THE MESSENGER

WASHINGTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH · 1012 NORTH MAIN, WASHINGTON, IL 61571

February 15, 2026

Welcome to WCC! Videos of our Worship Services are available at washingtonchristian.net or our YouTube channel.

WCC Office Hours: Weekdays, 9am-2pm · **Phone:** 309-444-2550 · **E-mail:** office@washingtonchristian.net

Today's Service

The Power of God
"The Victory of God"
Psalm 68
Kevin Dell – Preaching Minister

Offering & Attendance

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Children's Programming for Birth – 5th Grade is available today during the service.

Let us know you're here! Fill out a Welcome Card from the chair pocket to check in, share prayer requests, or update your contact info. Drop your card in the basket at the back after the service. ***Visiting for the first time? Bring your card to the Welcome Desk. We have a gift for you!***

This Week @ WCC

Today

Prayer Time – 8:45 am
Join us in the Prayer Room.

Bible Studies – 9:00 am

Worship Service – 10:30 am

The WAY Youth Group – 6:00 pm
Meet @ Calvary Community Church

Monday

Snackpac Packing -(Team #1) – 10:30 am

Wednesday

Ash Wednesday Service – 7 pm
@ Calvary Community Church

Thursday

Prayer Meeting – 10:00 am
Join us in the Prayer Room.

Saturday

Co-Ed Bunco – 2 pm

What's Happening?

We invite you to a joint Ash Wednesday service at Calvary Community Church (112 Calvary Way) this Wednesday, February 18, at 7:00 p.m. Together, we will begin a sacred season of reflection and renewal as we journey toward Resurrection Sunday. We hope to see you there!

For gals AND guys—no couples required! Bring a snack and a friend or two; we'll provide drinks and the rest. Enjoy a fun, relaxed afternoon together. RSVP at the Welcome Desk kiosk or under the "Events" tab on our website. Questions? Contact Sandy Akin at 928-261-7116.

Bring Your Own Lunch Fellowship

Get this on your calendar! Join us for laughter and connection! Bring your lunch and a friend to **next week's** luncheon **Tuesday, February 24**, in the Fellowship Hall. This gathering meets on the last Tuesday of every month. Contact Pati Heller at 309-444-7700 for more information.

Through February 28, we're collecting the items listed above for Operation Christmas Child. Please place donations in the Lobby box and help share God's love with children around the world—one shoebox at a time. Our goal for 2026 is 225 shoeboxes!

Join us on **Sunday, March 1 at 9:30am** in the Worship Center for this important time in the life of our church. Together we will review and vote on the 2026 Budget and Church Leadership nominations and celebrate what God is doing among us.

Copies of the proposed budget and the list of nominees are available at the Welcome Desk. Please take time to review them in advance and be in prayer for those who have been nominated and for the decisions before us.

Your presence and participation matter. Hope to see you there!

WCC Family News

A Baby Shower for **Kayelyn and baby Carter Bochart** will be held at WCC next Sunday, February 22, 2:00-4:00pm. They are registered on Amazon. They also have a special request: In place of a card, they are asking you to bring a signed book that they can read to baby Carter and remember and share your special gift. RSVP to Jess Bochart at 309-253-2692.

WC Preschool will be doing another **Holland's Caramelcorn Fundraiser** starting next Sunday, February 22nd. We will be taking orders in the fellowship hall. We should get your orders back in time for Easter. There will be 5 different items to choose from this year. Regular Caramelcorn, Cheddar, Holland's Mix, and Butter and Premium White popcorn. Each bag is $7. Payment is due when ordering.

WHIP DONATIONS

February – Canned Fruit

Place donations in the Fellowship Hall.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

Ben Henderson – Home-on antibiotics, still fighting major infection;
Betty Hoyt – Health issues;
Brian Brubaker – Colon cancer-chemo;
Bruce Williams – Patterson's son;
Carter Bochart – OSF-Premature baby of Eric & Kayelyn Bochart;
Dellis Fischer – Eli Fischer's son;
Jan Geisz – Back issues-neurosurgeon consult on 2/12;
Kay Svendgard – Cancer-Sue Volz's sister;
Kerry Dell – Hand surgery recovery;
Ralph Johnson – Stroke recovery;
Shirley Lacey – Hospice-Betty Hoyt's sister;
Stu Lewellen – Biopsy on 2/13;
Tom Johnson – Knee replacement recov.-2/9;
Wesley Robertson – Robertson's infant grandson, born with heart defect;

WCC SHUT-INS:

Room numbers available upon request.

Apostolic Christian Home – Eureka
Dean McDonald
Eli Fischer

Chapters Living of Washington
Audrey Kochenderfer
Barb Shipley

Charter Senior Living
Vicky Seal-Stephan Volz's mom

Reflections Memory Care – Washington
Celia Adams

Snyder Village – Metamora
Maurine Collett
Hugh & Betty Patterson

Home
Jerry Keplinger
Eleanor Tripp-granddaughter's home

LOCAL MINISTRY PARTNERS:

- Snackpac
- WHIP
- My Sister's House
- Threads, Hope, and Love
- South Side Mission

SERMON NOTES

"The Victory of God" – Psalm 68

WE EXPERIENCE GOD'S POWER THROUGH HIS _____ PRESENCE IN OUR LIVES.

***Example #1:* God is _____.**

Psalm 68:1-3

Exodus 15:1-2

Revelation 15:3-4

1 Corinthians 15:54-57

***Example #2*: God is _____.**

Psalm 68:4-6

James 1:27

Psalm 68:7-10

Mark 6:32-34

***Example #3*: God is _____.**

Psalm 68:11-14

Psalm 68:15-18

Revelation 5:5, 9-10

***Example #4*: God is _____.**

Psalm 68:19

Psalm 68:20-23

1 Peter 2:24-25

***Example #5*: God is _____.**

Psalm 68:24

Psalm 68:25-27

***Example #6:* God is _____.**

Psalm 68:28-31

Psalm 68:32-35

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