

Woodlawn Baptist Church Bristol, Tn



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WHO WE ARE

Woodlawn Baptist is 128 year old Traditional Southern Baptist church in Bristol Tennessee. We currently average 90 attendees in our morning worship service.

We are a Bible-believing, Jesus- Exalting church with programs and ministries for all ages. Our church is also a very special, family-like, lively, and loving and multi-cultural. Our members are missions oriented-both home and foreign. There always seems to be a lot happening; we believe that God still has much to teach us, and we are anxious to learn.

Our service is designed to be worshipful and God-honoring. Praise songs, prayer, hymns, and special music help prepare our hearts for the message from our Pastor.

“Woodlawn Baptist Church exists to bring glory to God through worship, discipleship, evangelism, ministry and fellowship.” This Purpose Statement was adopted by vote of the church body in May 2006 in the regular monthly business meeting.

Services Schedule

Sunday School 9:45am

Morning worship 11:00am

Sunday night service 6:00pm

Kids for Christ 6:00pm Sunday, 7:00 pm Wednesday

Youth 6:00pm Sunday, 7:00pm Wednesday

Wednesday Dinner 6:15pm Worship service 7:00pm

Affiliations:

Holston Baptist Association

Tennessee Baptist Convention

Southern Baptist Convention

Ministerial Staff:

Pastor: Joe Blankenship

Choir Director: Scott Branson

Youth Director: T.J. Huston & Lori Hutson

Core Values

For any church to carry out its mission and remain a viable body to share the gospel with others there must be core values engrained in the fiber of the church body. We feel the following core values embody our beliefs and propel us toward our vision and mission for Christ.

Worship. The Sunday morning services are important to our members. These Sunday services, along with special services through the year, are opportune times for visitors to worship with us.

Prayer. We value the power of prayer. We pray together in church, through our prayer chain, and as individuals. We cherish our ability to pray freely to God and for the benefit of others.

Stewardship. Giving of our resources, time, and abilities is encouraged in our church.

Music. We are blessed with a music program which is an important, uplifting part of our worship services. Special concerts are valuable assets to the church.

Fellowship. We are a family which cares for one another in times of joy and sorrow. The support we receive from one another, the affirming of one another, and the relationships we develop are all parts of our church life.

Where We Live

Community Characteristics

Discover Bristol reports that in Bristol, you'll get to enjoy the best of both Tennessee and Virginia as the city itself divides the two with the state line running right through the middle of downtown. Located in the rolling foothills of Appalachia, Bristol is an integral part of the larger community of the Tri-Cities (Johnson City, Kingsport and Bristol). In addition, the historic town of Abingdon is only ten miles away.

Bristol has been recognized as one of the top 100 places to live. With a low cost of living index, our city has outstanding medical care, with an advanced tertiary care hospital and four other hospitals within driving distance. The Ballad CVA (Cardiovascular Associates) Heart Institute offers advanced cardiac care and is ranked as one of the top programs in the country. The Twin Cities area is in beginning stages of building five New high schools and new middle schools. In addition to the public schools of Bristol and Sullivan County, we have several private schools including one for those who learn differently. Our area has two local Community colleges and two universities (King University in Bristol and East Tennessee State University in Johnson City).



There are always cultural events. The Barter Theatre (the state theater of Virginia) is nationally recognized, and the Paramount Center for the Arts is a restored art deco motion picture palace which plays host to numerous events. William King Museum of Arts and the Arts Depot in Abingdon as well as arts groups in each of the Tri-Cities attract participants.

The Birthplace of Country Music Museum, an affiliate of the Smithsonian Institution, traces Bristol's musical heritage, which began in 1927 with the Bristol Sessions. Numerous music groups continue the tradition that was started by the Carter family in 1927.

Both Johnson City and Kingsport have enclosed malls, and Bristol has two new open shopping areas (the Pinnacle and the Falls). Antique lovers find ample opportunities to shop in Bristol. Outdoor recreation is enjoyed on the South Holston River and Lake, at Sugar Hollow Park, Steele Creek Park, and at Bristol Caverns. Biking/walking trails in the area include the two parks just mentioned as well as the Creeper Trail in Abingdon.

Through the summer, almost every weekend sees a festival, with the two most-attended being Rhythm & Roots on the third weekend of September and two NASCAR Races at the Bristol Motor Speedway (April and August). Golf courses include the Virginian which has been named one of the "Best Residential Courses." The Bristol Pirates, a rookie league team associated with the Pittsburgh Pirates, provides residents with the opportunity to cheer on a hometown baseball team.

Bristol has no shortage of things to see and do – and it's easy to access its downtown area right off Interstate 81. Two great states, two fantastic cities—that's Bristol!