

Whiteland Church of Christ

Sunday, September 23, 2018

Elders

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Order of Worship

Bible Hour – Following communion, elementary aged children are invited to participate in a lesson geared toward their age groups in the library (exit the back of the auditorium then to the left). **Babies & Toddlers** – There is a staffed nursery/toddler room following communion (exit the back of the auditorium then to the right).

~ All children can be picked up at the end of worship. ~

Call to Worship – Stan Davis

74 Praise the Lord

Welcome – John Fletcher

Prayer – Chris Turnmire

18 Faithful Love

346 He Lives

Communion & Offering – Sam Miller

396 No Not One

Scripture Reading – Jeff Dannemiller (1 Timothy 3:8-12)

Message – Ronnie Hewitt

“Qualities of a Deacon”

Invitation – 916 What a Day That Will Be

(Elders & Minister Upfront)

Announcements & Closing Prayer

1016 This Little Light of Mine

PLEASE

Silence your
cell phone



Assistive
Listening
System
Available

Guests

Welcome and know that we are thankful you have chosen to worship with us today! Please stop by the Welcome Table in the foyer for additional information and to provide us with a record of your attendance. If there is anything we can do for you, or any questions we may answer, please let us know. Again, thank you for choosing to worship with us!

Upcoming

Sept	
25	Visitation Group
28	All Church Cook-Out & Bonfire
Oct	
5-6	Father & Son Campout
9	Visitation Group
13	Men's Breakfast
14	Love Feast
23	Visitation Group
27	Women's Brunch & Fall Festival
Nov	
10	Men's Breakfast
11	Love Feast (Thanksgiving)
17	Thanksgiving Baskets
24	Women's Brunch TBD
30	Family Movie Night

Celebrations

Birthdays

- 23 – Cindie Cottingham
- 24 – Hannah Hewitt
- 27 – Christian Magner



Anniversaries

- 24 – Randy & Gina Sowder (14 yrs)
- 27 – Justin & Kate Spence (10 yrs)

We need teachers for the next quarter. Sunday morning teachers for the nursery & K-3rd and then Wednesdays for K-3rd & 4th-6th. If you're interested in helping, please see Angie Turnmire.

PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!



we believe in the power of prayer & are a praying family. if you have a need, please let us know. You can fill out a prayer request form at the Welcome Table or send us an email at: prayerrequest@whitelandchurchofchrist.com.

Wanda Weaver was taken to Johnson Memorial Hospital Wednesday evening. Her potassium levels were low, and her calcium level was high.

Mickey McDaniel is in China for work. Pray for his safety while he is away the next 3 weeks.

Brenda Lind recently had cataract surgery and will be having some more done.

Linda, long-time friend and mentor of Kara Littleton, and Director of Spring Mill Bible Camp, has been diagnosed with cancer and it has spread to her lymph nodes.

Oredith, friend of Della Turnbill, is passing. She has been given a few days. Please pray for her and her loved ones.

Willis Good, friend of Angie Turnmire, has been diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

Chloe, Shelby Henderson's friend, has been suffering with seizures.

Our prayers and love are extended to the family of our brother, Robert Jones. He suffered a heart attack and passed away Tuesday evening. Please keep Stephanie and all his children and family in your prayers as they travel to Texas. His funeral service is going to be in Dallas on September 29th.

Serving this Week

Greeters: Lonnie & Helen Shoopman

Nursery: Rachel Hewitt & Lori Fletcher

Bible Hour: Kayla Green

(next week: Jenna Eilert)

Shut-in Communion: Chris Turnmire

Cleaning 9/27-9/29: Turnmire

Ladies' Bible Study

The Ladies' Bible Study, Growing in Godliness, has started up again. We meet on Thursdays at 3pm here at the building. Alternatively, we offer the same class on Sundays at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

Visitation Group

The visitation group meets again Tuesday, Sept 25th at 7pm at the Tichenor's. All are welcome!

