

# WHITESBURG BAPTIST CHURCH WEEKLY UPDATE

OCTOBER 17, 2024



## Weekly Schedule: October 20 - 26

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

8, 9:30, and 11 am **Sunday Life Groups**

9:30 am **Choir & Orchestra led Worship** | [Livestream on YouTube](#)

11 am **Band led Worship** | [Livestream on YouTube](#)

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

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

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23

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

4:45 - 6 pm **Wednesday Night Meal** | Main Campus Old Fellowship Dining Hall

*Chick-fil-A sandwich, chips, and cookie.*

5:15 pm **Acteens & Challengers** | South Campus

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

**Pastor's Evening Bible Study** | Main Campus Old Fellowship Dining Hall

**Adult Equip Groups** | Main Campus

**Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal** | Main Campus

### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24

6:15 pm **Young Adult Community Group** | South Campus

7 pm **College Worship** | Main Campus

## COMING UP

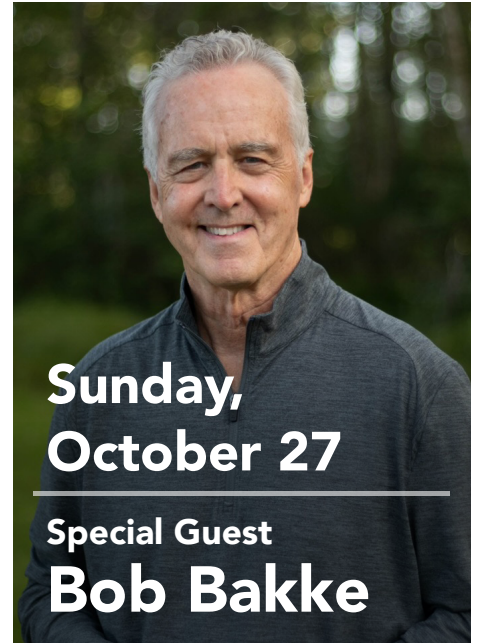
### Whitesburg Baptist Christian School 35th Annual Fall Picnic Saturday, October 19 at 4 pm | South Campus Pavilion

All current WBCS families, WBCS alumni and their families, and previous administrators and teachers are invited to attend. Bring a dish to share and backyard games to play! Please RSVP by [clicking here](#).



### Operation Christmas Child October 20 - November 10

Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes are coming - pack a shoebox and help us reach our goal of 1500 total boxes! Pick up a shoebox beginning Sunday, October 20 in the North Connector, South Lobby, Atrium, and the ROC entrance. Drop off boxes in the same locations October 27 - November 10. [Learn more here!](#)



Sunday,  
October 27

Special Guest  
**Bob Bakke**

### Morning Worship Services and Evening Concert of Prayer

On Sunday, October 27, we will welcome special guest speaker Bob Bakke for our morning and evening services. Bob has been a pastor, historian, published author, and producer of national television and radio broadcasts. He is a founding member of *OneCry*, a national coalition seeking revival and spiritual awakening in the American church. Bob and his wife, Sally, have four married children and 10 grandchildren.

On Sunday evening, Bob will lead us in a Concert of Prayer. The word *concert* refers to mutual agreement and coordination. Bob will teach about how to agree together in prayer towards the purposes that God has for our lives and for our church. The Worship Ministry will lead us in times of praise and personal reflection, and the evening will include a concerted effort of prayer for our nation and the upcoming election.

## Hurricane Helene: Coat & Blanket Collection

Now - October 20, 2024

Help in the Hurricane Helene relief efforts by donating new or gently used coats in any size, kids & adults, and/or blankets.

- Sunday drop off location: the Missions Center, outside of the Worship Center.
- Donations may be brought to the church offices on week-days, Mon-Thurs 8 am – 5 pm & Friday 8 am – 1:30 pm.

**The Pray Huntsville event planned for Saturday, October 19 has been postponed.**

## Operation Christmas Child Go Team Interest Meeting

Wednesday October 23 at 5:30 pm

Café 246, Main Campus

Join us for this informational meeting if you are interested in the Operation Christmas Child Go Team in December. We will help with the next step of the OCC shoebox process as we sort boxes at their Atlanta processing center before they are shipped around the globe. This is a great opportunity for adults to sort and prepare shoeboxes to be shipped.



## Creating A Masterpiece

**Women's Creating a Masterpiece Craft Event**  
Friday, November 1 | South Campus

Join us for our Women's Craft Event! Come fellowship and meet other women as we create a masterpiece.  
[Click here to register!](#)

## Lord's Supper Sunday

Sunday, November 3 at 9:30 and 11 am

Main Campus Worship Center

We will observe the Lord's Supper in both morning services on Sunday, November 3. If you are unable to attend in person, you may pick up elements from our church receptionist during regular office hours, Mon-Thurs 8 am – 5 pm & Friday 8 am – 1:30 pm.

## Pastor on Call

Each weekend, one of our pastors serves as the Pastor on Call. If you experience hospitalization, a death in the family, or other emergencies, please leave a message at 256-881-0952, ext. 811 and the pastor will call you back.

