

WHITESBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

NOVEMBER 9, 2023

Weekly Schedule: November 12-18

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

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 and 11 am | [YouTube](#)

Student Choir | Choir Room | **5:15 pm**

Kids' Choirs | Children's Auditorium and Preschool Wing | **5:30 pm**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Pastor's Daytime Bible Study | South Campus Chapel | **10:30 am**

Wednesday Night Meal | Main Campus (Rooms 102-106) | **4:45-6 pm**

Menu for November 15: Marco's cheese or pepperoni pizza with a side salad

Student Missions Discipleship: Acteens (girls, grades 6-12) and Challengers (boys, grades 6-12) South Campus | **5:15 pm**

KidCare, Wiggle Worship, & E-Kids | Main Campus Children's Atrium | **6:15 pm**

Student Ministry | South Campus The Zone | **6:15 pm**

Adult Equip Groups | Main Campus | **6:15 pm**

Choir & Orchestra | Adult Choir (Choir Room) and Orchestra (Worship Center) | **6:15 pm**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

College Worship | Main Campus | Hangout **7 pm** | Worship **8 pm**

IGNITE

Our vision is to Ignite a movement of authentic followers of Christ by reaching 1,000 people with the gospel and releasing 200 equipped leaders from the next generation for Church leadership by 2028.



Igniting Gospel Conversations

Are you seeking to reach 1,000 people by starting gospel conversations with the people in your circles? We want to hear how you are spreading the good news! Stop by the map outside the Worship Center and place a sticker where your conversation happened. We love seeing the stickers increase each week!



Master Campus Plan Update

The Master Campus Plan is our facility resource tool for reaching 1,000 with the gospel and equipping and releasing 200 leaders. We are currently completing MCP Phase 1. The demolition site is cleared, as shown above. Our most up-to-date rendering of Phase 2 is shown below.

We look forward to adding additional parking in place of the former Student Center. In the meantime, we continue to encourage church members who are physically able to park at our South Campus on Sunday mornings and use the door-to-door shuttle, which runs from 7:30 am-12:30 pm.



To learn more about Ignite and our Master Campus Plan visit WhitesburgBaptist.org/Ignite

CONNECT & GROW

Equip Groups

Wednesdays | 6:15 pm

Equip Groups are offered Wednesday evenings for adults and cover a variety of topics to equip you to grow in your walk with Christ. Wednesday evening activities are offered for preschool, children, and students.

We also offer weekday Equip Groups for men and women, as well as a Pastor's Bible Study on Wednesday mornings at 10:30 am in the South Campus Chapel or 6:15 pm in Main Campus Room 106 (Old Fellowship Dining Hall). To view the full Wednesday and Weekday Equip Group schedule, click [here](#).

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Parent Child Dedication

Sunday, November 19

During 9:30 and 11 am Worship

Main Campus Worship Center

1. Submit your information online [here](#).
2. Once your form is submitted, please email a photo of your child to Tiffany.Johnson@WhitesburgBaptist.org.
3. **Today is the registration deadline!**

Parent-Child Dedication is a special occasion for members of Whitesburg Baptist. If you are not a member and are interested in participating, please contact Preschool Director Jessie Castillo at (256) 881-0952, ext. 240 or Jessie.Castillo@WhitesburgBaptist.org.



STAFF ANNOUNCEMENT



Retirement Celebration for Deree Tarwater

Sunday, November 19 | 2-4 pm
South Campus Atrium

Join us for a come-and-go reception honoring Women's Ministry Director Deree Tarwater. Come show your appreciation for her faithful years of service at Whitesburg Baptist Church.

POSITION OPENING

Childcare Workers

The Preschool Ministry has openings for one or two paid childcare workers for special events. Please call (256) 881-0952, ext. 245 for more information.

FRIENDSGIVING College & Young Adults

This Sunday, November 12 | 6 pm

South Campus Fellowship Dining Room
7300 Whitesburg Drive

FRIENDSGIVING 2023 is a special time where college students and young adults have the opportunity to gather together and celebrate their thankfulness in this season. There will be a free Thanksgiving-style meal, music, and fellowship! Attendees are encouraged to invite their international friends, roommates, friends, and coworkers to join them. Register [here](#).

