

Bible Study: 237 Weekly Giving: \$ 17,357
 Sunday Worship: 495 Weekly Budget: \$17,914
 Sunday Evening: 62 YTD Giving: \$516,580
 Wednesday: 220 YTD Budget: \$591,162

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For our visitors:

If you have any questions, if you want to get involved in our church, or if you just want to meet some of our leaders, please stop by the Starting Point room in the back of the auditorium at the end of service. We'd love to meet you and answer your questions!

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Sermon notes from today:

Our Deacons

Dale Brooks	Jim Bob Humphrey	Keith Moore
Mark Bryant	Richard Humphreys	Chance Nesbitt
Craig Davis	Ben Janelle	Brent Ruple
Danny Davis	Kyle Lamberson	Ronnie Russell
Lee Henson	Richard Loveland	Phil Sims
Les Howard	Chad Mitchell	Keith Thomas

A Look Ahead...

Aug 29: Steve Cloer| Okay, Let's Try Again
Aug 30: Celebrate Recovery. Meal 6pm
 Family Center, Group sessions after.
Sept 2nd: Labor day weekend / Family night
Sept. 5th: New adult Bible classes start
Sept 6th: Ladies Bible study 9:30 a.m. in Room 2
Sept 9th: Missions Sunday
Sept 10th: MNFTM starts back at 5:45
Sept 16th: Share Groups begin



WEST SIDE
 CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday,
 August 26, 2018

This week's helpers:

Nursery:
 - Lisa Reed
 - Tami Robinson

KFC:

2 year olds:
 - Elizabeth Martin
 3 & 4 year olds:
 - Sue Ann Jernigan
 K - 2nd grade:
 - Catherine Brashear
 Puppets:
 - Danny and
 Kristen Davis

Greeters:

North:
 - Joel & Ginger Tippit
 East:
 - Lloyd & Kristin Cawyer
 West:
 - Rex & Betty Chambers

Communion:

Table 1:
 - Charles May, George
 Reed, Scott Johnson, Kyle
 Lamberson, Bert Page
 Table 2:
 - Mike Oliver, Luke Miller,
 Gary Jernigan, Bill
 Lewis, Darwin Price

Welcome Home Tech!

By Tim Tripp

If you are a new or returning Arkansas Tech student (also faculty, staff, coach, administrator, support etc...) you have probably already heard someone, maybe several people, tell you how happy we are to see you at West Side! "Welcome Worship" Sunday is a day we look forward to every year when the college students return from their busy summers and join in worship and ministry with us here at West Side. The energy and life you bring with you are invigorating. We really are happy to have you here in Russellville and are thankful that you chose to join us this morning.

If you are new to West Side, or returning and need a little refresher, let me tell you a little about us. Three words you'll hear a lot here are Love, Share and Disciple. Those words comprise our "who we are and what we're about." We try to align everything we do to those core values. We love people who are sick and in the hospital by taking them snacks and making them blankets. We love homeless people and underprivileged people by providing food and resources to them. Our "Monday Night for the Master" project is all about loving people and helping them.

We share our faith with people each Sunday morning during our worship time and on Sundays and Wednesdays during classes. We share a meal and meaningful ministry with those who struggle with hurts, habits and hang ups in our Celebrate Recovery program that takes place on Thursday evenings. On Sunday evenings throughout the school year we meet in homes for what we call Share Groups. It is a time of Bible Study and fellowship that we do in smaller groups all over the area. We would welcome you to join one of those.

We have also developed a plan for making disciples. Ahead of all of the other things going on at West Side, we make as our focus Jesus' command to make disciples (Matthew 28:19). We have developed a process and trained many on what that looks like. Jake and the CCSC staff have worked hard at adapting this disciple making process for the College Ministry. I pray that each of you will take advantage of the opportunity to learn what it is to be a disciple of Jesus and help others to become disciples as well.

We invite you to make West Side your church home away from home. Come each Sunday Morning and as often as you can to engage with us in our mission of taking the name of Jesus to the world teaching them to walk as he walked. Allow us to get to know you. Let us know how we might be praying for you. Talk to someone here if you hit a bump in the road spiritually. We are a family. We want to be your family.

