

Western Heights Baptist Church
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December 14, 2014

"The Church Where Everybody is Somebody"

Ministers – Congregation

Chairman of Deacons – Shawn Wynn

Sunday School Director – Jarrett Munford

Music Ministry Director – Bonnie Perkinson

Worship Leader – Alex Perkinson

Director of Children's Ministry - April Norris

Director of Youth Ministry – Jeffrey Baird

Senior Pastor – Rev. Jonathan Dundalow

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Our Worship of God

"He must increase, but I must decrease" John 3:30

Our Worship Preparation

Prelude

Church Life at Western Heights

Jeff Baird

Ordinance of Baptism

Pastor

*Welcome to Our Guests

Our Worship in Praise and Prayer

**Congregational Song #100 "Angels We Have Heard on High"

Our Worship in Proclaiming God's Word

Our Worship in Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Hymn #88

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

Offertory Prayer

Special Music

Adult Choir

Scripture

Luke 1:5-25

Message

"Preparing for Christmas"

Rev. Jon Dundalow

Our Worship through Our Commitments

Invitation Hymn #223

"Alleluia"

Departing from Worship to be on Mission with Him

Benediction

Joe Keeney

Closing Song #95

"Go Tell It on the Mountain" (Chorus)

Postlude

*Greet one another ** Children age 4 through second grade leave on 1st hymn

Church Life for this Week

Sun.	9:45AM 11:00AM 5:00PM	Sunday School & Baptismal Sunday Morning Worship Children's Christmas Musical & Caroling
Tues.	6:00PM 7:00PM	Adult Choir Practice Orchestra Practice
Wed.	6:30PM 7:00PM	Wed. Night Fellowship Children's Choir Practice (ages 3-12) Youth Bible Study Mission Friends –(boys & girls) (3 yrs – Kindergarten) GAs & RAs meet (1 st -6 th grades) Youth Choir Practice
Sat.		Deacon's Christmas Baskets' Distribution

Upcoming Events

Dec. 21	5:00PM	Adult Christmas Cantata
Dec. 24	6:00PM	Christmas Eve Worship
Dec. 30-Jan. 1		Youth Winterfest @ Liberty University
Jan. 11	5:00PM	FasCar Event
Jan. 25	12:15PM	Romania Soup Fundraiser - after church
Feb. 3		Winter Session of Good News Club starts
Feb. 23	3-7:00PM	WHBC-hosted Blood Drive



Baptism Sunday

This morning we will observe the Ordinance of Baptism. Those being baptized today are five children, Robert Antkowiak, Madyson Holderfield, Brady Slade, Marissa Stech, and Megan Thomas; and one adult, Kay Belvin. Pray for them as they join our body of believers and share the joy with them and their families in this most significant moment in their lives.

Nursery Schedule

Nursery Schedule	Birth 11 am	Cruisers 11 am	Toddlers 11 am	3 Yr. Olds	Evening 5 pm Combined
Today Sun. Dec. 14th	Donnie & Leslie Bostic	Lea & Rachel Mitchell	Ashley McFarland & Jennifer Wilson	Keith & April Johnson	<i>Children's Christmas Musical & Caroling</i>
Wed. Dec. 17th	Combined				<i>Fellowship No nursery</i>
Sun. Dec. 21st	Andrea Beville & Heather Gibbs	Mike & Megan Demaline	Christie Leggett & Diane Reish	Barbara McCoy & Becky Thomas	<i>Adult Choir Christmas Cantata 5 pm</i>
Wed. Dec. 24th "Christmas Eve"	Combined				6 pm Craig & April Norris

Children's Church

Today: Lisa Witt & April Norris

December 21st: Tim & Jamie Morini, April Norris

Children's church is provided for age 4 through 2nd Grade!

After church you may pick up your children in the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you.

Deacon of the Week: Joe Kenney

Financial Report

Budget Needs Weekly:	\$ 7,372.31
Offering last Sunday (Dec. 7th)	<u>6,797.00</u>
Under Budget:	\$ 575.31

Announcements

Cookies and Hot Chocolate after Caroling Tonight: There will be a short fellowship after caroling tonight.

Living Nativity: Sign up to participate in the WHBC Living Nativity, December 22nd through December 23rd from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm. Come and share the experience of our Savior's birth to those in our community. What a wonderful way to witness! *For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder, And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.*

Blanketeers Meeting: The Blanketeers will meet again this Tuesday, December 16th at 7:00 PM. Come out and join us!!

WHBC Children's Choir Presenting "Christmas in Heaven": The WHBC Children's Choir will be presenting their Christmas carol selections tonight at 5 PM. We will be remembering those who are celebrating "Christmas in Heaven" with a special song. You don't want to miss out on this! If you have a love one you would like to be remembered this Christmas and are no longer here on earth, please write their name down and place in the offering plate or hand to either Bonnie Perkinson or April Norris and we will be sure to add their name to our "Remembering You" list tonight.

Flowers: Due to low participation and expense, there will no longer be fresh flower arrangements placed in the sanctuary for Sunday Worship service. Seasonal arrangements will be made and placed there starting January 1st. Anyone wishing to place fresh flowers can still do so by calling the Flower Mart, 804-732-8267, and ordering directly. The Floral Committee

Deacon Christmas Nonperishable Food Collection Boxes in the Halls: The Deacons will be packing and delivering Christmas Food Baskets on December 20th. Please bring your nonperishable food items by Friday, December 19th. Thank you in advance!