**Pastor on Call this weekend, Oct. 18-20: Timothy Statton**

## Women On Mission

Tuesday, November 5 from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

South Campus Hearthside Room

Join us for our international study on Central Asia, followed by lunch! We will study more about this area, introduce some of the missionaries, and learn how we can pray for them. You don't want to miss our annual International Missions Luncheon as we sample various foods from Central Asia. No RSVPs required! For questions contact Barbara Glenn, 256-508-6190 or Karen Brown, 256-651-0941.

## Hope for the Holidays Dinner

Thursday, November 7 at 6 pm

South Campus Fellowship Dining Room

If you have lost a loved one this year, Pastor Darryl Craft invites you and your family to the Hope for the Holidays Dinner. The evening will feature special music and a message to encourage and remind you that you and your family are not forgotten during this holiday season. Please RSVP for dinner and free childcare no later than noon on October 31, by calling 256-881-0952, ext. 211 or emailing [beverly.dishman@whitesburgbaptist.org](mailto:beverly.dishman@whitesburgbaptist.org).



## COMMUNITY NIGHT OF Worship

NOVEMBER 8 • 7 - 8:30 PM  
IN "THE ROYAL" AT STOVEHOUSE

## Community Night of Worship

Friday, November 8 at 7 pm | "The Royal" at Stovehouse

Join us for a Community Night of Worship at Stovehouse! No registration required. Come early to grab dinner, shop, and invite other patrons to join you for worship. Invite cards will be located at each of the Worship Center entrances.

Childcare will be provided at the church by Kids Night Out, for children birth - 5th grade. Registration is required for childcare. Pick-up is at 9 pm sharp. Cost: \$10 for the first child, \$5 for each additional child. [Click here for childcare.](#)

## Widows and Single Senior Ladies

### Thanksgiving Luncheon

Monday, November 11 at 11:30 am

South Campus Fellowship Dining Room

All widows and senior single ladies are invited to our annual Thanksgiving Luncheon, held in their honor. We will enjoy a traditional Thanksgiving meal, music, and a word of encouragement. To make your reservation, call 256-881-0952, ext. 211 or email [beverly.dishman@whitesburgbaptist.org](mailto:beverly.dishman@whitesburgbaptist.org).





FOOD, FUN, & FELLOWSHIP WITH ALL GENERATIONS.

**College & Young Adult Friendsgiving**  
Sunday, November 17 at 6 pm  
South Campus Fellowship Dining Room

FRIENDSGIVING 2024 will be a special time where we have the opportunity to gather together and celebrate our thankfulness in this season! We will have a FREE Thanksgiving style meal, music, and fellowship! Invite your international friends, roommates, friends, and co-workers to join us!  
[Register here!](#)

**Save the date for Christmas events!**

**Bethlehem Breakfast December 7**

**Hanging of the Green December 8**

**Winterlude December 15**

**Worship Concert December 22**

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Service December 24**

**Journeys of Paul Tour 2025**  
Europe | October 10-24, 2025

Journey with Darryl and Vicki Craft on a 15-day tour, revisiting the sites of the journeys of the Apostle Paul, which includes visits to Athens, Ephesus, Rome, and more! Final pricing is expected in December 2024. For more information about the trip and how to get on the list, please contact Melissa in the Pastor's Office at 256-704-5678, ext. 224 or [melissa.schuster@whitesburgbaptist.org](mailto:melissa.schuster@whitesburgbaptist.org).



**Parent/Child Dedication**  
Sunday, November 24  
9:30 and 11 am Worship Services  
Main Campus Worship Center

Parent/Child Dedication is a special occasion for Whitesburg members to commit to model following Jesus and to teach salvation through faith in Jesus Christ, the sufficiency of the Bible, and the importance of committing to a church family. The deadline to register is November 12.

[Click here to register!](#)



**WHITESBURG**  
CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

**Warrior Window**

Stay up to date with Academy news in the latest edition of the Warrior Window newsletter by [clicking here!](#)

**Cross Conference 2025**  
January 2-4, 2025 | Louisville, KY



All high school seniors, college students, and young adults are invited!

We have a limited number of tickets, and a discounted rate of \$250 is available for a *limited time!* A \$50 deposit holds your spot so [click here to register now!](#)

\$250 (now-Oct. 31) • \$275 (Nov. 1-30) • \$300 (Dec. 1-15)  
Price includes conference tickets, hotel, meals, and travel costs!

**Whitesburg values a passion for loving, honoring, and glorifying Jesus!**

*Learn more about our eight Core Values online.*

### Master Campus Plan

Phase 2 construction progress is on schedule. Stairwell towers and block walls around the 3-point court in the student hangout area are under construction, helping to visualize some building details. The first floor concrete has been poured and additional building structure will be visible by the end of October.

Thank you for your financial support of our Ignite Vision as we work together to complete Phase 2 of our MCP by September 2025.

[Stay updated at WhitesburgBaptist.org/mcp](http://WhitesburgBaptist.org/mcp)

