



CHURCH OF CHRIST

Welcome

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# White Bluff Church of Christ

## July 9, 2023

### SUNDAY SERVICES

July 9, 2023

**LEAD SINGING:** Gabe Orendorff

**LEAD OPENING PRAYER:** - Butch Lee

**PRESIDE:** Mike Jones

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

**SERMON:** Daniel Cauthen

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER:** Harley Pope

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

### Sunday Evening

**LEAD SINGING:** Gabe Orendorff

**SERMON:** Daniel Cauthen

**Lead Opening Prayer:** Greg Morris

**Preside for month of JULY** Harold Petty

**Lead Closing Prayer:** Dennis Daniel

**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

### 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:

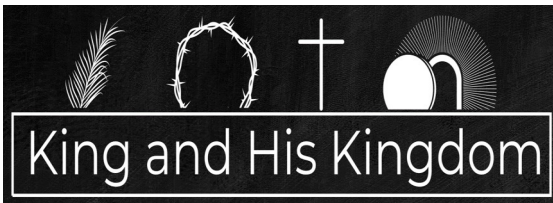
whblchurch@gmail.com PLACE ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS THAT YOU HAVE FOR SUNDAY MORNING ON THE CLIPBOARD *IN THE LOBBY.*

### 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**



### Wednesday Night Summer Series 7 pm

July 5—Ethan Myers— "Why Do You Worry?"

July 12—Garrett Bookout — "Who do You Say I Am?"

July 26—Jim Suddeath — "Do You Believe?"

Aug. 2 — Jeff Jenkins — "Why Do You Choose Traditions over Me?"

## YOUTH NEWS

JULY



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 ALL dude's and dad's cornhole tournament
2	3 SPLIT DEVO (P.M.)	4	5 SUMMER SERIES @ CHURCH	6 SYS @ Crieve Hall	7	8
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



The Corn Hole Tournament was a huge blast. Just ask Larry and Carson who the Corn Hole Champions are! Next events coming up: Boys swim night and devo on July 9. Then a service project on July 11 and SYS at Mount Juliet Church of Christ. Get your teens involved in the youth group this summer!

### Elders:

Buddy Driver Terry Gross  
Doug Couch Butch Lee  
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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## UBS: July 16 - 19

Sunday will begin at 5:00 with refreshments after.  
Meals (M-W) begin at 5:30. UBS begins at 6:30.  
Classes for all ages!

**Link to Register**

To our members and visitors:

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



## Calendar of Events

- 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
- Aug. 5— KFC at Hensley Park from 10-12

### Area Events

- July 23-26 - VBS at Chapel Hill Church of Christ
  - Aug. 4—Women's Fellowship @ Clearview cofC Cottontown, TN
  - Aug. 12—Men's Fellowship @ Clearview cofC in Cottontown, TN
  - Aug. 17-24— Polishing the Pulpit in Sevierville, TN
- Check the Bulletin Board for more information on these events.



- July 9— Dylan Daniel, Kolleen Godwin
- July 11 — Eric Runkle
- July 14 — Hailey Barber, Rose Sullivan
- July 15—Doug Couch, Ruth Nicholson

## New Baby



Welcome

*Maryn Elyse Welch*

Granddaughter of Brent and Kelly Welch. Maryn was born on Saturday, July 1 to William and Alana Welch. She weighted 6lbs 4 oz. and was 18.5 inches long. Congratulations to this wonderful family.

## Ladies Day—Nov. 4

Time to sign up to decorate a table for Ladies Day and while you are out shopping, pick up some items for door prizes. The signup sheet is in the foyer if you are willing to serve in these areas.

## Items Needed for July

MAGI needs: HAIR BRUSHES & COMBS

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

## Prayer Requests

**Brandon Reed**, cousin of Denise Petty recovering from a motorcycle accident.  
**Ashley Mitchell**, niece of Ann Mitchell recovering from a car accident.  
**Robert Petty**, Jeremy Petty's dad is back in the VA Hospital for more cancer treatments.  
**Betty Hall** is having surgery this week.  
**Ruth Nicholson** is need of prayers.

## Those Battling Cancer...

OUR MEMBERS	OTHERS W/ CANCER	Relationship
Yvonne Quillin	Robert Petty	Jeremy Petty's dad
Karl Craun	Sandra Floyd	Glenda Bull's niece
Kim Marlow	Rhoda Hooper	Linda Hooper's sister-in-law
Larry Osborne	David Stokes	Bernice Stokes' brother-in-law
Jimmy St. Clair	Dale Gross	Terry Gross's brother
Willie Hamilton	Scot Lyle	Brenda Lyle's son
Joan Jones	Anita Pickard	Pickard's daughter-in-law
Joann Rist	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	OTHERS	Relationship
Joann Rist	Rubie Corkan	Peggy Heath's mother
Carol LeBlanc	Jo Corkan	Peggy Heath's aunt
Sue Murphy	Darryl Northern	Betty Reynold's son
Lois Willis	Jean Majors & Kit	Wed. Meal recipient
Betty Caldwell		

## 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.

## Sympathy

Prayers for the family of Dot Allen, sister-in-law of Bernice Stokes. She passed away July 2. Her service was held at McDonald Funeral Home in Centerville On Wed. July 5 at 2:00 pm with a short visitation beforehand beginning at 12 noon.

## 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



## RATHER OBVIOUS

*“Now the deeds of the flesh are evident, which are: immorality, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, outbursts of anger, disputes, dissensions, factions, envying, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these, of which I forewarn you, just as I have forewarned you, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God” (Galatians 5:19-21).*

When I read this passage, I often skip to the list. The behaviors that are ‘no-go’s’ for the person wanting to be part of the Kingdom. However, it recently clicked to me that the passage starts with a rather important point. These behaviors are obviously wrong. The word translated either as “evident” or “manifest” originates in the term for shining. It’s akin to the modern phrase “there is a flashing red light” saying NO, BAD, DO NOT DO!

Yet, how many of these behaviors are debated and justified? We try to make some form of them acceptable. We clean up the verbiage, try to reduce them to socially acceptable levels and make them culturally correct.

But they are not and it should be obvious. Years ago, I read some excellent advice; “We try and talk ourselves into bad decisions and out of good ones.” When it comes to sinful acts, we try to talk ourselves into what should be glaringly obviously wrong.

Don't.

Barry Haynes, Hope church of Christ, Hope, AR



**JESUS DIDN'T EAT WITH SINNERS AND TAX COLLECTORS BECAUSE HE WANTED TO APPEAR INCLUSIVE, TOLERANT, AND ACCEPTING. HE ATE WITH THEM TO CALL THEM TO A CHANGED AND FRUITFUL LIFE, TO DIE TO SELF AND LIVE FOR HIM. HIS CALL IN TRANSFORMATION OF LIFE NOT AFFIRMATION OF IDENTITY.**