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The Window

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www.washingtonbaptist.org

Our Staff:
Rev. Trent Henson— Senior Pastor
Mr. Braxton Kubasko, Associate Pastor
Rev. Dave Dupree— Minister of Worship & Sr. Adults
Mr. Matthew Moore— Youth Pastor

THIS WEEK AT WASHINGTON:

Sunday, January 22nd-
8:30 am First Morning Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Second Morning Worship Service
5:00 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal
5:00-7:00 pm Awana
6:00 pm Evening Worship Service

Monday, January 23rd-
6:00 am Men's Morning Bible Study— Lg. Conference Rm.
Men's Prayer Time-Room 211

Tuesday, January 24th
4:30 pm First Place- Room 211

Wednesday, January 25th-
5:30 pm Wed. Night Supper-Fellowship Hall
6:15 pm GriefShare— Room 218
6:30 pm The Sonshine Gang-Room 324
His Kids & Little Lambs Choirs-Room 330
Youth Choir-Beside Youth Room
6:45-8:00 pm Handbell Rehearsal-Handbell Room
7:00 pm Prayer Meeting
Youth Showtime
RA's/GA's & Mission Friends
Young Adult Ministry-New Parlor
Adult Choir Rehearsal

8:00 pm

Thursday, January 26th
10:00 am GriefShare— Room 218
7:00 pm Washington 101— Sanctuary

Saturday, January 28th-
8:00-9:30 am Food Pantry Open-By appointment only
(USDA is an equal opportunity employer and provider.)

January 8, 2023

Sunday School Attendance	305
Church Attendance	AM 401 PM 218
Awana	103
Sunday's Offering:	\$16,736.30
Online Giving 1/11-1/17:	\$2,577.00
Total Offerings Received:	\$19,313.30
Budget Offering Received	\$17,348.00
Budget Offering Required	\$29,300.00
Designated*	\$1,090.36
Kingdom Vision (Including memorials)	\$990.30
Food Pantry	\$100.00
Reimbursements	\$866.00
Discipleship Training	\$167.00
AWANA	\$104.00
Wed. Supper 1/11	\$504.00
WMU	\$100.00

*Designated funds: Approved projects are Building Fund & Special Projects.
**Special offerings as designated by the Board of Deacons.
The work of our church is supported entirely by the faithful giving of our members.



The Kubaskos need help unloading the moving truck!

Braxton, Mallory, and Shepherd will be moving into their new house on Saturday, January 21st. They would like some help carrying items from the moving truck into their house. Please arrive at their house at 10:00am if you can help. Their address is 1142 Elmswell Lane Lyman, SC 29365.



WEDNESDAY SUPPER

To make reservations, please sign up by filling out insert in Sunday's bulletin or call the church office by **Monday, January 23rd no later than noon.** We will start serving at 5:30 pm.

***The Menu for January 25th**
Pork Tenderloin, Mixed Vegetables, Lima Beans, Rolls, Dessert and Tea

The cost is \$6.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children (children under 2 eat free).

***Please note that the Wednesday night suppers menu is subject to change due to the availability of some food items.**

If you would like to help with the suppers, contact Tammy Smith.



It's a new year and wonderful time to be involved in missions! The WMU will be collecting diapers of all sizes for Greer Relief this month! If you have the opportunity to grab a pack of diapers, as you get your groceries, please do so! Just put the diapers in the WMU receptacles located throughout the church! We will collect these items throughout the month! Thanks so much for your help! May God Bless you as you serve Him in the new year! —The WMU Ministry Team

Clothes Closet Update

We serviced 20 families last Saturday with approximately 275 pieces of clothing. We are in need of Men and Boys Shoes any size.

