

Church Life

Welcome Home!

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I have wondered sometimes what it would have been like to have been able to live at the time Adam and Eve first did. To live with no sorrows, pain, trials, or sin. But then reality sets in and I suddenly remember that I don't and that this life can be tough.

There have been days that I just wanted to push the reset button and start all over and then there are other days that the trouble just seems to beat me down until I don't even know how I will get through it all.

But then I remember the scripture above that tells me that troubles will come and the hardships will try to run amuck through the pages of my life. But I also remember that God has told me to take heart, because He has overcome the world.

That phrase, "take heart", means to be brave or have peace. But how can God expect us to have peace in moments that are far from peaceful, you might ask?

We can have peace because the power of the world was defeated when Jesus went to the Cross. He broke and defeated the power of sin and death. He brought true life and insured that the trials, sorrow and even death would not have the final say.

So, in the middle of sorrows and trials, we can take heart and have peace. Not because things are easy, but because the hard things of this life are temporary. Our peace is not in the absence of pain or troubles, but it is found in knowing Jesus!

In Christ, Pastor Phil

Discipleship Leadership Training

For all ministry leaders, teachers, and those interested in learning more about leading others in a closer walk with God.

Saturday, May 14th 9am—3pm

Church Fellowship Hall Continental Breakfast and Lunch will be provided



Exciting things are coming this summer on Wednesday Nights!!!



Worship

Praising God Worship, Music, Media & Drama

Hey Senior Adult Choir!

It's time to sing again.

Mark your calendar for **Tuesday, May 3rd**at 11:00am



WHBC Worship Choir AND WE ARE SAVING YOU A SEAT. Wednesdays at 7:15pm



Worship Matters

Make a Joyful noise unto

the **LORD** all ye lands.

Serve the **LORD**

with Gladness

Come before His Presence with **Singing**.

Know ye that the LORD

HE IS GOD:

It is **He** that hath made us, and not we ourselves;

we are **HIS PEOPLE**, and the *sheep of* **His pasture**.

Psalm 100:1-3



Greetings from the WMU

Mission matters most. On May 14, WMU celebrates 134 years of commitment to missions. WMU's focus has been to make disciples of Jesus who live on mission.

Lottie Moon understood the importance of mission matters most. She wrote in one of her many letters, "How many there are...who imagine that because Jesus paid it all, they need pay nothing, forgetting that the prime object of their salvation was that they should follow in the footsteps of Jesus Christ in bringing back a lost world to God." For her, mission really did matter most.

West Hampton has a great legacy of missions. Through the years we have sent teams all over the world to share the good news of Jesus Christ. Prayerfully consider how you can live on mission in your daily life.

Glory to God, Margaret Langley

WMU CALENDAR:

May 5 National Day of Prayer

May 8 Mother's DayMay 30 Memorial Day

• June 4 WHBC Ladies Picnic in the Grove 12 noon

WOMEN ON MISSION — MEETINGS FOR MAY

<u>Group</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	Location	<u>Time</u>	Group Leader
Sadie & Elizabeth	Tuesday	May 3	@ Church	9:30am	Barbara Lindley (interim)
M&M's	Saturday	May 7	@ Church FH	10:00am	Janice Gary
Quilting	Tuesday	May 10	@ Church	9:00 am	Lisa Allred
Sisters by Heart	Monday	May 16	@ Patty Gadskins	6:30 pm	Eula Parks
Scrapbook	Friday	May 20	@ Church	5:00 pm	Carla Franklin
Scrapbook	Saturday	May 21	@ Church	9:00 am	Carla Franklin
Quilting	Monday	May 23	@ Church	9:00 am	Lisa Allred



Attention All WHBC Ladies

(including girls age 6 & up)

Join us for a lovely

Picnic in the grove

On Saturday, June 4

at 12 noon

Sign up Sunday, May 8-Wednesday, May 25.

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'Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
THANK YOU Frances Parks for 29 yrs. Reception following service	2	3 Sr. Adult Choir Rehearsal 11am Church Council Meeting 6 pm	4 Dinner Spaghetti, Side Salad, Bread & Dessert	5 National Day Of Prayer	6	7
Nother's Mother's Kids Sing!	9	10 Quilting Ministry 9:00am Sr. Adult Choir Rehearsal 11am	11 Dinner Sub Sandwiches Chips & Dessert Finance Committee Mgt.7:00pm	12	13	14 Discipleship Leadership Training 9am—3pm Fellowship Hall
15 Deacons Meeting 8AM 11:30am WHBC Members Business meeting.	16	17 Sr. Adult Choir Rehearsal 11am	18 <u>Dinner</u> Chicken Fettuccine Alfredo, Side Salad Bread & Dessert	19	20 Scrapbook Ministry 2:00pm	Scrapbook Ministry 9:00am
22 MILITARY Appreciation Day	23 Quilting Ministry 9:00am	24 Sr. Adult Choir Rehearsal 11am	25 <u>Dinner</u> Fish Sandwich, Waffle Fries, Fruit & Dessert	26	27 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED	28
29	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY ***	31 Sr. Adult Choir Rehearsal 11am				

Join us as our little ones will be singing on



Mother's Day Sunday

May 8, 2022

10:30am worship

SUNDAY, MAY 15



DEACONS MEETING

@ 8AM

FELLOWSHIP HALL

CHURCH MEMBERS
BUSINESS
MEETING @ 11:30AM
(FOLLOWING THE SERVICE)





The church office will be closed on Monday, May 30, in observance of Memorial Day

Sunday Schedule

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00am Transition Time & Fellowship

10:30 am Worship Service

Deaf Worship

Wednesday Schedule

5:00 pm Church Dinner

5:30 pm Prayer Time in the Sanctuary

6:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)

Deaf Bible Study

Preschool Choir / Mission Friends

Kids on a Mission (GAs/RAs)

Elevate Youth B207

7:15 pm Worship Choir Rehearsal

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2022 GIVING BACK TO GOD



Date	Worship	Sunday School	Budget Received	Heart for the House Received
March 20	133	94	\$5,848.00	\$448.00
March 27	140	105	\$3,926.00	\$83.37
April 3	150	107	\$13,350.65	\$939.37
April 10	143	102	\$5,608.50	\$307.37

 YTD 2022 Received (Budget):
 \$105,624.05

 2022 Budgeted to Date
 \$162,348.45

 YTD 2022 Received (Heart for the House):
 \$7,318.68