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# WHITE BLUFF

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

### NOVEMBER 27, 2022



#### SUNDAY SERVICES

##### November 27, 2022

**LEAD SINGING:** James Quillin  
**LEAD OPENING PRAYER:** Larry Osborne  
**PRESIDE:** Butch Lee  
**SERVE Communion Emblems in NOV:** James Stanfield, Wade Lynn, David Karnes, Gary Sensing  
**SERMON:** Doug Couch  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER:** Greg Morris  
**USHERS to Collect Contribution in NOV:** Wayne Hooper, Peter Chimer, Kenny Goodman

#### Sunday Evening Service

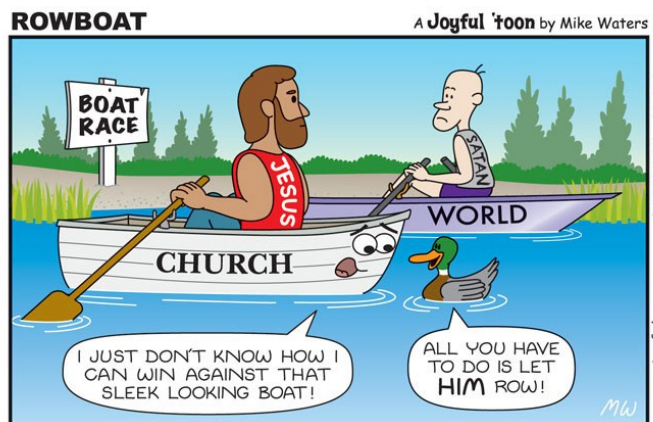
**LEAD SINGING:** James Quillin  
**LEAD OPENING PRAYER:** James Sellers  
**SERMON:** Ethan Myers  
**LEAD CLOSING PRAYER:** Tim Godwin  
**PRESIDE MONTH OF NOV:** Karl Craun

#### Wednesday Evening Devo Nov. 30 – Brant Sweat

**FOOD CALL IN NOV:** Edie Stewart, Ann Mitchell  
**WASH LINENS IN NOV:** Glenda Bull  
**LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF NOV:**  
Daryl Daugherty, Dwayne Daniel  
November 20— Attendance—208

#### 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



You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world. -1 JOHN 4:4 NIV

## They Just Don't Get It.

Have you ever watched someone trying to figure out a problem, when the *answer* to their dilemma was right in front of them? It makes me think of a person who has been frantically looking for their glasses, only to realize that they were on top of their head the whole time. It was right in front of them, but they just didn't "get it".

Until the worldly person realizes that there IS a God and that He *demand*s obedience to His will, *they* will never "get" it. In fact, they will be forever lost. Many exclaim: "God needs to make it clear that He even exists!" The worldly person wants *proof* that God exists, and they don't want US to use the BIBLE to do so. Is this a tall order? Not at all.

The Bible even *says* that God can be proved "outside" the Bible. Romans 1:20 tells us: "For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even His eternal power and Godhead, so that they are without excuse,"

When one observes the universe with all its wonders, like how the earth works in perfect harmony *with* the rest of the universe, one can't help but KNOW that a higher power must exist. This is where the rubber meets the road. If a person is genuinely looking for God, he or she WILL find Him according to (Matthew 7:7)

Even the Godless person has noticed that over the past 50 years American Society is less respectful, less serious, and less self-controlled. More and more people are flip-pant and irreverent when it comes to "religion". The Godless person will even acknowledge that the Old way of doings things, or, the Old way of life *seemed* more wholesome and reverent, but yet, they do not seek to find out WHY this is true.

If you know someone who doubts the existence of God, it would be good to point out to them the many artifacts and relics that have been found in the Middle East with inscriptions of Bible "places" and Bible "names". Sadly, even after examining irrefutable proof of the validity of Scripture, many will still reject the existence of God.

In Romans 1:18-22 tells us why: "For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. For what can be known about God is plain to them, because God has shown it to them. For His invisible attributes, namely, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly perceived, ever since the creation of the world, in the things that have been made. So they are without excuse. For although they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks to Him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened. Claiming to be wise, they became fools."

This is yet another example of folks who just don't GET it.

