knowing God and making SHALLO WITZES

a witness of what you have seen of Me and what I will

appoint you as

Waldo Family,

We are entering November on our way to Thanksgiving, with Christmas on the horizon. It is always such a wonderful time of the year. With the Fall Fellowship behind us, I want to reiterate my sincere gratitude to everyone who served and made it possible. The rain did not stop any of you, and you did a wonderful job creating a fun evening for everyone who attended. Thank you!

As we continue studying Acts together, please pray that our church develops a growing zeal to pursue both biblical church health and growth. We want to be people who are always responsive to God's Holy Word, so that we are strengthened and built up as a church that faithfully represents Jesus Christ. We also desire to be a multiplying church that prayerfully shares the gospel with our neighbors and makes disciples to God's glory. I am so encouraged by the engagement and joy you have shown in submitting to the preaching of the Word. Keep nurturing that joyful engagement with God's Word, and I am confident you will experience the blessings of sweet communion with Christ and His people.

I am very excited about several things we have seen in the life of our congregation, and I want to close by highlighting a few of them. The men's wheelchair ministry



has been very productive, bearing much fruit from their labors. We should rejoice that they've been such a bright light in our community. The launch of Missional Moms has been a blessing to many, and we pray that the friendships will only grow deeper still. Greg Hines and Caleb Waddell have coordinated a men's fellowship and an outing that has helped forge deeper relationships among the men in our church. When you consider all of these opportunities, along with Precepts and the monthly ladies' gathering, there are plenty of opportunities to grow in Christ with your fellow saints at WBC.

In Christ, Nate

From the desk of our Worship Pastor, Bro. Aaron Gillis

Throughout the Bible, the theme of unity among God's people appears time after time. The church is unified through doctrine, covenant membership and weekly gatherings. Our unity is not surface level, but is rooted in the truth of God's word. While the world is divided over countless things, the church can stand on the promises of God as one body, work through conflict and seek to do all things to the glory of God and for the good of our neighbor. Christ has made a way for us to have peace with God and unity within His body. Let this scripture be an encouragement as you seek to know God and make Him known!

"Finally, all of you, have unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, and a humble mind." - 1 Peter 3:8



Lisa and I would like to thank everyone for your prayers and contacts during her recent surgery. She is doing well and we certainly appreciate everyone checking on her.

Also, thank you, Church, for the gift card for Pastors Appreciation. It was truly appreciated and as always it's a blessing to get to serve the Lord among the family here at Waldo.

~Bro. David

November 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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Early Worship Service 8:00 a.m. Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.m. Evening Service The Lord's Supper 5:30/p.m.	3	Volleyball Fellowship 6:00 p.m.	FELLOWSHIP MEAL 5:30 WBCKids Gen NOW Student Ministry Journey 2911 Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m.	Ladies Precepts Class @ Waldo 6:00 p.m.	7	8
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Weekly Giving Report		WORSHIP SCHEDULE				
Week of:		Sunday	Early Worship Service	8:00 a.m.		
10/5	\$9,621.00		Sunday School (All Ages) Journey2911 (College/Young Adults)	9:00 a.m.		
10/12	\$4,464.00		Journey2911 (College/Young Adults)			
10/19	\$8,772.00		Late Worship Service	10:00 a.m.		
10/26	\$7,352.00		Evening Worship/Activities	5:30 p.m.		
	*These totals do not include online giving.		Meal Ministry (will resume August 13th) Prayer Mtg./Bible Study WBCKids Generation Now (Student Ministry) Journey2911 (College/Young Adults)	5:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m.		



November Birthdays & Anniversaries (*notes anniversary)

Helen Burress Jennifer Harris **Landry Bormann** 7th **Cathy Reynolds** 9th Nikita Shoulta 10th **Brigitte Austin** Michele Reynolds **Tony Swinford** 14th Elsie Duncan 15th **Carolyn Farmer** 18th **Tenley Barnett** 19th **Slade Culver** 20th **Lloyd Austin Louie Williams Lettie Williams** *Trevor & Karsyn Wlliams **21st Lauren Deasel** 24th **Teresa Austin Troy Deasel Donald Ray Giltner** 25th **Pastor Nate Martin Jerry Sue Revnolds 26th Garrett Bone** 27th **Kyle McNichols**



Rachel Hannah

28th

THANK YOU TO EACH AND EVERY PERSON WHO HELPED OR PARTICIPATED IN ANY WAY WITH THE RECENT FALL FELLOWSHIP! THE WEATHER CHALLENGED US BUT YOU ROSE TO THE OCCASION AND PROVIDED AN AWESOME FELLOWSHIP EVENT!



We extend our most heartfelt sympathies to our Waldo family members

who have lost loved ones over the past month. Please keep them close in prayer, especially during the upcoming holiday season.

The family and friends of Rebecca Melton who stepped into Heaven on Friday, October 10, 2025.

Rebecca is the beloved sister of Shane Boudreaux.

The family & friends of Sandra Sullivan Moore Who passed from this life on Saturday, October 11, 2025. Sandra is the beloved grandmother of Kayla Quarles.

> The family & friends of Derral Gene Redwine, Sr. Who met Jesus face to face on Tuesday, October 21, 2025. Mr. Redwine is the father of Derral Redwine.

Can you help?

