

OUR FAMILY OF FAITH NEWS

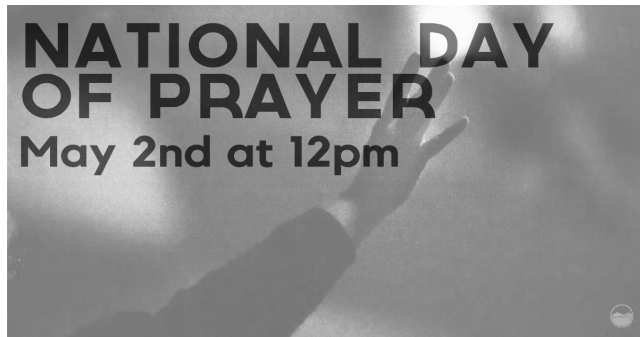
DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY OF:

- Missy Smith, April 3
- Wayne Major, April 8
- Rob Wortman, April 15
- Linda Cox, April 16

NOTES OF THANKS AND APPRECIATION FROM:

"Thank you for donating Gideon Bibles in memory of mother, Gerry Frueh. It would have pleased her. Mother and Dad loved Wallace and you have been a blessing to the Frueh family." *Linda*

"Earl and I want to express our greatest appreciation for the Gideon Bibles donated in memory of his mother, Margaret. I can't think of a more beautiful and meaningful way to remember her. She was always so proud to tell others about Jesus. We feel so blessed to be members of such a wonderful loving church family." *Earl and Ann Smith*



NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER MAY 2, NOON, ATRIUM

Lunch Provided
Also, special kids time of prayer
in the Kids Center



MAY SERIES "AFTERLIFE"

May 5	Heaven: Renewal
May 12	Heaven: Reunion
May 19	Heaven: Relief
May 26	Heaven: Reassignment



BE DISCIPLES MAKE DISCIPLES

MAY 2024

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 2
National Day of Prayer
Luncheon
12 noon, Atrium

May 12
Mother's Day/
Graduation Sunday

May 15
Last Cafe' Wallace
of Semester

May 19
Baby Dedication

May 27
Church Offices closed

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

Contact Us

Wallace Campus
(865) 688-4343

Cumberland Campus
(865) 584-9129

Riverview Campus
(865) 546-8741

Intercessory Prayer Line
(865) 688-7729

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Dear Wallace family,

School is almost over and summer is fast approaching. Summer is filled with incredible opportunities for outreach to kids and students. Vacation Bible School and Backyard Kids Clubs are some of our greatest outreaches that we do all year. Below are our churchwide opportunities:

VBS (Wallace/Romanian) - June 3-7, 9am-12pm
VBS (Riverview/Vista Del Rio) - May 29-31, 6-8pm
Backyard Kids Club (Cumberland/Iglesia) - July 15-17, 6-8pm

We are still in need of volunteers to help with all of these missional opportunities. I am excited that our students will be helping with our first Riverview Vacation Bible School as part of the "Serve Our City" local mission trip this summer. Besides volunteering, you can join us in praying for these events. Also, invite your family and neighborhood kids to be a part of the fun! I love seeing minivans and SUVs pull into the parking lot and a ton of kids pile out. Why is VBS and Backyard Kids Club so great? Because our kids are learning about Jesus on their level in a fun and fresh way. Can't wait for this summer!

To Knoxville & The Nations,

John





Memory Verse of the Month - Matthew 6:20
"But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves don't break in and steal."

Breakfast with the Pastors - Thursday, May 2
 There will be **NO** breakfast with the Pastors. Join us for the National Day of Prayer luncheon at 12noon in the Atrium.

Day Women on Mission - Tuesday, May 14, 9:30am
Bill Wallace Room - Jan Greene will be sharing about her opportunities with the German music team. You don't want to miss hearing about this special mission team.

Night Women on Mission - Tuesday, May 14, 6:30pm
Bill Wallace Room - You will have the joy of hearing stories from the London mission trip.

