

# week at a GLANCE

at Whitesburg Baptist Church

	Churchwide	Preschool & Children	Students	College & Young Adults
<b>Daily</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mornings Devotions Live:</b> Join one of our pastors live each weekday at 7 am for a morning devotional on our Facebook page.</li> <li>• Life Groups for all ages meet throughout the week. Text "Group" to 256-344-0023 to find a group.</li> </ul>			
<b>Sundays</b>	Online Worship Gatherings at 9:30 am	Wiggle Worship Online at 10:30 am		College and Young Adult Life Groups on Zoom* at 10:45 am
<b>Mondays</b>		Brain Break Challenge for Preschool and Children Live on Facebook at 11 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High School Boys Bible Study at 4:00 pm on Zoom*</li> <li>• High School Girls Bible Study at 5:30 pm on Zoom*</li> </ul>	Missional Mondays at 7 am on YouTube/Whitesburg College & Young Adults
<b>Tuesdays</b>	Discussion Guides for looking in-depth at Sunday's sermon with your family, small group, or friends are emailed out and posted online by 4 pm	Children's Virtual Life Groups on Zoom* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grades 1 &amp; 2 from 2 - 2:30 pm</li> <li>• Grades 3 - 5 from 10 - 10:30 am</li> </ul>	The Extravagantly Reoccurring Power Half Hour: Tuesday Flavored at 4 pm on YouTube/Whitesburg Students	
<b>Wednesdays</b>		Brain Break Challenge for Preschool and Children Live on Facebook at 11 am	Bible Talk with Tyler and Tyler at 4 pm on YouTube/Whitesburg Students	College Virtual Community Group at 6:30 on Zoom*
<b>Thursdays</b>	Email Updates are sent out and posted on the website by 4 pm		The Extravagantly Reoccurring Power Half Hour: Smells like Thursday at 4 pm on YouTube/Whitesburg Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• H3 - aligning our HEAD, HEART, and HANDS to be and make disciples at 11 am Live on YouTube and Facebook/Whitesburg College &amp; Young Adults</li> <li>• Young Adult Virtual Community Group at 6:30 pm on Zoom*</li> </ul>
<b>Fridays</b>		Brain Break Challenge for Preschool and Children Live on Facebook at 11 am		

**\*Zoom meeting information may be acquired from the hosting ministry at 256-704-5678, extensions below:**

**Preschool:** Lacey Simpson, ext. 240 and Tiffany Johnson, ext. 245

**Children:** Laura Kay Richardson, ext. 247 and Tiffany Johnson, ext. 245

**Students:** Tyler Holland, ext. 246, Tyler Twombly, ext. 218 and Bailey Long, ext. 201

**College and Young Adults:** Tyler Clift, ext. 204 and Bailey Long, ext. 201

**Adults:** David Loyed, ext. 220, Sue Ansley, ext. 243 and Debbie Davis, ext. 222

Or email at [firstname.lastname@whitesburgbaptist.org](mailto:firstname.lastname@whitesburgbaptist.org)

## THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 2020

### CONNECT

1. Join Us For Worship Sundays at 9:30 am
2. Worship DVD's
3. Daily Words of Hope and Encouragement

### GROW

1. College & Young Adults Secret Church
2. Contribution Statements
3. Ladies' Simulcast
4. Giving

### SERVE

1. Food Share Report
2. Academy Position Available
3. Annie Armstrong Easter Offering
4. Meeting Needs

### Hello Whitesburg family,

As you are aware, recently the President released a road map for helping states begin the process of reopening and recovering from the physical and economical effects of COVID-19. The process will happen in three phases. Phase One plans for Alabama have been released and will tentatively begin May 1.

As we have studied the plan for reopening and recovery, it has become clear that social gatherings for larger crowds will not occur until the later phases. Based on the information we have at this time, it will be difficult to effectively implement Whitesburg's summer activities. After prayerful consideration, the pastoral staff has determined that it is in the best interest of the church to focus our primary energy in helping our church connect in worship, Life Groups, and ministry to those in need. We will forgo summer activities for 2020. This includes VBS, student camp, high school mission trip, weekday in-person Bible studies, Upward flag football – all summer activities.

Whitesburg will resume ministry in two phases. Phase I begins today and will be known as "Re-Engage." Our focus is on preparing a safe, successful, and meaningful return of the church body once the restrictions for social gatherings are lifted. The pastoral staff is putting in place the proper safety protocols that will enable us to do this effectively. This includes proper greeting practices, cleaning, disinfecting all areas of the campus, and ensuring social distancing measures are in place. As we receive more information, we will make determinations about gathering sizes and times. We will also monitor and encourage those who fall into high-risk categories to continue to shelter in place and take advantage of our continuing online opportunities.

