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**STAFF**

**Pulpit Minister:**  
Richard O'Connor  
**Youth Minister:**  
Travis Byrd  
**Children's Minister**  
Karley Byrd  
**Family Life &  
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Dr. Eben Gilbert  
**Secretary:**  
Pat McClarren  
**Assistant:**  
Glenda Kell

**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

**WELCOME TO  
DEACON'S DAY 2018**

**Morning Worship:**

**Song Leaders: Joseph Stotts and Jeff Vance**

Song

**Welcome: Terry Connor**

Song

Song

**Prayer: Rudie Thomsen**

Song

**Lord's Supper Preside: Tommy Foster**

**Prayer: John Rasori, Kirk Mullican**

**Serve: Michael Simpson, Bob Heffington**

**Serve: Clint Gribble, Josh Chandler**

**Offering & Children's Food Offering**

**Children Dismissed for Wonders Worship**

**Wonders' Teacher: Karley Byrd**

**Installation of new Deacons: Byron Chambers**

**Prayer: Richard O'Connor**

Song

**Devotional: Joseph Stotts**

**Devotional: Pat Carr**

Invitation Song

**Youth Announcements: Travis Byrd**

**Announcements & Prayer: Terry Connor**

Song

**Nursery Attendants: Kim Hollandsworth, Stacey Simpson**

**Nursery Coordinator: Brittany George**

**Serve Coffee: Randy & Glenda Rice**

**SUNDAY EVENING**



**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 5th grade classes are on the 2nd floor.

**Grades 6-12**

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

### Thank-You!

***"And don't forget to do good and to share with those in need. These are the sacrifices that please God" (Hebrews 13:16)***

I just wanted to thank everyone for the great way you responded to our effort to help the victims of Hurricane Florence. The people of the Carolinas will be re-building their lives and homes for some time to come and I'm grateful God has called us to help and share when there is such a need. Thanks to all who brought in items, donated funds for the purchase of items, and those who donated their time and served in receiving items at the gym.

Big thanks to **MaKayla Savage** for her idea to help in this way and directing this project so well. We are blessed at Westwood to have great young families and we are certainly thankful that Daniel and MaKayla are a part of that group! Thanks to and prayers for **Bill & Holly Olsen**, who will be driving the supplies to the Helen Street Church of Christ in Fayetteville, NC on Tuesday. Prayers for their safe trip to NC and their return to us!

If you wanted to give and just forgot, you can still donate today to the relief effort. Just make your check out to Westwood Church of Christ and in the memo put "Hurricane Relief". We will be making a trip to Sam's Club tomorrow to purchase additional items with the monetary donations we have received.

There are many reasons why I love this church; but your willingness to give to those in need is one of my favorites! Thanks for your love for God which no doubt motivates you to love and serve others!

**God is Good**

**Richard**

## Byrd's Eye View



### We need your help!

On Thursday October 18<sup>th</sup>, we will be hosting the Warren County Football team in our building for a meal. Below is a list of things that we need. We will be feeding around 75 coaches and players.

Chips (Enough for 75 people)

Mac and Cheese

Baked Beans

Sweet Tea (5-6 Gallons)

Dessert (Anything you would like to make)

Servers (5-6 People)

Clean-up Crew (5-6 People)

Teens this is a great chance to get any service hours that you may need! A Sign-up list is hanging outside the teen room please sign up for a slot today!

## Eben's Essentials

One of my favorite practical philosophies of life is Stoicism. For one thing, Luke mentioned it in Acts 17 as one of the prominent systems of ethical thought when Paul spoke to the Athenians on Mars Hill. For another thing, it reminds me of Christ's ethical teachings in the gospels. Thinkers like Zeno, Epictetus, and Seneca were associated with it. A Stoic named Marcus Aurelius – from A.D. 161 to 180 – as Roman Emperor, really was the ruler of the civilized world. Yet, he chose to lead a life of utter simplicity and virtue. Stoicism attempted to provide the common man with a peace of mind and an evenness of temperament that would give him mastery over his fears. How ironic that Christians utilized similar teachings from Jesus to sustain them when Emperor Marcus Aurelius persecuted them.

Stoicism extolled the virtues of honesty, prudence and courage as means to a happy life, and to help people achieve a degree of contentment in spite of their troubles. This was also the direction of Christian principles as was the pragmatic observation that those who indulge in hedonistic behavior usually suffer from a malnourished soul.

