



# Winchester Church of Christ

## Regular Assembly Times

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Sunday Bible Class | 9 AM  |
| Sunday AM Worship  | 10 AM |
| Sunday PM Worship  | 6 PM  |
| Wednesday Night    | 7 PM  |

Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8 AM-3 PM

1230 South College St. P.O. Box 715 Winchester, Tennessee 37398

August 21, 2016

### Our Elders...

|               |                          |
|---------------|--------------------------|
| Grady Floyd   | Senior Saints            |
| Oren Huffman  | Involvement              |
| Mike Roggli   | Benevolence              |
| Dick Rumph    | Education                |
| Frank Lynch   | Administration           |
| T. Simmons    | Youth Ministry           |
| Josh Tenpenny | Evangelism<br>& Missions |
| Mike Lynch    | Property                 |

\*Elder-In-Charge: T. Simmons  
308-0942

### Our Deacons...

#### Administration

Joel Slayton  
Ralph Underwood

#### Education

Tony Harrison  
Greg Heatherly  
Terry Rogers

#### Involvement

Kyle Ashby  
Kevin Caroland

#### Senior Saints

Bruce Stewart  
Troy Wells

\*Deacon-In-Charge: Tony Harrison  
409-5315

### Our Ministry Staff...

#### Minister

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## Joe's Jots

**Last Sunday.** We enjoyed a marvelous Lord's Day a week ago. We were blessed by two excellent lessons from our guest speaker Matt Cook. In the worship hour, our auditorium was full with 434 people ready to praise God. There were many visitors in our midst! We prayed for a new baby who was brought to worship for the first time. We welcomed a new couple who placed membership here. A sister in Christ came forward asking for prayers of encouragement. After our fellowship meal and afternoon devotional, I went home full...physically and spiritually! Thank you to everyone who set up, cleaned up, invited friends, welcomed visitors, and anything else to make our All-In-One a truly great day. This family of God is blessed. And God wants us to share those blessings with the people in our community. To borrow some language from our speaker, He wants us to be pipes and not buckets! Let's continue to be conduits of the good news of Jesus.

**Preaching the Prophets.** In Acts 20:27, Paul tells the Ephesian elders, "I did not shrink from declaring to you the whole counsel of God." As your preacher, I want to be able to say the same to you. Therefore, starting next week, I will spend several Sundays preaching on a part of the Bible that I read the least, study the least, and about which I know the least: the minor prophets. In this series, we'll focus our attention on Amos, Hosea, and Micah. These three prophets spoke the words of God in the same time period. This will be a challenging project to be sure. I also believe it will be beneficial as we "let the prophets speak" and hear their words from God in our own time!



**Unity Service.** I am excited about an upcoming event on **Sunday night, October 23.** All churches of Christ in Franklin County (and some beyond our borders) have been invited to take part in a unity worship service. This will take place at our church building at 5 PM and will be followed by finger foods in the Vanzant Center. The purpose of this event is to remind all of us that we are one in Christ Jesus and that we can accomplish more if we work together. Make plans to join us for this special night as the body of Christ in our area gathers together!

**PM Preview:** "The Practice of Paying Attention"  
Exodus 3:1-3 | Joseph Horton

## Church Family Calendar

### Kids for Christ

For 2 year olds to 2nd graders  
Sunday Nights at 6 PM

### American Red Cross Blood Mobile Friday, August 26

Fellowship Room, 1-7 PM

We have been notified that there is an urgent need for all blood types. Please consider donating!

### Unity Service for all Franklin County Churches of Christ

Sunday evening, October 23  
Winchester Church Building

### Trunk or Treat

Sunday evening, October 30

### Fall All-In-One

Sunday, November 13  
Speaker: Craig Evans

## Youth & Family Ministry Calendar

**Prayer Breakfast:** There is a sign-up sheet in the lobby for the fall school semester.

- **August 24:** Pfister, Mann

**Fall Planning:** August 24th we will get together all parents and students to plan our fall semester! Put it on your calendar!

**Fall Retreat at Camp Ney-a-ti**  
October 14-16

## By the Numbers

For the Week of 08/14/16

### Attendance

|                  |     |
|------------------|-----|
| Bible Class..... | 275 |
| AM Worship.....  | 434 |
| PM Worship.....  | 187 |
| Wednesday.....   | 234 |

### Contribution

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|------------------------------|----------|
| Weekly Budget.....           | \$11,042 |
| Contribution.....            | \$12,091 |
| YTD Weekly Average.....      | \$10,938 |
| Coins Collected for WCA..... | \$93     |
| YTD Coins Collected.....     | \$2535   |



## Summer Nights

Brad Harrub will be with us on **Wednesdays** this month. His lessons will focus on the family. Here are the topics:

**Aug. 24:** "Discipline and Roles in the Home"

**Aug. 31:** "Healing Hurting Families"

**Lessons are available on CDs in the office and on our website.**

Refreshments are provided every Wednesday night in the Vanzant Center after Bible classes.

**Aug 24** 20s (Joseph Horton), 30s-40s (Ryan Barry)

**Aug 31** 60s-70s (Mike Lynch, Mike Roggli)

## Coming This Fall

Two new adult classes will be offered on Wednesday nights starting in September.

**Ryan Barry** will be teaching a series called "Stealth Evangelism." Hate door knocking? Come study a new approach to spreading God's Word.

And **Larry Helton** will be teaching a series on the apostles called "Twelve Ordinary Men."

Please sign up for one of these classes in the lobby. We hope you'll plan to join us on Wednesdays!

## New Website

Our new website has been live for a few weeks now. The address is [winchesterchurchofchrist.com](http://winchesterchurchofchrist.com). **There you can find weekly bulletins, sermon and Wednesday night lesson recordings, and much more.** Check us out on the web!

## Thank You Note



Once again, thank you so much for the great time had by all at the pizza party for the Senior Saints. What a blessing it is to us!

Thank you again,  
Senior Saints



## Baby Shower

There will be a baby shower for Camille Stewart  
On Sunday, September 11  
2:00-3:30PM

In the Fellowship Room  
John and Camille are having a boy.  
**Griffin Michael Stewart**  
She is registered at Walmart, Baby R Us and Babylist.com.

## Teacher Meeting

There will be an important meeting this afternoon @ 4:30 in the Fellowship Hall. All teachers of all quarters ages 2yr. olds - 5th Grade are asked to attend.

## Counseling Needs

If you or someone you know is looking for counseling, it is available at Owl Hollow Church of Christ. Some of the services offered are anger management, premarital and marriage counseling, grief counseling, and counseling for adolescents and groups. This service is available on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Saturdays of each month at the church building. Rates begin at \$10. Call 615-604-1602 to schedule an appointment.