

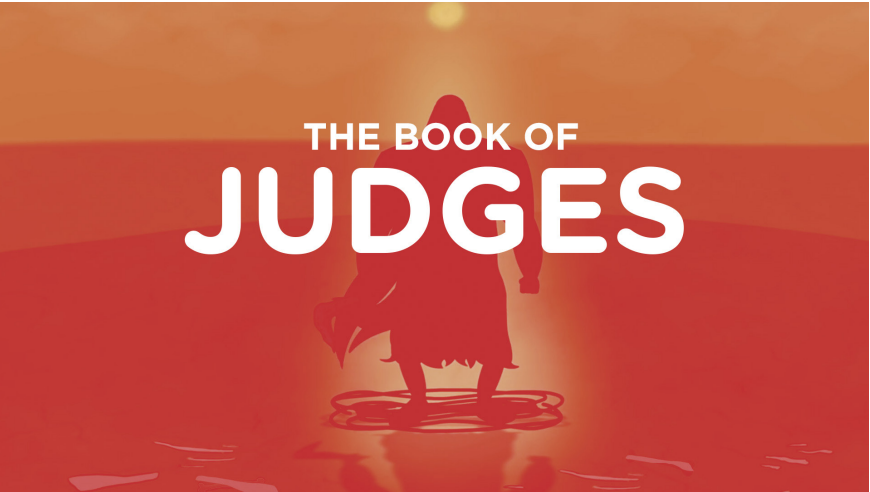
OUR FAMILY OF FAITH NEWS

DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF:

- Pat Coleman, September 6
- Jay Courtney, September 7
- Charlie Lovell, September 12
- Alicia Higgins, September 15

NOTES OF THANKS AND APPRECIATION:

"Thank you to our wonderful church family at Wallace Memorial and Cumberland Baptist for the cards, phone calls, visits, food, prayers, Gideon Bibles and donations to the building fund in memory of Charlie. You are family to us and we are so thankful for you. The service was just what our family needed.
Barbara Lovell & Family



OCTOBER SERIES
"Don't Judge: The Book of Judges"

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| October 5 | Gideon |
| October 12 | Gideon |
| October 19 | Abimilech |
| October 26 | Jephthah |



BE DISCIPLES
MAKE DISCIPLES

OCTOBER 2025

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

October 8
Fall Break
No Wednesday
Night Activities

October 19
Deacon's Meeting
5pm, Kids Center

Quarterly Business Mtg
6pm, Worship Ctr

October 26
Trunk or Treat Events
at Cumberland and
Riverview Campuses

Wallace Campus
Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Contact Us

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- Cumberland Campus
(865) 584-9129
- Riverview Campus
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Dear Wallace family,

As we look forward to 2030, God has put a vision in our hearts that we are calling "The Macedonia Project." As Paul was on his missionary journey, he received a vision in Acts 16:9. During the night Paul had a vision in which a Macedonian man was standing and pleading with him, "Cross over to Macedonia and help us!" It was a clear call to mobilize the church into new frontiers. This is the impetus behind The Macedonia Project. It is all about sending and helping spread the gospel locally, cross-culturally, nationally, and internationally. Just as with the 2025 vision, we will have some measurables to help us to accomplish this vision:

1. 1/2 of worship attenders participate on an E-Team
2. 1/2 of worship attenders engage their "one"
3. 1/5 of worship attenders worship in a language other than English
4. 30 people/year go on their 1st mission trip
5. 300 people/year go on a short-term mission trip
6. Adopt every UUPG for prayer
7. 30 people sent out on long-term mission with our strategic partners

These are big goals that will require God to move in incredible ways if we are to reach them. It will also require much prayer and our faithfulness as we are stretched as a church to make a greater impact in Knoxville and to the nations. We believe that if a significant portion of our church is sharing the gospel on an E-Team and engaging with their "one" lost friend or family member, then we will see God move across our community. We believe that if 1/5 of our worship attenders are worshipping in another language, then we will be reaching specific pockets of our community that need to be reached with the gospel. We believe that if we are sending people on their first mission trip and sending a large portion of our church on mission each year, then we will be impacting the world for Christ like never before. We believe that as we begin praying for the 3,000+ unengaged, unreached people groups (UUPGs) in the world, then God will answer those prayers and will even call some of our own members to go out long-term to reach these peoples with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

It's an audacious dream. But what if God does it? Wow. One author writes, "The mark of a great church is not its seating capacity, but its sending capacity." What if God does it?! That would be one great church.

