Westwood Mission & Vision Statement

Mission Statement

As a reflection of His grace...we love God, love others, love serving.

Church Habits

- 1. Gather weekly for Worship, Bible Study and Life Groups.
- 2. Give generously of time, talent, and treasure.
- 3. Grow through engagement in a Westwood ministry.

Vision Statement

The vision of the Westwood Church of Christ is for God to help us embody each of the following characteristics as we fulfill our mission to love God, love others, and love serving.

- 1. To personify the refreshing invitation of Jesus (Matthew 11:28-30), reflect his heart as an oasis for the weary, and assure everyone of God's grace, mercy, and redemption, regardless of their past.
- 2. To demonstrate the importance of strong family bonds and a vibrant youth and children's ministry.
- 3. To exemplify the moral and ethical teachings of Jesus and the apostles and build redemptive relationships with others as part of sharing the gospel.
- To exhibit active faith through participation in Bible classes and small groups that equip us to be disciples and make disciples.
- To express genuine community and share faith experiences that allow us to experience the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit (2 Corinthians 13:14).
- To bear witness to the happiness of unity through diversity as together we fulfill our common mission to love God, love others, and love serving.
- To unite around the shared goal of spiritual maturity as each member employs their spiritual gifts to build up the body of Christ.
- 8. To make the teaching about God attractive (Titus 2:10) by the positive difference we make in our community and beyond, and thereby draw others to Him.

Westwood Updates

<u>Sympathies:</u> Our deepest sympathies and prayers are with Carol Grandey (friend of many at Westwood) and family on the sudden passing of her sister, Sheila Bishop.

<u>Updates to the Prayer List:</u> Jean Martin-recovering from a fall, Tucker Lewandowski (5 yr. old cousin of Ashlyn Kelley)-diagnosed with a rare cancer and has started treatments, Cindy Smartt's grandson, Henry– in the hospital.

<u>Treatment List:</u> Avery Currey (son of Sumner Currey), George Mitchell, Jessica Reed (niece of Dianne Gillespie), Cogi Sparkman (daughter of Jean Martin), Mike Steakley.

<u>Mission Kitchen:</u> The menu for this week is chicken salad sandwiches with a salad bar. Remember, donations from Mission Kitchen help fund our very own Food Pantry!

New Ladies' Class: Please join us for a Tuesday morning Ladies' Class, beginning January 17th at 10am here at the church! Mrs. Amy Corley will be teaching "A Wise Woman Builds Her Home" from Titus 2:3-5. Coffee and refreshments will be served.

A/V Class this Wednesday: Nathan George will be leading a training class in the auditorium this Wednesday, 1/18 at 6:30pm for anyone that is interested in helping with our Audio and Visual tech on Sunday mornings. See Nathan for more info!

<u>Celebrate!</u> There will be a drive thru Baby Shower honoring Molly and Stephen Ball on Sunday, January 29th from 2-3pm. They are having a girl, Mae, and are registered at babylist.com.

<u>Congratulations</u> to Wally & Pat McClarren on the birth of their great-granddaughter, Finley Jo. The proud parents are Spencer & Annie Warren, grandparents are Brent & Misty Warren. Congratulations to all!

<u>Save the Date!</u> The Fun Marriage Workshop: September 22 & 23 in the auditorium. More info to come!

Shepherds: Jerry Blankenship, Mike Corley, Neal Cox, Tim Deason, Neil Helton, Jeff McKinley, Glenn Mitchell, Jimmy Priestley Deacons: David Britton, Pat Carr, Jason Cripps, Tommy Foster, Nathan George, Trent Gilley, Chad Graves, Clint Gribble, John Hanson, Dale Jaco, Zac Johnson, Jay Medley, Ryan Moore, Kirk Mullican, John Rasori, Justin Rich, Joseph Stotts, Curtis Triplett, Pieter van Vuuren, Jeff Vance, Adam Wood, Leon Yoder

Youth Minister: Travis Byrd Children's Minister: Karley Byrd



WEEKLY NEWS & GUEST INFORMATION January 15, 2023

Welcome to Westwood

We are honored to have you join us for worship!

New Here? Please scan this code and fill out the information so we can get to know you better. You're our honored guest and we hope you come back soon!



The Kingdom Tapestry: The Fabric of Faithfulness

Weekly Services:

9:30am- Worship Service 10:30am-Bible Classes for All Ages Wednesday Night Classes-6:30-7:15pm

> FOR THE RECORD: January 8, 2023 Worship Service: 345

Contribution: \$7,590 Weekly Budget: \$11,925

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Church Office: Monday-Friday, 8am-12pm & 1pm-4pm

Closed for Lunch: 12pm-1pm www.westwoodchurchofchrist.com

DRDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome & Song Leader: Jeff Vance

Scripture Reading: Jeff Golden Romans 12:1-8

Song #957 This World Is Not My Home Song #797 Lord, We Come Before Thee Now

Prayer: Tim Deason

Song #264 O Come, Let Us Adore Him

Communion Devotional: John Tubb

Song #264 O Come, Let Us Adore Him

Offering Prayer: John Tubb
Dismissal to Kids Cave

Song #648 Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

Message: Dr. Earl Lavender

Invitation Song #669 Take My Life and Let It Be

Announcements & Closing Prayer: Ryan Moore

Song #474 Thank You, Lord

Greeters: (front) Kenneth & Teela Mason

(left side) Randy & Lisa Garrison

(right side)
Don & Kaneal Alexander

Usher: Greg Allen

If unable to serve, please contact Greg Allen at 931-304-3401

Little Lights Nursery: Tonya Mullican & Bobbie Taylor

CHILDREN

Karley: byrd.karley@gmail.com



Join us tonight for the 4th & 5th grade frozen yogurt night at TOPZ from 6-7pm!

YOUTH

Travis:travisb1044@gmail.com



Deadline to sign up is January 29th, see Travis for the sign up link!

CROSSWAY 5:11

Join us today in the Crossway 5:11 room for Bible Class.
We will start with the book of Esther, then move into Cold
Case Christianity in February.

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