

WOODLAND HEIGHTS CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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INFO TO KNOW....

WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER - BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN Please grab a baby bottle from the table in the foyer. Fill it with coin, cash and/or check. Bottles need to be returned to WHCC by Sunday, February 26.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT OASIS @ 5:30 P.M. (dinner and small groups) **DINNER MENUS:** (February 22) Baked spaghetti, garlic bread, green beans, salad; corn dogs and applesauce for the children and pudding and cookies for dessert. (February 29) Turkey breast casserole, green beans, rolls, salad; hot dogs, potato chips and applesauce for the children and fruit salad and cookies for dessert. *Please make your dinner reservations at the bottom of the bulletin tear off section this Sunday.*

THE GAMES & GAB GET TOGETHER scheduled for tonight (Feb. 17) has been canceled

BASKET GUILD @ WHCC Tuesday, February 21 @ 6:00 p.m.

SENIOR SAINTS Thursday, February 23 @ 9:00 a.m.

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN LADIES 5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 27 @ New Ross Christian Church.

SERVING SCHEDULES the following schedules are available on the church website (www.whcc.us): The *10:45 children's ministry, guest services, nursery, elder, deacon, van driver and communion prep schedules* under the Resource Tab, under "serving schedules". Please be sure to look your schedule over and know the dates when you are to serve.

SUBMITTED PRAYER REQUEST If you fill out a blue prayer concern card or e-mail a request into Roxanne and the request is for anyone other than yourself or your family member, you will need to check with that person to make sure they know you have submitted their name. We can not announce the request or send the concern out by e-mail until you have their permission.

TUESDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets Tuesday mornings at 6:00 a.m., but will not meet on Tuesday, February 21st.

UNCLAIMED DISHES Please check the large plastic tote on the counter in the kitchen to see if any of the dishes belong to you.

Statistically Speaking	2/5	2/12
Worship Attendance	441	484
Bible School Attendance	191	206
General Offering	\$11,247	\$7716
Beyond Belief/Building	\$1733	\$16,849
Designated Missions	\$25	\$5
TOTAL	\$13,005	\$24,570

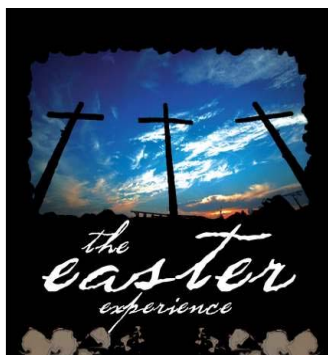
WHCC NEWEST MEMBER(S): Faith Havener transferred membership on February 12, 2012 and Samantha Brewer was baptized on February 12, 2012. WELCOME!

The “Front Cover Story”

I read an article a while back by Alan Tison that said on December 17, 1903 in Kitty Hawk North Carolina, Orville and Wilbur Wright became the first successful pilots to fly an aircraft. After several failed attempts, Orville flew their plane for an incredible 12 seconds. There had been many attempts to fly by different individuals but this was the first time man’s attempts were successful. Wilbur took this news to the local telegraph office and sent word to his sister saying – WE HAVE FLOWN FOR 12 SECONDS - WE WILL BE HOME FOR CHRISTMAS! Upon receiving the telegram, their sister Katherine went to the newspaper office, told the editor of her brother’s new flying machine, and informed him, they would be home for Christmas if he would like to set up an interview. He told her that was nice, and he would be sure to put something in the paper regarding the boys. On December 19th, the local paper placed the following headline on the 6th page of the paper: “WRIGHT BROTHERS HOME FOR CHRISTMAS” The most important story of the year – man’s first flight – and the editor missed it!

I wonder if the same could be said about us when it comes to Jesus. We tell ourselves that Jesus is the most important thing in our lives, but do we show it? Do we project to the world that He is the main story, the “headline” in our life? If He truly is, we should be able to see the effects from it. Right? That is where we will spend our time, or energy and our finances. Jesus will be what we live for and what we think about at night if we go to bed and can’t get right to sleep. We will wonder what we can do the next day to help the cause and be a better servant. I know that the things of this world are always at war with the heart and mind of a Christian. Satan always wants us to think about anything and everything else but Jesus. If we truly believe that Jesus is returning for us to take us from this world to give us a heavenly home, we have to make Jesus the “Front Cover Story” in our lives and make sure we share that same gift with as many people as we can before He returns to take us home. There should be an urgency there because we know that time is limited and the price to pay for an eternity without Jesus is GREAT!

Kyle



easter experience

Your *easter experience* can be more meaningful than ever before.

The *easter experience* is a powerful six-part video driven Bible study and Sermon Series exploring the last week of our Savior's life. The sermon series will begin Sunday, March 4 and end on Easter, April 8. Those using the *easter experience* curriculum should begin that Sunday or week prior

WHO IS INVITED TO TAKE PART IN THE *easter experience* ? Existing Life Groups, Small Groups, Sunday School Classes or any group of friends or families who want to experience Easter together.

STUDY MATERIALS INCLUDE two DVD's dramatically portraying the events of the last week of Jesus' life intermingled with challenging teaching segments and a Leader's Guide that includes great questions that will challenge your thinking and promote discussion.

THE REST IS UP TO YOU! You and your group decide when you will meet and where.

SIGN UP AT WELCOME CENTER THIS WEEKEND or call the church office (362-5284) and let me know what you would like to do.

Here are the options:

- Use the *easter experience* in my current group or class
- Lead an *easter experience* group.
- I want to join an *easter experience* group.
- We have a group, we need a leader.

Check out Easter Experience on the web at <http://www.easterexperience.com/>

In His love, Steve