



CHURCH OF CHRIST

# Welcome

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# White Bluff Church of Christ September 17, 2023

## SUNDAY SERVICES September 17, 2023

**LEAD SINGING:** Gabe Orendorff  
**LEAD OPENING PRAYER:** Harold Petty  
**PRESIDE:** Don Mosley  
**SERVE Communion Emblems in SEPT:** Butch Lee, James Sellers, Nathan Barber, Don Mosley  
**SERMON:** Ethan Myers  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER:** Larry Osborne  
**USHERS to Collect Contribution in SEPT:** Peter Chimera, Wesley Burns, Karl Craun  
**DOOR GREETERS SEPT. 3:** 1. Ethan & Lauren Myers  
2. John & Kim Willoughby  
3. John & Amy Suddeath  
4. Kelly & Brent Welch  
5. Jay & Marily Wilkins  
6. Ronald & Debbie Johnson

### Sunday Evening

**LEAD SINGING:** Gabe Orendorff  
**SERMON:** Ethan Myers  
**Lead Opening Prayer:** Jeremy Petty  
**Preside for month of SEPT** Cameron Jones  
**Lead Closing Prayer:** Ethan Myers  
**FOOD CALL IN SEPT :** Peggy Heath, Kim Willoughby  
**WASH LINENS IN SEPT :** Mary Hedrick  
**LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT:**  
Jerry Western, Dean McKaskle  
Sept. 10—Attendance—213 Contribution—\$7,725  
**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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**Password:** \_ISPYWCZX .



**Philippians 4:8 King James Version (KJV)**  
"Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things."

## Youth News

White Bluff will be hosting an area wide youth service on September 17th. We will be providing a meal for the youth groups following the PM service. There is a list in the foyer for everyone to sign up if you would like to bring something.



## WBYG FALL 2023



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6: M2E @ 6:15  
9: Bible Bowl (Cookeville, TN)  
17: Area Wide Youth Service @ WB COC  
24: Recharge after PM Service  
30: Family Lake Day @ Lock A (Ashland City)

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4: M2E @ 6:15  
8: Hangout after PM service  
22: Area Wide Youth Service @ Pegram COC  
29: Recharge after PM Service  
29: Young Men's Service

### 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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### BIBLE BOWL 2023

The first Bible Bowl was held in 1972 at the Sycamore Church of Christ in Cookeville, TN. There were only 6 teams from a handful of churches in Putnam and Jackson Counties.

The latest Bible Bowl was conducted on the campus of Tennessee Tech with 231 teams representing 52 congregations from 5 states. Over 3,000 were in attendance with 64 supporters from our congregation.

This year we had two teams place among the top 16 teams out of 231 teams. Claire Jackson (91%), Sarah Jackson (97%), Kendahl Petty (92%) & Kaitlin Runkle (94%) ranked SECOND overall.

Kira Burns, Carter Cocke, Tate Cocke, & Aubrey Suddeath also made the Sweet 16.



A total of 23 students went to Cookeville to compete. The other students include: Liam Adams, Mack Bevins, Kaden Burns, Kooper Burns, Carson Cocke, Sydney Cocke, Bryson Connell, Maddie Connell, Dylan Daniel, Makela Dutton, Harper Engleman, Cooper Karnes, Kenzie Perigo, Kyson Wall, & Aurora Yarnell.



For the last 15 years, Brent & Kellie Welch have overseen our Bible Bowl teams. We are grateful for their leadership over the years. They have spent countless hours reading, studying, making tests, and encouraging kids at church to learn and memorize books of the Bible. They led our teams to victory so many years in a row! So proud of the team that got SECOND place! It's a huge accomplishment for them and for the church! Now they are passing the baton over to Mary & Brant Sweat. We know that they will keep Bible Bowl going.



## Calendar of Events

Sept. 17—Area Wide Youth Event @ White Bluff  
 Sept. 17—Young Adults lunch at MBSP at noon  
 Sept. 18—Family Night @ 6:30  
 Sept. 24—KFC Picnic at the Park at noon  
 Oct. 1—Birthday Party for Adelaide Butler 2 pm  
 Oct. 15—Elders/ Deacons Meeting 3 pm  
 Oct. 16—Family Night  
 Oct. 22— Friends & Family Day @ White Bluff  
 Oct. 31—Trunk or Treat  
 Nov. 4—Ladies Day

## Happy Birthday

Sept. 18—James Fortner, Sue Murphy  
 Sept. 20—Barbara Pickard  
 Sept. 21—Gail Mosley

## Happy Anniversary

Sept. 18 —Karl & Janie Craun (53 years)  
 Sept. 21—Eric & Shelly Runkle (19 years)

Come join us on Sunday, Oct. 1 at 2:00 at the church building for a birthday celebration for Adelaide Butler. We honor her for another year older, another year wiser, another year in service to the church as secretary.



## CAREFUL WORDS

I'm careful of the words I say to keep them soft and sweet.

