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STAFF

Pulpit Minister:
Richard O'Connor
Youth Minister:
Travis Byrd
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Karley Byrd
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MISSIONS
Baja, Mexico
Honduras
Boyd Christian School
McMinn. Hs. Authority
TN Children's Home
New Pathways for Children
Orphan's Lifeline Int'l
Dominican Republic

MORNING WORSHIP

Song Leader: Dr. Jeff McKinley
Song #38 Awesome God
Welcome: Clint Gribble
Shepherd's Reading: James 4:7-8 Jimmy Priestley
Song #469 Faith Is the Victory
Song #71 As The Deer
Prayer: Glenn Mitchell
Song #180 Jesus Is Lord
Lord's Supper Preside: Neil Helton
Prayer: Windell Little, Don Alexander
Serve: Mike Jones, Todd Noblin
Serve: Larry Prater, Curtis Triplett
Lord's Table Nursery: Sawyer Seymour
Alternates: Kirk Mullican, Jim Durham, Adam Wood

Song #464 Because He Lives (chorus only)
Offering & Children's Food Offering
Children Dismissed for Wonders Worship
Wonders' Teacher: Karley Byrd
Song #647 Soldiers of Christ, Arise
Sermon: Richard O'Connor
Invitation: Elders/Minister
Song #559 The Joy of the Lord
Youth Announcements: Travis Byrd
Announcements & Prayer: Jerry Blankenship
Song #749 The Battle Belongs to the Lord
Nursery Attendants: Norma Cox, Tonya Mullican
Nursery Coordinator: Shea Thompson
Serve Coffee: Mark & Darla Seymour
Raintree: Kelly Hillis, Joseph Stotts



PLEASE

REMEMBER

**TO CALL LIFE GROUP
NUMBERS IN TO THE CHURCH OFFICE!**

WELCOME

Visitors, please sign a visitor's card and send it to the center aisle. One of our young men will pick it up.

A nursery is available for young children. Ushers in the back will gladly assist you.

NURSERY REMINDERS:

- Our nursery is for children 2 years and under.
- Parents, when you drop off your child in the nursery, please sign them in and leave your cell number so that you can be reached by text if needed.



SUNDAY MORNING

Nursery thru the 6th grade classes are on the 2nd floor.

Grades 7-12

Location: Teen Room

Adult

Location: Room 207
Teacher: Morris Womack
Topic: 1st Peter

Adult

Location: Room 110
Teacher: Eben Gilbert
Topic: Book of Romans

Young At Heart

Location: Auditorium
Teacher: Richard O'Connor
Topic: Book of John

SUNDAY EVENING

Life Groups

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Primary classes are the same as Sunday mornings.

Adult

Location: Auditorium

Singing

Location: Room 207

Ladies Classes

Location: Room 112
Location: Library

Richard's Reflections

Do Something!

I heard a song recently and the following is a part of the opening lyrics written by Matthew West:

*I woke up this morning, saw a world full of trouble now,
thought how'd we ever get this far down,
and how's it ever gonna turn around?
So I turned my eyes to heaven, I thought,
"God why don't you do something?"
Well, I just couldn't bear the thought
of people living in poverty,
children sold into slavery,
the thought disgusted me.
So I shook my fist at heaven and said,
"God why don't you do something?"
He said, "I did, I created you!"*

I love this! It's easy to sit on the sidelines of life and criticize how "unfair" life is for so many. It's easy to sit back and point a finger at Jesus and critique His running of the universe. Yet, it's a whole lot harder to put yourself in the middle of it and do something!

I know I can't solve the world's hunger problem, clean drinking water dilemma, or carry the good news of Jesus to all...by myself. But I can do something! And if I do something and you do something then big things can happen! I can remember as a kid in NJ taking a snowball and rolling it around and around, and with the help of my brothers, creating a giant snowball that served as the base of our snowman. But it all started with "something."

Another song we have sung in church for years says, "There is much to do there is work on every hand..." We have proven already this year that when we **do something...together...** God is not only pleased, but blesses our work and partners with us as we go! (1 Corinthians 3:6,9). Thanks for what you do and let's be sure to "do something" each day!

God is Good!