Thank you,
Evelyn Lynn



DDM Nashville Recording Artists
DARRELL & DAWN RITCHIE

Washington Baptist Church
3500 N Hwy 14
Greer SC



Sunday
1/29/23
10:45AM
& 6PM

From Beginning to Forever
A STUDY OF THE GRAND NARRATIVE OF SCRIPTURE
ELIZABETH WOODSON

NEW LADIES BIBLE STUDY "FROM BEGINNING TO FOREVER"

In "From Beginning to Forever", Elizabeth Woodson guides you through the story of the Bible, showing how all

66 books combine to form one unified narrative. Weaving together the rich theological truths found in Genesis through Revelation, this 8-session study shows the eternal significance of what God is doing in the world and how he invites us to be a part of it.

Beginning Tuesday, January 24th at 7:00 pm in the church parlor led by Beckie Aughtry or Wednesday, January 25th at 10:00 am at the home of Melanie Hughes.

Cost of Book: \$21.99 and includes Video Access
Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board or contact Melanie Hughes at 270-1331 or mhughes3440@gmail.com to register or with any questions.

Save the Date! Our yearly WMU Brunch for the Three Rivers Baptist Association will be held at our church on Saturday, February 11 at 9:30. Ladies, we hope you can attend this special event! Dr. Danny Nicholson, President of Connie Maxwell Children's Home will be our guest speaker! There is a sign-up sheet on the WMU bulletin board. Please write your name on it so we will know how many to prepare for. Thanks so much for your prayers and faithful support!



Servants of Christ,
The WMU Ministry Team

New to Washington? Would you like to more about us?

Every month the pastor and staff will host an event we call **Washington 101** for the benefit of our new members and our visitors who wish to learn more about our church. The next **Washington 101 will be January 26th** at 7pm in the sanctuary. Sign-up sheets for this monthly meeting are on the vestibule tables. If you know a non-member who might be interested in this, please encourage them to sign up.

Important Announcement!

The February Mission Mosaic Magazines are on the gray desk in front of the WMU Bulletin Board. Please be sure and get yours before they are gone.

Men's Ministry Breakfast

All men and boys are invited to breakfast on Saturday, February 18 at 7:30 am in the fellowship hall. Sign-up on the bulletin board by History room.



Trent's Two Cents:

Braxton, Mallory, and Shepherd are moving into their new home Saturday! They will begin their full-time ministry with us this Sunday, January 22nd . They will need help moving furniture and boxes from the moving truck into their new home. If you can help with this, please be at their home at 10:00am Saturday morning. God has been at work in every facet of our search for an Associate Pastor—from the selection of the search committee, to the interviews, and through the purchasing and selling of homes, God is faithful! I am excited about our services this Sunday as we move forward on mission for Christ with our new staff fully in place! Please continue to pray for Braxton, Dave, Matthew, and me as we seek to serve the Lord and His church.

Your pastor, Trent

Right Now Media

Right Now Media is a Christian online resource website which Washington Baptist subscribes to for our members. It includes videos and other study/conference resources for all age groups to enhance your personal and family spiritual growth. In order to access the website you need an ID and password. We encourage you to sign up and begin to enjoy these wonderful free Christian resources. If you have not received an email from Right Now Media or signed up previously and would like to sign up for this resource, contact trent@washingtonbaptist.org.



A few Pictures of Paul Shanks and the Servants for Sight mission in Kenya.



WBC Food Pantry Report:

Ending the year 2022, we served 164 clients in December (closed 12/24) representing 582 family members. For the year, we served 2222 clients representing 7862 family members. You would be amazed how God has provided donations during November and December that have contributed greatly to replenishing our inventory and making possible provisions for our clients into the year 2023. Thank you for your continued prayers and support. Come by one Saturday morning and see what God is doing.

Food Bank Food Drive:

Everyone probably has heard by now of the frozen pipes and water damage experienced by Harvest Hope Food Bank in Greenville. This food bank has supported our pantry for many years and made it possible for our continued success in helping with food needs in our community. Now it is our turn to help them. We would like to sponsor a food drive during January with all the food going back to them to replace some of their lost inventory. We would like to limit this drive to providing one type of food item for them, which would be **Cans of Mixed Fruit**. Just bring your donations to WBC during January and place them in our shopping carts located near the church office or at Door "F" pantry entrance.

