


This Week at Walnut Creek...

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



Men's Bible Study
 The men will meet at 7:00pm this Tuesday, January 14th, in the Fellowship Hall. The men are studying Genesis 27:1-40.
All men are invited!



The **Women's Bible Study** will meet at 7:00pm this Tuesday, January 14th, in Senior Adult 1 Classroom. Dinner is provided.
All ladies are welcome!



Kids' Worship Activities
 Kids, please pick up your worship bags from the table in the back and return it after the service.

ATTENDANCE CARD

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

January 12, 2025

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: [] 1st time [] 2nd 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...



January 19th, 6:00-7:00pm.

All Things Snow

- * Snowflakes
- * Snowmen
- * Snowball fight!

All families are invited. Come join us.
 See Lisa Squires for any questions.

Read The Bible This Year

Consider reading through the Old Testament or New Testament or both this year using a Bible Reading Plan or One Year Bible. You can also read from a devotional book each day. Pastor Shane has Bible reading plans to share and Bible apps have reading plans.

Also Coming Soon:

Women's Ministry Meeting - January 14th, 6:30-7:00pm
 Family Night - January 19th, 6:00pm
 Women's Bible Study - January 28th, 7:00pm
 Men's Bible Study - January 28th, 7:00pm

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. Thank you!

Fellowship:
 We Come Together To Encourage and Enjoy One Another



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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 **Shall We Gather At The River**

Welcome & Prayer

Greet One Another

Praise and Worship **Blessed Be Your Name
I Know Whom I Have Believed**

Scripture Reading **Psalms 37:27-40**
Time of Prayer

Dismiss Children to Children's Church

Praise and Worship **Cornerstone**

Preaching of God's Word

**The Life and Ministry of Jesus:
John the Baptist Prepared the Way
Matthew 3:1-12**

Invitation **Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)**

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 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 2:

What is God?

God is the creator and sustainer of everyone and everything. He is eternal, infinite, and unchangeable in his power and perfection, goodness and glory, wisdom, justice, and truth. Nothing happens except through him and by his will. (TNCC) Psalms 86:8-10,15.

We encourage everyone to spend time each day reading the Bible and praying.

Consider joining a Sunday School class, and attending a Bible Study.

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 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

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

NURSERY (0-3 year olds)

Today	Gayla Dixon
Next Week	Lisa Squires

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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 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 have received or want to receive Jesus Christ as your personal Savior and Lord and 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 by stating that you received 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
