

**\*THOSE WHO SERVE FOR SEPT. 27, 2009\***

**COMM TO HOSP:** Tyler Mosley, Oscar Martin & Farris Tidwell  
**COMM N HOME:** Jerry Western, Cory Goodman & Colton Pickard  
**USHERS:** Lee Duke, Dennis Donaldson, and Rusty Aldridge & Andy Dawson  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** David Pickard  
**LEAD SINGING:** William Western  
**LEAD PRAYER Opening: Danny McCulley Closing:** David Pickard  
**PRESIDE COMMUNION:** Dennis Donaldson  
**SERVE:** Harry Butler, Frank Hawkins, Mike Jones, Melvin Lovell, Dean McKaskle, David Osborne, Brij Ramgopal & Mike Shouse  
**COMMUNION TO SHUTINS:** Jay Wilkins, Duane Robnett, Donnie Wills & Adam Griffin  
**DOOR GREETERS:** #1. Tom & Alda Jackson #2. Lee & Kim Marlow #3. Melvin Lovell & Duane Robnett #4. David & Tammie Karnes #5. Brent & Kelly Welch #6. Ann Heath & Joan Jones  
**SUNDAY NIGHT: LEAD SINGING:** William Western  
**OPENING PRAYER:** Carl Wood **CLOSING:** James Baker  
**SERVE TABLE:** Wayne Hooper & Donnie Wills  
**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SINGING:** Cory Goodman  
**COMMUNION SEPTEMBER:** Debbie Couch & Marilyn Wilkins  
**SEPTEMBER FOOD CALL:** Jessi Adams & Julie McKaskle  
**WASH LINEN:** Debbie Johnson  
**NURSERY:** Tammie Crick & Lori Goodman  
*Sunday September 20, 2009 Attendance 263 Contribution 6193  
Sunday School 127 Mid-week 215*

**A Prayer For Our Elders**

“Our Father, let me be a pillar of strength to our elders, not a thorn in the flesh to sap their strength, nor a burden on their back to pull them down.

Let me support them without striving to possess them. Let me lift their hands without placing shackles upon them. Let me give them aid that they may devote time to saving others and less time to gratifying my vanity.

Let me see them as shepherds of the whole flock, not compel them to spend precious time bragging on me. Let me be unselfish in what I do for them, not selfish in demanding that they do for me. Let me serve church more, happy that they serve me less. Let me receive not an accusation against them except at the mouth of two or three witnesses. Help me to be merciful in judgment upon them - for I have never walked in their shoes. Help me, Lord, to be a Christian at all times that their work may be made easier and my own soul may be brought close to Thee. In the name of Christ Jesus our Lord is this petition offered unto Thee. Amen.”

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**Evangelist:** Doug Couch 973-9652

**Youth:** Tom Todd 446-1043

**Minister:** Every Member

**Custodian:** Melton Jack 797-5097

**Sunday:**

Bible Classes 9:00am

A.M. Worship 10:00am

P.M. Worship 5:00pm

Children's Bible Hour 5:00 pm

Class for grades 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>

(Located in Room # 4)

Wednesday 7 PM Classes for everyone

Thursday Ladies Bible Class 10:00 am

“Search for Truth”

Sun. morning 7:00 – 7:30 WUXP 30

“Good News Today” GBN

Sun. morning at 7:30 am – 8:30. WUXP 30

Screen announcements:

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Web Address [www.whitebluffchurch.org](http://www.whitebluffchurch.org)

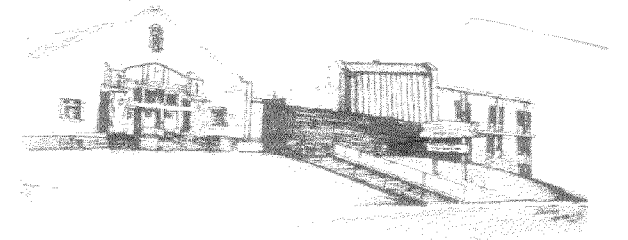
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**WHITE BLUFF  
CHURCH OF CHRIST**

**September 27, 2009**



**The Importance of Fellowship**

Is it important for Christians to gather together regularly? Hebrews 10:25 tells us that we should never get out of the habit of gathering together with one another so that we can encourage each other as the days pass waiting for Jesus to return. (“Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another -- all the more as you see the Day approaching.”)