Gifts to the Church

.....given to the Kingdom Vision Fund in memory of Veta Neeves by the Keenagers and Jim & Shirley Brown.
.....given to Kingdom Vision Fund in memory of Carolyn Waddell and Ken Ward by the Lou Ellen Barnetts SS Class.
.....given to the Kingdom Vision Fund in memory of Missy Farr, JoAnn Barton and Troy Taylor by Rachel Owensby.
.....given to the Food Pantry in honor of Nancy Murray by the Joint Heirs SS Class.
.....given to the Kingdom Vision Fund in memory of Carolyn Waddell, Juanita Williams and Doug Taylor by Ronnie and Gale Knight.



We are so blessed to be able to go to Sunday School and Worship each week. This should never be taken for granted for there are many people in the world that are not allowed to worship as they please! We still have many who have not returned for whatever reason and they are greatly missed! Washington Baptist has wonderful dedicated teachers who study all week to teach the lesson on Sundays. That is one reason we need to be faithful to attend every time we can. Another is that God is pleased when we gather with other Christians to study His word. I look forward to seeing you Sunday for Sunday School! "I was glad when they said to me, let us go to the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1

Love and prayers, Barbara

Deacon Profile: Gregg Moore Spouse: Mitzi

Children: Josh & Brittany Moore and Jenna & Mark Lafever
Other Family Members: Jackson & Harrison Moore, Linny, Cheryl & Wanda Moore and Rex & Ann Wilbanks
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Gregg has been a member of WBC for 40 years. He is on the Safety Team, a Youth Sunday School Teacher, and the Sports Family Life Committee. He also sings in the Adult Choir.

Text Prayer Chain

If you would like to join the Text Prayer Chain, please contact Melinda Fowler by text or call 864-593-5129



5th Sunday Worship Schedule for January 29th

No Early Service
9:45 am- Sunday School
10:45 am- One Morning Reunion Service- with musical guests, Darrell & Dawn Ritchie (We will observe Baptism & The Lord's Supper)
5:00-7:00 pm- AWANA
6:00 pm- A Night of Praise with Darrell & Dawn Ritchie



The Washington Church Family would like to express Christian Sympathy to Mary Brown in the loss of her brother.

Inclement Weather:

Just in case we have Inclement Weather, you will be able to get updates on service cancellations/changes on channels WYFF or WSPA, Facebook and the church website.

"And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might." Deuteronomy 6:5



Sunday, January 22nd: Extended Session Workers:

8:30 am- Julie and Hannah Willimon
10:45 am-Amiee Terry, Anita Ayers, Betsy Couch, Freddy Couch, Norma Lyda and Katie Yancar
6:00 pm- Cheryl Moore and Melanie Pinckney
Computer Check In:
8:30- Jenna Pinckney
Sunday School- Debbie Wade
10:45- Dina Dryden
Ushers for January:
Avery James, Ralph Styles, Steve Church and Mitchell Whiteside (Please meet in Vestibule by 8:20)
Safety Team:
VESTIBULE
8:15-10:30- Scott Chisam
10:30 - 12:00- Gene Tapp
5:30-7:30-Gene Tapp
FELLOWSHIP HALL
8:15-10:30-Ronnie Barbare
10:30-12:00- Ralph Howard (LOCK ALL DOORS AT 11:00)
CHILDREN/PRESCHOOL AREA
8:15-10:30-Thomas Chisam
10:30-12:00- Treva Lee
YOUTH DOORS
8:15-10:30- Ronnie Barbare
10:30-12:00- Ralph Howard
CHILDREN/PRESCHOOL AREA
LOCK ALL DOORS AT 6:05
5:45-7:00-Jim Cason
AWANA
5:00-7:00-Steve Church/Chris O'Bryant/Mike O'Bryant
VIDEO SURVEILLANCE-LOCATED FORRD PANTRY AREA
8:15-10:30-Joe Aughtry
10:30-12:00-Steve Cobb
5:45-7:00-Joe Aughtry
GOLF CART
8:15-12:00-John Susie/Rob Dear
5:30-7:00- Avery James