We are so thankful to have you as a part of our worship service today. Come back often and... Welcome Home!

DIOS LE BENDIGA! (God Bless You!)
 by Aris Ortiz

Dream or Nightmare?

*As I walked into a restaurant I saw a good friend of mine, a police officer, seated at a table. I said "Hello Sir, How are you doing?" And he answered "I'm doing well, I'm living the dream!!" So, I thought- WOW! He is doing good then. But, he leaned to me, and said, "I'm living the dream of someone" .. he continued, "I'm having this meal right now, that someone is dreaming about it; I have a house that someone is dreaming about; I have a bed to sleep in that someone is dreaming about; So, yes, I'm living the dream!"
 Again, "WOW" It brought to mind the places that I have been, people that I have seen living with so little and such limitations. (Missions trips, makes you think and see life with a different perspective) whether we have all those good things in life, or not, if we do not live GOD'S dream(the dream God has for us) then, we will one day wake up "living a nightmare" for the rest of our eternity!! -and because I run out of space, I will conclude with Ecclesiastes 12:13-14.."Now all has been heard; here is the conclusion of the matter: Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the duty of all mankind. For God will bring every deed into judgment, including every hidden..."*



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Children's Ministry Grades K - 5. Meets Sunday at 9 AM and Wednesday at 6:30 PM.

RAISING ARROWS

Teachers beginning August 29th are...

Creator's Canvas: Tiffany Clem

Museum: Carina Ortiz

Holy Word Studios: Lee & Andrea Henson

Noah's Arcade: Donnie & Rena Baker

Our students have begun the 2018-19 school season. It seems like sporting events and club activities have already taken over any free-time we might have. It's important for our children to do well in studies and build friendships and encourage self disciplines. As you build your daily rhythms, I encourage you to place prayer and bible reading as a priority.

The Youth Ministry's focus, for these first few weeks, is on spiritual disciplines that encourage our students to "Own their Faith." This past Wednesday night, as a group, we walked through the basic steps of a personal Bible study. This might seem elementary, and it is for the student that practices. You might be asking yourself "HOW CAN I HELP?" Here are some basic actions that you can do at home.

1. Purchase Study Bibles for you and your student.
2. Prioritize Prayer and Study by carving out time each day to do these two things.
3. Encourage conversation about the study, not just catch phrases or concepts.

The Goal is to challenge ourselves in knowing the Word.

WELCOME BACK!

Our Sunday morning class will resume TODAY at the Greer house with Coffee and Donuts!

Welcome Worship service at 10am at West Side and a potluck following service.

Midweek Worship @ CCSC Wednesdays at 7pm!

Make your plans to attend! Great things to come this year @ CCSC!

Text @ccscatu to 81010 for more info

Adult Bible Classes

Sunday Morning Adult Classes:

Chapel: The Psalms, Reed Rotation
Room 3: Ephesians, Tripp Rotation
FC Classroom: Be What You Are, Clements Rotation
Rock: The Parables of Jesus, Clem Rotation
KFC Room: Mama Talks: Journey Through Motherhood

Wednesday Night Adult Class(es):

Auditorium: Summer Series 6:30 pm

August 29th:

Steve Cloer | Okay, Let's Try Again

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW:

Tonight:

Youth Devo & Tell Your Story - Jackson Crain & Easton May at 5pm in the Auditorium.

Fall Quarter Start Dates for Adult Classes:

All adult classes will resume meeting on Wednesdays (6:30), beginning on Sept. 5th. This will kick-off our Fall Quarter, with new Sunday morning teaching rotations beginning the following Sunday Sept. 9th. See insert for details.

Men's Prayer Breakfast:

There will be a Men's Prayer Breakfast Saturday Sept. 8th in the Rock. Brian Baker will speak on Unity. There is a sign-up sheet in the foyer. Cost is \$5 at the door.