All good human ethical philosophies derive from the authentic original: God's Word based on God's character. The apostle Paul, following the lead of his Master, wrote in Ephesians 4:31-32, "All bitterness, anger and wrath, insult and slander must be removed from you, along with all wickedness. And be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving one another, just as God also forgave you in Christ."

## Karley's Kids

**This week's Gospel Project lesson is:** Unit 1, Session 5: The Tower of Babel

**Wonders & Class:** Each Sunday when our kids go to Wonders they are getting a review of what they learned in Sunday School the week before. Don't forget there is the Gospel Project App where kids can review, play games and more!

**Family Fun:** Everyone is welcome to come hang out every high school home football game at the youth group tailgate! There is free food and fun! There will be a game this Friday night, October 5<sup>th</sup>. Tailgate starts around 4:30

**Event:** Halloween is just around the corner! Exciting news about our Fall event coming soon!



## WELCOME TO DEACON'S DAY 2108

Following Bible Classes, everyone is asked to stay for lunch, which is provided by our deacons, in our Fellowship Hall. Following our meal, we will be dismissed for Life Groups. Special thanks to all our deacons and their wives for this special day.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Today: Allison Cripps  
Pansy Gant  
Julia Noblin  
Janie Phifer  
Mon.: Ryan Casey  
Jason Jones  
Teela Mason  
Phoenix Simpson  
Kade Thompson  
Wed.: Ellesyn Waldron

Thurs.: Christopher Heffington  
Fri.: Judy Argo  
Jack Byford  
Eric Golden  
Blakely Martin  
Sat.: Aaron Jones  
Abigail McKinley

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Steve & Susan Phillips, 47 yrs.—10/02  
James & Fran Ware, 56 yrs.—10/06

### MISSION KITCHEN October 3rd

Time: Beginning at 5:45pm

Cost: Donations

Menu: Breakfast—eggs, biscuits, gravy, sausage, drinks, desserts  
Providing Desserts: Anne Vance, Grace Reynolds, Tiffany Keeton  
These funds will help our members make trips around the world to share the Good News of Christ.



Prayer Warriors is starting up again for grades Pre-K-12. Forms are available in the vestibule. Parents, please fill out a form for each child you would like to participate. Please return the completed forms, along with a picture to Beth Deason by today.



Westwood's annual Harvest Brunch is set for Sat., Nov. 3rd, beginning at 9am. This year's theme is "Loving God and Loving Each Other". Our guest speaker is Rhonda Lowry with Lipscomb University. Ladies, mark your calendars and start inviting your friends and family for this wonderful morning of fellowship!



Our Food Pantry is getting extremely low, and in need of the following items: Beef Stew, soups, chili, canned meats, canned fruits, green beans, crackers, and oatmeal

## Meeting

Everyone who is going to Honduras in 2019 needs to meet in the Teen Room on Sunday, Octobr 7, immediately following Bible Class. The Honduras trip will be July 15-22, 2019.

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:** Bill & Holly Olsen, as they travel to and from North Carolina to take our Hurricane Relief supplies on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd.

**REMINDERS:** 1). Our clothing room will be open Tues., Oct. 2nd, from 8-10 am. 2). There will be an Elders/Ministers meeting Wed., Oct.t. 3rd, following Bible Study.

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Howard Locke upon his death. His service was held last Thursday at High's.

### IN THE HOSPITAL:

Becky Boaz (cousin of Karley Byrd) - Baptist Little Rock, AR

Lorea Brown (sister of Joyce Maybery, aunt of Patsy and Rick Davidson) - Vanderbilt

