. 20—Andrew Orendorff  
 Dec. 21—Keri Ferguson  
 Dec. 22 — Nicole Blessing, Rita Daugherty  
 Dec. 24—Ernie Forrest  
 Dec. 25—Ronald Johnson, Mark Morey



## Happy Anniversary

Dec. 18—Shamron & Joanna Jackson (24 years)  
 Dec. 19—Peter & Breanna Chimera (2 years)

## Calendar of Events

**Dec. 18**—Holiday Party with Special Visitor—Remember to bring Finger Foods and desserts. Drinks will be provided.

**Jan. 14**—Secret Sister Reveal Lunch at Colton's 11 am

**Feb. 17-18**—Area Wide Ladies Retreat at Camp Leatherwood. Registration will begin soon.

**April 13-16**—Couples Retreat in Pigeon Forge—Sign up now

### AREA EVENTS

**Jan. 9**—April 2- Grief Share @ Walter Hill CoC in Murfreesboro

See the Bulletin Board for more information on Area Events

This is not the year to get everything you want.  
 This is the year to appreciate everything you have.

## Thank You

Thank you to all who baked cookies for the shut-ins. We had 157 tins full of cookies.



The JOY Group had a great time at the Governor's Mansion last Friday on their outing. They are looking forward to Spring for a trip to the Country Music Hall of Fame

## Prayer Requests

**James Sellers** will begin cancer treatments this week. **Malcolm McCoy**, grandson of Penny Rodgers has a cancerous melanoma. **George Green** is in Horizon Hospital with double pneumonia. **Betty Forkum** is in St. Thomas West in room 767 undergoing tests. **Janie Robinson**, Amy Sudeath's mother is in Horizon Hospital waiting to be moved to the Life Care Center in Centerville. **Shelly Runkle's father** has been having seizures. **Robert Petty**, Jeremy's father is not doing well. **Keri Ferguson** is recovering from a heart attack. **Doug Utlej's** cancer may have spread to his lungs.

## Those Battling Cancer...

Anthony Bennett	Sandra Floyd	Yvonne Quillin	Rhoda Hooper
Karl Craun	Kim Marlow	David Stokes	June Driver
Kathleen Wilson	Dale Gross	Megan Axelson	Doug Utlej
Priscilla Roebuck	Scot Lyle	Larry Osborne	Jimmy St. Clair
Kaedence Clark	Willie Hamilton	Jay Wilkins	Teresa Owen
Debbie Story	Deanna Anglin	Anita Pickard	Dwight Driver
Robert Petty	James Sellers		

## Continue to Remember...

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	Pamela Todd	Joann Rist	Dianne Hall
Ouida Polk	Sue Murphy	Ronnie Chandler	Sue McEndree
Bernice Stokes	Janie Robertson		

## In the Nursing Homes

Olive Branch: **Freddie Weatherspoon**, **Mary Buttrey**, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055. NHC: **Ouida Polk** rm 123. **Aline Kerr** rm 218. 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 Langford**, **Catherine Wright** 8353 TN-100, Nashville, TN 37221 Brookdale Belle Meade: **Peggy Blessing**, 6767 Brookmont Terrace, Nashville, TN 37205.

Being saved and  
 not going to worship  
 is like being married  
 and not going home!

Hebrews 10:25

## Items Needed for December

**MAGI** needs Hair Brushes and Combs

**PANTRY NEEDS:** **Mac & Cheese** **Crackers** **Bar Soap**  
**Canned Ham** See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.



## COUPLES RETREAT AT WALDEN LODGE

APRIL 13-16

**SIGN UP NOW TO RESERVE YOUR CABIN.**  
**A DEPOSIT OF \$100 IS NEEDED BY DECEMBER 18TH.**



## Nashville School of Preaching and Biblical Studies

Spring Sessions will begin on January 9. Classes are held Monday, Tuesday & Thursday evenings from 6-9:30. Zoom classes are also available after registering. All instructors are sound with proven records and years of experience in communicating God's Word. There is also a song leading class to help improve congregational singing.

We ask you to help us spread the word about this resource provided without cost to students by the eldership of Creive Hall church in Nashville. Check the bulletin board for a detailed list of classes, instructors and times.

Mondays—6pm— I Believe Because. Christian Evidences. D Couch  
 Deuteronomy—Bill Watkins  
 First Corinthians—Dan Cottrell  
 Basic Songleading—Gaylon Northcutt

7:40 — Introduction to NT-Doug Couch  
 The Kingdom Parables—Ralph Thompson  
 Matthew—Dan Cottrell

8:40 -- Gracious Words of Jesus—Bill Watkins  
 Great Questions of the Bible Ralph Thompson

Tuesdays—6pm - Book of Revelation—Andy Erwin  
 Ezra, Nehemiah & Esther—Jeremy Butt  
 Marriage & Pre-Marital Counseling-Joe Wilkie

7:40 — Great Chapters of the Bible —Andy Erwin  
 Gospel of Mark-Mike Tucker  
 Song of Solomon-Joe Wilkie

8:40 -- 1,2,3 John & Jude—Jeremy Butt  
 1 & 2 Timothy & Titus—Mike Tucker

Thursdays— 6 pm— Gospel of John—Garry Hill  
 Hermeneutics 2—Mike Greene  
 James & 1,2 Peter—Bob Cowles  
 Ladies Class—Mary Greene

7:40— History of Israel—Garry Hill  
 Hebrews— Mike Greene  
 Greek 2—Bob Cowles

## Congratulations on Graduation

Congratulations to 3 of our students receiving their degrees from college this December.



**Luke Witherow** graduated from Freed Har- deman University with a degree in Finance.

**Abby Webster** received a Doctoral degree in Nursing Anesthesia.



**Jake Whitehead**, Meredith Welch's husband, graduated with a degree in Computer Science from North Alabama University.

We are proud of our young adults for their achievements.

## Wedding Nuptials



**No Wednesday Meals will be delivered on December 21.**

The bulletin will not be mailed out for the next two weeks but it will be emailed and printed and available at the worship services.