KIDS NIGHT OUT

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10

6:00PM-9:00PM

Drop Off

Your Children Ages
Birth - 5th Grade

\$10/kid or
\$20 family max

Friday, November 10 | South Campus
7300 Whitesburg Drive

KIDS NIGHT OUT IS COMING!! THE BIG KIDS WILL BE LOCKED AND LOADED FOR AN EPIC NERF WAR AND THE PRESCHOOLERS WILL TROT INTO THANKSGIVING WITH LOTS OF FUN FALL FESTIVITIES!!

[Click here to register.](#)

SERVE

Operation Christmas Child

We celebrate that you have collected more than 1,000 shoeboxes to be sent to children around the world!

If you did not get a chance to deliver your box, we are offering an extension period through this Sunday to bring your box to the church. You can learn more on our website [here](#).



Neighbor November

As we seek to be faithful witnesses in our circles of influence, let's be intentional to make a ministry touch with at least one neighbor this month. Remember, you can't have gospel conversations if you don't have conversations, and we want to help you take that step. Stop by a table in the lobbies beginning this Sunday to pick up a Christmas ornament and then deliver it to a neighbor as a way to connect with them. We pray that the Holy Spirit will use these connections for more gospel conversations and people coming to know Christ!

Women on Mission

Tuesday, November 14 | 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

South Campus Hearthside Room

All ladies are invited to hear guest speakers, Gene and Lynn, international workers with the Central Asia affinity group. Bring your own lunch and enjoy a time of fellowship before the speakers share.

Coffee Ministry Volunteers

Help provide some warm coffee to our church family on Sunday mornings! Volunteers arrive at 7 am to brew coffee and set up four stations. Clean up usually wraps up by 11:45 am. Volunteers are needed on the first Sunday of the month and every other third Sunday, as well as substitutes. A couple or team usually works best for this position. Contact Kim.Daniel@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

CHRISTMAS AT WHITESBURG

We will hold one combined morning Worship Celebration on Sunday, December 24 and Sunday, December 31 at 10 am.

Life Groups will not meet on these days.

BETHLEHEM BREAKFAST

Saturday, December 2 | 8-10:30 am

Main Campus Entrance 9

Whitesburg Preschool and Whitesburg Kids invite families with infants through fifth graders to experience the first Christmas. Families will be guided through scenes, where costumed Bible characters will tell the story of Christ's birth. Your children will be enthralled with the interactive storytelling, and your whole family will make special Christmas memories. The morning will end with each child receiving a gift and everyone being treated to a breakfast buffet. This event is free, but tickets are required. Sign up for your ticketed time slot online [here](#).

Hanging of the Green

Sunday, December 3 | 4 or 6:30 pm

Main Campus Worship Center

Join the Student Choir for the annual Hanging of the Green worship concert. The 150-voice middle and high school choir will be joined by a 50-piece orchestra as they present a powerful service of poignant music and narrations for the season, punctuated by dazzling lighting and video features. These talented young vocalists will present a variety of Christmas carols and contemporary pieces for every generation to enjoy. From the soft beauty of a candlelight moment to soaring congregational pieces, you will be pointed to King Jesus, who came quietly to Earth to save and will return one day in power. Tickets are not required. Doors will open 30 minutes prior to each service.

WINTERLUDE

Sunday, December 10 | 5 pm

Main Campus Worship Center

Join the Whitesburg Baptist Church Music Ministry for the annual Winterlude Concert. This Whitesburg tradition includes four grand pianos; a fifteen-piece Big Band; and special guest, Larry Panella, on saxophone. Festive carols in a variety of styles will give you Christmas cheer as they point you to the deeper joy found in Christ Jesus. Tickets are not required. Doors will open at 4:30 pm.

