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WISE BAPTIST NEWS

A PUBLICATION FOR MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF **WISE BAPTIST CHURCH**

November 5, 2019

A place for faith and fellowship with family and friends.

Dear Church Family and Friends,

We are continuing to explore nine personality types and illustrate each through a Bible character. So far, we have looked at the Apostle Paul, a Perfectionist and John, a Helper. Now, we will explore the Achiever, as seen in Jacob.

Achievers have a tremendous drive to succeed. The Bible captures this idea by showing Jacob competing with his brother, Esau, while they were still in the womb.

The name Jacob means "trickster". He tricked others to further his own ends, damaging his closest relationships. He manipulated Esau out of his birthright (inheritance and family leadership rights) and Esau's special blessing.

The damage finally caught up to Jacob. Esau wanted to kill him. At this low point of his life God told Jacob in a dream that He wanted to use him to bless all the people of the earth.

Later, Esau caught up to Jacob. Nightfall came and "Jacob was left alone and a man wrestled him until daybreak" (Gen. 32:24). Jacob had nowhere else to run. Then, a "man" representing God wrestled Jacob.

As they wrestled, Jacob's hip was put out of joint. It was then that God changed his name from Jacob to Israel. This represented the changing of Jacob's personality...from trickster to one in constant relationship with God.

The personality of this Achiever was redeemed. Instead of selfishly advancing his own ends, his personality was re-directed to advance the purpose of God to bless the whole earth.

Are you an Achiever? Do you know one? Claim the personality God gave you and make the most of it for His glory. Next week, we will look at the Romantic. Romantics feel deeply and live passionately. Their downside is

Love. Pastor Mike

How to Join Wise Baptist Church:

Express one of the following to the Pastor during the closing hymn:

official membership

- † Transfer of Letter
- † Baptism

to be self-focused.

- Statement of Faith † Watch Care
- Transfer membership to Wise Baptist Church Desire to express faith in Christ through baptism Baptized believer not on a membership roll Desire to be connected to our Church family without

IMPORTANT DATES

Children's Snack & Paint **November 9** 10am - 12pm

Children's Ministry Team November 10, 12pm

Sign Painting Party November 17, 2pm

Men's Bible Study **November 19, 6:30am**

Missions Committee November 20, 5pm

Laurels Ministry November 21, 1:30pm

Fellowship Hall Floors to Be Waxed November 22-23

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DEACONS 2019-20

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John Mark Adri	an	328-5564
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Ron Helton		393-6145
Lewey Lee		393-5370
David Mullins		870-0005
John Ponish		870-1593
Oscar Raile		870-0131
Gary Smith		870-1579
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Deacons Emeritus: Bob Adkins, Glenn Hill, Harold Witt

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Tuesday, November 19 6:30am

Men, join us for fellowship and Bible study twice a month (1st & 3rd Tuesdays) from 6:30-7:30am in the church fellowship hall. Bring your breakfast & your Bible! The fellowship is awesome and the Bible Study is uplifting. Invite a friend & join us!



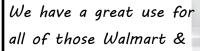
WEDNESDAY SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES

OCTOBER 9-NOV. 13

Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7pm, after our Fellowship Meal for an informal time of Bible study with friends.

Our current series of Bible studies began on Wed., Oct. 9 & will continue for 6 weeks, through Nov. 13. It's never too late to join us!

Save Your Bags!





grocery store plastic bags! You can help
Damel Calvert, one of our 4th graders, save
bags for a recycling competition at Wise
Primary School! Damel will be collecting gray
or white bags until the end of March.

Please place your bags in the box in the hall.

As you pray, please remember...

Misty Belcher & family, Kara Kennedy, Andi Kilgore, Ray Spenilla, Holly Meade & family, Phyllis Hatcher, Steve Collins, Bessie Vance, Fred & Pat Adkins, Clifford & Artie Bailey, Gerry O'Bryan, Glenn Hill, Kathy & John Kennedy, John & Kay Wright, Wanda Takahashi (sister of Brenda Kunigelis), Beverly Viers, Jim & Sherry Collie, Ray & Carolyn Jones, law enforcement & emergency personnel, all the cancer patients in our area, and our men and women in the military.