I'll never know from day to day which ones I'll have to eat.

## Couples Retreat

Coming in Spring 2024!!



The Couples Retreat at Walden's Lodge in Pigeon Forge has been scheduled for April 4-7, 2024. If you are interested in going please see Leslie or Dwayne Daniel. A deposit of \$110 will be due in October. So make your reservation now to spend a wonderful weekend with your spouse and your friends in Bible Study, prayer, singing and a whole lot of fun and laughter.

## Prayer Requests

Kim Marlow, Diann Smithson, Larissa Dills Marilyn Morey, Tony Meadows, Candice McIllwain, Gayle Westcott, Marvine Johnson

## Those Battling Cancer...

### OUR MEMBERS

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

### OTHERS W/ CANCER

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
Melanie Barber	Nathan Barber's mother
Lee Shockney	friend of Daryl Daugherty

## Continue to Remember in Prayer

### OUR MEMBERS

Carol LeBlanc Bernice Stokes  
 Sue Murphy Lois Willis  
 Betty Caldwell Dianne Hall  
 Larissa Dills Ouida Polk  
 Diann Smithson Pamela Todd  
 Roy Hamilton Willie Hamilton

### 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  
 Joe Pacone Wed. Meal recipient  
 Antonia Cangemi sister of Carol Leblanc

## In the Nursing Homes

**Olive Branch:** Mary Buttrey, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055.

**NHC:** Ouida Polk rm 123, Lisa Butler rm 117B, Freddie Weatherspoon, Barbara Travis rm 303, 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.

**Place at the TRACE:** Betty Hall rm 502, Ruth Nicholson, rm 322, Gayle Lankford, rm 544, 8353 Hwy 100, Nashville, TN 37221

**Brookdale Belle Meade:** Peggy Blessing, 6767 Brookmont Terrace, Nashville, TN 37205.



## Items Needed for September

**MAGI needs: MONETARY DONATIONS**

**PANTRY NEEDS: Beef Stew, Canned Ham, Tuna Canned Chicken, Green Peas, Banie Weenies**  
 See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.

## Thank You

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ, Thank you so very much for the beautiful card expressing your thoughts and prayers for us during a difficult time. We were so touched by your congregation reaching out to us in Christian love across the many miles. My husband is doing well now, so I know the prayers have helped.

With love, God Bless, Dave & Sue Bass

Thank you for all of your thoughtful acts of kindness during the illness and passing of our mom. We are very appreciative of the beautiful plant from the church, your phone calls, cards, visits and prayers. Thank you to all who prepared and served food for the meal after her service. We love you all.

The family of Joan Jones.

Thank you for your prayers. My mother, Marilyn is in a Rehab Center after a fall and is doing well.

Sincerely, Mark & Joyce Morey

I just wanted to say thank you to all who called, texted and sent cards to me during my heart surgery. So thankful for all our friends, and church family.

In Him, Margie Sensing

Thank you so much for donating school supplies for our students at WBES. We were able to fill the needs of students in various grades with the supplies you provided. We truly appreciate your generous support.

Sincerely, Glenda Sullivan, WBES Assistant Principal



YOU'RE INVITED TO  
**KFC'S PICNIC AT THE PARK**

WHEN: Sunday September 24th, 2023 at 12:00pm

WHERE: Montgomery Bell State Park

Bring your own blanket or chairs!



## Opportunities to Serve

Our **Ladies Day** is November 4 with Kathy Pollard from Bowling Green, KY speaking. Our theme is Heart to Heart. We would like all of our ladies and girls to be involved. Below are listed areas of service. Please contact the lady in charge of the area you would like to help with.

### Food

Breakfast - Kelly Welch  
 Lunch - Ann Heath  
 Young lady servers - Lauren Myers

Table Set-up & Decorating - Becky Clark

Building Decorating - Michelle Morris & Kim Willoughby

Program Making & Sound Booth - Debbie Couch

Program Scheduling, Registration - Lauren Myers, Marilyn Wilkins

If you have any questions or would be willing to participate (pray, read, etc.) in the program, please contact me. Let's all work together to make the day a success.

Marilyn Wilkins

If you would like to have a Compassion Card sent to someone, please fill out one of the cards on the back of the pew and drop them in one of the black boxes, or you can scan the QR code and submit your request on-line.



If you would like to have your family member who served our country honored on Veteran's Day, please turn a picture and information in to the office by Oct. 29.

## COOKOUT FOR YOUNG ADULTS

The young adults will have a cookout Sept 17 for lunch at Montgomery Bell in the field by the chapel. Afterwards, there will be singing in the chapel. See Brant or Mary for a list of what you can Bring as well as a lawn chair.



## Nashville Benefit Dinner for WBS



Guest Speaker: David Shannon  
 President of Freed Hardeman University

Thursday, October 5 at 6:30 at Concord Rd. Church of Christ  
 See Larry Witherow or rsvp@worldbibleschool.net/Nashville2023 or call 800-311-2006 to reserve your spot.