Phase II is our Fall Launch 2020. In this exciting phase, we will move into our newly renovated Worship Center at the Main Campus. On May 3, Pastor Darryl is going to provide a detailed overview of the renovation project during the 9:30 am online worship service. His report will include live video and a timeline for completion.

For now, we will continue our online presence for worship and Life Groups until we can physically reunite.

We love you! We miss gathering with you. We are here for you. Call us if we can be of help or service to you in any way. We continue to pray that God will overwhelm you with His peace, power, and presence as we continue to trust Him during these uncertain days. God bless you!

### CONNECT

#### 1. Join Us For Worship Sundays at 9:30 am

Join us for Worship Sundays at 9:30 am. We now have 3 platforms to choose from for our online worship gatherings: [Livestream](#) (through our website or the Livestream app), [Facebook Live](#), or on our [YouTube](#) channel.

Tip: if you have any device (Apple TV, Google Chrome, Amazon Fire Stick, or even many DVD players) on your TV that connects to WiFi, you can watch us on your television by downloading the YouTube app to your device.

#### 2. Worship DVD's

We are now providing DVDs of the worship service for members who do not have internet access. If you know a member that would like to receive a copy of the service each week, please notify the church office at 256-881-0952.

#### 3. Daily Words of Encouragement

Join one of our pastors live each weekday at 7 am for a morning devotional on our [Facebook](#) page. The devotions are posted later in the day to [YouTube](#) for those who do not have Facebook.

## GROW

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### 1. College & Young Adults Secret Church This Friday, April 24!

Secret Church is a unique, one-night event that is simulcast to participants around the world. This year's topic is "God, Government, and the Gospel". This event is free to view, but we encourage everyone to register for a study guide to follow along. Cost for the study guide is \$10.

Digital PDF study guides are available upon registration!! Follow along from anywhere!! Register here: <https://bit.ly/3cAATNT>

### 2. Contribution Statements

First Quarter Contribution Statements are going out via email and regular mail (if there is no email on file.) Please be on the lookout for yours and let Adam know if you have any questions.

### 3. Ladies' Simulcast Event

*Going Beyond* Simulcast with Priscilla Shirer - A global Bible-teaching event, Saturday, April 25, 9 am – 12:30 pm. Only \$20 per person (Scholarships available).

[Click here for more details at Lifeway.](#)

### FOLLOW UP DISCUSSION GROUPS

After *Going Beyond* is over, let's continue that female conversation! We're making plans to develop small discussion groups which will most likely begin the following week via Zoom, Facebook, FaceTime, email, etc.

Details and sign up for the groups coming soon at [whitesburgbaptist.org/women](http://whitesburgbaptist.org/women).

### 4. Giving

Our church is blessed by your faithfulness and generosity in giving, especially during these difficult times. There are four ways you can make your contribution: Online, text, mail and in person.

#### GIVE ONLINE -

- Go to <http://www.whitesburgbaptist.org/give>.
- Click on "New Giving Platform."
- Follow the on-screen steps to input your financial information.

**GIVE VIA TEXT** - Text "Give2WBC" and the amount you would like to give to: 73256. You will be sent a link, follow the prompts to complete your giving.

**GIVE VIA MAIL** - Mail your financial gift to:

Whitesburg Baptist Church, ATTN: Business Administrator, 6806 Whitesburg Drive, Huntsville, AL 35802

**GIVE IN PERSON** - Stop by the church during office hours (see below) and leave your offering in the box on the entry console.

Contact Adam Creel at 256-704-5678, ext. 234 or [adam.creel@whitesburgbaptist.org](mailto:adam.creel@whitesburgbaptist.org) if you have questions or need assistance.

## SERVE

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### 1. Food Share Report

Last week at our drive thru Food Share event, we helped 36 families with groceries. Church family, thank you for your generosity, even in these uncertain times. To God be the glory.

### 2. Academy Position Available

Whitesburg Christian Academy is accepting resumes for a part-time upper school art teacher. Please email resumes to [TheAcademy@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org](mailto:TheAcademy@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org).

### 3. Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

Each year at this time, we collect a special offering to support Missions in North America. In the same ways you have been faithful in your giving since we have been in these unique circumstances, you can also support our missionaries serving in North America. As you give online, via mail or dropping off in the office, you can designate what portion of your gift is to go to the Annie Armstrong Mission Offering. We will be collecting this offering through the end of April before sending it to the North American Mission Board.

### 4. Meeting Needs

If you need assistance or know of someone that needs the church's assistance during this time, contact the church at [pastor@whitesburgbaptist.org](mailto:pastor@whitesburgbaptist.org). Please include any information that would be helpful. One of our pastors/staff will reach out to you.

### Temporary Office Hours for Main Campus & Pulaski Pike Campus

Until further notice, the church office hours will be: Monday - Thursday 9:30 am - 3 pm , Friday 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

The South Campus is temporarily closed.