Richard

Byrd's Eye View



School has officially started. Yes, we are sad summer has ended but we look forward to all the things that God is going to do this school year. On Wednesday, we challenged our students to see their school as a mission field and that God is sending them into it to be a reflection of Jesus to others. One of the things that we are excited about is that we are expanding the Westwood Youth Group from 7th-12th to 6th-12th. So that means starting on September 2nd sixth graders will now be a part of the Youth Group. One of the reasons we have made this decision is that it reflects our school system. Now when we say middle school students people will know that means 6th-8th. We also made this decision because the reality we face is that everything is being pushed down. Students are getting exposed to so many different things at earlier ages. We want to start planting the seeds of Jesus early on so when they face difficult situations in their early middle school years they will know they have a Youth Group to depend on. We are excited for this change and can't wait to for all the things God is going to show us and let us experience together. If you have any questions please contact Travis (615-574-3930). We will also have a welcome to the Youth Group meeting on Sunday September 2nd after bible class in the teen room. This meeting will be for all parents of 6th and 7th graders. This meeting is also open to anyone else who may have questions about upcoming youth activities.

In Christ, Travis Byrd

Eben's Essentials

I think it is safe to say that something is wrong with western civilization. What causes such decadence in a people? At the risk of sounding simplistic, my basic answer is: Ideas have consequences. There are anti-God ideologies that make up much of the "modern temper." These ideas account for much of the decadence in the status quo. Humans are the only creatures on earth that live by ideas as well as instincts. In human societies, most behavior is transmitted by education, not heredity.

Apparently, God highly values ideas. Solomon said a man becomes on the outside what he thinks on the inside (Prov.23: 7). God contradicted the notion of determinism with a true idea: "The soul that sins, it shall die" (Ezekiel 18:1,4). Jesus said: "The good man out of the good treasure of his heart produces good, and the evil man out of his evil treasure produces evil; for out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks" (Luke 6:43-45).

History gives us numerous examples of how bad beliefs and thinking lead to bad results. For instance, the Aztecs of Mexico believed that the sun was a living person, a being that required the blood of human victims for his food. They firmly believed that without human sacrifice, the sun would die and life on earth would end. We can be absolutely certain that: Ideas Have Consequences!

Karley's Kids



Teachers and Parents! Please don't forget to sign up for the Gospel Project training that is NEXT WEEK August 19! This is a free 1-hour training for our new curriculum with free food and free childcare. Sign-ups are on the bulletin board by the nursery as well as more information.

This is a reminder that all grades will move up on **Sunday, September 2nd**



Wonders: It is time to volunteer to teach Wonders for September through November. There will be a clipboard going around during the auditorium class today. You will be provided with curriculum on the days you volunteer.



Event: Wednesday, August 22 during Mission Kitchen we will have a movie playing for grades PreK-5th in Eben's classroom. Parents please help your child with their plate and bring them to the room to watch the movie.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mon.: Savannah Hall Fri.: Samantha Bell
 Tues.: Samantha Jennings Jim Durham
 Thurs.: Misty Hillis Hannah Gribble
 Keith Prater Culley McDowell
 Katie Tubb
 Sat.: Sheli Mason
 Linden Todd
 Patsy Webb

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY


Richard & Kim O'Connor, 31 yrs.- 08/13
 Winston & Pansy Gant, 43 yrs.—08/16

Congratulations to Debbie Jennings upon being Employee of the Year for 2017-18 WCHS scholarship coordinator. We're proud of you, Debbie!

THANK YOU! *Westwood Family, I cannot find the words to adequately express how thankful I am for your support, well wishes, gifts, money, etc. you graciously bestowed to me as I headed off to Medical School. I appreciate each of you so much! I'll miss you all like crazy, but I'm stoked for my new adventure. I'll see you all soon and covet your prayers. Love you all! Blessings, Corey Morris*

THANK YOU! *Westwood Church Family, Thank you so much for the wonderful school supplies. The party was a huge success...with 201 children and 88 adults registering! Lots of smiling faces!! Thanks for everything!*
 Lisa Harvey


THANK YOU for participating in the Tennessee Children's Home *Change for the Children Campaign*. Westwood's coin can total for the 2017-2018 campaign year is \$970.75!


