

Winn's Creek Baptist Church NEWS

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September 2016

Greetings,

Winn's Creek Baptist Church will have its 2016 Homecoming Service on September 25th, 2016. There could be no greater pleasure than to have you here to share memories of the past and to share our hope in Christ for the future.

The schedule of services is as follows:

- 9:45 a.m. Opening Assembly in Sanctuary
- 10:00 a.m. Joint Sunday School for adults in sanctuary, with separate Sunday School for the children of all ages
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Service in the Sanctuary
- 12:00 p.m. A fellowship meal (following the conclusion of the morning service)

Rev. Richard Welch will be bringing the morning message. He was pastor here at Winn's Creek from 1993 until 2003. His wife Karon also plans to make the trip with him.

There will be no evening service on September 25th, so that everyone will have time to visit and catch up.

We hope this letter finds you well, and we hope that you will make plans to worship and fellowship with us at Homecoming this year.

Yours in Christ,

James Kopco

Pastor

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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

(To add a name, please contact Joani Layman,
434-476-7982)

- 1st Darrell Elliott – B
Mike Spencer – B
- 2nd James Ambrose – B
Charles & Lauren Fears – A
- 4th Jay Francisco – B
- 8th Tye Henderson – B
- 13th Drew Hall – B
Annie Mae Fuquay – B
- 14th Lori Dawson – B
Jackson Plainte – B
Norma Jean Henderson – B
- 16th Sonny & Betty Dickerson – A
Tom Sweeting – B
- 21st Carolyn Moorefield – B
Tori Dawson – B
- 22nd Mark Owen – B
Matthew Owen – B
- 23rd Lee Davis – B
- 24th Chuck & Sabrina Conner – A
Adam & Brigid Layman – A
- 25th Thelma Brown – B
- 27th Taylor & Dalyn Hudson – A
- 28th Macon Fears – B
Macon & Linda Fears – A
- 29th Samantha Clark – B
Monroe & Shirley Duffey – A
- 30th Owen & Barbara Satterfield – A
RaShawn Jones – B



You are invited to a baby shower
for Josh and Samantha Rather

Sunday, September 11

1:30 – 3:00 p.m.

Winn's Creek Fellowship Hall

You may wish to use the gift registry at
Walmart or Target for gift ideas for their
precious ***baby girl.***

ADULT BIBLE STUDIES

SUNDAYS AT 6 P.M. – On September 4, we
will be continuing The Good Book study on
prayer, in the Sunshine Classroom.

WEDNESDAYS AT 7 P.M. – After the ladies
finish their current
Beth Moore study
on September 21,
our Wednesday
Bible Study groups
will again combine
– starting
September 28 - for

a Ray Vander Laan DVD study. This series
is a new one for us: **“Israel’s Mission:
Becoming a Kingdom of Priests in a
Prodigal World.”** Please come out, as
these studies help us to experience the Bible
in its historical context.



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STOP HUNGER NOW!

On the afternoon of Sunday, October 16, our church will partner with First Baptist and four other churches to do a Stop Hunger Now food packing project. This will be carried out at First Baptist Church, South Boston. More details will be announced when they are available, but please mark your calendar for this exciting opportunity to help those in need.



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

(NOTE DATE CHANGE!)

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

We rescheduled our October Bloodmobile to enable the Red Cross staff to all work at a 100-unit drive.

To donate or volunteer on October 29, contact Joani Layman, 434-476-7982. If you have already signed up to give blood, Joani will contact you for rescheduling.

MUSIC NOTES

Joy! Doesn't that just sound like Christmas??



There is "Joy to the World", "Good Christian Men, Rejoice", "While By the Sheep We Watched at Night" (more often known as "How Great Our Joy!") and the list goes on and on. Our Christmas cantata for 2016 is "Joy! A Suite for Christmas"

and it is just as happy as the name implies.

Everyone—and I do mean everyone—is invited to join us as we begin rehearsals on Sunday, September 4, at 7 p.m. for our musical Christmas present to the King of Kings and Lord of Lords. We will rehearse primarily on Sunday nights through the months of September, October, and November. In December, we will ramp up the rehearsal time by including Wednesdays at 8 p.m.

No, you do NOT need to be able to read music. You only need a heart dedicated to leading others in a worship experience. Come and experience the JOY! of singing for the newborn King. - Carolyn Cook

SIGN LANGUAGE

At the Sunday School picnic, Miss Smith stacked a pile of apples on one end of a table with a sign saying, "Take only one apple, please—God is watching." On the other end of the table was a pile of cookies on which a second grader had placed a sign saying, "Take all the cookies you want—God is watching the apples."



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Sundays (*unless otherwise announced*)

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Adult Choir

Wednesdays (*unless otherwise announced*)

7:00 p.m. Men's & Women's Bible Studies
8:00 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursdays (*unless otherwise announced*)

7:30 p.m. Praise Team practice (2nd & 4th Thursdays)

Thurs., Sept. 1 7:30 p.m. Praise Team Practice
Sun., Sept. 4 6:00 p.m. Sunday Night Bible Study resumes
7:00 p.m. Adult Choir Practice resumes
Thurs., Sept. 15 7:30 p.m. Praise Team Practice

HOMECOMING SUNDAY, Sept. 25

9:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages (combined adult class in the sanctuary)
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship – Rev. Richard Welch preaching
Following Covered Dish Meal in fellowship hall (and outside, weather permitting)
- No Evening Activities on Homecoming Sunday -