

**This Week at Walnut Creek...**

- 9:30 am - Sunday School/Small Groups (all ages)
- 10:45 am - Sunday Morning Worship Service
- 7:00 pm - Monday Evening Women's Meeting (Senior Classroom 1)
- 7:00 pm - Tuesday Evening Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:30 pm - Wednesday TeamKid (children's building)
- 7:00 pm - Wednesday Prayer and Church Update (Facebook)

**North American Missions Emphasis**

**Today** is the last day to give to the Offering for North American Missions offering (U.S. and Canada). You can give to the special offering by using the special mission offering envelope or designating an offering to "missions" on the general offering envelope. To learn more about NAMB missions, go to [namb.net](http://namb.net).

**2024 Offering Goal: \$1,500.00**  
**Received to Date: \$ 1,771.00**

**Women's Ministry**

The women will meet at 7:00pm this Monday, April 8th. Come and join us! We will meet in Sr. Adult 1 classroom.

**All ladies are welcome!**

**Men's Bible Study**

The men will meet at 7:00pm this Tuesday, April 9th in the Fellowship Hall. The men are studying Genesis 19:1-22.

**All men are invited!**

**ATTENDANCE CARD**

Please detach this section, complete the information and place it in the offering box, guests and members. Thank you!

April 7, 2024

Name \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] Single [ ] Married [ ] Widow(er)

Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_ [ ] Attending with you today?

Children's Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt# \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Christian? [ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] Not sure

Guest: [ ] 1<sup>st</sup> time [ ] 2<sup>nd</sup> time I am a guest of \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Recently moved to the area [ ] Regular attender of WCBC

[ ] Member of WCBC

[ ] I am a member of (church name): \_\_\_\_\_

**Coming Soon...**

TeamKid Theme for Wednesday..Camo Day!

Wear your best camo  
6:30-7:30 pm

Join us for a breakfast fellowship at 8:00 am next Sunday, April 14th in the Fellowship Hall.



**WCBC Garage & Craft Sale**

Saturday, May 4th  
8:00am - 4:00pm

Come and sell your "stuff" with us! Outside spaces are \$25, and inside spaces are \$35. Booth rental helps support the Women's Ministry. Contact Alana Baxter to reserve a table.



**Vacation Bible School**

June 9th - 12th  
6:30 - 9:00pm  
4yr to 6th grade

**Also Coming Soon:**

- Choir to Sing at Travis Avenue Baptist Church - April 11th
- Children's Church - April 14th
- VBS Decorating - Monday, April 15th, 6:00 - 8:00pm
- Men's Bible Study - April 23rd
- Vacation Bible School Save The Date - June 9 - 12th

**Giving Opportunities**

You may place your tithes and offerings in the wood box on the back wall of the Worship Center. You can also give online by visiting the "Giving" page on our website, [walnutcreekbaptistchurch.com](http://walnutcreekbaptistchurch.com). Thank you!

**Fellowship:**  
 We Come Together  
 For Christian Community  
 and Encouragement



For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures,...

1 Corinthians 15:3-4 ESV

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**Walnut Creek Baptist Church**

Loving God... Loving People... Making Disciples...

MT 22:37

MT 22:39

MT 28:19

The ministry of our church is entirely supported by the faithful giving of our members and friends. **Thank you!**



**Welcome, Guests!**

We are so glad you joined us for worship today. We would appreciate it if you would detach the "Attendance Card", fill it out, and place it in the offering box at the end of the service. Thank you for coming, and we hope you will join us again soon.

By His Grace,  
Pastor Shane

Praise and Worship **Your Grace Is Enough**

North American Missions Video

Welcome & Prayer  
Greet One Another

Children's Moment  
Recognition of Birthdays & Anniversaries

Praise and Worship **On Jordan's Stormy Banks  
God Of Wonders**

Scripture Reading **Psalm 16**  
Time of Prayer

Praise and Worship **How Great Is Our God**

Preaching of God's Word  
**Jesus' Resurrection Appearances  
1 Corinthians 15:1-8, Luke 24:13-35**

Invitation **Are You Washed In The Blood**

Announcements

Offerings may be placed in the box on the back wall

Closing Prayer

**The 5 Purposes of a Church:**  
•Worship •Evangelism •Discipleship •Ministry •Fellowship

**Worship Service Manners**  
Welcome guests!  
Whisper if you must speak  
Turn off mobile phone sounds  
Don't text or take calls  
Don't wear strong perfumes  
Use the restroom before  
the service

**Invitation**  
You are encouraged to to come forward during the invitation time to speak to the pastor if you need prayer, want to believe in Jesus as your Savior and Lord, or join the church. You can also talk to him after the service or during the week.