**Add-a-dish Fellowship Lunch after morning Worship  
Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>.**

**Brother Philip Goad**

**from**

**Heritage Christian University**

**Sun. Sept 27; 9:00 a.m. Bible Class hour**

**and at the 10:00 Worship Service.**

**Justin Rumford will preach at our 5:00 evening  
Worship service.**

## PRAYER LIST

Those being treated for cancer are: **Kelsie Karnes, L.D. Larkins, Freddie Travis, Kenneth Tucker, Kerry Hall, Gene Hailey, Charles Cocke** (Sue Duke's nephew), **Anthony Bennett** (Jerry & Adelaide Butler's son-in-law) **Jenny McDonald** (Henrietta Bradford's sister), **Charles Tiffany** (Joan Butler's brother), **Kathy Oberbay** (La Hooper's mother), **Patricia Martin** (Teresa Willis' mother) and **Lyla Hampton** (daughter of Jed & Leslie Hinkle Hampton). **Maddie Willett**, a student at WBES is battling a rare type of cancer. **Kim Petty** is being treated for lip sarcoma. Her parents are B.M. & Sally Petty and a cousin of Ann Heath. **Sue Newby's** cancer has reoccurred (Shamron Jackson's mother). **Todd Morgan** has a malignant tumor on his optical nerve and carotid artery. His wife has a beauty shop next to Steve Wallick's office.

**Nina Parker** (Laurie Parkers mother-in-law) is now at Waverly Health Care and Rehabilitation Center, 895 Powers Blvd., Waverly, TN. 37185. **Horace Turbeville** is now home. **Barbara Pickard** is home recuperating from hip replacement surgery. **Sharon Hailey** has swelling in her legs and feet. She is scheduled for a biopsy on her back soon. **Sandra Welch** (Velva Stacey's daughter) has recently had back surgery and is home recovering. **Ruth Nicholson** has been sick and has been having tests run. **Melissa Wallick** fell and broke her leg, ankle and foot. She had surgery Sept 19 and is now home. **James Cauthen's** back surgery will be rescheduled due to fever. **Jean Larkins** is now home from Horizon. **Richard and Bobby Phillips** and **Mary Smith**. **Tina Hale** (Janet Osborne's sister) is having some tests run. **Horace Turbeville** is now home. **Charles Tiffany**, Joan Butler's brother has cancer and is in very serious condition in a hospital in New York. **Dale Sullivan** is having tests in Houston, Texas.

### And Continue to Remember

**Eddie Anderson** (Greg Anderson's father), **Olivia Apa** heart transplant, **Byno Batey, Dartha Bull, Kenny Bass, Rita Cannata, Clara May Cathey, Chantel Chumney, Theresa Dabb, Doug Dudley** (Nancy's son), **Mabel Donaldson, Louise Dotson, Buddy Driver, Danny Gossett, Evelyn Godwin, Phyllis Green, Bessie Griffin, Lena Hartman, Carl Hay, Patricia Howse, E.C. Hooper, Mildred Karnes, Mary Sue Larkins, Justin Littrell** (Joanne Rist grandson's friend), **Hessell Lovell** (Melvin's brother), **Karene & Russ Moore, David and Judy Mosley, John Moore** is in Walter Reed Hosp, **Novella Nash, Linda Odom, Nina Parker** (Laurie Parker's mother-in-law), **Sarah Reeves, James Reynolds** (Jonathan Reynolds' brother), **Andrew Rist, John A. Spicer** (Mary Spicer's son), **Kenneth Stokes, Elizabeth Willis** (Darth Bull, Tom & James Jackson's sister), **Vivian Witherow, Nancy Woods** and **Alma Worley**.

