



WSBC welcomes both the “scattered” and the “gathered” church to remain connected and active. Thank you for your complete cooperation, patience and grace given as you personally prepare to gather at WSBC each week.

What to expect at WSBC.

As a result of the pandemic (COVID-19), it is necessary to make some changes in how we are used to gathering for worship. We must be intentional in providing reasonable guidelines and precautions for the good of your neighbors who attend and participate in our worship services. As such:

- Please monitor your (and your family members’) **health and temperature** and sanitize your hands before attending an on-site WSBC worship service.
- **Please stay home** - if you are sick, if you (or any family member) have a fever, if you have recently tested positive for COVID-19 with or without symptoms, or if you have had any close contact with a person who has been confirmed, suspected or is symptomatic of COVID-19.
- Plan to **arrive early** on Sunday mornings as doors will open 20 minutes before service times. (Service times are 9 and 11AM).
- Please **wear your own mask** while at WSBC.
- Please observe and maintain all **social distancing (6 feet)**, in the sanctuary *but also while coming and going*. Please, distance 6 feet from others, refrain from handshakes and hugs, avoid fellowshiping in hallways and the narthex, and minimize touching all surfaces.
- Help us accommodate both services. Please, do not linger in the sanctuary or narthex. **Fellowship with friends and family outside the building** along 45th Street and then walk around the church to the parking lot, bank or wherever you parked your vehicle.



Stability in the Storm
Psalm 29

God is in complete control of all the storms of life.

God is Lord in heaven.

God is Lord on earth.

God is Lord over His people.



Welcome and Call to Worship

Still in Control

Sermon
Stability in the Storm
Psalm 29
Pastor Dean Monkemeier

Psalm 27
Henri Manasse

The Lion and The Lamb
God is So Good
Living Hope

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Online Worship Options:

<https://wsbc.info/online-stream/>

Facebook: www.facebook.com/WSBCVillageChurch

YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/c/wsbcvillagechurch>

The church now has a Zoom Account that you can use with your small groups or meetings if you prefer to not use your personal account. Contact either the church office or Pastor Joel for details.

Junior Student of the Week is Lydia Olson at University of Alabama.

Beginning Wednesday, October 21, you may make your worship service reservation for Sunday, October 25 at: wsbc.info/WorshipRSVP.

Men's ZOOM Prayer is meeting twice on Wednesday, October 21 at 7AM and 7PM. Mark your calendar and join us in prayer.
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81507012520?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81507012520?pwd=WUp6T3FHVGZmdEdpN0xiU3hlcDkwZ09)
pwd=WUp6T3FHVGZmdEdpN0xiU3hlcDkwZ09
Meeting ID: 815 0701 2520; Passcode: WSBC-Men

FIRED UP IS A SIMULCAST EVENT DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY FOR MEN

October 24, 2020 at 8:30AM.

MEN, LET'S GET FIRED UP! In just a few short hours on a Saturday morning, we will hear from incredible speakers as they address the topics of: Identity, Relationships and Purpose as it relates to being a man of God. REGISTER TODAY!

<https://wsbc.info/men/>

If you would prefer to participate at home or host a small group of men in your home, then register and we'll send you the link.



WSBC will be reaching out to our neighbors. This year we will be inviting families to stop by so that they can take their own family photo or selfie on either **Saturday, October 31 or November 7, from 9AM-Noon.**

We will create a beautiful harvest themed background near our parking lot for the photo opportunity, taste some of BB's mini-donuts, bring a box of cereal to support Breakthrough Urban Ministries, and take an Operation Christmas Child Shoebox to pack for a child in need. **If you would like to join in the fun inviting and greeting our neighbors, then contact Jean Dukes or Pastor Joel.**



CALENDAR

TODAY 18

9AM Worship
 11AM Worship
 1:30PM Families/Couples Small Group
 6:30PM HSM

THURSDAY 22

6:30AM Galatians Men's Bible Study
 9AM Women's Life Acts Bible Study
 1:30PM What If Jesus Was Serious? Ladies Bible study
 6:30PM Core Class

MONDAY 19

9AM November VOICE Deadline
 6PM Men's Basketball at Spring Rock Park
 8PM Women's Prayer on ZOOM

FRIDAY 23

7PM Men's Basketball at Spring Rock Park

TUESDAY 20

8:30AM EMI Men's Group
 9AM On Bended Knee Ladies Bible Study
 5PM Youth Creeds and Card Games
 7PM Be Transformed Ladies Bible study on ZOOM
 7PM Praise Team Rehearsal

SATURDAY 24

7AM Daniel Men's Bible Study
 8:30AM Men's FIRED UP! Simulcast

WEDNESDAY 21

7AM Men's Prayer on ZOOM
 9AM Worship Reservations accepted for October 25
wsbc.info/WorshipRSVP
 1PM Prayer on the Patio
 6:30PM MSM
 7PM Men's Prayer on ZOOM

SUNDAY 25

9AM Worship
 11AM Worship
 1:30PM Families/Couples Small Group
 6PM Small Group
 6:30PM HSM

MISSION FOCUS

FOCUS MULAGO CHILD PROJECT

A proven fact following a previous crisis is that the longer children are out of school, the less likely they are to return. With 54% of Uganda's population under the age of 18, any disruption to the education of the children is not only threatening the dreams and opportunities of the children, but the sustainable development of our nation.

The Education Sector COVID-19 Response Plan is providing home-based learning through television, radio, Internet, and paper copy self-learning materials.

While these are very good initiatives, many of the communities and families we work with are not in a position to benefit from these options. More than half of the families we work with lack television sets and fewer than one-fourth have smartphones.

Each household with children was promised a radio for learning purposes—which we are all waiting for to date.

The Mulago Child Project prepared age appropriate, home-based learning materials to prevent children falling behind and keep them learning. A total of 800 booklets were produced—400 each for lower primary and upper primary. In addition, 118 study materials were produced for lower secondary and 120 for vocational and college students.

Testimonials:

"I discovered that children have the desire and willingness to learn in the lockdown period and yet they lacked adults who have the time to help. I have a desire of seeing all children excel in Math. I have been an excellent Mathematics student and I would like to be a stepping-stone for others to excel in in too." *Valentine* is a third-year student pursuing a BS in Quantitative Economics at Makerere University.

Babirye and Nakato are twin sisters who have continued to surprise us with art pieces. "I enjoy looking at my work. I am very happy every time I finish an assignment wondering how I came up with such a piece" says *Babirye*. "I am thankful to God for this gift because I know other children want to do the same but they cannot" says *Nakato*. "I had never discovered that my daughters are so gifted. During this time, I have seen their commitment and creativity. I pray that this spirit continues to grow" said *Nalongo* (mother of twins).

"A few of us went for outreach at Naguru Children's Remand Home to share the love of Jesus. Three of our colleagues shared an incredible message that changed lives, that saw many inmates surrender their lives to Jesus. This was the most exciting part. From this experience, I want to see more and more children surrender their lives to Jesus, for without Jesus we are absolutely nothing" said *Racheal* who was part of the outreach team at the juvenile detention center.

Thank you for your generosity that makes all this possible.

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