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Church of Christ
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White Bluff Church of Christ

September 21, 2025

SUNDAY SERVICES

September 21, 2025

LEAD SINGING: Doug Couch
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Robert Qualls
PRESIDE: Jay Wilkins
SERVE Communion Emblems in SEPT: Peter Chimera, Brent Welch, Wesley Burns, James Sellers
SERMON: Brant Sweat
ANNOUNCEMENTS/CLOSING PRAYER: Dennis Daniel
DOOR GREETERS: Door # 1 — Karman & Wesley Burns
Door # 3— Roanld & Debbie Johnson
Door # 6— Kim & John Willoughby
USHERS to Collect Contribution in SEPT: Wayne Hooper, Butch Lee
NURSERY ATTENDANTS: Haley Barber & Kelly Connell

Sunday Evening Service

LEAD SINGING: Doug Couch
LEAD OPENING PRAYER: Nathan Barber
SERMON: Doug Couch
LEAD CLOSING PRAYER: Kurt Wagner
PRESIDE FOR MONTH of SEPT: Dennis Daniel

Wednesday Evening Bible Class 6:30

Adult Auditorium—Sept. 24—Miracles—Doug Couch

FOOD CALL IN SEPT: Susan Jones, Sherri Jackson
WASH LINENS IN SEPT: Kaley Turnbull

LOCK & UNLOCK DOORS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPT: Tim Godwin & Jay Wilkins

Sept. 14 - Attendance—259 Contribution—\$9,647

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 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.



EVANGELISM: EACH ONE WINS ONE

To our members and visitors:

Welcome to White Bluff!
We are glad you are here!

There Is No Excuse for Not Believing in God

Romans 1:20 presents an interesting “5 W’s” concerning why no one has any legitimate excuse for not believing in God. Here is the text: “For since the creation of the world³ His¹ invisible attributes² are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made⁴, even His¹ eternal power and Godhead², so that they are without excuse⁵”

1. **Who?** God. The eternal, existent One. The only one, true God.
2. **What?** Witnessing and knowing about God’s existence and His true nature and power. The evidence and proof is more than abundant.
3. **When?** Since the very beginning – throughout all of time. There has never been a time when people could not know that there is a God.
4. **Where?** Literally everywhere the creation can be seen. It is evident and can be clearly observed and deciphered by all.
5. **Why?** So that we may believe. If we examine all of this evidence and do not believe, then we are without excuse.

Edd Sterchi, Broadway church of Christ, Campbellville, KY

For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, that we through the patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have HOPE.

Romans 15:4

Elders:

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
Lee Marlow	Greg Morris

Evangelist:	Doug Couch 615-973-9652
Associate Minister:	Daniel Cauthen 615-587-0965
Youth Minister:	Brant Sweat 580-861-2281

Secretaries:

Adelaide Butler	615-787-5008
Debbie Couch	615-957-7452
Julie McKaskle	615-308-8456

Sunday:

Bible Classes	9:00am
A.M. Worship	10:00am
P.M. Worship	5:00pm
Children’s Bible Hour	5:00pm

Wednesday:

6:30 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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Someone Needs You

Many times, people feel unwanted or not appreciated. It is possible that feeling alone or unloved is one of the worst feelings that someone can go through. This feeling can lead to depression, anxiety and a host of other issues. Sometimes folks feel just like David (Psalm 142:2) “Look on my right hand and see, For there is no one who acknowledges me; Refuge has failed me; No one cares for my soul.” No matter how far down the rabbit hole folks go in their mind of feeling like no one cares about them, they are wrong. No matter who you are in this world, someone needs you!

Consider some folks that need you:

Your spouse needs you. “Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord” (Ephesians 5:22). “Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her” (Ephesians 5:25). God’s wisdom is shown in marrying the first couple, Adam and Eve. “Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh” (Genesis 2:24). When done correctly this is the most beautiful relationship next to our fellowship with God.

Children need you. “Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right” (Ephesians 6:1). If there is not proper guidance for children, then they are far more likely to live sinfully and away from Christ or even faith at all. They need love, and they need to be listened to and guided. We can say grandchildren need you too! One of the hardest things I saw during our disaster work was grandparents raising grandchildren. Thank God for these grandparents who can step in and get that done. They must be very worn out. “...that they admonish the young women to love their husbands, to love their children” (Titus 2:4). This was the job of the older women and if the younger will not or cannot raise those children then they will!

Brethren need you. “And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works” (Hebrews 10:24). “Bear one another’s burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ” (Galatians 6:2). “Now you are the body of Christ, and members individually” (1 Corinthians 12:27). “...but exhort one another daily, while it is called ‘TODAY,’ lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin” (Hebrews 3:13). God has designed his church to be in fellowship, not in “isolationship.”

The lost need you. It is painful to think that folks are lost but it is still true. “And He said to them, ‘Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned’” (Mark 16:15-16).

God is self-sustaining and doesn’t really need us, but he wants us and isn’t that better than needing us? Let’s want our spouse, let’s want our children or parents, let’s want our brethren, let’s want the lost!

Dustin Wilson, Highland Drive church of Christ, Poplar Bluff, MO

Calendar of Events

Sept. 20—BIBLE BOWL in Cookeville
Sept. 28-30—Evangelism Workshop with Rob Whitacre from Heart to Heart @ White Bluff

Check the bulletin board for area events.