NORTH AMERICAN WORKER PRAYER REQUESTS



**Jacob and Amanda Ambrose
Boston, MA**

- Pray for the Spirit's guidance and confirmation of planting location.
- Pray for relationships that are being built and for opportunities to share the gospel.
- Pray for their kids in their new schools.

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Sunday, December 24 | 5 pm

Main Campus Worship Center

Families, little ones, single adults, and all are welcome to this intimate church family gathering, where we will sing Christmas carols and hear a devotional from our pastor. The service will last approximately 45 minutes.

SYMPATHY & APPRECIATION

Sympathy

Whitesburg Baptist Church expresses sympathy to the following:

- Kitty Hobbs in the death of her twin sister, Marilyn Mote.
- Blain Thomas and Ashley in the death of their wife and grandmother, Donna Thomas.

Appreciation

The following express appreciation to Whitesburg Baptist Church:

- The family of David Czachurski thanks the church for the love, prayers, and beautiful flowers sent at his death.

WHITESBURG APPAREL

We have a limited supply of WBC apparel available for sale at the Church Office.

- \$10 for T-Shirts
- \$15 for Ball Shirts
- \$20 for Hoodies

All proceeds go to WBC Missions. If interested, please contact Rebecca.Halverson@WhitesburgBaptist.org and Kelsey.Swords@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

PASTOR ON CALL

Each weekend and holiday, 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.

Pastor on call this weekend, November 10-12: Tyler Holland.

RECREATION OUTREACH CENTER (ROC)

The ROC is located at our South Campus, 7300 Whitesburg Drive. They offer a gym and a variety of fitness classes, ballet classes, workshops, senior days, and more. Learn more [here](#).

Upcoming Closing

The ROC will be closed this Saturday, November 11 during the Student Ministry High School Retreat.

ROC Childcare

Childcare is offered at the ROC on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8-10 am. Reservation is required. Contact Jane Baker at 256-704-5678, ext. 715 or Jane.Baker@WhitesburgBaptist.org.

Travel with Senior Day at the ROC

April 8-12, 2024

Adults are invited to travel with Senior Day at the ROC for a trip to Historic Savannah, GA; Beaufort, SC; and Jekyll Island. Cost of \$736 includes double-occupancy lodging, transportation, tours, breakfasts, dinners, and entertainment. Learn more [here](#). For questions or to sign up, please contact Mary McMahan-McWhorter, host on behalf of Diamond Tours: 256-603-2351 or mrymcm95@gmail.com.

WHITESBURG CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Whitesburg Christian Academy Fine Arts Presents

The Fourth Annual

CHRISTMAS ARTS TRAIL

DECEMBER 2
5-8 PM



5:30 PM
CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

FOOD TRUCKS KIDS' CORNER
HOLIDAY SHOPPING LIVE NATIVITY
VISUAL ARTS STUDENT PERFORMANCES



Warrior Window

Keep up with happenings at the Academy in their [weekly newsletter](#).

Admissions Tours

Are you interested in your child/children attending The Academy in 2024-2025? Now is the time to start preparing! The Academy offers admissions tours through December. Register for a tour [here](#).

The Academy will begin accepting online applications for the 2024-2025 school year in January 2024. For consideration, please apply in January. Learn more about WCA Admissions [here](#).

Bus Driver Positions

The Academy is in need of bus drivers to drive for athletic events and field trips. Applicants must hold CDL.

To apply or for questions, please contact AD Assistant Becky Keller: Becky.Keller@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org or Stephanie.McGlathery@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org.

Custodial Positions

Whitesburg Christian Academy has a full-time custodial position open. School day hours are 3-11 pm. Hours on days outside of school are flexible. For interest, contact Don Weston: Don.Weston@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org or 256-704-7373, ext. 1264.

Also, part-time, evening-shift custodians are needed during the school year only. For more information, please contact Michele.Tate@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org.

Tennis Coaches

Whitesburg Christian Academy needs JV Tennis Coaches. For more information, please contact Michelle Tate: Michelle.Tate@WhitesburgChristianAcademy.org