

WHITESBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 14, 2023

Weekly Schedule: September 17-23

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Sunday Life Groups: 8, 9:30, and 11 am

Worship Celebrations: 9:30 am Choir & Orchestra led Worship | **11 am** Band led Worship

Livestream: 9:30 and 11 am | [YouTube](#)

Kids' Choirs | Children's Auditorium and Preschool Wing | 5:30 pm

Student Choir | Choir Room | 5 pm

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

Pastor's Daytime Bible Study | South Campus Chapel | **10:30 am**

Wednesday Night Meal | Main Campus (Rooms 102-106) | **4:45-6 pm**

Menu for September 20: Chick-Fil-A sandwich, chips, and a cookie

Student Missions Discipleship: Acteens (girls, grades 6-12) and Challengers (boys, grades 6-12) South Campus | **5:15 pm**

KidCare, Wiggle Worship, & E-Kids | Main Campus Children's Atrium | **6:15 pm**

Student Ministry | South Campus The Zone | **6:15 pm**

Adult Equip Groups | Main Campus | **6:15 pm**

Choir & Orchestra | Adult Choir (Choir Room) and Orchestra (Room 158) | **6:15 pm**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

College Worship | Main Campus | Hangout **7 pm** | Worship **8 pm**

MINISTRY PLAN

Dear Church Family,

We are very grateful for your faithful generosity to support the ministry and mission of Whitesburg Baptist Church. As we have worked to plan next year's financial ministry plan (budget), we are continually amazed at God's goodness and your faithfulness. Please note the following information that will help you to be informed.

Church-wide Distribution – Information will be available to everyone in both Sunday morning services (9:30 and 11) **this Sunday, September 17.**

Church-wide Vote – Following both morning services (9:30 and 11 am) **this Sunday, September 17,** we will vote to approve the Ministry Plan for FY 2023-2024.

Adam Creel, Business Administrator
Tom Massey, Chair, Finance Committee

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Buddies Ministry

Serve with our Special Needs Buddies Ministry! We have a monthly opportunity on Sundays at 9:30 am to serve a child in preschool. To learn more about this ministry, click [here](#). To learn more about this opportunity, please contact our Buddies Coordinator, Alicia Wilkerson, at SpecialNeeds@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

Student Ministry

The Student Ministry is in need of Sunday morning Life Group leaders for both 9:30 and 11 am Life Group hours. If you are interested in serving, please contact the Student Ministry office at 256-704-5678, ext. 201 or email Student@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

Coffee Ministry Volunteers Needed

Are you looking for a place to serve on Sundays? We need volunteers every other 3rd Sunday and 5th Sundays from 7:15-11:30 am. A couple or friend team would work best for this position. For more details, please contact Kim Daniel at 256-704-5678, ext. 712 or Kim.Daniel@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

Serve in Whitesburg Preschool

Do you have a heart for babies, toddlers, or preschoolers? If so, consider serving in WB Preschool! We have 17 new babies due by February 2024, so this is a rapidly growing ministry. Volunteer opportunities are available for a variety of schedules. Contact Interim Preschool Director Tiffany Johnson: Tiffany.Johnson@WhitesburgBaptist.org

CONNECT & GROW

Equip Groups

Wednesdays and Weekdays

Equip Groups for adults are offered Wednesday evenings at 6:15. Wednesday evening activities are available for preschool, children, and students. We also offer a Pastor's Daytime Bible Study on Wednesday morning, as well as morning weekday Equip Groups for men and women. Learn more [here](#).

Wednesday Night Meal | 4:45-6 pm

Main Campus (Rooms 102-106)

Menu for September 20: Chick-Fil-A sandwich, chips, and a cookie

Join us for food and fellowship each week with catered dinners from local vendors! Our Wednesday night meals are provided as a way for our church family to eat together and attend Wednesday night activities in person. No reservations required. Cost is \$7/person (\$25 family maximum).

Stepfamily Conference Cancelled

Due to low registration, this event has been cancelled.



Save the Date: Coffee & Confections

Friday, October 20 | 7-8:30 pm

Ladies, mark this FREE Women's Ministry event on your calendars! More information and registration coming soon!



Our vision is to *Ignite* a movement of authentic followers of Christ by reaching 1,000 people with the gospel and releasing 200 equipped leaders from the next generation for Church leadership by 2028. Learn more at WhitesburgBaptist.org/ignite.



Saturday, October 7 | 10 am-4 pm

South Campus Parking Lot

7300 Whitesburg Drive

The Whitesburg Men's Ministry is hosting a Cruise In for all the car guys and gals in the area! This come-and-go event is open to the community, and anyone is welcome to bring their car or bike and come share their story with other enthusiasts. Grilled burgers and hot dogs will be served from 12 – 2 pm. If you are interested in showing a vehicle, please register by clicking [here](#).