Wednesday, January 25th
Vestibule-6:45-8:00- Brent Powers
VIDEO SURVEILLANCE
LOCATED IN FOOD PANTRY AREA
6:45-8:00-Gregg Moore (LOCK DOORS AT 7:05)
CHILDREN-PRESCHOOL AREA
6:45-8:00- Mike O'Bryant
YOUTH DOORS/FELLOWSHIP HALL
6:45-8:00- Jim Cason (LOCK DOORS AT 7:05)
GOLF CART-6:30-8:00- Daniel Ross

Notes from Dave...

Sunday, January 29 we will welcome gospel recording artists Darrell and Dawn Ritchie singing in our 5th Sunday Reunion morning service and presenting a concert for our Night of Praise that evening.

Darrell and Dawn have been an active performing duo since 2013, taking their unique brand of Christian music to churches, charities, and organizations across the south-eastern US. About 130 times a year, the Ritchies strike out on the road with the aim of lifting up the Name of Christ through their distinctive harmonies, authentic lyrics, and heartfelt testimony of God's amazing grace and provision. With an eclectic sound reminiscent of Nashville's country-blues scene, the Ritchies have become one of the most unique and original artists in gospel music today. I hope you will plan to be here January 29 and will invite many others to join us for this great Reunion Sunday with the Ritchies!

-Dave



P.S. The Keenager's had a special visit from "Frosty the Snowman" (aka Don Brown) this past Tuesday at their monthly meeting. Make sure to come to our next meeting on February 14th for a Special Valentines Day program!

Moore News...

I am excited to share that we have started two new sermon series in youth. On Sunday evenings, starting at 6:00 pm we are walking through Jesus' sermon on the mount verse by verse. On Wednesday nights at 7:00 pm, we will spend the next seven weeks looking at Jesus' "I AM" statements recorded in the book of John. I know God's word will bless us, equip us, and help us grow in our relationship with Christ. I hope you will join us every Sunday and Wednesday night. Lastly, if anyone has questions regarding our youth ministry, please feel free to email me - matthew@washingtonbaptist.org.

-Matthew

Attention Ladies!

We are going to have the Ladies Celebration on April 21st! For those who have not been in our church long, here is a brief explanation of this event. This is a time of inspiration, worship and fellowship for our ladies. Our very own Debbie Rigsby will be giving her testimony and will be singing for us. Our men will be our servers and they do a great job! We will have a table on the first Sunday of March in the hall behind the sanctuary to reserve your table. You will pay \$15.00 for yourself at this time to reserve your table. We have 30 black tablecloths that you can borrow (first come, first serve). Your table can be decorated any way you choose, then you will need to ask 5 more ladies to sit at your table. We will have the food catered, but you will need to have a cake, pie, or cup cakes for the table's dessert and your centerpiece. The cost for the meal will be \$15.00 per person. If you have questions, please call me at (864)895-2260 —Barbara Henderson



GREER COMMUNITY MINISTRIES COULD USE YOUR HELP!

We are looking for someone to drive our bus at Greer Community Ministries to pick up and drop off our Seniors. The days we currently have available are Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays along with a substitute as needed position. The time requirement would be 8:45-9:30 and 11:15-12:00. The driver is more than welcome to stay during the program or leave and return. No CDL is required. Please email Amanda Davis (adavis@gcminc.org) or thru the main line phone number (864-877-1937 ext. 203).

Important Information about the Church Life App!

Our online directory can still be accessed. Instead of using the app anyone who have not already downloaded the app will have to go to churchlife.mobi to access the directory. If you have the app now it will still work. We will still use the app and update it. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dana in the church office.