Our Shut Ins: Geraldine Dickenson, Eddie Culbertson, Jeanne Stallard

*If you know of other prayer concerns, please contact the church office (328-6247).



We extend our deepest sympathy to Misty Belcher in the death of her

grandmother, Mary Cowden. Please continue to keep Misty and her family in your prayers.

Night in Bethlehem 2019

Saturday, Dec. 7

5:00 ~ 7:00 pm *time change*

You are invited to step back into time to the night that Jesus was born!

WBC will be transformed into the town of Bethlehem where you can walk through the village, visit the local shops, talk with the shepherds, meet Mary & Joseph & see the newborn Jesus.

MUSIC * YOUTH * CHILDREN'S NEWS



November 5 **Leton Harding** November 6 Donna Kennedy John Kennedy November 8 Reagan Ellkins November 9 Rachel Lyall November 10 Judy Bellamy November 11 Laura Belcher November 12 Peter Jung Yun November 13 Harold Witt November 15 **Donnie Bradley**

Happy Anniversary

November 7 Jorge & Pam Hersel November 11 Edgar & Bonnie Owens

2019 Christmas Cantata Sunday, December 15, 7pm





Scripture for the Week

Genesis 32:30

"So Jacob called the place 'Peniel'... because[he] met God face to face."

WBC Youth Ministry

On Sunday, the youth went to Thomas' Blackbird Farm. We had a great time walking through the corn maze & taking a hay ride. We also stopped to have Mexican & fellowship!

Bible study this coming Sunday evening will be: "Everything Does Not Happen for a Reason". We're going to talk about the fall of man & how that affects our lives today.



* Flock * the Flock * the Flock *

WBC Children's Ministry



December ...



🤻 Jesse Tree…Dec· 1, 8, 15, 22



Night in Bethlehem···Dec· 7



Christmas Party...Dec. 21

Volunteers this Week				
Deacons On Call:	11/3 - 11/9	John Ponish, Gary Smith		
	11/10 - 11/16	Ocar Raile, David Mullins		
Building Stewards:		Ron, Dan, Scott S.		
Instrumentalists:		Susan M., Susan S.		
Worship Welcome	11/10	Jeff Kiser		
	11/17	Jeff Kiser		
S.S. Greeters:	11/10	David & Sandy Mullins		
	11/17	June Dotson, Carolyn Strouth		
Nursery:	11/10	Nathan Hersel, Pam Hersel		
	11/17	Stephen & Julie Large		
Children's Church:	11/10	Johnny & Renee Robinson		
	11/17	Cindy Elkins		
Sound System:	11/10	Mike Osborne		
	11/17	Mike Strouth		
Ushers:	11/10	Dave Belcher, Bryon Burton, Jeff Dotson,		
		Marty Kennedy, Stephen Large, Jack Tolbert		
	11/17	Bob Adkins, Kenny Bowling, Jeff Cantrell,		
		Dan Helton, Matt Meade, Johnny Robinson,		
		Jim Sturgill		
Tellers:	November	Leton Harding, Oscar Raile		
	December	Cliff Carson, Jeff Dotson		
Youth Meal	11/10	Regina Cantrell		
	11/17	Stacy Hopkins		
Wed. Serving Team	11/6	Linda Bailey, Julie Large, John Ponish,		
		Karen Ponish, Ruby Salyers		
	11/13	Teresa Adkins, Jean Aker, Phyllis Hatcher		
Wed. Meal	11/6	POTLUCK		
	11/13	Soups & Salad		
Children's Choir	11/6	Donna Hutchinson, Renee Robinson		
Children in Action	11/6	Kathy Dotson, Julie Large		
Youth Hand Chimes	11/6	Donna Hutchinson		



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES				
Sunday	Sunday School Worship Truth Rehearsal Youth (Grades 7-12) Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	10:00 am 11:00 am 4:45 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm		
Monday	Piecemakers (1st & 3rd) Caring Friends (2nd & 4th)	9:30 am		
Tuesday	Men's Bible Study (1st & 3rd)	6:30 am		
Wednesday	Children's Choir (Ages 3 - Grade 6) Fellowship Meal Adult Bible Studies Youth Hand Chimes Children in Action (Ages 5 - Grade 6) Nursery (Birth - Age 4)	4:45 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm		

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Thought for the Week:

Make time to remember the times you met God.