TuneShare - Tuesday, May 7 - The Hallelujah Chorus will leave church at 8am for FBC Knoxville to sing with other area senoir choirs. The program begins at 9:45am and will conclude before noon. Come show your support.

Chattanooga Aquarium/IMAX - Thursday, May 16
 Boomers/Sr. Adults will leave church at 11:15am. Lunch is at Cracker Barrel on the way. Cost: \$45 (includes tickets and transportation). Sign up by Sunday, May 12 with payment.

Western Heights Baptist Center - Thursday, May 23
 Boomers/Sr. Adults will leave church at 8am to work in the market. Lunch will be out.

Single Adult Luncheon - Sunday May 5 - The Single Adult Ministry will meet in the gym at 12noon. Fried chicken will be provided. Bring a side dish, dessert and/or drink to share. Council meeting to follow.

Angelic Ministries - Saturday, May 18 - The Single Adult Ministry will leave church at 8:45am to work in the warehouse. Lunch will follow.

Home of Carter and Charlotte Davis- Tuesday, May 28
 The Spirit Lifters will leave church at 10:30am for the Davis'. Carter and Charlotte will be sharing about their life on the mission field. Lunch will be sub sandwiches, chips, cookies and water. Cost: \$10 (payable at sign up).

Wallace Grands - "Conversations with Grandparents" Thursday, May 9 - The Wallace Grandparenting Ministry will meet at church at 6:30pm, Room S242/244. Program is a video, "Grandparenting Screen Kids," with a discussion to follow. Desserts provided. Sign up with Laura or Kent.

SAVE-THE-DATE - July 16-19 - Boomers/Sr. Adult Road Trip - Lancaster, PA/Mt. Airy, NC
 Will see the premier of "Daniel" at the Sight and Sound Theatre. Will also have a trip down memory lane to Mayberry, NC - Cost: \$725, double occupancy. Detailed flyer in metal rack by the elevator.



Explore Wallace Class - Wednesday, May 1, 6pm
 This is a class for new members to WMBC. It is required for all persons requesting membership. The class meets on the first Wednesday night of each month. Contact Travis Gordon at tgordon@wallaceknox.com, for more information.

Backpack Ministry - Wed., May 8, 5:30pm, Gym
 Seems so little to do but a backpack full of food, etc., can make a difference in a few days. Spring is arriving and the homeless need our help. You are needed! Leave donations in the black bins in the church office hallway. Call Peggy Reynolds, 865-406-8781, for more information.

Mats for the Homeless - Wednesdays, 6pm, Atrium
 This ministry meets in the Atrium on Wednesday nights. You will see men and women cutting grocery bags and preparing to make mats for the homeless. Stop by and see if you would like to be a helper. Bring your plastic bags and help cut strips that turn into sleeping mats. Call Sandy Bolton, 865-688-4343, with questions.

Cumberland Women on Mission - Tuesday, May 21 9am-noon - You can be involved in providing warm blankets and coats for children in the Ukraine. You don't have to know how to sew - come join the team on the Cumberland Campus. Contact Dottie Sampsel, 865-659-9334, with questions.

Parent/Child Dedication - The orientation class will be May 12, 11am and the dedication will be the following Sunday, May 19. If you would like to sign up or have questions, please email Megan Kewaza, mkewaza@wallaceknox.com.

SAVE-THE-DATE



This Camp - June 24-28
Back to Ocoee
For kids who have completed second-fifth grades



That Camp - June 24-28
Back to Ocoee
Middle & High School Students

Register for both events at wallaceknox.com/events



Mother's-Father's Day Offering - Tennessee Baptist Children's Home has provided a nurturing safe place for children in hard places since 1891. The home depends on donations to provide for hurting children. This would be a perfect time to make a donation in honor or memory of a special lady in your life. Mark your envelope "Children's Home."

