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# West Nash Weekly eNews

**FRIDAY, September 22, 2017**



*I was glad when they said to me,  
"Let us go to the house of the Lord!" ---Psalm 122:1*

As the new school year has begun, so, too, have new and existing ministries at West Nash!

- **Guitar Lessons:** We have 12 students (youth and adults) enrolled in the free guitar classes on Wednesday evenings. None of these folks are members of West Nash, so please make a special effort to welcome them and make them feel at home when you see them. Thank you Hans Hess and Joan Vick for launching this exciting ministry - can't wait to hear the new musicians playing in worship!
- **Faithful-Living Forums:** Our forums have been educational and inspirational, as we have learned about: Making Space for the Un-churched (Rev. Marty Cauley); Faith and Mental Illness (Phillip Bass); and Habitat for Humanity in Wilson (Elisabeth Farnsworth). We've averaged over 50 folks at each forum, and hope more of you will stay and join the conversation in weeks to come. This week, September 24th, Nancy Sallenger will be with us to share stories of pain and hope from the Wilson Crisis Center.
- **Confirmation Classes:** Confirmation classes began last Sunday, the 17th. We have 6 middle schoolers and 3 high schoolers enrolled and I LOVE my time with them.
- **New 11:15 a.m. Sunday School Classes:** On August 27th we launched 3 new Sunday School classes for our children and youth which meet during the Faithful-Living Forums. I am so impressed with our Sunday School teachers! Bring your families and your neighbors and friends!
- **AGAPE Christmas Boxes:** WOW - you folks take a challenge seriously! Having only packed 13 boxes last year, you rose to the challenge of packing 100 - and at last count had hit the 90 mark! I'm sure we'll get more in this weekend to put us over the 100 mark! Thank you all for your expression of love and generosity in doing your part to ensure that every Armenian child receives a Christmas box.

These are just some of the highlights of what's going on at West Nash this fall. We also have 3 Bible Studies underway, United Methodist Men, United Methodist Women,

Choir, and a new Handbell Choir!

**There is a place for you at West Nash UMC -- hope to see you Sunday!**

*Pastor Tuck*

**SUNDAY, September 24th**

John 6:60-71

**Hymns:**

Jesus Messiah

Sweet, Sweet Spirit #334

He Leadeth Me #128

Special Music: *At Calvary*

**Sermon: "Do You Also Want to Leave?"**

Sermon V of God's Questions Sermon Series



**Fall Sermon Series:  
God's Questions for God's People**

August 27: "Where Are You Adam?" -- Genesis 3:8-10

September 3: "Where Is Your Brother?" -- Genesis 4:8-9

September 10: "What Are You Doing Here?" -- I Kings 19:1-9

September 17: "Who Do You Say That I Am?" -- Mark 8:27-30

September 24: "Do You Also Wish to Leave?" -- John 6:60-71

October 1: Guest Preacher Bruce Stanley

October 8: "Who Are You Looking For?" -- John 18:1-11

October 15: "Is It With a Kiss That You are Betraying Me?" -- Luke 22:47-53

*The best teachers ask profound questions – questions that impact how we think and live; questions that transform us.  
Join us as we seek to be transformed.*

**God's Questions for God's People**

Sundays, August 27th - October 15th

10:00 a.m.



**Did you see West Nash in  
the Wilson Times?**

If not, [\*click here!\*](#)

**SUNDAY SCHOOL  
FOR SPECIAL NEEDS CHILDREN**

beginning Sunday, October 1st

10:00-Noon every Sunday

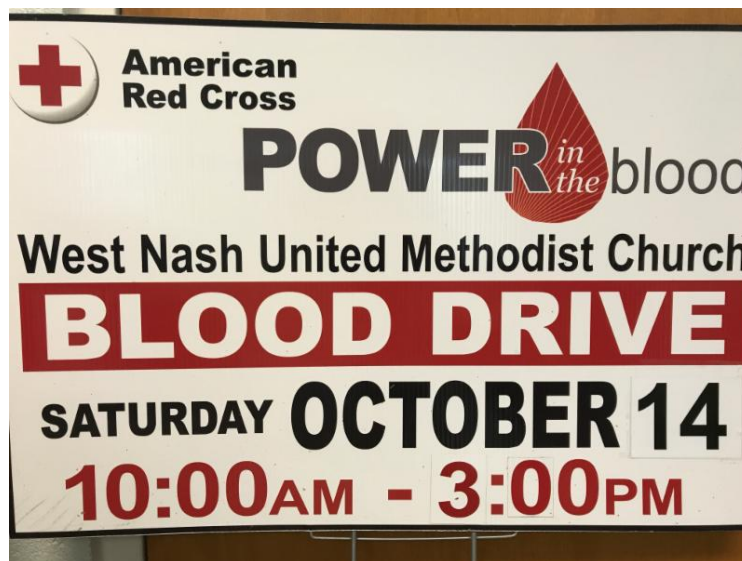
*Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of heaven belongs."*

Please help us spread the word by sharing this ministry on social media, and by inviting your friends.



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**Come Save a Life!**



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## Listening Sessions with Pastor Tuck

Please sign up for a listening session with Pastor Tuck. This is a time for you to share your thoughts and dreams about West Nash, as well as an opportunity to get to know Pastor Tuck and one another better. Each group is limited to 15. There are many dates, times and locations offered, in hopes that one will work with your schedule.

You may [click here](#) to sign-up online or you may sign-up on the

sign-up sheets located in the narthex (front entrance) of the church.