Missions Sunday:

Sunday Sept. 9th is our annual Missions Sunday. There will be a potluck meal following services that morning along with a missions fair in the gym promoting local and foreign missions efforts. Everyone is invited back on Sunday evening (5:00) for a time of interviews with Tim, James Strother, and a few special guests. You will not want to miss this!

Share Groups:

Share groups start back on Sunday, Sept. 16th. Most of the Share Groups are full. If you would like to be in a group and did not get a chance to sign up, please contact Josh Clem. (josh@westsidear.org)

Gathering Times

SUNDAY

9:00 AM Bible Class
9:00 AM Clase en Español
10:00 AM Worship
10:00 AM Adoración
5:00 PM Summer Sundays

WEDNESDAY

6:30 PM Summer Series
6:30 PM Clase en Español
7:00 Midweek at CCSC

Family Illness and Recovery

Brandy Humphrey- daughter-in-law of Jim Bob and Betty Humphrey is having serious health complications. Please pray for Brandy, James and their family for answers and for healing.

Patsy Parnell - has had 2 mini strokes recently, and still has chronic back pain Please keep Patsy in your prayers.

MORE of What You Need To Know:

CCSC WELCOME BACK POTLUCK TODAY

Immediately following services, there will be a potluck in the family center to welcome back our returning students as well as the incoming freshman.

Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study:

Ladies Bible Study will resume Thursday Sept. 6 at 9:30 in Room 2. The Study is "Echoing His Heartbeat: The Life of David" by Cassandra Martin. Workbooks have been ordered for those who have requested them. If you have any questions please contact Mattie Martin at 479-747-4533

MNFTM:

Monday Night For The Master will begin on the Monday after Labor Day, Sept. 10th. Meal is at 5:45 and Projects start at 6:15. Make your plans now to attend!

Basket Shower:

We are having a basket shower for Rachel Hall Brown and baby Liam. Diapers, daily essentials, and baby boy clothes (size 3mo) would be greatly appreciated. You may place items in the basket on the table near the new KFC room

Dr. Darrell Speed is retiring after 29 years!!

There will be a reception in his honor at the St. Mary's Regional Cancer Center Lobby August 30th from 2-4pm.

ADDRESS UPDATE:

William and Cassandra Smith
206 Louisiana Ave.
Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Southern Christian Children's Home items especially needed:
Bottled Water, Capri Suns, Gatorade, Velveeta Cheese

Prayer List

Names will be printed on this list for up to 4 weeks at a time unless further updates are received in the church office.

Christy Blythe, daughter of Patsy Parnell - cancer treatment

Matt Francis: recovering from back surgery

Pat Kee - recuperating from Shingles

We want to extend our sympathy to Margaret Helms in the death of her sister Mary Elizabeth Hicks Birmingham, last week. Please keep Margaret and her family in your prayers during this difficult time.

[If you have a current prayer request, please let the office know by Thursday morning to have it placed in the bulletin. Thank you.]

Missions

James and Abigail Rucker

WBS Students

Ongoing Concerns

Ridge Austin - recovery
Bill Davis- health
Edna Porter - mother of Susan Taylor-Luekemia
Fred Taylor- father of Tracy Taylor - colon surgery
Patti Page - achilles tendon
Betty Humphrey - back pain
Amy Vanderheiden- recovery from knee surgery
Herb Taylor - Heart issues
Charlie Richards-back pain

Homebound/ Nursing Homes

Madge Alverson - Atkins 311
Mirl Helms - Stella Manor 221
Wayne Nordin - Brookdale 219
Gladys Norwood- Brookdale 300
Glennette Price - Stella Manor 305
Betty Spears-Brookdale 316

Military

Steven Cawyer - Army NG

James Cole, Jr - Navy

Micah Hunter - Navy

Charles Pitney - Air Force

Joseph Roberds - Air Force

Expectant Mothers

Jolynda Bullard

Abigail Rucker

Lauren Pipkin

Stephanie Taylor

Battling Cancer

Cindy Beck

Mary Grice

Mark Helms

Truman Hill

Gladys Norwood

Darwin Price

Helen Stephens