

This Week at Walnut Creek...

- 9:00 am - Sunday Morning Choir Practice (Choir Room)
- 9:30 am - Sunday School/Small Groups (all ages)
- 10:45 am - Sunday Morning Worship Service
- 6:30 pm - Tuesday Evening Women's Ministry Mtg (Adult 1 Classroom)
- 7:00 pm - Tuesday Evening Women's Bible Study (Adult 1 Classroom)
- 7:00 pm - Tuesday Evening Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
- 7:00 pm - Wednesday Prayer and Church Update (Facebook)

Tonight!

Back to School Prayer Rally



Springtown High School
Auditorium

6:00pm

Everyone is invited!

Join other Springtown churches as we worship God and ask him to bless and protect our schools this new year.

Reno Elementary Teacher Appreciation

The Women's Ministry will provide breakfast, drinks, snacks, and lunch for Reno Elementary teachers tomorrow, Monday, August 10th. We will be feeding around 60 teachers and staff. Please see Lisa Squires (817-597-5930) if you would like to provide food and/or help serve.

CONNECT CARD

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

August 9, 2026

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...

Women's Bible Study

We will meet at 7:00pm this Tuesday, Aug. 11th in the Senior Adult 1 Classroom. The women will starting new series, first one is "What Do I Believe As a Baptist?" Dinner is provided.

All ladies are welcome!

Men's Bible Study will meet at 7:00pm this Tuesday, Aug. 11th in the Fellowship Hall. The men will be discussing Exodus 5. Dinner is provided.

All men are invited!

Special Called Business Meeting

The deacons have called a Special Called Members' Meeting after the worship service on Sunday, August 23rd to recommend policies for our church family to consider and approve.

Also Coming Soon:

- First Day of School - August 12th
- First Day of Mother's Day Out - August 17th
- Men's Bible Study - August 25th
- Women's Bible Study - August 25th
- Crafting at the Creek - September 10th-12th

The 5 Purposes of a Church:

- Worship •Evangelism •Discipleship •Ministry •Fellowship

How to Give An Offering

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!

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

Fellowship:
We Come to Together
To Enjoy and Encourage
One Another



"And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it."

Matthew 16:18 ESV

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Walnut Creek Baptist Church

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

MT 22:37

MT 22:39

MT 28:19

Welcome, Guests!

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

By His Grace,
Pastor Shane

Praise and Worship **Lord Reign In Me**

Welcome & Prayer

Greet One Another

Praise and Worship **Love Lifted Me**
In His Time/I Love You Lord

Scripture Reading **Psalms 79:1-7**

Time of Prayer

Praise and Worship **Holy Forever**

Preaching of God's Word

The Life and Ministry of Jesus:
The Church is God's Plan for Believers
Matthew 16:13-20

Invitation **The River**

Offerings may be placed in the box on the back wall

Closing Prayer

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.

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
- Help little ones participate

Other Announcements...

Learn Christian Beliefs

Question 30:

What is faith in Jesus Christ?

Faith in Jesus Christ is acknowledging the truth of everything that God has revealed in his Word, trusting in him, and also receiving and resting on him alone for salvation as he is offered to us in the gospel. (TNCC)

I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20 ESV.

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

This Week	Glenn Wade	(817) 320-7082
	Butch Sisk	(817) 944-0468
Next Week	Gene Lester	(817) 221-2573
	Robert Squires	(682) 408-8860

NURSERY (0-3 year olds)

Today	Lisa Squires
Next Week	Gayla Dixon

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Pastor Shane A Scott 817-757-6507	Minister of Music Larry Permenter	Children's Ministry Director Searching...	Interim Ministry Assistant Lisa Squires 817-597-5930
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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 type 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).

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 Other Things You'd Like Us to Share With Us