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## **PROJECT AGAPE CHRISTMAS BOXES due this Sunday, September 24th**



### **Have you packed your Christmas Box?**

Remember, we need your packed Project AGAPE Christmas boxes by this **Sunday, September 24th.**

Directions and needed items are listed on sheets found in the Welcome Center and vestibule or [\*Click here for instructions and Christmas lists\*](#)



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## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

**Sept. 25th, 2:30 pm** Bible Study "When Christians Get it Wrong", led by Pastor Tuck

**Sept. 25th, 7:00 pm** Finance Committee

**Sept. 26th, 4:30-6:30pm** Drive Through Prayer

**Sept. 28th, 7:00** Bible Study "Forgiveness", at the Proseus Home

**Oct 2nd, 7:00 pm** Administrative Council

**Oct 3rd, 7:00 pm** Board of Trustees

**Oct 4th, 4:30 pm** Worship Committee Meeting

**Oct 7th, 1:00 pm** Jim's Gathering at Olive Garden

**Oct 10th, 7:00** SPRC

### **Bible Studies:**

Second and Fourth Mondays, 2:30 @ the Church:

"When Christians Get It Wrong" by Adam Hamilton (Pastor Tuck teaching)

Second and Fourth Thursdays, 7:00 @ Proseus home.

If you are interested in joining, please call Linda Proseus at 252-281-8598.

Every Wednesday evening, 6:15 pm, Currently studying the book of Jeremiah  
Fellowship Hall (Pastor Tuck teaching)

**EVERY WEEK beginning Sept. 13th**

Handbell Practice, Sundays, 2:00-3:00

Youth Group, Sundays 6:30-8:00

Fellowship Dinner, Bible Study, Children's Programming, Wednesdays, 5:30-7:00

Youth Game Night, Wednesdays 6:30-8:00

Free Guitar Lessons, Wednesday, 6:00-6:45

Choir Practice, Wednesdays, 7:00-8:15

**[Click here for complete West Nash Calendar](#)**

**SUNDAYS AT WEST NASH UMC!**

**10:00 - 11:00:** Worship

**11:00 - 11:15:** Fellowship Time and Coffee

**11:15 - Noon:** Faithful-Living Forums for Adults

Faithful-Living for Youth (grades 6th-12th)

JAM (Jesus and Me) Children

**Nursery Provided 9:45 a.m. - Noon**

**UPCOMING FAITHFUL-LIVING FORUMS:**

Sept 10: Faith and Mental Illness (Phillip Bass, MDiv, LPC, NCC)

Sept 17: Habitat for Humanity (Ms. Elisabeth Farnsworth)

Sept 23: Crisis Center of Wilson (Mrs. Nancy Sallinger)

Oct 1: Methodist Home for Children (Rev. Bruce Stanley)

Oct 8: Gentlemen's Agreement, Wilson (Mrs. Alice Freeman)

Oct 15: Feeding the 5000 (Ms. Justine Post, Resourceful Communities)

Oct 22: Faithful Finances (Rev. Lynn Benson)

Oct 29: TBD

Nov 5: From Tragedy to Healing (Rev. Chris Jenkins)

Nov 12: Wilson 20/20 (Ms. Paula Benson)

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**Immediate Church Family:**

David Johnson  
Dewayne Poythress  
Terry Woods  
Ruth Price  
Frances Vick

**Family Friends and Others in Need of Prayer**

Family of Donna Beaman at her death – Friend of Gary & Wayburn Mills  
Brice & Bonnie Blaker – Cousins of Norm & Gerri King  
Friends of Norm & Gerri King who were affected by Hurricane Irma  
A.J. Bryant – Friend of Jim Howard  
Ethan Copus – Friend of Gay Manning  
Peg Driscoll – Sister of Gay Manning  
Sue & Phil Ericks on – Cousins of Gerri King  
Alan & Shirley Franks – Friends of Steve & Kathy Witchey  
Michelle Hickey – Friend of Steve & Kathy Witchey  
Allison Parker – Daughter-in-law of Robby and Wendy Parker  
Family of Gwen Parrish at the death of Robert – Friends of Norm and Gerri King  
Family of Eugene Poland at his death – Brother of Tempie Dillard  
Cindy Quenneville – Sister of Linda Pare  
Linda Richards – Friend of Paula Furiness  
James Sampson – Friend of Gay Manning  
Tyke Sweeney – Cousin of Margaret Greenleaf  
Harrison Teague – Friend of Rhonda Luther  
Mitch Winstead – Friend of Laura Blackman

**Shut-Ins:**

John Anderson  
Mavis Brinson  
Ruth Chevere, Rose's mother-moved to Virginia  
Lois Cooper  
Ruth Davis, Pam Bennett's mother - Wilmed Nursing Home  
Helen Finklea, Golden Living, Tarboro  
Joe Harper, Spring Arbor  
Jo Ann Hawley, Spring Arbor  
Emma Patterson, Parkwood Village  
Ollie Proseus, Brookdale, Greenville  
Ray Stone, Kitty Askins Center, Goldsboro  
Iris Turlington, Parkwood Village

**Other Prayer Concerns:**

WNUMC Officers & Leaders, Sunday School classes & leaders, Preschool & Choirs  
President Trump and other governmental leaders - federal, state and local  
All servicemen and women around the world & their families  
All impacted by Hurricanes Harvey and Irma

Please help us keep our prayer list up-to-date. If you know of someone who needs to be added, or if someone on the list is better and can be removed, shoot us an email or call the church office.

Thank you!

Send email: [wnumc@westnash.org](mailto:wnumc@westnash.org)

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Contact the church office to let us know of celebrations, prayer requests, upcoming events or ministry opportunities you would like printed in the West Nash Weekly e-News

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