With the holidays quickly approaching, C.O.P.E. is beginning to prepare for the annual holiday food bags. Our Waldo family has been asked to assist in this important mission by providing cans of CRANBERRY SAUCE. There is a collection bin located in the entry of the church, just inside the door if you'd like to help!

Thank you!

See Jason McManus if you have

LAST DAY OF COLLECTION IS NOVEMBER 16TH

questions.

THERE WILL BE
NO SERVICES OR ACTIVITIES

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26TH



The Lord's Supper will be served on Sunday, November 2nd during the evening service time, 5:30 p.m.

This is a time of family worship. There will be no youth or children's activities but the nursery will be open for babies.

PLEASE NOTE THIS CHANGE TO OUR FUTURE WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Waldo family Since the middle of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020, we have been blessed to worship together in two Sunday morning services. This schedule has served us well during that season. After much prayer and consideration, the leadership of Waldo Baptist believes it is now time to return to one unified morning service. Beginning with our Christmas worship service on Sunday, December 21st, we will gather together for one Sunday morning service at 10:00 a.m. along with our other evening and midweek services each week. We are excited to worship as one body once again, and we sincerely appreciate your support, cooperation and understanding as we make this

With love in Christ, Pastor Nate and the Waldo Baptist Staff

transition.



If you would be interested in serving with other churches in our area during the annual Thanksgiving Community Dinner at the Harry Statham Gym in Brookport on November 22nd., please speak sign up at the Welcome desk as soon as possible. There are several aras in which to volunteer. Please speak with Richard Culver if you have questions.



DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK AN HOUR BE-FORE GOING TO BED ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST!

JOURNEY2911

(College Age/Young Adults) meets on Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m. and Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m.

If you'd like more information about the class or these two events please reach out to Bro. David Atwell.



Contact Greg Hines with questions or for more information.



WBCKids meets each Wednesday night in the Family Life Center. We have classes from 2 years old through the 6th grade. The group gathers for opening activities at 6:15 p.m. in the Children's Church room before breaking out into age specific classes for Bible study, gym time and snack. The nursery is also available for little friends under 2 years old. See Jen Heine for more information.



ENCOURAGING AND EQUIPPING MOMS FOR THE EVERYDAY MINISTRY OF MOTHERHOOD

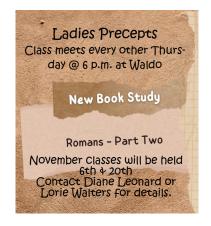
Every 3rd Saturday | 5 PM - 6:30 PM | WBC



NEXT GATHERING: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH 5:00-6:30 P.M.

Open to moms in every season of motherhood!

Join our GroupMe to stay informed & join the conversation. Simply scan the QR code to the left or use the link https://groupme.com/join_group/110507659/ZWYfu8K2





fill it with fun toys, school supplies and hygiene items, and bring it back by NO-VEMBER 23RD. Can't make it to the store? No problem! Our youth group would love to pack a box for you—just make a \$25 donation to cover the cost of the gifts and shipping (mark your donation "Operation Christmas Child"). Let's fill the front of our sanctuary with filled boxes & joy as we work together to bless kids around the world with the hope of Jesus this Christmas!

Generation NOW Student Ministries

Mission Statement

Generation Now Ministries ia a ministry of Waldo Baptist Church. We exist to equip young people to develop a deeper relationship with Christ through discipleship, building a family, and serving the community. This Generation has been chosen to grow in Christ NOW, to proclaim His glory NOW, and to make a difference NOW.

New Wednesday Night Schedule <u>Community Night (Evangelism + Community)</u>

Community Night is every 4th Wednesday Night. It is all about creating a space where everyone feels welcome and can get connected. Through fun and fellowship, students can connect with each other and invite friends to experience the love and joy of the Gospel in a welcoming, relational environment. It's fun, it's real, and it's where relationships begin.

Gather night (Community + Worship)

Gather Night is every 1st & 3rd Wednesday Night. It is where we come together as one to worship, pray, and hear God's Word. It's a time to set aside distractions, encounter the presence worship together and grow together as a spiritual family.

<u>Table Night (Worship + Discipleship)</u>

Table Night is every 2nd Wednesday Night, sometimes the 5th. It is where growth is cultivated. Through small groups, open discussion, and time in the Word, students dig deeper into their faith and build authentic relationships. Just like the early church gathered around the table, this is where we share life, ask questions, and walk the journey of following Jesus—together.

FUGE 2026

Register before January and use code: "Earlybird" for \$50 off each spot!

Location: Jackson, TN @ Union University

Date: June 15-20, 2026

Total Cost; \$475 per student

Deposit to secure spot: \$75 (Goes toward the total cost)

Final Payment is due on May 31, 2026

November Events

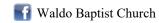
Operation Christmas Child Packing Party—Nov. 23rd

We will have lunch directly after the 10am service, go to the Dollar Tree to buy shoe box items, and then come back to the church to pack the boxes. It's a great time of fellowship and missions



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Children's Church Pastor: Bro. Kenny Forthman

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Admin. Assistant/Secretary: Mrs. Missy Brinkley

Treasurer: Mrs. Robin Loverkamp

Custodian: Mrs. Susan Brinker



*Meat for the meal will be provided by the church. Bring a side dish and/or dessert to share and enjoy this time of fellowship as we celebrate the blessings we have been given. Bring a friend or two with you!