 The ladies of Browntown Church of Christ invite all ladies to their annual Ladies Day. Speaker: Sister Felita Smotherman, from the 231 Church of Christ, Murfreesboro, TN Theme: How To Be True To God! John 4:24, which will be held this Saturday, August 18th, at Browntown Church of Christ, 1024 Browntown Rd., Morrison, TN Registration/breakfast: 9:00am until 9:30am, Program: 9:30am Lunch will be served. Hope to see you there!


MISSION KITCHEN August 15th


Time: Beginning at 5:45pm
 Cost: Donations
 Menu: Taco Bar, drinks and desserts
 These funds will help our members make trips around the world to share the Good News of Christ.



 All the ladies of the congregation are invited to a Baby Tea in honor of Savannah Stewart this afternoon, from 2-3:30 in Eben's classroom. She's having a girl!

 All the ladies of the congregation are invited to a Bridal Tea in honor of Leah Walker on Sunday, August 19th, at 2pm in Eben's classroom. It's being given by family and friends.

Welcome to our Church Family  Jeff and Anne Vance along with their son, Will, have requested to be a part of our Westwood family. Their address is 3661 Vervilla Rd., McMinnville, TN 37110. Please add this to your directory. We welcome the Vance's to Westwood.

 VISITATION to the health care is Wednesday, August 15th, beginning at 1:30pm.

Churches of Christ Disaster Relief will be packing 1500 Family Food Boxes this Tuesday, August 14th, at 10am, in Nashville (410 Allied Drive). Volunteers for this effort would be greatly appreciated.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Dale Randolph upon his death. He's the grandfather of Jax Oakes. His service was held yesterday at Central Church of Christ.

IN THE HOSPITAL

Hugh Stubblefield—VA in Murfreesboro room #262
Chase Thompson-Siskin Hospital (rehab)

REMEMBER: Jim Barks (father of Christy Green), Catherine Barnes (mother of Gayle Yates), Hubert Boyd, Kathy Boyd (would love cards), Cliff Brown, Pat Brown, Phillip Buckner, Bobby Byrd (grandfather of Travis), Evelyn Byrd (grandmother of Karley), Ken Campbell (brother of Jean Martin, surgery scheduled for 08/16), Jacob Cantrell, Larkin Cantrell (father of Thomas), Leonard "Shorty" Cantrell, Paul Cantrell, Sheila Davidson, Andy Dunn, Don Dunn (father of Daryl), Wanda Dunn (mother of Daryl), "Tiny" Durham (mother of Jim Durham & Twana Smith), Jim Eisler, Betty Ferguson, Barbara Fraley (mother of Dawn Griffith), Stella Gann, Carolina George (friend of Sheri Garrett), Vada Graham, Robert Green, Joyce Griffith (mother of Brent), Linda Hale (has been put on bed rest), Sawyer Hall (Camp Shiloh, New York), Danny Hanson (father of John), Bettye Haston, Eloise Hillis (mother of Teresa Cope), Bailey Hyder (grandson of Terry & Patty Boyd), Alan Jakes, Cary Nixon Jones (daughter of Ben Nixon), Chizo & Lena Jones, Sally Jones, Sandra Jones, Don Kelsey, Annette Wilson Kilgore, Tara Lee, Elisa Cooper Luna, Mitchell Madewell (Navy), Shirley Martin (sister of Bob Deason), William McCormack (father of Doug), Lee-Ann Miller, Nyla Millraney, Avery Nixon, Brian Olive (cousin of Pansy Gant), Marie Padgett, (sister of Janie Phifer), Scott Parkhurst (father of Wesley), Debbie Pearsall, Kyle Phillips (friend of Cindy Phifer), Maxine Pittman, Chad Rowland, Renee Smith (sister of Thomas Cantrell), Perry Stephens (brother-in-law of Linda Hale), Shawn Stewart (son of Bill & Janie), Elizabeth Stubblefield, Angie Surlles, Laurel Todd (daughter of Dathan & Paige), Marty Waldron (father of Greg), Nan Waldron (step mother-in-law of Greg), Amber Williams (sister-in-law of Andrew), and Matt Young (father of Dyllon Young and son of Judy Payne)

TREATMENTS: Briggs Davis, Thatcher Dunn (relative of Neil Helton), Staphna Gay, Meghan Higgins, Hugh B. Hillis (cousin of Kelly), Lesa Hillis, Elmer Honeycutt, Vicki Jordan (friend of Cindy Phifer), Christine Khym (sister of Daryl Dunn), Bobbie Powell (mother of Janet Cantrell), Teddy Prater, Wayne Prater, Kay Ramsey, Katelyn Smith (friend of Jackson Noblin), Ken Smith, and Rad Spivey

Continue to remember shut-ins, military personnel and their families and the leaders of our nation.