All Church Cook-out & Bonfire

Join us on Friday, September 28th for an all church cook-out & bonfire at 6:30pm. Bring meat to grill for you & your family and side items to share with everyone. Bring your lawn chairs and yard games. We'll have s'mores too! This is a perfect opportunity to invite others. All are welcome!

Father & Son Campout

Join us Friday-Saturday, October 5th-6th for our annual campout. All men (and boys) are encouraged to join us for a time of devotion with our Father, as his sons, and fellowship with one another. For those not wishing to brave the elements outside overnight, you're more than welcome to sleep inside. Please sign-up on the involvement board.

Men's Breakfast

All men (and boys) are encouraged to join us on Saturday, October 13th at 9am for breakfast, fellowship & a short devotional. We meet in the Fellowship Hall.

Love Feast

Join us for Love Feast on Sunday, Oct 14th immediately following morning worship. Bring a covered dish and invite others.

Women's Brunch

All women (all ages) are invited to join us for brunch, fellowship and devotional on Saturday, October 27th at 10am. We meet in the Fellowship Hall.

Fall Festival & Food Drive

Join us Saturday, October 27th for our Annual Fall Festival. The Fall Festival includes games, face painting, food, trunk-or-treat and plenty of FUN for the entire family. New, this year, we will be accepting non-perishables to help go towards our annual Thanksgiving baskets. See the volunteer sign-up sheet on the Involvement Board in the foyer.

Love Feast Con't...

After Nov, we will be taking a break for the winter so be sure to make our next two coming up! We'll resume in March.

Discipleship Demands Self-Denial | Mike Riley

Matthew 16:24, Then said Jesus unto his disciples, "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me."

Thus, discipleship demands self-denial. That means putting God above emotions when we must choose between God and family. It means putting God before self when we really want to do something that God forbids. Self-denial means willingly obeying a command of God though we do not see why it should be necessary. In this sense, self-denial is human sacrifice. It is self-offered to God on the altar of unconditional obedience. Regarding this idea, Paul emphatically stated: *"Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God--this is your true and proper worship."* (Rom 12:1, NIV)

All Christians must first offer themselves to God in simple obedience. We must love God enough, trust him so completely, submit our will to His will so thoroughly, and anchor ourselves in hope so securely that we will do anything He says — simply because He says it.

The apostle Paul made this commitment of self-denial: *"I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me."* (Gal 2:20)

As followers of Christ, we must be willing to crucify self. The question is, "Are we willing?"

What's Happening Around Town?

Marriage Matters with Jim & Donna Faughn

Hosted by the Stop 11 Church of Christ

Friday, Oct 12 (7pm) & Saturday, Oct 13 (9-12pm) with a light lunch to follow. Registration is not required but is appreciated. To register or ask questions, email: stop11roadchurchofchrist@gmail.com or call 317-853-9032. More information on the main bulletin board.

Ladies' Day at Southeastern Church of Christ

Theme: "Finding Joy in Every Season"

Saturday, Oct 27th from 8:30-1pm

Registration and light breakfast at 8:30am and ending with a lunch. Pre-registration is encouraged. To register, call 317-352-9296. More information is posted on the main bulletin board.

Building Lights and Security

When leaving areas not occupied and/or leaving the building, please be sure all lights are turned off. In the auditorium, be sure that the light switches are pulled all the way down; they should click.

The Fellowship Hall doors will be locked at the beginning of each worship service (Sun 10:30am & 5pm and Wed 7pm). Re-entry will be through the main doors at the foyer.

Facility Use

Did you know you can use the building for special occasions or borrow tables & chairs?

To check on availability, and to reserve a time, please see George Hewitt or email him at george@whitelandchurchofchrist.com.

Schedule of Services

Sunday Bible Study 9:30am

Sunday Worship 10:30am & 5:00pm

Wednesday Bible Study 7:00pm

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For the Record

Last Week's Attendance

Sun AM Bible Class	n/a
Sun AM Worship	123
Sun PM Worship	53
Wed PM Bible Class	35

Last Week's Contribution

\$4524



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