

West Waynesboro Church of Christ
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Deacons & Elders
will meet
December 4th
6:30 PM & 7:00 PM



Hosts: Roger & Marsha Mathias

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West Waynesboro Church of Christ
Chad Grondin, Sr. Minister
Conner Dunn, Associate/Youth Minister
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West Waynesboro Witness December 2018



Youth Christmas Play

Sunday, December 2nd
10:30 AM

*There will be a light finger food
reception in the fellowship hall,
immediately following.

*Please sign up to bring Finger Foods,
Snacks or Desserts at the Information
Counter/Mickey Center.



*Van leaves the church building at
6:00 P.M. December 19th. We will
visit, Avante and Birch Gardens. Dress
Festive, and join the caravan. All are
invited to come praise the Lord together
and share some Christmas joy.*



Christmas Eve
Candle Light Service

Monday, December 24th
7:00 P.M.

A night of remembrance.
Invite a friend to celebrate!

The Gift Of A Shoebox

The past several years we have participated in a national ministry outreach movement known as Operation Christmas Child. Through our generous participation, we are truly making an eternal impact. Since 1993, Samaritan's Purse has distributed over 157 million shoebox gifts to impoverished children around the world in Jesus' Name, through the efforts of people, organizations and churches like ours. This year WWCC contributed 69 shoebox gifts! This exceeds our total from last year! Great job WWCC! The most exciting part of this outreach is that these gifts are about more than just providing a Christmas gift to children who otherwise might not get anything for Christmas, more importantly they are fulfilling the Great Commission of Jesus, in sharing the Good News of salvation in Jesus Christ. Once each box leaves our community they make their way to a distribution center where inside each box, a booklet is placed that teaches about Jesus, in the native language of the child that will receive it.

In addition, many of these children who receive a box, also have the opportunity to participate in a 12-lesson discipleship program called, "The Greatest Journey," where they learn what it means to follow Jesus and share their faith with friends and family. In 2017, for every 100 shoeboxes distributed, 16 children reported decisions for Christ through, "The Greatest Journey." That's 1.9 million children - that's the eternal impact of a simple shoebox!

Thank you for your continued generosity and commitment to being the hands and feet of Christ, proclaiming the Good News and the amazing grace of God, locally and globally!

Pointing People To Jesus,

Chad

West Waynesboro Youth Ministry
Winter Calendar

November

- 25** Parents Night Out - Movie Night
All Ages
5:30pm - 8:00pm

December

- 02** Youth Christmas Play
16 Birthday Party for Jesus
Children's Church
10:30am - 11:30am
19 Christmas Caroling
All Ages
20 Bowling Night
All Ages
Staunton Lanes
6:30pm
23 Student Christmas Party
Students 6th-12th
5:30pm - 7:00pm

January

- 19** Tubing Trip
All Ages

February

- 03** Soup-er Bowl
17 NERF War
Students 6th-12th

I wanted to include the Youth Winter Schedule in this Newsletter to make sure it got into as many hands as possible. We have a lot of fun events planned out for this Winter and even more after that! I know that this time of year is always busy with parties and shopping and getting things ready for the new year. I wanted to make sure to include some events for the Youth and their parents to have some fun and forget about the Christmas stress even for just an hour or two. You will notice that some of these events are listed "All Ages" and that's true! I want families to be together this winter! The whole church is invited to take part in those events, so join in on the fun! This time of year is about being together as a family, and I hope as a church we can have some more "family time" together as well. Join me in praying that these events will encourage us as a church and be energizing for the Youth.

As these events get closer, more information will become available and you will also see some posters or handouts around the church as well. At the Information Counter/Mickey Center are some Youth Calendars for you, so please take one and put it on your fridge! If you ever would like more information about an event or have questions, please feel free to ask me.

In Christ,

Conner



ELEMENTARY & MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUPS

ENGAGE

(Elementary Kids)

Sundays @ 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

CONNECT

(Middle/High School Students)

Sundays @ 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Wednesdays @ 7:00 P.M.
(Unless there is no EQUIP U)



2019 Faith Promise Mission Pledges

Thank you to everyone who made a Faith Promise Missions Commitment for 2019!

Total committed is \$34,510.00.

As a reminder, these pledge commitments begin in January 2019. Thank you for your generosity!



Free Daily Devotional Books

The current quarter of the "Our Daily Bread" devotional books are available at the Information Counter/Mickey Center. For a daily blessing from God's Word, pick one up and enjoy!



Congregational Meeting

Sunday, December 9th, following the worship service.

Agenda: Election of 2019 Leadership & HVAC Replacement Proposal.



Youth Sunday - December 30th
No Children's Church.

All children, except Nursery & Wee Worship, are to remain in the Sanctuary.

CONNECT Christmas Party Students 6th - 12th Grade



December 23rd, 5:30PM - 7:00PM,
@ Conner & Crystal's House.



