

WHITESBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2022

WEEKLY SCHEDULE: NOVEMBER 27-DECEMBER 3 SUNDAY SCHEDULE

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 & 11 am [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)

Student Choir: 4:00 pm Student Choir (Choir Room)

Kids' Choirs: 5:30 pm Children's Wing

WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

Wednesday Night Meal, November 30 | Main Campus (Rooms 102-106) | 4:45-6 pm
Menu for November 30: Pizza and salad

Student Missions Discipleship: Will resume in January 2023.

Equip Groups at Main Campus: 6:15 pm All Ages

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

THURSDAY SCHEDULE

College Worship: 7:00 pm Food & Hangout | **8:00 pm** Worship

SERVE

Go Team Missions Interest Meeting

Wednesdy, November 30 | 5:15 pm

Main Campus Café 246/Room 107

Anyone wanting to learn more about the Hungary 2023 Go Team is invited to attend an Interest Meeting! We also have Go Teams headed to Central Asia and Williamsburg, KY next year. For more information on these trips, please contact the Missions Office at 256-881-0952, ext. 279 or chrissy.curtis@whitesburgbaptist.org.

Notes of Joy

Sunday, December 4 | All morning

North and South Lobbies and Children's Atrium

Stop by a table before or after worship on December 4 to bless a local teacher with words of encouragement. For more information, contact the Missions Office at 256-881-0952, ext. 279 or chrissy.curtis@whitesburgbaptist.org.

Free Neighbor Prayer Resource

Our church subscribes to Bless Every Home, a free resource which allows you to pray for your neighbors by name. You can create a free account at <https://blesseveryhome.com>

Whitesburg Mission Offering: Share the Joy

December 4, 2022 - January 1, 2023

The Whitesburg Mission Offering benefits the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering (80%) and Whitesburg missions (20%). Our goal is to give \$425,000. Pray how God may lead you to worship through giving this Christmas.

Week of Prayer for International Missions

December 4-11, 2022

The Week of Prayer for International Missions is annually observed by SBC churches to pray for missionaries, their ministries, and the unreached people and places they serve. Prayer is the fuel for spiritually sustaining missionaries in places where the gospel is greatly needed, but often opposed. Prayer Guides are available online here, as well as on our app. Paper copies are available at the Missions Center outside the Worship Center.

Women on Mission Meeting

Tuesday, December 13 | 11:30 am-1:30 pm

South Campus Hearthside Room

Women on Mission (WoM) is a missions discipleship group of the Women's Missionary Union, designed to equip adult women to become active disciples of Christ as they live on mission for Him. Bring lunch at 11:30 to fellowship; the program begins at noon. Learn more about WoM here.

For more information, contact WoM Coordinators Barbara Glenn (256-508-6190) or Karen Brown (256-651-0941).

CONNECT & GROW

Wednesday Schedule

In recognition of the importance of the Thanksgiving holiday and to allow our church time for family and rest, Wednesday Equip Groups and other activities will not meet tonight, November 23. Wednesday Meal and Equip Groups will resume November 30, which will be the last Wednesday of the fall semester.

Wednesday Meal November 30 | 4:45-6 pm

Main Campus (Rooms 102-106)

Join us for a catered meal and fellowship before Equip Groups! Cost is \$7 per person; \$25 household maximum.

Menu for November 30: Pizza and salad

Joy: Christmas at Whitesburg

Prepare to celebrate the joy of Christmas through storytelling, music, and teaching! Find more information online [here](#).

Bethlehem Breakfast

Saturday, December 3 | 8 am

Families with infants through fifth graders are invited to experience the first Christmas in a fun, interactive way, as they walk through different scenes and hear the story from costumed Bible characters. Sign up for your free ticketed time slot [here](#).

Hanging of the Green

Sunday, December 4 | 5 pm

Led by a 150-voice student choir and a 50-piece orchestra, Hanging of the Green includes a mixture of contemporary and traditional Christmas carols for listeners of all ages. This is not a ticketed event.

Winterlude

Sunday, December 11 | 5 pm

Celebrate the joy of Christmas through instrumental carols, featuring four grand pianos, our own Little Big Band, and more, all highlighting the meaning of Christmas. This is not a ticketed event.

Cookies & Cocoa

Sunday, December 11 | Following Winterlude

Enjoy fellowship and Christmas treats, available in the North, South, and Student Lobbies following Winterlude.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Services

Saturday, December 24 | 4 & 5:30 pm

An intimate family celebration of the birth of Christ, including Christmas carols, a devotion, and a candlelight moment.

Upward Basketball Evaluations

Thursday, December 1 | 5:30-7:30 pm

Saturday, December 3 | 9-11 am

South Campus ROC

Online registration is now open [here](#). Cost is \$90. Practices begin the week of January 23, 2023. Games begin February 4, 2023. For more information, contact Joyce Calvert at 256-704-5678, ext. 714 or joyce.calvert@whitesburgbaptist.org

RECHARGE: Young Adult Retreat 2023

Friday-Sunday, January 6-8, 2023

Camp ToKnowHim, Pisgah, AL

Young adults are invited to study Scripture and dive into topics such as resting in the Lord, sharing the Gospel, and understanding their relationship with the Holy Spirit. The weekend will also include workshops, hiking, outdoor and indoor games, a bonfire, and more. Cost is \$100 through December 11 and \$120 through December 31. Register online [here](#). Contact Bailey Long with questions: (256) 881-0952, ext. 201 or Bailey.Long@WhitesburgBaptist.org

Marriage for a Lifetime Class

Begins Sunday, January 8, 2023 | 9:30 am

Main Campus

Engaged and newly-married couples are invited to a six-month marriage class led by Suk and Molly Fields and Ron and Alison Huskey. Explore how to address challenges new couples face from a Biblical perspective. The class will meet weekly on Sundays at 9:30 am, January 8 through June 25. To sign up or for more information, contact Debbie Davis: 256-881-0952, ext. 222.

APPRECIATION

The following people express appreciation to the church family:

- Dianne Lyle, Jan Caldwell, Mary Ann and George McCrary and their families are so thankful for the prayers, flowers, cards, text messages and love shown at the death of Dianne's mother, Delvenor King.
- Theron and Susan Ruff are thankful for the beautiful flowers and encouragement given at the death of Susan's mother, Leann Roth.
- The family of Fulton Barksdale is thankful for the flowers and sympathy given at his death.
- Nancy Hill is so thankful for the beautiful flowers and support of the church family at the death of her husband, Danny Hill.
- The family of Jon Rogers is thankful for the generous donation in his memory to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta.

PASTOR ON CALL

Each weekend and on holidays, 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.

WHITESBURG CHRISTIAN ACADEMY HIGHLIGHT

WCA Christmas Arts Trail

Saturday, December 3 | 5-8 pm

Whitesburg Christian Academy, 7290 Whitesburg Drive

This third-annual event will include food trucks, a live nativity, Christmas displays, holiday shopping, visual arts, student performances, and the lighting of the Christmas tree at 5:30 pm.

INTERNATIONAL WORKERS OF THE WEEK

Taylor and Marci James

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- Pray for the whole family, as they transition to a different culture and new season of life during their furlough in the U.S.
- Pray for Marci's mom, who is recovering from a stroke.