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STAFF

Pulpit Minister:
Richard O'Connor
Youth Minister:
Travis Byrd
Children's Minister
Karley Byrd
**Family Life &
Counseling Minister:**
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

MORNING WORSHIP

Song Leader: John Hanson
Song #705 A Common Love
Welcome: Terry Connor
Shepherd's Reading: Ephesians 5:25-6:4 Terry Boyd
Song #718 We Shall Assemble
Song #484 You Are My All In All
Prayer: Jerry Davenport
Song #376 He Paid A Debt vs. 1.2
Lord's Supper Preside: Tommy Foster
Prayer: Don Alexander, John Tubb
Serve: Kirk Mullican, Kenneth Mason
Serve: Sam Martin, Kelly Hillis
Lord's Table Nursery: Dyllon Young
Alternates: Jerry Blankenship, Carl Surles, Brent Keeton
Song #376 He Paid A Debt vs. 3
Offering & Children's Food Offering
Children Dismissed for Wonders Worship
Wonders' Teacher: Karley Byrd
Song #659 I Love To Tell The Story
Sermon: Richard O'Connor
Invitation: Elders/Minister
Song #903 There is Power In The Blood
Youth Announcements: Travis Byrd
Announcements & Prayer: Dale Jaco
Song #647 Soldiers Of Christ, Arise
Nursery Attendants: Christy Green, Caroline Crabtree
Nursery Coordinator: Shea Thompson
Serve Coffee: Steve & Susan Phillips
Raintree: John Cunningham, Eric Golden

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

He Was Always Looking, Loving

Jesus' purpose on earth, by His own admission, was to *"seek and save the lost"* (Luke 19:10). He encouraged His disciples in the first century and likewise in the 21st century to follow His lead.

In John 4, Jesus saw a woman and seized the opportunity to teach her about living water. His disciples were perplexed as why he would even speak to her (4:27). Those types of disciples haven't left us. They aren't looking for the lost - at least not her kind. They want the "clean" lost, the easy lost. No messy sins, no past, just good solid citizens looking for a church home. Many today, in dealing with this woman would have sent her in the direction of another church, just so as to rid themselves of the problem. However, Jesus, it seems, was looking just for her! He was much more concerned with her future than her past. And isn't that refreshing? Jesus showed love for a sinner. This, no doubt, enabled her to look ahead to a bright future and not continuing to dwell in her dark past.

Later in this story notice the phrase *"the fields are already white unto harvest"*? (John 4:35) Does Jesus have you picturing a field of grain that is matured and ready to harvest? Maybe that's not what He wants us to see. Notice John 4:30, *"Then they went out of the city and came to Him."* After the woman's testimony, the multitude went to see Jesus. The prevailing color of clothes in that time was white. Dyes to make clothes of a certain color were expensive, so most people could not afford them and so they all wore white. Now picture the *"fields white unto harvest"* again, but this time picture a mass of white clad souls moving in one accord toward Jesus. Makes a difference doesn't it? We must start looking and loving like Jesus so as to not only sow but to reap a harvest of souls for Him!

God is Good!
Richard

Byrd's Eye View



Teen life groups have started back! Please be in prayer for our students and our leaders!



Save the Date! Our Fall Retreat is October 12th-14th. We will be going to New Frontiers Retreat Center in Dowelltown TN (40 minutes away) Sign Ups have started! This is for High school and Middle school students. Sign up on our website!



Thursday October 18th, we will be feeding the Warren County Football team in the gym. We will need help setting up, serving, cleaning up and providing the food and drinks. A sign-up list is outside the teen room.



In September we will meet September 7th and 28th for prayer breakfast at The Store. We meet at 7am. Hope to see you there!

Eben's Essentials

Is it true that only weaklings need Christianity? Freud, Nietzsche, and some others, have written that Christianity is just a crutch for the feeble and inadequate. What can be said in response to this claim?

Those individuals who want to be honest might be willing to ask themselves a few pertinent questions. For instance, just how strong are we? TV news reports indicate the answer to our question: man's inhumanity to man; so called "ethnic cleansing" (i.e., mass murder); kids abused; greed; thinly disguised lust for power. Another honest question is, just how strong am I as an individual? Have you ever wished to be rid of your own personal shortcomings - shameful actions - a self-centered lifestyle - cutting words?

What is the Bible's analysis of human nature? In one word, warped: "The heart is deceitful above all things" (Jer. 17:9). Jesus came to give spiritual healing as well as physical healing. There is only one group of people Jesus is unable to help - the self-satisfied, the proud, the complacent. If you won't admit you are spiritually sick, you probably won't seek healing. It takes strong inner honesty to admit that you need help. Paul wrote: "I can do everything through him (Christ) who gives me strength" (Philippians 4:13).

Karley's Kids



I am excited to share with you our new Children's Ministry logo designed by our very own Deana Jones! Just as our Youth Group has a lantern to remind them to be a light in dark places, our kids are reminded to let their Christian lights shine as well.

If anyone is available to teach Wednesday nights for Kindergarten and 1st grade only in the month of October please let Karley know!

This week's Gospel Project lesson is: Unit 1, Session 2: God Created People



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mon.: Betty Grove	Thurs.: Glen Cannon
Tues.: Paul Bryant	Bowman Stotts
Sally Jones	Fri.: Bobby Cantrell
Glenda Rice	Paula King
Wed.: Baylee Connor	
Dawn Griffith	
Jax Griffith	
Ellie Noblin	



All the ladies of the congregation are invited to a Bridal Tea in honor of Kara Deason on Sunday, Sept. 23rd, from 2-3:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. Kara is registered at Target, Walmart, Southern Traditions, and at myregistry.com.