**Al Allen**, 3672 Hwy 70, Centerville, TN 37033, **Gloria Jackson**, 720 Old Charlotte Rd # 6, White Bluff. **Shirley Boling**, 682 Hicks Rd, Dickson, 37055. **Roberta Chandler** (Joanne Rist's mother), 6665 Beacon Lane, Nashville 37209. **Duke Gregory**, Manchester Health Center, 395 Interstate Dr, Manchester, TN 37355. Room 408. **Julia Michael**, Wesley Manor, rm FG35, 155 N Main St, Frankfort IN 46041-1199. **Billy Nash**, 1223 Hwy 47 E, White Bluff. **Andrew Pack**, 4106 Hwy 70, White Bluff. **Maurice Stuart**, PO Box 6, White Bluff. **Avrel and Birdie Brumfield** (Glenda Bull's mother and father) 81 Township Rd 1354, Crown City, OH 45623-8702. **Dot Herren**, her address is PO Box 419, Norris TN 37828.

You can visit Kelsie's website at [www.caringbridge.org/visit/kelsiekarnes](http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/kelsiekarnes).

You can visit Kerry's website at [www.CaringBridge.org/visit/kerryhall](http://www.CaringBridge.org/visit/kerryhall)

### Pantry items needed

Paper towels, dish washing liquid, laundry detergent, toilet tissue.

## IN NURSING HOMES

**NHC, Box 585 Dickson 37056:** Fannie Hill, Pam Jones, Lorell Heath, Melba Williams, Edith Hamilton (Niki Hamilton's Mother-in-law) Rm 218, Lovell Story, Martha Coleman, Elsie Daugherty, Ray Pack and Mary Sue Larkins. **Olive**

**Branch, 110 Luther Rd, Dickson TN 37055:** Margaret Stitt.

**Christian Heath Care Center, 2501 River Rd, Ashland City, TN 37015:** Iris Spann.

**Silverplume, 1104 Old Charlotte Rd, White Bluff, TN 37187:** Gladys Rinaldo

**Hillcrest Health Care Center, 111 Pemberton Dr, Ashland City, TN 37015:** Shirley Hamilton, Bill Boone and Joe Sawyers.

**Dickson Healthcare Center, 901N Charlotte St., Dickson 37055:**

Mildred Parker & Mable Simons

**NHC Place in Franklin, 211 Cool Springs Blvd, Franklin, 37067, room**

2211: Betty Cathey.

**Life Care Center of Centerville, 112 Old Dickson Rd, Centerville, 37033:** Greta Jane Hall.



*Our troops need our prayers for strength, endurance & safety*

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**Take a look at our new food pantry.** It has been moved to a larger location and looks really good. Thanks to Jerry Western, Buddy Driver, Melton Jack and others who did all the work.

### Guest Speakers Sunday Sept 27

Brother Philip Goad from Heritage Christian University will be our guest at the 9:00 Bible Class hour September 27. All adult classes are requested to be present. Teen classes are also invited if their teachers would like for them to attend. He will also present our sermon at 10:00. Heritage Christian University, a four year program, is a fine Christian school. Brother Philip will be available to answer any questions perspective students may have. Our congregation has supported HCU for many years and believe in its mission. They have trained many preachers and their wives for service in the Lord's church.

Justin Rumford will preach that evening at the 5:00 worship hour.

## Upcoming Ladies Day Planning Meeting

Our next meeting to plan for our Ladies Day will be Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 @ the church.

*(Please bring finger foods)*

There are 2 sign-up sheets in the lobby concerning our Ladies Day Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>. One is for decorating a table; one is to bring pies and muffins. If you have any questions, please see Caroline Tidwell or Ellen Lee.

## September Calendar

Sept. 25, 26, 27 – Gospel Meeting at Pomona Church of  
**Speaker: Keith Parker.** Fri. & Sat. 7:00 pm.  
Sun. 9:30 am & Worship 10:25 am. & 6:00 pm.  
Lunch at Robins Park immediately following  
Morning worship.

Sept. 26 – Ladies Day at Clearview Church of Christ in Lyles. **Speaker: Shasta Brown Topic: The Christian Woman and Time...How to Balance It All. Registration: 9:30 am begins 10:00 am. Luncheon at 12:00 – Nursery available from Birth to 4 yrs.**

Sept. 27 – Add-a-dish Fellowship Lunch after morning Worship.