Don Dunn (father of Daryl) - Ohio

Isobel Smith (aunt of Ava Gregersen)-St Thomas of Murfreesboro

Perry Stephens (brother-in-law of Linda Hale) - Tennova/Harton in Tullahoma

**REMEMBER:** Jim Barks (father of Christy Green), Catherine Barnes (mother of Gayle Yates), Cliff Brown, Phillip Buckner, Bobby Byrd (grandfather of Travis), Ken Campbell (brother of Jean Martin), Larkin Cantrell (father of Thomas), Leonard "Shorty" Cantrell, Paul Cantrell, Andy Dunn, Wanda Dunn (mother of Daryl), "Tiny" Durham (mother of Jim Durham & Twana Smith), Jim Eisler, Teresa Etherton, Betty Ferguson, Barbara Fraley (mother of Dawn Griffith), Stella Gann, Mary Gilley (mother of Marsha Jacobs), Vada Graham (home), Carolina George (friend of Sheri Garrett), Robert Green, Joyce Griffith (mother of Brent), Jeanine Hagar (former teacher at Boyd), Linda Hale, Aubrey & June Haley, Danny Hanson (father of John), Eloise Hillis (mother of Teresa Cope), Emma Hoover, Johnnie Jaco (tests), Alan Jakes, Chizo & Lena Jones, Sally Jones, Sandra Jones, Don Kelsey, Annette Wilson Kilgore, Tara Lee, Elisa Cooper Luna, Clay Martin (recovering from surgery), Mitchell Madewell (Navy), Shirley Martin (sister of Bob Deason), William McCormack (father of Doug), Gordon Methvin (uncle of Kim O'Connor—Clearwater, FL), Lee-Ann Miller, Nyla Millraney, Avery Nixon, Brian Olive (cousin of Pansy Gant), Marie Padgett, (sister of Janie Phifer), Debbie Pearsall, Kyle Phillips (friend of Cindy Phifer), Maxine Pittman, Chad Rowland, Renee Smith (sister of Thomas Cantrell), Shawn Stewart (son of Bill & Janie), Elizabeth Stubblefield, Angie Surlles, Lexie Turner (16 yr old—surgery Tuesday at Vanderbilt), 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:** Neal Cox, Briggs Davis, Thatcher Dunn (relative of Neil Helton), Staphna Gay, Meghan Higgins, Hugh B. Hillis (cousin of Kelly), Lesa Hillis, Elmer Honeycutt, Christine Khym (sister of Daryl Dunn), Teddy Prater, Wayne Prater, 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:** Hannah Davis, #301; Carolyn McBride, #115; Audrene Sissom #310b; Irene Stembriage #106

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

**Webb House:** Mertie Clemons, #303; Martha Hughes, #309; Louise Locke, #310; Judy Moore, #108; Alene Southard, #601; Clareta Wilcher, #104

**NHC Murfreesboro:** Mzzle Green

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### 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)

### 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, September 23, 2018

AM: 378 Bible Study: 263

LG: 160 Offering: \$8,848.05

Weekly Budget: \$9,377.00

### ON THE LIGHTER SIDE



The Bible class teacher was explaining the Old Testament account of how Lot's wife "looked back" and suddenly turned into a pillar of salt.

Little Susie explained, "My mommy looked back one time when she was driving and she turned into a telephone pole."

## WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

### MONTH OF OCTOBER:

Prepare Lord's Supper: John Rasori

Prepare Coffee: Kelly & Gaye Hillis

PowerPoint: Leon Yoder

### Greeters & Positions 9:00 a.m.

Front Doors: Clint & Hannah Gribble

Auditorium Doors, Left: Joseph & Mendy Stotts

Auditorium Doors, Right: Sam & Gerry Martin

Vestibule, Top: Terry & Twana Smith

**Ushers:** Don Alexander, Neal Cox, Joe Pearson,  
Adam Triplett, Benjamin Clark, John Garrett

**Pick Up Visitor's Cards:** Hank Crabtree, Maverick Smith,  
Jaxton Smith

### WEDNESDAY, October 03, 2018

Announcements: Michael Simpson

Devotional: Wally McClarren

Prayer: Mike Garrison

Song Leader: Jeff Vance

Nursery Attendant: Debbie Jennings

### SUNDAY, October 07, 2018

Welcome: Jeff Golden

Shepherd's Reading: Byron Chambers

Song Leader: Dr. Jeff McKinley

Opening Prayer: Travis Byrd

Lord's Table Preside: David Britton

Prayer: Chris Eisler, Jim Eisler

Serve: Ken Beck, Eric Golden

Serve: Mike Jones, Thomas Cantrell

Lord's Table Nursery: Brooks Helton

Alternates: John Cunningham, Chad Burks, Devin Mason

Sermon: Richard O'Connor

Closing Prayer: Curtis Triplett

Nursery Attendants: Misty Hillis & Laura Carter

Nursery Coordinator: Brittany George

Serve Coffee: Linda Nixon and Lorie Lee

Wonders' Teacher: Karley Byrd

### -EVENING WORSHIP-



SMALL  
GROUP  
MINISTRY

**IF UNABLE TO SERVE CONTACT:**  
Jerry Davenport at 931-808-6745