**Other Announcements...**

**Learn Christian Beliefs**  
Question 14:  
**Did God create us unable to keep his law?**  
No, but because of the disobedience of our first parents, Adam and Eve, all of creation is fallen; we are all born in sin and guilt, corrupt in our nature and unable to keep God's law. (TNCC) Romans 5:12  
We encourage everyone to spend time each day reading the Bible and praying.  
Consider joining a Sunday School class, attending a Bible Study and starting a Bible reading plan.

**Baptist Christians Believe**  
•The Bible is God's Word, it is true and trustworthy.  
•A right relationship with God and eternal life are by God's grace through faith in Jesus Christ, not by good works.  
•When a person is truly saved, he or she is eternally secure in Jesus.  
•There are two ordinances for the Church:  
•Believer's Baptism (by Immersion)  
•The Lord's Supper (Communion)  
•Missions and evangelism are a major priority.

**Deacons of the Week**

<b>This Week</b>	Jason Curlis (817) 975-2931 Rod Dixon (314) 550-6111
<b>Next Week</b>	Gene Lester (817) 221-2573 Robert Squires (682) 408-8860

**NURSERY (0-3 year olds)**

<b>Today</b>	Lisa Squires
<b>Next Week</b>	CJ Finch

**Walnut Creek Baptist Church**

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Recent videos, bulletins and sermons are available under the "Resources" menu on the WCBC website.

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**How YOU Can Become a Christian...**

The decision to receive Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord is the most important decision you will ever make. Here's how you can be saved and become a Christian:

- Realize** you have sinned and are subject to God's judgment and eternity in hell (to sin is to disobey God's commands revealed in the Bible).
- Believe** Jesus Christ literally suffered and died on a cross to pay the penalty for your sins and rose from the dead.
- Ask** God to forgive your sins and be willing, with God's help, to turn away from your sins (repent).
- Ask** Jesus Christ to be your Savior and Lord. You can pray something like...  
*"Jesus, I know that I am a sinner and need your forgiveness. I believe you died on a cross and rose from the dead for my sins. Please forgive me for my sins and help me turn away from them. I ask you to come into my life and be my Savior and Lord."*

**How YOU Can Become a Member of WCBC...**

You may become a member by presenting yourself or family for church membership during the "invitation" time at the conclusion of each worship service. You are invited to join the church in one of three ways:

- By Profession of Faith and Baptism** You believe in Jesus Christ as your personal Savior and Lord and want to be baptized.
- By Transfer** of your membership from a similar Baptist church.
- By Statement** that you were once a member of a similar Baptist church but transferring your membership is not possible or you have believed in Jesus Christ as your personal Savior and Lord and were baptized by immersion in a non-Baptist church (requires pastoral interview).

**WCBC Member Expectations...**

- Be in agreement with and promote the doctrinal beliefs of the church.
- Support the vision, mission and leadership of the church.
- Attend and participate in worship services and other programs regularly.
- Use your spiritual gifts and skills to serve God and people in and through the church.
- Live out the teachings of the Bible and do not dishonor God or His church through sinful behavior.
- Support the ministries of the church through regular giving of tithes and offerings.

**My Response Today:**

- I want to believe in Jesus as my Savior and Lord.
- I want to be baptized.
- I am renewing my commitment to Jesus Christ.
- I would like to talk to the Pastor.
- I would like information about joining this church.
- I would like to join a Bible Study/Sunday School Class.
- Please contact me about opportunities for ministry involvement.

**From the Pew to the Church Office:**

Is the church aware that \_\_\_\_\_  
Is sick at home? \_\_\_\_\_  
Is sick in the hospital? Which hospital? \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments or Prayer Needs**

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