Ignite Master Campus Plan is our ministry resource center for reaching 1,000 with the gospel and equipping and releasing 200 next-generation leaders for ministry.

Thank you for your generosity to the Ignite MCP Offering on September 10! We praise God for His provision of \$11.7M, which includes interest, Ministry Plan contributions, and commitments.

You can stay up to date on the Master Campus Plan progress on our website [here](#).



Tate Farms

October 8 | 4-7 pm

Join us for this annual church-wide fall gathering! Enjoy food trucks, jumping pillows, corn trains, pedal kart track, corn cribs, photo ops, and a hayride to pick a pumpkin.

Pre-register by October 6 to save time from standing in line when you arrive. Walk-up registration will also be available. Cost is \$14 and includes admission and a pumpkin. Infants 1 and under are free.

Pre-register online [here](#).

Progress and Parking Changes

As we prepare for Phase I of the Master Campus Plan (demolition of the old Student Center) we will be erecting a containment fence for safety. Please see the image below for its location, outlined in red. Beginning Sunday, September 24, Entrances 7 and 8 and parking spaces within the fence will be closed. Entrance 6 to the Choir Hallway will still be available.

We look forward to adding additional parking in place of the former Student Center. In the meantime, we continue to encourage church members who are physically able to park at our South Campus and use the door-to-door shuttle, which runs from 7:30 am-12:30 pm.



SYMPATHY & APPRECIATION

Sympathy

Whitesburg Baptist Church expresses sympathy to the following:

- Rosemary and Rick Stone in the death of Rosemary's mother, Ellen Hamilton.
- Ann and Clay Davis II and Clay and Lorelee Davis in the death of their infant son and grandson, Samuel Davis.
- Patsy Pope and the Pope and Milton families in the death of Patsy's cousin.
- Derek Wellington in the death of his father, Robert Earl Brazelton.
- Susan and Scott Springer in the death of Susan's mother, Marjorie Pitts.
- Amber and Clinton Winkles in the death of Amber's grandfather, Fred Vaughn.

Appreciation

The following express appreciation to Whitesburg Baptist Church:

- Tom, Jane, and Joe Roberts are thankful for the lovely flowers, calls, prayers and kindness shown to their family at the death of their father, William Roberts.

PASTOR ON CALL

Each weekend and holiday, one of our pastors serves as the Pastor on Call. If you experience hospitalization, a death in the family, or other emergencies, contact the Pastor on Call by calling 256-881-0952, ext. 811. Please leave a message and your call will be returned as soon as possible.

Pastor on call this weekend, September 15-17: David Loyed

WHITESBURG CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Warrior Window

Stay up-to-date on the latest news at The Academy by reading their weekly newsletter [here](#).

Admissions Tours

Are you interested in your child/children attending The Academy in 2024-2025? Now is the time to start preparing! The Academy offers admissions tours September through December. Register for a tour [here](#).

The Academy will begin accepting online applications for the 2024-2025 school year in January 2024. For consideration, please apply in January. Learn more about WCA Admissions [here](#).

Bus Driver Positions

The Academy is in need of bus drivers to drive for athletic events and field trips. Applicants must hold CDL.

To apply or for questions, please contact AD Assistant Becky Keller: Becky.Keller@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org or Stephanie.McGlathery@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org.

Custodial Positions

Part-time, evening-shift custodians needed for Whitesburg Christian Academy during the school year only. For more information, please contact Michele.Tate@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org.

RECREATION OUTREACH CENTER (ROC)

The ROC is located at our South Campus, 7300 Whitesburg Drive. They offer a gym and a variety of fitness classes, ballet classes, workshops, senior days, and more. Learn more [here](#).

ROC Childcare

Childcare is offered at the ROC on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8-10 am. Reservation is required. Contact Jane Baker at 256-704-5678, ext. 715 or Jane.Baker@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

Woodworking Class

Begins October 16 | 6:30 pm

Whitesburg Woodshop

Learn to make a keepsake box using classic handcut dovetail joinery. Traditional hand tools and modern power tools will be used. This simple, but elegant, box will become a keepsake for generations, but the skills learned will be applicable to a much wider range of woodworking projects. The class will be at 6:30 pm in the woodshop for three consecutive Monday nights, beginning October 16. Cost is \$25. Contact Christy Adams to register at 256-704-5678, ext. 713 or Christy.Adams@WhitesburgBaptist.org. For more technical information on the class, contact Jerry Guinn at 256-683-7181.

INTERNATIONAL WORKER PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the Turley Family. Gil Turley serves as the Director of Finance, Eurasia Region, for Wycliffe Bible Translators.

- Pray for New Testament translation work beginning in the Caucasus area of Russia.
- Praise for seven West Asian languages having New Testaments being printed.
- Pray that Romani teachers will begin using translated scriptures in their classrooms.