MISSION KITCHEN September 12th

Time: Beginning at 5:45pm

Cost: Donations

Menu: Taco Bar, drinks and desserts

Providing Desserts: Jamie Jaco, Catherine Bryant

These funds will help our members make trips around the world to share the Good News of Christ.



"BELLES" and "BOWS"! you are invited to an upcoming activity on **September 18th at 5:30pm.** This will be a **Bingo Night at the church** and include ice cream bar with **TOPZ, pizza, drinks, and prizes.** Don't miss this night of fun activities.



DEACON'S DAY 2018 is set for Sunday, Sept. 30th. Following Bible classes, our Deacons will provide us a meal in our Fellowship Hall. Following our meal, we will be dismissed for life groups.

THANK YOU!

The family of Hugh Stubblefield would like to express their sincere gratitude and thanks for all the calls, food, visits and continued prayers during this difficult time. He carried this saying in his wallet and lived it. We want to pass this on to you. "I shall pass through this world but once. Any good that I can do, or any kindness that I can show another human being, let me do it now and not defer it. For I shall not pass this way again."

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Hugh Stubblefield upon his death Sept. 2nd. A graveside service was held last Tuesday at Mt View Cemetery. Hugh was a beloved member of Westwood and will certainly be missed.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Hubert Boyd upon his death Sept. 5th. His service was held yesterday at Westwood. Hubert was a founding family member of Westwood Church and will certainly be missed.

REMEMBER: Jim Barks (father of Christy Green), Catherine Barnes (mother of Gayle Yates), Kathy Boyd (would love cards), Cliff Brown, Pat Brown, Phillip Buckner, Bobby Byrd (grandfather of Travis), Ken Campbell (brother of Jean Martin), Jacob Cantrell, Larkin Cantrell (father of Thomas), Leonard "Shorty" Cantrell, Paul Cantrell, Neal Cox, 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), Danny Hanson (father of John), Joe Harvey, Bettye Haston, Eloise Hillis (mother of Teresa Cope), Emma Hoover, Bailey Hyder (grandson of Terry & Patty Boyd), Alan Jakes, Chizo & Lena Jones, Sally Jones, Sandra Jones, Don Kelsey, Annette Wilson Kilgore, Tara Lee, Elisa Cooper Luna, Clay Martin (recovering from surgery), Gordon Methvin (uncle of Kim O'Connor—in Clearwater, FL) Mitchell Madewell (Navy), Shirley Martin (sister of Bob Deason), William McCormack (father of Doug), LeeAnn 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), Perry Stephens (brother-in-law of Linda Hale), Shawn Stewart (son of Bill & Janie), Elizabeth Stubblefield, Angie Surles, 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), Judie Woodlee (recovering from knee surgery), 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), 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 Stembridge #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; Howard Locke, #607; Louise Locke, #201; Judy Moore, #108; 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 02, 2018
AM: 434 Bible Study: 289
LG: 148 Offering: \$9,571.25
Weekly Budget: \$9,377.00

ON THE LIGHTER SIDE



A husband went to buy a birthday gift for his wife. She was turning forty and was a little depressed about being "middle aged," so the husband wanted to get her something special. At the store, he found some beautiful music boxes. A green one played "Happy Birthday." Thinking they were all the same, he chose a red one, paid for the gift and left.

That evening, the loving husband gave his wife the present. When she lifted the lid, the box played the unmistakable tune, "The Old Gray Mare, She Ain't What She Used To Be."

WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER:

Prepare Lord's Supper: Dwayne & Mindy Jaco
Prepare Coffee: Harry & Dianne DeBoard
PowerPoint: David Britton

Greeters & Positions 9:00 a.m.

Front Doors: Paul & Connie Moore
Auditorium Doors, Left: Robert & Teresa Cope
Auditorium Doors, Right: Ken & Melinda Beck
Vestibule, Top: Jamie & Teresa Stinson

Ushers: Brad Hillis, Glen Cannon, Wally McClarren,
Brooks Helton, Sloan Seymour, Joey Rasori

Pick Up Visitor's Cards: Thomas Burks, Walker Beaty,
Parker Smith

WEDNESDAY, September 12, 2018

Announcements: Rudie Thomsen
Devotional: David Hall
Prayer: Jerry Davenport
Song Leader: Glenn Mitchell
Nursery Attendant: Debbie Jakes

SUNDAY, September 16, 2018

Welcome: Terry Connor
Shepherd's Reading: Terry Boyd
Song Leader: Dr. Jeff McKinley
Opening Prayer: Tim Deason
Sermon: Richard O'Connor
Closing Prayer: Dale Jaco
Lord's Table Preside: Tommy Foster
Prayer: Chris Sullens, John Rasori
Serve: Pete Blankenship, Andrew Williams
Serve: Kyle Thompson, Mark Seymour
Lord's Table Nursery: Brennan Keeton
Alternates: Brent Griffith, Jim Eisler, Devin Mason
Nursery Attendants: Shea Thompson
Nursery Coordinator: Shea Thompson
Serve Coffee: Debbie Jakes, Frances Rutledge
Wonders' Teacher: Teresa Priestley

-EVENING WORSHIP-



IF UNABLE TO SERVE CONTACT:
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