

Regular Assembly Times

Sunday AM Worship **9 AM Sunday Bible Classes** 10:15 AM Sunday PM Gathering 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

Our Elders...

Kyle Ashby Kevin Caroland Greg Heatherly Oren Huffman John Kelley T. Simmons

Spiritual Growth Involvement, Seniors Building/Grounds, AV Admin., Benevolence Missions Youth & Family Outreach

Our Deacons...

Dan Walker

Administration John Miller

Audio/Visual **Brian Garland** Joel Slayton

Josh Mason Outreach **David Cowan**

Missions

Josh Mason Troy Wells

Benevolence **David Cowan** **Senior Saints** Troy Wells Kerry Chasteen

Building/Grounds Lucas Green Brandon Vann David Wilkerson

Spiritual Growth Kerry Chasteen Ric Roberts

Involvement Jordan Lusk Brandon Vann Youth & Family **Brian Garland** Lucas Green Jordan Lusk John Miller

Nov. Elder-In-Charge: Greg Heatherly Nov. Deacon-In-Charge: Ric Roberts

Our Ministry Staff...

Minister Joseph Horton

Youth & Family Minister **Daniel Ross**

Office Secretaries

Brooke Gipson (Monday - Tuesday) Katie Baggett (Wednesday - Friday)

Mission Works We Support...

World Christian Broadcasting

Adam & Melanie Barr Scotland **Brad & Melinda Harrub** Stateside C.o.C. Disaster Relief Stateside Huntland Iglesia de Cristo Local Keith & Sandra Parker Stateside Mt. Dora, Potter, & Tipton Stateside Children's Homes Rainbow Omega Inc. Stateside Randy & Kathy Short Brazil

Welcome to Worship! November 19, 2023



Strong & Stronger | Luke 11:21-23 9 AM Sermon: 6 PM Preview:

Counting Our Blessings in 1 John | 1 John 1:1-4

Welcome!

Last week, we shared that Michael Walker had met with the elders to identify with our church family. We welcome him! He is the son of Mike & Barbara Walker. His contact info will soon be available in the church directory app.



Joe's Jots

Thanksgiving. President George Washington proclaimed a day of thanksgiving in 1789, but for many decades after, each state scheduled its own Thanksgiving holiday at different times. That all changed on October 3, 1863 when President Abraham Lincoln made a proclamation that set apart the last Thursday of November as a national day of Thanksgiving. [Since 1941, it has been celebrated on the fourth Thursday.] Lincoln's proclamation is worth reading in full, but here's what he wrote after enumerating the many blessings experienced by our country: "No human counsel hath devised nor hath any mortal hand worked out these great things. They are the gracious gifts of the Most High God, who, while dealing with us in anger for our sins, hath nevertheless remembered mercy. It has seemed to me fit and proper that they should be solemnly, reverently and gratefully acknowledged as with one heart and one voice by the whole American People." Thanksgiving affords Christians the opportunity to not only consider the blessings of living in this great land, but more importantly to thank God for the blessings of belonging to His eternal kingdom. The Psalmist declares, "Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good. His love endures forever" (Psalm 136:1). I hope you have a blessed Thanksgiving and that every day you take time to say, "Thank you, Lord!"

My Family Books. The Week 47 plan: "Teaching Our Children to Be Spiritual Leaders"

Mon., Nov. 20 Fathers Guard the Door (p. 278) Tues., Nov. 21 Mothers Provide a Home (p. 279)

Aspire That They Learn to Teach Themselves (p. 280) Wed., Nov. 22 Thurs., Nov. 23 Give Them Inspirational Images (p. 281)

Fri., Nov. 24 Always Let Them See You Sweat (p. 282)

Stay In Touch

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Church Family Calendar

Friendsgiving for WYG Families TODAY, Sunday, Nov. 19 @ 11 AM Fellowship Room

Senior Saints Thanksgiving Lunch TODAY, Sunday, Nov. 19 @ 11 AM Vanzant Center

Kids for Christ (2s-2nd Grade) TONIGHT, Sunday, Nov. 19 @ 6 PM

Thanksgiving Eve Devotional
This Wednesday, Nov. 22 @ 7 PM
All classes meet in the auditorium!

Church Office Closed for Thanksgiving This Thurs. Nov. 23 & Fri. Nov. 24

Women's Church Volleyball Game Tuesday, Nov. 28 @ 6 PM Winchester CP Church

Praying with Paul Series Concludes Wednesday, Nov. 29 @ 7 PM

Service Sunday
Sunday afternoon, December 17
Stay tuned for more details!

Red Cross Blood Mobile Friday, December 29, 1-7 PM

By the Numbers

For the Week of 11/12/23

Attendance	
AM Worship	361
Bible Class	
PM Worship	NA
Wednesday	

Contribution

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Weekly Budget	\$13,157
Contribution	\$14,866
YTD Weekly Average	\$13,935
Coins Collected for WCA	\$58

Youth & Family Ministry

What's coming up....

- Friendsgiving is TODAY after Sunday school!
- The Garden will meet upstairs for the special Thanksgiving service this Wednesday night.
- Prayer Breakfast for high school students is every Thursday at 7!
- Youth-Led Worship will b next Sunday night, Nov. 26!
- P.H.I.T.H. (Praise Him In The Hallway) will take place on the fifth Wednesday of the month (Nov. 29). WYG will gather in the youth hallway during The Garden for a time of singing. It's based off the saying, "Until God opens the next door in my life, I'll praise Him in the hallway."

Thank you for your continued support of this ministry!

-Daniel

Kids & Teens Classrooms

Here are class locations for Sunday mornings and Wednesday nights...

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Cradle Roll	Room 207
2 Year-Olds	Room 205
3s	Room 204
4s	Room 202
5s & K	Room 201
1st	Room 203
2nd & 3rd	Room 103
4th & 5th	Room 107
Middle School	Fellowship Rm.
High School	Youth Room

Sunday School Adult Classes

Here's info for the fall quarter, which is currently underway!

Group Location/Teacher

<u>Group</u>	<u>Lucation/Teacher</u>
20s/30s	Room 104
	Jordan Lusk
30s/40s	Room 102
	Various Teachers
40s/50s	Room 106
	Kevin Caroland
50s/60s	Auditorium Wing
	Frank Lynch
60s/70s	Room 216
	Mike Roggli
Senior	Room 214
Saints	Oren Huffman

We Extend Sympathy...

To **Kathy Judge** on the loss of her mother, **Jean Tigue**. This is also the grandmother of **Kaley Lea**. Her service was held on Tuesday.

Thank You Note

Just a short note to let all of you know how much your cards, texts, phone calls, but most of all your prayers have meant to us since our journey began in June. We feel every prayer every time we have a doctor's appointment, test or bloodwork. Tony's bloodwork and tests have been reassuring, but we still have a long way to go.

Blessings of Love, Tony & Lynn Cunningham

Food Service Ministry

Food service coordinators for November are Stacey Chasteen, Gaye Kelley & Etha Underwood.

Revive Christian Counseling

We are thankful to have a counseling practice located at our building and led by our own **Alex Courington!** Alex offers individual, family, marital, and premarital counseling. These services are provided at a discounted rate for our members. Here's the website: revivechristiancounseling.org.

Sermon Notes for Kids

Every Sunday, we provide handouts our kids can use during worship to help them stay engaged. Please grab one for your child by the bulletins in the main lobby!

WCA News | 967-5466

The WCA administration and board are pleased to announce that the NCSA Accreditation Review Team that visited our school recently has recommended that we be accredited for five more years. Thank you for the continued prayers and support for WCA!