NHC: Flossie Northcutt (mother of Kim Tubb) #104

Fannie B's: Ruth Taylor (Emma Hoover's sister)

Raintree: Irene Stembidge #106; Hannah Davis, 301; Carolyn McBride, 115; Audrene Sissom #510

Riverview Terrace: Nora Belle Chambers,D5; Frances Garrison,C3 ; Fay Williams (mother of Pansy Gant)D3

Webb House: Mertie Clemons, 303; Martha Hughes, 309; Howard Locke, 607; Louise Locke, 201; Judy Moore, 108; Clareta Wilcher, 104

NHC Murfreesboro: Muzzle Green

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Youth Website: www.westwoodyouthgroup.com

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Sunday Morning Worship: 9:30
Sunday Morning Bible School: 10:30
Sunday Evening: Life Groups
Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 7:00

SUNDAY'S RADIO BROADCAST

WCPI FM 91.3 at 11:00 AM and 11:00 PM
WBMC AM 960 at 11:00 AM

Wi-Fi

Network: Westwood Public
Password: Love1another

WESTWOOD DAY SCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN

3 yr., 4 yr. olds and Kindergarten
Monday—Friday
(during school months)

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

MONTH OF AUGUST:

Prepare Lord's Supper: David Womack
Prepare Coffee: Anne Madewell
PowerPoint: Leon Yoder

Greeters & Positions 9:00 a.m.

Front Doors: David & Sandy Simpson
Auditorium Doors, Left: Tim & Beth Deason
Auditorium Doors, Right: Andrew & Lindsey Williams
Vestibule, Top: Joe & Dot Pearson

Ushers: Harold Hoover, Billy Roberts, Cliff Boyd,
Nate Newby, Alex Stinson, William Blankenship

Pick Up Visitor's Cards: Brantley Waldron, London Sullens,
Jaxton Smith

WEDNESDAY, August 15, 2018

Announcements: Dale Jaco
Devotional: Nathan George
Prayer: Jeff Golden
Song Leader: Jeff Vance
Nursery Attendant: Mendy Stotts

SUNDAY, August 19, 2018

Welcome: Mike Garrison
Shepherd's Reading: Jimmy Priestley
Song Leader: Dr. Jeff McKinley
Opening Prayer: Danny Jones
Sermon: Richard O'Connor
Closing Prayer: Jerry Blankenship
Lord's Table Preside: Neil Helton
Prayer: Brent Keeton, Tommy Foster
Serve: Carl Surlis, John Hanson
Serve: John Carter, David Aycock
Lord's Table Nursery: Taylor Smith
Alternates: Chris Sullens, Tim Woodlee, Thomas Cantrell
Nursery Attendants: Crystal Barnes, Sheli Mason
Nursery Coordinator: Shea Thompson
Serve Coffee: David & Joyce Britton
Wonders' Teacher: Stacey Simpson

Family Life and Counseling Ministry Counselor, Dr. Eben Gilbert

931-507-3236

Counseling Services:

- Individual Counseling
- Counseling for children, teens and adults
- Pre-marital Counseling
- Marriage Counseling
- Family Counseling
- Grief Counseling
- Anger Management
- Personality Testing
- Dependencies Counseling
- Divorce Recovery
- Seminars

For the Record

Sunday, August 05, 2018

AM: 446 Bible Study: 274
LG: 150 Offering: \$12,259.00
Weekly Budget: \$9,377.00

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Billy: I can't wait to go to Grandma's for Thanksgiving. My cousin's going to be there, and he has three feet!

William: Wow! How'd that happen?

Billy: I don't know. My aunt wrote my parents and said, "You won't recognize little Howard. He's grown another foot."



-EVENING WORSHIP-



SMALL
GROUP
MINISTRY

IF UNABLE TO SERVE CONTACT:

Clint Gribble at 607-4278