Tennessee Baptist Adult Homes began in 1974 and serve as an advocate for senior adults. These houses provide safe homes for those who cannot live independently. Give in honor or memory of your dad. Mark your envelope "Father's Day."

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering - WMBC Goal: \$55,000 - You may continue to give the month of May.

International Moms - Wednesday, May 8 - This group will leave church at 9:30am and travel by bus to Charlotte Davis' home for a picnic. Please let Sandy Bolton, 865-688-4343, know if you plan to attend so there will be enough food prepared for this special day.

Encouragers for the 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.

GriefShare - This is for people grieving the death of a family member or friend. The group meets on Mondays from 10am-12:30pm in Room S245. Contact Pam Lewis, 865-360-6480, or email at pam16775@gmail.com, for more details.

Passports - Mission trips are being planned. Be sure to have an active passport. Call Sandy Bolton, 865-688-4343, with questions.

This could be a very interesting question to address and seek the most accurate answers for the end times. It is beautiful to remember how when Jesus, during his ascension, commissioned his disciples who accompanied him during his ministry and these in obedience preached the message with power and authority and the Lord added every day those who were to be saved.



Spiritual revival supported them at all times. Opposition has always existed and for good reason the Apostle Paul wrote in Romans 5:20 saying that where sin abounded, grace abounded all the more.

Today, according to the order of times, it is up to us to be the Elijahs of this time, where the Jeremiahs of today are, where the champions of prayer like Daniel are, or the men willing like Isaiah, saying: Here I am, send me.

The revival of this time will come when the church genuinely returns to the Holy Scriptures and 2 Chronicles 7:14 is fulfilled. What the Church today is doing is the right thing, however returning to prayer, revival will undoubtedly come with power, authority and glory.

Let's go back to prayer, start with yourself, then your house. Let's pray for our city and its inhabitants, for the advancement of the Church. Let us do our part and the Spirit of God will do the rest.

Orlando Estevez
 Iglesia Knox Pastor

Leadership Team

- Dr. John Green IV.....Lead Pastor
- Chase Campbell.....College & Young Adults
- Matt Crabtree.....Students Pstr
- Dr. Chad Crawford..Cumberland Campus Pstr
- Adam Diggs.....Riverview Campus Pstr
- Orlando Estevez.....Iglesia Knox. Pstr
- Vitalie Gribinet.....Romanian Cong. Pstr
- Dr. Jim McCluskey.....Pastor Emeritus
- Jarred Morgan.....Creative Arts/Comms.
- Kory Van Matre.....Worship & Music Pstr
- Jeff Stevens.....Children & Families
- Kent Williams.....Pastoral Care/Sr. Adults & Single Adults
- Darrell Wright.....Discipleship & Leadership Development
- Dale Maddox.....Church Administrator
- Grant Williams.....Executive Director
- Kristie Bell.....Weekday Ministries
- Tim Bennett.....Facilities
- Sandy Bolton.....Missions
- Trent Heston.....Technology
- Megan Kewaza.....Childrens Ministries
- Emily Summers.....Business Office Manager

Worship & Equipping Schedule

Sunday	
	Wallace Campus
9 am	Connect A
10 am	Worship Gathering
11 am	Connect B
	Wallace Kids Connect
	Wallace Students Connect
	Romanian Baptist Worship
3 pm	Hallelujah Chorus
	Cumberland Campus
9:30 am	Worship Gathering
11 am	Connect Groups
	Iglesia/Knox Worship
	Riverview Campus
10 am	Connect Groups
11 am	Worship Gathering
6 pm	Vista Del Rio Worship
Wednesday	
	Wallace Campus
4:45 pm	Cafe' Wallace
6 pm	Choir Rehearsal
	Orchestra Rehearsal
6 pm	Children & Student Activities
	Catalyst Classes
	International ELL Class
	Cumberland Campus
5 pm	Fellowship Meal
6-7:15 pm	Preschool, School-Aged Kids & Students (6th-12th) Activities
6 pm	ESL for Spanish-speaking comm.