

Winchester Church of Christ

Regular Assembly Times

Sunday Bible Classes	9 AM
Sunday AM Worship	10 AM
Sunday PM Worship	6 PM
Wednesday Night Classes	7 PM

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

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

January 7, 2018

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 & Missions
Mike Lynch	Property

Elder-In-Charge: **Josh Tenpenny**
636-2509

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

Evangelism & Missions

Jerry Crownover
John Kelley

Property

Eddie Martin
David Wilkerson

Youth Ministry

Brooks Lynch
Lou Pfister

Deacon-In-Charge: **John Kelley**
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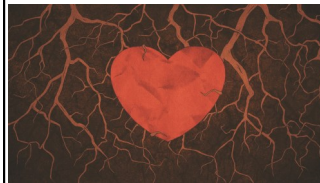
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Welcome to Worship!



Morning Sermon:

For the Love

Ephesians 3:14-19

Love isn't the *only* important theme in the Scriptures, but it is the *most* important. We'll start the year talking about how vital it is that we are "rooted and grounded in love."

PM Preview: This evening at 6 PM, we'll start an off-and-on series called **Pursuing Wisdom: A Study in Proverbs**. Kids for Christ, our program for 2s thru 2nd graders, will resume meeting. Join us tonight!

Baptized Into Christ

We rejoice with Nick Powell and Clara Powell, son and daughter of Mark and Ashlie Powell, who were baptized last Sunday! You can send them a note at 127 Odear Rd. Sewanee, TN 37375.



Joe's Jots

Sunday Morning Preview. For many years, our church logo has featured the tagline "Looking Up, Reaching Out, Growing Together." Starting next Sunday morning, I'm going to spend three weeks looking at these three phrases. We'll discover that this motto sums up the kind of people God has called us to be. In these sermons, we'll reflect on 2017 and set goals for the new year that is upon us. I hope you'll join us for this important series!

Fitness. Many New Year's resolutions involve improving our bodies. We want to eat healthier, lose weight, exercise more, or all the above. These are excellent goals if we are pursuing them for the right motivations. Our bodies are to be dedicated to the service of our God (Rom. 12:1; 1 Cor. 6:13, 20). We should want to keep them strong and healthy for this divine purpose. However, we must carefully guard against worldly motivations for body improvement. Our bodies are vessels to be used by God for his glory, not objects to be worshipped. We care for our bodies so they can become stronger instruments for His service, not so we can impress others with our own strength or ability. By all means, work toward improving your body in 2018. But do it so you can build strength and endurance in working for the Lord!

Church Family Calendar

Elders, Deacons, Ministers Meeting
TODAY at 4:30 PM

Teaching Rocket Workshop
Saturday, January 20

All-In-One w/ Keith Parker
February 4

Church Family Retreat
April 20-22
Camp Hy-lake

All-In-One w/ Freed-Hardeman
President David Shannon
Sunday, April 29

Vacation Bible School
June 10-13

Revive Camp (students 10 and up)
July 1-6

Youth & Family Ministry Calendar

High School Prayer Breakfast
Starts Back January 16
Sign up at the youth board!

Evangelism University
January 12-14

Challenge Youth Conference
February 23-25

By the Numbers

For the Week of 12/31/17

Attendance

Bible Class.....	258
AM Worship.....	359
PM Worship.....	186
Wednesday.....	191

Contribution

Weekly Budget.....	\$11,500
Contribution.....	\$13,930
YTD Weekly Average.....	\$11,896
Coins Collected for WCA.....	NA
YTD Coins Collected.....	\$4,214

Teaching Rocket

This teacher's training workshop, which is open to all, will be on Saturday, January 20 from 9 AM to 2 PM. The instructor is Michael Whitworth. The workshop is free and lunch will be provided. Free childcare will also be provided! To attend, you must sign up at the bulletin board in the lobby by Sunday, January 14. Here's the schedule:

9 AM Session 1
The Goals of an Education Program

10:30 AM Session 2
Preparing and Delivering a Lesson

11:30 AM Session 3
Keys to Better Bible Study

12:15 PM Lunch (provided)

12:45 PM Session 4
Classroom Dynamics

1:30 PM Session 5
The Teacher's Spiritual Life

Thank You

Thank you so much for the fruit basket. It was a treat to have the carolers come and sing and visit. My church family means so much to me.

In Christian love,
James Boyd

Thank you to all those who sent Christmas cards especially the ones with pictures of your children. I loved them all! I had a wonderful Christmas and hope to see you all soon.

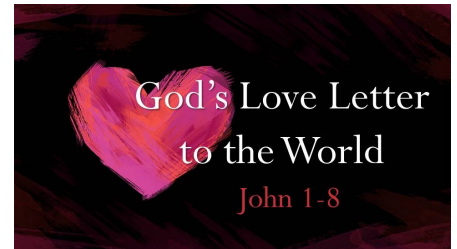
Love to all,
Ruth Julian

New Arrival

Congratulations to **Greg & Cheryl Heatherly** on the birth of their first grandchild, **Cormac Heatherly**. He was born Tuesday morning, weighed 9 lbs. 6 oz., and was 22 inches long. Proud parents are **Huston and Sarah Heatherly**.

Wednesday Adult Classes

Join us for one of these two adult classes on Wednesdays at 7 PM!



Peru Care Package

Mike, Dianne, and Lori Bass will be sending a care package to Mitchel and Rachel Routh in Peru the **2nd week of January**. If you would like to write a note of encouragement or send something, please bring it to the church office!

Come & Go Diaper Shower

For **Christie Toombs**
Thursday, January 11, 6:30-8 PM
at the home of **Dodie Caroland**
272 Sugar Leaf Circle
Winchester, TN
It's a boy!

His Word Books

We are still waiting on His Word devotional books to arrive. When they do, we'll make them available for those who signed up in the lobby!

WCA News

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January 8: School starts back!