-Daniel Cauthen



#### 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.



#### WBYG Fall Schedule

#### NOVEMBER

November 29: Service Project

#### DECEMBER

December 5: Hangout  
December 11: Recharge and Christmas Party @ the Cocks  
December 14: M2E @ 6:15



Wednesday Night Adult Bible Class  
Nov. 23—Thanksgiving Service  
Nov. 30 —Brant Sweat —Barnabas

## Happy Birthday

Nov. 27—Peggy Heath  
 Nov. 28—Addison Gross  
 Nov. 30—Ellen Lee  
 Dec. 1—Larry Witherow  
 Dec. 2—JP Hooper  
 Dec. 3—Hunter Haislip



## Happy Anniversary

Dec. 1— Brent & Kelly Welch (32 years)  
 Dec. 2—Dennis & Shirley Daniel (47 years)

## Calendar of Events

Dec. 14— Red Cross Blood Drive  
 Dec. 18—Holiday Party with Special Visitor

### Coming Soon in 2023:

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

Gratitude...takes nothing for granted,  
 is never unresponsive,  
 is constantly awakening to new wonder and  
 to praise of the goodness of God.

## In Sympathy

Sympathy to the family of Dwight Driver, June Driver's husband. He was Tina Resha's step father. There will be a Celebration of Life on Dec. 1 in Celina, TN. June's address will be posted on the board.



Red Cross Blood Mobile will be at our church building on December 14. This is to honor **Kadence Clark**. **Kadence** is a Sophomore at Creek Wood High School and has leukemia. Please sign up online to give blood.

## Prayer Requests

**Julie McKaskle** had out patient hip surgery on Nov. 21. **Ruth Jessie**, friend of Mark Morey needs prayers. **Dianne Hall** is at home recuperating with a severely broken leg and needs prayers. Mary Sweat, Brant's mother had eye surgery on Monday to correct a detached retina. Pray that she will maintain her vision.

## Those Battling Cancer...

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

## Continue to Remember...

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

## In the Nursing Homes

Olive Branch: **Freddie Weatherspoon**, **Mary Buttrey**, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055. NHC: **Charles Carver**, Rm 129, **Ouida Polk** rm 123. 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. West Meade Place: **Dianne Hall**, 1000 St. Luke Drive, Nashville, TN 37208.



## Items Needed for November

**MAGI** needs Match Box cars and Yo-Yos.

**PANTRY NEEDS:** **Spaghetti Sauce** **Green Peas** **Crackers**  
**Paper Towels** See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.

## Angel Tree

The Young Adult group will be organizing an Angel tree this year. If you or someone you know, knows any children who would benefit from this please add them by filling out the survey that is out by the sign up sheets. Deadline for adding a child will be November 30th and deadline for getting gifts to the church building for the angels will be December 14th. If you have any questions feel free to contact Breanna Chimera.



And whatever you do,  
 in word or deed,  
 do everything in the name  
*of the Lord Jesus,*  
 giving thanks  
 to God the Father  
 through him.

Colossians 3:17



SOMEONE ONCE SAID THAT CRAYONS CAN TEACH US  
 A LOT ABOUT OUR FELLOW CHRISTIANS'

Here's what they wrote:

Like Christians...  
 Some crayons are **sharp**,  
 some are **pretty**,  
 some are **dull**,  
 some have weird **names**,  
 each is a different **color** and  
 many are never **used** to their **full** potential.



However, they must all learn to live in the same box-

the church.

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.



## Group Outing

### Governors Mansion Christmas Tour and lunch

December 9 at 9:00 am

Signup sheet is in the lobby.

We are limited to the first 25 people that sign up.



The **Cookie Bake** will be a little different this year. We are asking the ladies to bake cookies at home and bring the cookies in tins to the building where they will be packed with candy and delivered to the shut-ins. Please sign up on the

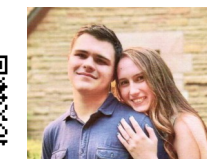
sheet in the foyer if you would like to take part in the Cookie Bake. The deadline to turn in the cookie tins is Dec. 11. Contact Janet Osborne if you have questions.

THANKSGIVING PUTS POWER IN LIVING, BECAUSE  
 IT OPENS THE GENERATORS OF THE HEART  
 TO RESPOND GRATEFULLY,  
 TO RECEIVE JOYFULLY, AND  
 TO REACT CREATIVELY.

## Wedding Shower

**Wedding Shower** for Ashlee Jackson and Jett Smith will be Dec. 4 at 3:00. They are registered at Amazon and Pampered Chef. If you would like to go in on a group gift, see Bonnie Dills. Here is a link to scan for your convenience.

Amazon - Pampered Chef-



## Baby Shower



A Baby Shower will given for **Meredith Welch Whitehead** by the Bull family on December 11th at 2:00. She is having a BOY and is registered at Amazon and Target. See Bonnie Dills if you would like to go in on a group gift.