Sincerely, John

OCTOBER 26TH

AT CUMBERLAND KNOX

& Riverview KNOX

6PM – 8PM



Memory Verse of the Month - Matthew 6:34
"Therefore don't worry about tomorrow, because tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own."

Breakfast with the Pastors - Thursday, Oct. 2
Boomers/Sr. Adults will meet at 9am for a time of fellowship. Cost: \$5 for breakfast. Sign up with Laura Simpson.

Day Women on Mission - Tuesday, October 14 9:30am - Bill Wallace Room - This summer Wallace had two teams in Montana helping our partners. Come and hear Tim and Kelly share their stories.

Night Women on Mission - Tuesday, October 14 6:30pm - Bill Wallace Room - Can a rodeo be a mission field? Come hear Kelly's experience in Montana.

First Responders Appreciation Baskets - Thursday, October 23 - Boomers/Sr. Adults will meet in the Atrium at 9am to put eight baskets together before delivering to the Sheriff's Department, Fire Departments and the Police Department. Please bring individually wrapped snack items, either homemade or store bought, to put in the baskets. Lunch will be out.

Waynesville, North Carolina - Thurs., October 30
Boomers/Sr. Adults will leave church at 8:30am for a day trip to Waynesville, that includes having lunch, going to Barber's Apple Orchard and a drive on the Blue Ridge Parkway.

Cumberland Gap, TN - Tuesday, October 28
The Spirit Lifters will leave church at 9am for a day trip to Cumberland Gap that includes a visit to the Abe Lincoln Museum on the LMU Campus and a guided step-on tour. The group will have lunch at Nineteen 19 in the Gap and also visit the National Park Visitor Center. Cost: \$5 (includes transportation and tour)

Hotel E-Team Assistance - Sunday, October 5
The Single Adult Ministry will meet at 3pm at church to go to the Motel 6 and help the Hotel E-Team hand out food and talk with the guests.

Cumberland & Riverview Trunk or Treat - Sunday, October 26 - The Single Adult Ministry will volunteer to help at either campuses. Contact Chad Crawford or Adam Diggs to volunteer.



Explore Wallace Class - Sunday, Oct. 5, 11:15am
Please note day and time change. This is a class for new members at WMBC and is required for all persons requesting membership. The class meets on the first Sunday of each month following the Worship Service (11am) in the Pastors Workspace (Treehouse). Contact John Green at jgreen@wallaceknox.com, for more information.

Backpack Ministry - Wed, Oct. 8, 5:30pm, Gym
This ministry continues to make 50 backpacks filled with food and hygiene items every month. Items needed: potted meat, raisins, vienna sausages and cereal bars. Help make a difference. Place donations in the black bins in the church office hallway. Contact Peggy Reynolds 865-406-8781, for more information.

Mats for Homeless
The matmakers are keeping some homeless dry as they make plastic mats every Wednesday night at 6pm, in the Atrium. Both men and women can help with this project. Call Sandy Bolton, 865-688-4343, with questions.

Cumberland Women Sewing Ministry - Tuesday, Oct. 21, 9am-noon - Help cut and tie blankets for Ukraine. You will make a difference. Contact Dottie Sampsel, 865-659-9334, with questions.

Students
Fall semester is rolling on and we have a lot of things coming up for this semester! Here's some dates to remember!

Oct. 29 Fall Hoedown- outreach event for our students on campus

Nov. 21-23 ONE WKND (dnw weekend)
More information to come for all of our events. Keep an eye on the student website www.wallacestudents.com, for details.