Sept. 30 – 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Singing

Oct. 8 – Tenn. Children's Home Annual Benefit Dinner Celebrating 100 Years of Service @ Marriott Cool Springs/Franklin. **Guest Speaker: Harold Shank. Admission is free. Please R.S.V.P by 10-2-09. Bill Alsop at 931-486-2274 ext. 218.**

## Fellowship Lunch

Add-a-dish Fellowship Lunch after morning Worship Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>.

## Happy Birthday

Sept. 28 – Chris Adams, Kayla Bannister, Annette Williams

Sept. 29 – David Pickard Jr. Loran Reynolds

Oct. 3 – Tammie Crick & Teresa Wills  Happy Anniversary

Oct. 1 – Jerry & Frances Western (44 yrs.)

Oct. 3 – Kenneth & Susan Tucker (17 yrs.)

Oct. 4 – LD & Jean Larkins (58 yrs.)

## Thank You

Thank you for all the acts of kindness from our Mother's church family. The many visits to her home and nursing home the last few months meant so much to her. She enjoyed the prayer quilt so much. It truly is a Christian labor of love. Thank you very much for the donation to Camp Leatherwood in honor of our Mother. She loved children and supported Camp Leatherwood for years. To the ones who came to pay respect at the funeral home, the numerous cards and the many words of encouragement mean so much to our family.

The family of,  
Lillie Martin

## Thank You

Thank you all some much for helping the Humane Society. They are doing better for now. I am so thankful to be a member of a congregation that has such a big heart.

Thank You, Lorie Russell

### Thank You

Our sincere heartfelt thanks to our church family for all the help in our time of need. We are especially grateful to all those who prepared and brought meals to us and supplied transportation to our doctor's visits. Also to Jerry Western and Butch Lee for building the wheelchair ramp from our front porch to the walk. We are so blessed in so many ways.

-Gene and Sharon Hailey

## YOUTH NEWS

On Wednesday the group stayed at the building. They watched a video of a young man born with no arms and no legs. The whole thing centered around "keep on trying." When life throws you curves you have to get up and try again. The video expressed that by the young man laying on the stage and without help from anyone he managed to turn himself upright. He said if he didn't keep trying he would still be laying there.

Saturday a group left for a rafting trip on the Ocoee. They had a great time, got soaking wet and want to go again. Of course, the bus broke down and they got home much later than they expected. Thank you to David Pickard for his help with the bus.

We have to thank Joanna, Ashlie, Mary, Clair and Shamron Jackson for opening up their home to the youth group for a devotion. The food was good and the hospitality great. The lesson was on fellowship, attendance and avoiding cliques.

I can't express enough about signing up for things and then not attending. Usually many weeks in advance the activity must be paid for. When you don't show up and don't pay for your spot it is left to the youth group to pay for you. This happened on the rafting trip and several other things recently. If you sign up for the fall retreat you should attend. Shirts and books have been ordered along with your food.

Fall Retreat is coming up! It won't be long. We need you.

Sign up for ski trip and pay your deposit. We are limited to 48. Save your spot!

## Kids 4 Christ

There will be a weiner roast at Brent & Kelly Welch's house Sat. Sept 26, at 5:00. Bring drinks and chips.

**Memory is a way of holding on to the things you love, the things you are, the things you never want to lose.**

**AGAPE will begin a new series of DivorceCare at our main office in South Nashville (4555 Trousdale Drive) every Monday evening from 6:00 – 7:30.** The session will run from September 14 to December 14, 2009. **A registration fee of \$20 for DivorceCare and \$30 for DivorceCare for Kids covers the entire 13 sessions. To register, call Diana Crawford, Jennifer Couch, or Vickie Nicholson at 781-3000 or e-mail [info@agapenashville.org](mailto:info@agapenashville.org). Also, this year we begin "The Big D: Divorce Through the Eyes of a Teen." For more information about all three programs, check out our website: [www.agapenashville.org](http://www.agapenashville.org)**

## It's Magi Box Time Again

They need shoe boxes, personal grooming items and school supplies.



The **White Bluff Counseling Center** is in need of good, used office supplies and waiting room furniture. Also, there is need of someone to volunteer to spruce up Counseling Center (paint, pull-up carpet, etc. Please call Janet Osborne at 838-7191 or 797-9019.