



WHITE BLUFF  
CHURCH OF CHRIST

Welcome

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# White Bluff Church of Christ

July 2, 2023

## SUNDAY SERVICES

July 2, 2023

**LEAD SINGING:** Gabe Orendorff

**LEAD OPENING PRAYER:** - Shamron Jackson

**PRESIDE:** Karl Craun

**SERVE Communion Emblems in JULY:** Tate Cocke, Larry Cocke, Carter Cocke, Carson Cocke

**SERMON:** Doug Couch

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER:** Terry Gross

**USHERS to Collect Contribution in JULY:** Kenny Goodman, Pierre Griffin, Melton Jack, Larry Lampley

### Sunday Evening

**LEAD SINGING:** Gabe Orendorff

**SERMON:** Doug Couch

**Lead Opening Prayer:** Ethan Myers

**Preside for month of JULY** Harold Petty

**Lead Closing Prayer:** John Suddeth

**FOOD CALL IN JULY:** Jennifer Sellers, Ellen Lee

**WASH LINENS IN JULY:** Betty Nicks

**LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY:** Wade Lynn, Doug Couch

June 25—Attendance—193 Contribution — \$5,560

**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:

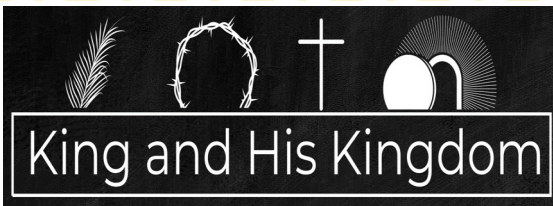
whblchurch@gmail.com PLACE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT YOU HAVE FOR SUNDAY MORNING ON THE CLIPBOARD IN THE LOBBY.

## ONLINE GIVING

Go to [www.whitebluffcoc.org](http://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.



**Our Theme for 2023: Matthew**



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## YOUTH NEWS

JULY



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	3 SPLIT DEVO (PM)	4	5 SUMMER SERIES @ CHURCH	6 SYS @ Crieve Hall	7	8 ALL dude's and dad's cornhole tournament
9	10	11 SERVE 1-27 (AM)	12 SUMMER SERIES @ CHURCH	13 SYS @ Mount Juliet	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 SYS @ Southern Hills	21	22
23	24 LASER TAG (PM) middle school only	25	26 SUMMER SERIES @ CHURCH	27 SYS @ Crieve Hall	28	29 END OF SUMMER COOKOUT
30 Young Men's Service	31			September 9: Bible Bowl	November 4: Ladies Day and Dudes Day	November 17-19: Fall Retreat @ Maywood

Vacation Bible School

## A DIFFERENT MAP

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



How can a young person stay on the path of purity?  
By living according to your word.

-PSALM 119:9 NIV

### 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

**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

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# 7 Questions

trading uncertainty for depth



Ethan Myers  
July 5  
Why do You Worry?



Garrett Bookout  
July 12  
Who do You Say I Am?



Jim Suddeth  
July 26  
Do You Believe?



Jeff Jenkins  
August 2  
Why do You Choose Traditions over Me?



Matt Cook  
August 9  
Why have You Left Me?



Geoffrey Sikes  
August 16  
How Much are You Loved?



Chris McCunley  
August 23  
Why Would You Leave the 99 for 1?

Join us on  
Wednesdays  
at 7:00

To our members and visitors:

**WELCOME TO WHITE BLUFF! WE ARE GLAD YOU ARE HERE!**

## Calendar of Events

- July 3 — Red Cross Blood Drive 12-5 pm upstairs
- July 9 — Deacons Meeting at 4 pm
- July 10— Dorcas Sewing Group 10 am
- July 16-19—Vacation Bible School
- July 22—Nora Welch & Kyle Wilkerson's Wedding

### Area Events

- July 23-26 - VBS at Chapel Hill Church of Christ
- Aug. 4—Women's Fellowship @ Clearview church of Christ Cottontown, TN
- Aug. 12—Men's Fellowship @ Clearview church of Christ in Cottontown, TN

Check the Bulletin Board for more information on these events.



"Freedom makes a huge requirement of every human being. With freedom comes responsibility. For the person who is unwilling to grow up, the person who does not want to carry his own weight, this is a frightening prospect." — Eleanor Roosevelt

"A hero is someone who understands the responsibility that comes with his freedom." — Bob Dylan

"If the freedom of speech is taken away then dumb and silent we may be led, like sheep to the slaughter." — George Washington

## Prayer Requests

Diann Smithson is in Vanderbilt Hospital Room 7229.  
Dorothy Adcock, mother of Debbie Johnson, has been moved to a nursing home.  
Rose Sullivan has been moved to Richland Place.  
Brandon Reed, cousin of Denise Petty  
Robert Petty is in the VA Hospital with complications of cancer treatments.  
Larissa Dills is now home making improvements..  
Bernice Stokes fell and has several bruises and not feeling well.