Trunk or Treat at Riverview Sunday, October 26, 6-8pm
Riverview needs DONATED CANDY collected at all of our campuses (WMBC, Riverview and Cumberland) from now until the day of the event. We also need "trunks" to be decorated and ready to pass out treats to our neighbors. Please let Adam Diggs, adiggs@wallaceknox.com, know if you can decorate a trunk.



Fall Mission Activities
October brings on planning for fall activities. As a family or connect group, you will have the opportunity to help others.

Nov. 2 Thanksgiving Meals - Boxes will be handed out for Thanksgiving shopping for struggling families in the Western Heights community. A shopping list is available in the racks near the elevator. Approximate cost is \$45.

Nov. 16 Angel Tree Project - Names of children with a parent incarcerated will be available to pick up in the Atrium.

Scott County Mission Trip - Thank you for your generous donations of food, clothing and money for food. You are making a difference around the World! Scott County residents were overwhelmed!

Encouragers for Homebound Ministry - WE NEED ENCOURAGERS!
Please contact Kent Williams or Laura Simpson if you would be interested in serving in this ministry. Let's be a blessing to our homebound members by calling, visiting and/or sending a card once a month.

Celebrate Recovery - This group meets every Monday night at 5:30pm in the WMBC Student Center to encourage our community with the message that "Life hurts, but Jesus heals." Volunteers are needed in the techbooth, a keyboard player for worship and a door greeter. Contact Steve Anderson, Ministry Leader, 423-327-1053, for more information.

It's Fall!

So you know what that means? It's "Trunk-R-Treat" time at the Cumberland Campus. This is our fall outreach event where we provide a safe, loving atmosphere for families to enjoy some free food, treats, and fun.

This event will be held on the Cumberland Campus on Sunday night, October 26, 6pm - 8pm. So...we NEED DONATED CANDY collected at all of our campuses (WMBC, Cumberland and Riverview) from now until the day of the event. We also need at least 30 "trunks" to be decorated and ready to pass out treats to our neighbors.

Whether through candy donations or coming to help us on that night, join us as we LOVE COMMUNITY here at Cumberland!

Chad Crawford
Campus Pastor, Cumberland



Leadership Team	
Dr. John Green IV.....	Lead Pastor
Tylar Baker.....	Students Pstr
Chase Campbell.....	Discipleship Pstr
Matt Crabtree.....	SoKno Campus Pstr
Dr. Chad Crawford...	Cumberland Campus Pstr
Adam Diggs.....	Riverview Campus Pstr
Orlando Estevez.....	Iglesia Knox. Pstr
Vitalie Gribinet.....	Romanian Cong. Pstr
Nicholas Lakin.....	Cumberland Campus Dir.
Dr. Jim McCluskey.....	Pastor Emeritus
Jarred Morgan.....	College & Comm. Pstr
Kory Van Matre.....	Worship & Music Pstr
Jeff Stevens.....	Children & Families
Kent Williams.....	Pastoral Care/Sr. Adults & Single Adults
Dale Maddox.....	Church Administrator
Grant Williams.....	Executive Director
Kristie Bell.....	Weekday Ministries
Tim Bennett.....	Facilities
Sandy Bolton.....	Missions
Trent Heston.....	Technology
Tara Miller.....	Pre-School
Emily Summers.....	Business Office Manager
Worship & Equipping Schedule	
Sunday	
	Wallace Campus
9am	Connect 1
10am	Worship Gathering
11am	Connect 2
	Wallace Kids Connect
	Wallace Students Connect
	Romanian Baptist Worship
3pm	Hallelujah Chorus
	Cumberland Campus
9:30am	Worship Gathering
11am	Connect Groups
	Iglesia Knox Worship
	Riverview Campus
10am	Connect Groups
11am	Worship Gathering
Wednesday	
	Wallace Campus
4:45pm	Cafe' Wallace
6pm	Choir Rehearsal
	Orchestra Rehearsal
	Children & Student Activities
	Wallace Institute
	Cumberland Campus
5 pm	Cafe' Cumberland
6-7:15pm	Preschool, School-Aged Kids & Students (6th-12th) Activities
6pm	Catalyst Classes