Sept. 20 - Ladies Day @ Sylvia CoC with Ashley Wiles speaking
Sept. 27—Ladies Day @ Pomona CoC with Amanda Williams
Oct. 9—World Bible School Benefit Dinner
Oct. 18—Chili Cook-off @ Burns CoC to support Dickson Co. Jail Chaplaincy 5-6:30

Happy Birthday

Sept. 21— Gail Mosley

Sept. 24 -Julie McKaskle

Sept. 25— Konni Sullivan

Sept. 27—Harry Aldrich, Adelaide Butler

Happy Anniversary

Sept. 21— Shelly & Eric Runkle (21 years)

AUTUMN HARVEST

I love the Fall season of the year. I admire God's creation as the leaves change color and the temperatures drop. In the Bible, Autumn is associated with harvest. It was a time of celebration as people thanked the Lord for his provisions (see Leviticus 23:9-14).

When we think about it, we have a lot to thank God for. Those of us who live in America are truly blessed with many benefits. We have enough to eat, healthcare, and freedom as citizens. As Christians, we have the greatest blessings including salvation, the promise of answered prayer, and the assured hope of eternal life.

No wonder the Bible urges us to enter into God's gates with thanksgiving (Psalms 100:4).

Larry Fitzgerald

Thank You

Thank you everyone for the cards and prayers during my recent medical problems. Please continue praying for me. I love you all.

Sandra Hill. PO Box 682, White Bluff

Pray For One Another Daily

Fran Hansen, Mady Cocke's mother is under Hospice care with stage 3 lung cancer.

Ellie Sellers is having surgery this week at Vanderbilt.

Beverly Peeler was taken to the ER on Tuesday and had emergency surgery.

Those Battling Cancer

OUR MEMBERS

Karl Craun

Larry Osborne

Elizabeth Daugherty

Bud Martin

Ruth Nicholson

OTHERS W/ CANCER

Sandra Floyd *Glenda Bull's niece*

David Stokes *Bernice Stokes' brother-in-law*

Dale Gross *Terry Gross's brother*

Peggy Donegan *Shirley Daniel's sister*

Anthony Bennett *Jerry & Adelaide's son-in-law*

Melanie Barber *Nathan Barber's mother*

Lee Shockney *friend of Daryl Daugherty*

Will Petty *grandson of Aline Lampley*

Bill Shouse *Debbie Story's father*

Sherry Stuart *Wade Lynn's sister*

Edward Gasser *Wesley Burn's uncle*

Eddie Hooper *nephew of Wayne Hooper*

Jimmy Butner *son-in-law of Ruth Nicholson*

Fran Hansen *Mandy Cocke's mother*

Continue to Remember in Prayer

OUR MEMBERS

Carol LeBlanc **Sue Murphy**

Anita St. Clair **Betty Caldwell**

Ouida Polk **Diann Smithson**

Pamela Todd **Roy Hamilton**

Janie Taylor **Donna Wireman**

Larissa Dills **Marlene Jackson**

Rusty Crick **Barbara Pickard**

Dennis & Shirley Daniel

Larry Witherow

OTHERS Relationship

Jo Corkan *Peggy Heath's aunt*

Darryl Northern *Betty Reynold's son*

Jean Majors & Kit *Wed. Meal recipient*

Norman Mayer *Michelle Morris' brother*

Donna Lindsley *Carol LeBlanc's friend*

Steve Crane *Michelle Morris' cousin*

Carolyn Cauthen *Daniel's mother*

Charles Gross *Terry Gross's brother*

Kenneth Godwin *Tim Godwin's brother*

Gavin Bowman *Mandy Cocke's cousin*

Eulene Tanner *Charlene Griffin's mother*

Joe Paone *friend of Carol LaBlanc*

Alec Wagner *Kurt Wagner's son*

In the Nursing Home

Olive Branch: Dorothy Hunter, Freddie Weatherspoon, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson, TN 37055.

NHC: Marvine Johnson rm 400, Ouida Polk rm 300, Lisa Butler rm 408, Sandra Hill, rm 113, 812 N. Charlotte St. Dickson

The Lakeshore Meadows: Ervin Upchurch, 8044 Coley Davis Rd. Room A-36B, Nashville, TN 37221.

Hillcrest Health Care Center: 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.

NHC Place at the TRACE: Ruth Nicholson, rm 324, 8353 Hwy 100, Nashville, TN 37221

Items Needed for SEPTEMBER

PANTRY NEEDS: Crackers, Vienna Sausages, Chili, Pork n Beans

See Glenda Bull with monetary donations.

Coming Events

September 28—30

Evangelism Workshop

with Rob Whitacre from House to House, Heart to Heart.

Sunday 9:00, 10:00, 5:00

Potluck Lunch at 11:00

Monday night @ 6:30

Tuesday night @ 6:30



**WORLD
BIBLE
SCHOOL**

World Bible School

Benefit Dinner

Thursday, October 9, 2025

Concord Rd. Church of Christ

8221 Concord Rd. Brentwood, Tn

RSVP by Oct. 2

Sign up sheet will be in the foyer

See Larry Witherow or James Stanfield more information

Ladies' Day Oct. 25, 2025

with Kristy Woodall speaking on

"MOMENTS WITH THE MASTER"

Sign up now to decorate a table.

1. It's always better to have crayon on the walls of your nursery than cobwebs in the corners of it. Don't sweat the small stuff.

2. There's a 0% growth rate in churches that tell their kids "they need to be seen, not heard."

The sounds of children in the church service are not distractions—they are signs of life and the future of the faith.

DONATE YOUR UNUSED BIBLES TO SOUTH AFRICA



Bibles are very expensive to those in South Africa. If you have new or gently used Bibles bring them to the table in the church upstairs foyer.

They will be shipped and distributed by students at the Somerset School of Preaching in Cape Town, South Africa.



The Sisters in Christ had a lot of fun with the Mad Hatter Tea Party last Saturday. They hope to make this an annual event. Join in the fun when events are announced. These ladies will always be found doing good works for others.



*You cannot do a kindness too soon,
for you never know how soon it will
be too late.*

— Ralph Waldo Emerson