Birthday Party for Jesus

Sunday, December 16th
During Children's Church,
beginning at 10:30 A.M.

Prayer Breakfasts

Saturday, December 15th



Ladies will meet @ Panera Bread @ 9:00 AM.

All ladies are welcome to attend!

Men will meet @ Golden Corral @ 8:15 AM.
All men are welcome to attend!



Christmas Card Post Office Opens December 2nd

Save money on postage by placing your Christmas cards for those who regularly attend services, in the alphabetized box in the foyer.

***Please, do not bring cards for people who do not or cannot attend service,** in order to pick up their cards.



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If you miss a sermon, you can watch it on our website.

NEWSLETTER CHANGE



Due to the increasing cost and continued unreliability of bulk mail, effective January 1st, 2019, we will no longer be sending the church newsletter out by U.S. Mail.

You will be able to continue to receive it by email, view it on our website or pick up a paper copy at the Information Counter/Mickey Center.

If you are a member and a shut-in (someone who for medical reasons cannot get to the church building), you can request that a copy be sent to you by regular mail, by calling or emailing the office.



Our prayer room is located downstairs, in

Room #101 and is available before and after services, as well as during the week (office hours 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM).



Ready to take the plunge?

Whether you are just deciding to follow Christ or have been following Christ for years, if you have never been baptized, baptism is for you! If you would like to take this next step, come forward during the invitation at the end of the service, email chad@westwaynesboro.com, call the church office or indicate your desire on your connection card.

Acts 2:38, "...Repent and be baptized every one of you,"



YOUTH CHRISTMAS PLAY

Youth Christmas Play Dress Rehearsal
Saturday, December 1st
10:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
Pizza & Kool-Aid will be served.

The Youth Christmas Play will be on Sunday, December 2nd,
@ 10:30 A.M.

Questions? Contact Stephanie Grondin @ 540-256-3576



"Glorious Christmas Nights" Richmond Trip

All those who purchased tickets for the program at West End Assemblies of God, "Glorious Christmas Nights" in Richmond, please meet at the church building at 8:30 AM on Saturday, December 8th. We will be taking the church van and carpooling. We will have lunch in Richmond & return in the afternoon.



VOLUNTEER BELL RINGERS NEEDED!
Ring a bell...help change a life

Ring the Bell! Salvation Army "Red Kettle" Campaign

WWCC will be ringing the bell at the Waynesboro Kmart (2712 W. Main St.) on Saturday, December 15th from 10:30 AM - 7:30 PM. Sign-up for a 1 hour shift at the Information Counter/Mickey Center.

December

Who's busy in December?

PREPARING COMMUNION

Mary Donna Beardsworth

USHERS

Lyle Fitzgerald & TBD

HOMEBOUND COMMUNION

Al Taillon & TBD

SECURITY

TBD

GREETERS

Tina Critzer & Rodney Yankey

WEE WORSHIP 1 (2's & 3's)

Candace Anderson

Wee Worship 2 (Pre-K & K)

Teresa & Ashley Gauldin

CHILDREN CHURCH HELPER

Nathan Ramsey

IN THE NURSERY

2 Sunday School
Worship

Debbie McCracken
Amy Emerson &
Dylan Seal

9 Sunday School
Worship

Debbie McCracken
Debbie &
Bob McCracken

16 Sunday School
Worship

Debbie McCracken
Jay & Jolynn Johnson

23 Sunday School
Worship

Debbie McCracken
Drema Rickard &
Tammy Wood

30 Sunday School
Worship

Debbie McCracken
Ashley Gauldin &
Teresa Gauldin

CONNECTION CAFE

Roger & Marsha Mathias

Newsletter Preferences

This newsletter can be received by postal mail, email, viewed on the church website or picked up from the Information Counter/Mickey Center in the church foyer. In an effort to be better stewards of God's resources, if you would like to opt out of receiving it by postal mail, please notify the office.

Sunday School 9:15 AM
Worship 10:30 AM
Equip U Wednesday 7:00 PM (Sept. - May)
Office Hours 9-3





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2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div>WINTER WEATHER</div> <div>We want to remind you of our procedure. If Waynesboro schools are closed on Wednesday, then all Wednesday church activities are canceled. If the decision is made to cancel Sunday services it will be posted on WHSV-TV 3 (Harrisonburg), NBC 29 (Charlottesville), CBS 6 (Richmond) and our Facebook page.</div>						
2 8:45 AM Connection Cafe 9:15 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship - Youth Christmas Play 5:30 PM ENGAGE (Elementary Kids) 5:30 PM CONNECT (Middle/High School Students)	3 Hanukkah	4 6:30 PM Deacons meet 7:00 PM Elders meet	5 7:00 PM Equip U	6 10:00 AM Ladies Bible Study	7	1 10:30 AM Youth Christmas Play Dress Rehearsal 
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30 Sr. Minister Vacation	31 New Year's Eve	 Christ Is Born				