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March 7, 2018

Dear WCN Family,

In WCN's 2018 elections, you elected the following people to serve on the church board: Diane Davis, Marilyn Evans, Betty Hamm, Brenda Palk, Pearl Jones, and Robin May. These folks will join other board members whose terms are staggered over three years. You elected the following people to represent WCN at the MidSouth district assembly: Carla Anderson, Mac Anderson, Charles Davidson, Betty Hamm, Alton Hesson, Don McGuire, Ellen Moran, and Sarah Shanks. Those who will represent WCN at the district missions convention will be Mary Ann Collins, Emily Davis, Kelsey Elliott, Jimmy Hamm, Betty Hamm, Don Nichols, Linda Nichols, Linda Story, Kay Webb, Darrel Shanks, Sarah Shanks, and Greg Field. Thanks to Brenda Palk, church board secretary, for election oversight. Thanks to Tracy Young, Glenis Young, Lloyd Ross, and Michelle Ross for serving as tellers. And thanks to Cory Oakley for his years of faithful service on the church board. Cory rotated off for the current term. We continue to be blessed with godly leadership.

Improve Your Serve was held at Trevecca Community Church last Saturday. Local church leaders were equipped and inspired to make disciples. Pastors Mary Forester and Annetta Sykes led workshops. Those who are better for attending *Improve Your Serve*, in addition to Pastors Mary and Annetta, are: myself, Nick Forester, Caden Forester, Cord Qualls, Tiffany Qualls, Hayden Jordan, Garrett Jordan, Chase Qualls, Eden Wilkins, Hayden Leming, Robin May, Nathaniel Riley, Alton Hesson, Don McGuire, Angel Bradley, and Pastor Janice Rudolph.

Our summer *Mission:Mexico* trip will take us to rural Mexico, where malnutrition is a problem and language barriers make it difficult to communicate the gospel. We will carry medical and nutritional supplies, in addition to tools for communicating the gospel across language barriers. If you would like to cover the purchase a bathroom-style scale (for keeping track of children's weight), Jesus Film cloths (for teaching the stories of the Bible), or evangeballs (for communicating the story of Jesus), please visit the Sending Wall or contact one of our staff. Not everyone can *go*. If you cannot *go*, then we invite you to *send* and pray.

Twice a year we set aside a Saturday to clean and maintain our buildings and grounds. Our spring workday is set for March 24th. We will begin at 8am. Make plans to help us care for God's grounds.

Good Friday is March 30th. We will commemorate the cross with a special Tenebrae service at 6:30pm in the sanctuary. Nursery will be available. All other ages will be welcome in the sanctuary. WCN teens will read scriptures chronicling Jesus's seven last words from the cross. Lights will grow dim. We will leave in darkness and silence. We will leave ready for Easter.

On Easter Sunday, April 1st, we will have three morning worship services at 8am, 9:20am, and 11am. Discovery Kids will not meet for the 8:00 hour, but they will meet during the 9:20 and 11:00 services. Nursery care is available during all three services. There will be no Sunday School or evening activities on Easter Sunday. Girls and boys through 6th grade will hunt over ten thousand eggs at 10:30, between the 9:20 and 11:00 services. The egg hunt will take place rain or shine. We are asking many people to serve in multiple ways on Easter Sunday. If you serve during one service, we ask that you attend one of the other services. Please contact the church office to find out how we can put you to work.

We are collecting individually wrapped pieces of candy for the egg hunt. The need is down to 8,000. Bins are located throughout the church campus. Thank you for donating.

It is hard enough getting going on a regular Sunday morning. It is even harder getting going when an hour disappears. This weekend an hour will disappear. I encourage you to do what you can to mitigate the loss. Turn your clocks back earlier on Saturday to attempt to adjust sooner. Go to bed earlier. Make your Saturday night less eventful. There are lots of ways to make up for the missing hour. Sunday worship is too important for you to make the hour up at that time.

Every Monday morning, the church staff meets. Our main agenda is to talk about you. We talk about ways that you are belonging to the community of Christ. We discuss ways that you are believing in the person of Christ. And we celebrate the ways that you are becoming the mission of Christ. We talk about you. We name names. We celebrate the work that God is doing in you. And we thank him for you.

I look forward to another great Sunday as we move deeper into this blessed season and closer to the cross of Christ.



COMING_SOON:

- Mar 10: Move clocks forward one hour
- Mar 11: Mission: Mexico meeting, 4pm
- Mar 19: Men's Prayer Breakfast, 5am
- Mar 21: Last night of Immerse Groups for current term
- Mar 22: Mission area prayer service, Erin, 7pm
- Mar 24: Church Workday, 8am
- Mar 28: No groups
- Mar 30: Good Friday Tenebrae Service, 6:30pm
- Apr 1: Easter Sunday
- Apr 4: No groups
- Apr 5-8: TNT (teens)
- Apr 10: Prayer Mtg Meeting, 4:30am

If you have a prayer need please email prayer@wcntn.com

Worship: 8:45 § 11am S/School: 10am Sun Nt: 6pm Wed Nt: 6:30pm

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