## Those Battling Cancer...

### OUR MEMBERS

Yvonne Quillin  
Karl Craun  
Kim Marlow  
Larry Osborne  
Jimmy St. Clair  
Willie Hamilton  
Joan Jones  
Joann Rist

### OTHERS W/ CANCER Relationship

Robert Petty *Jeremy Petty's dad*  
Sandra Floyd *Glenda Bull's niece*  
Rhoda Hooper *Linda Hooper's sister-in-law*  
David Stokes *Bernice Stokes' brother-in-law*  
Dale Gross *Terry Gross's brother*  
Scot Lyle *Brenda Lyle's son*  
Anita Pickard *Pickard's daughter-in-law*  
June Driver *late Tina Resha's mother*  
Peggy Donegan *Shirley Daniel's sister*  
Phyllis Cooper *Debbie Couch's friend*  
Anthony Bennett *Jerry & Adelaide's son-in-law*  
Grayson Sawyer *5 yr old friend of Lou Ann Tidwell*  
Russ Lindsey *Shamron's cousin's husband*

## Continue to Remember Our Shut-Ins

### OUR MEMBERS

Joann Rist Ouida Polk  
Carol LeBlanc Bernice Stokes  
Sue Murphy Pamela Todd  
Lois Willis Dianne Hall  
Betty Caldwell

### OTHERS Relationship

Rubie Corkan *Peggy Heath's mother*  
Jo Corkan *Peggy Heath's aunt*  
Darryl Northern *Betty Reynold's son*  
Jean Majors & Kit *Wed. Meal recipient*

## In the Nursing Homes

**Olive Branch:** Freddie Weatherspoon, Mary Buttrey, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055. **NHC:** Ouida Polk rm 123, Lisa Butler rm 117B, 812 N. Charlotte St. Dickson 37055 **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.. **Richland Place:** Rose Sullivan, 500 Elmington Ave, Nashville, TN 37205.



## Items Needed for July

MAGI needs: SCHOOL SUPPLIES

PANTRY NEEDS: Chili, crackers, Mac & Cheese, Vienna Sausage. Ravioli and boxes for packing food  
See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



JULY 16-19

come Walk With JESUS  
by the sea of Galilee

CLASSES FOR all AGES

Babies thru adults

SUNDAY @ 5:00 PM

Refreshments afterwards

MON—WED. 6:30 —8:30 PM

## Upcoming Wedding



## New Member



Welcome Amanda Willoughby.

Amanda is a school teacher at Pegram Elementary. Her address and phone number are in the directory. Let's all welcome Amanda and get to know her. We are excited she is bringing her talents to serve Lord to work with us.

## New Baby

Congratulations to David and Barbara Pickard on the birth of a great-grandson, **Colin Thomas Pickard**. He was born on June 7, weighing in at only 3 lb and 4.8 oz. Baby Colin is still in Centennial Hospital and is now off oxygen. Proud Parents are Lucas and Morgan Pickard. Please pray for this young family as they anxiously await Colin being strong enough to bring home in a couple of weeks.

## HOW TO BE HAPPY

If you ask a millionaire to define happiness, he might say that to be happy is to have two million dollars. If you ask a nine-year-old boy, he might answer happiness is being ten years old. If you ask a candidate, he might say winning an upcoming election. To the athlete, it might be winning the big game. All of these are fleeting, but God knows how to bring lasting happiness to each of us. Happiness is found in the following:

**Being corrected by God.** "Behold, happy is the man whom God corrects: therefore despise not thou the chastening of the Almighty" (Job 5:17).

**Having children.** "Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them" (Psalm 127:5).

**Working an honest day for an honest day's pay.** "For thou shalt eat the labor of thine hands: happy shalt thou be, and it shall be well with thee" (Psalm 128:2).

**Being the children of Almighty God.** "Happy is that people, whose God is the Lord" (Psalm 144:15).

**Happiness is found in obeying the will of the Father.** "He that keeps the law, happy is he" (Proverbs 29:18).

**Giving to those in need.** "He that hath mercy on the poor, happy is he" (Proverbs 14:21).

**Having a tender heart that can be pricked by God's word.** "Happy is the man that fears always: but he that hardened his heart shall fall into mischief" (Proverbs 28:14).  
Where are you searching for happiness? Try God's way.

Barry Gilreath