

**WPBC
Members...**

- Got an activity or event you need on the Church Calendar? Contact the Church Office at 694-7787.
- If you have changed your address or phone number, please give that new info to the Church Office.

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from our hearts to yours...

News from Wilshire Park

January, 2020



*May the Lord bless
you and your family
greatly in 2020!*



The Pastor's Pontifications

Don't look now but a new decade has arrived. We are now in the year 2020. What do you think of when you hear 2020? I don't know about you, but I immediately think of perfect vision. So what is our perfect vision for Wilshire Park Baptist Church for the new year?

We have so much to be thankful for here at Wilshire. We should be thankful for the generosity of the body of believers. Our World Mission Auction and Lottie Moon offering continue to amaze and bring joy to my heart. We have been blessed beyond measure financially over the past few years. We have a facility that is recognized in the neighborhood as a house of worship filled with dedicated men and women.

God has gifted each individual at Wilshire for their role in His unique plan for Wilshire Park Baptist Church and its mission in the community. Our location and physical plant create a major

opportunity to reach our diverse neighborhood and draw people to Christ. The demographics of the neighborhood have changed dramatically over the past decade and we must maintain a path of spiritual maturity that will encourage new generations of neighbors to engage in worshipping God in a relevant manner. Demographics may be changing, but the message remains the same.

It is my steadfast opinion that when we make lasting relationships, we also make disciples that are eager to learn and then to lead. We must utilize all of our gifts, our time and our resources as we labor for the Lord at the corner of Bentwood and Pleasant. We have been placed in this strategic position for such a time as this.

My personal goal for 2020 to pray passionately, prepare scripturally, work tirelessly and wait eagerly for the return of our Lord, Jesus Christ.

Are you ready for the New Year? Are you prepared to meet the challenges and trials that will face each of us in 2020? How is your vision? Is it focused on Jesus? We must never forget that He is the God of the impossible. Nothing is impossible when He is in it! May all that we say and do in 2020 bring honor and glory to God! Whatever it takes!

~ Bro. Glenn

Wednesday Night Prayer Force



On Wednesday night prayer time will continue with intercessory prayer, heartfelt praise and an in-depth study of the Old Testament Prophet Ezekiel. There is much that we can learn from the condition of the nation Israel and the warnings issued by Ezekiel.

Sunday Sermon Series

Our morning worship time will be spent unwrapping the mystery surrounding the Holy Spirit. I am confident that our study of this vital part of the Trinity will be both inspiring and uplifting. Join us for this timely topic.

During our evening services, we will continue the study of the book of Mark. Mark's view of Jesus is valuable and enriching. Join us on Sunday evenings as we take an expository look at Mark.

Bring a friend with you. You will definitely be blessed by these studies.

Quilting Day 3:00 pm Sunday, Jan. 26



Bring a friend and get ready to jump back into a fun time of quilting on Sunday, January 26th. We look forward to seeing you there.

Men's Prayer Breakfast 7:30 am Saturday, January 4

Come and share a time of food and fellowship with men who want to make an impact on their families and the community.

Mark your calendars to join us on Saturday, January 4th at 7:30 am for a great breakfast and a time of prayer and devotion. And bring a friend!

Changes for the New Year?

It's a new year, a new decade. Have you had some changes this past year? Moved to a new address? Gotten a new phone number, or dropped one?

Please call the Church Office at (432) 694-7787 and let Dawn about your changes. This will help with future mail-outs and directory information as well as member records.



Calendar Events

Dawn has the main calendar for all activities taking place at the church. Please contact her if you need to use the building for a function. This will help to avoid any conflicts with other events and ensures that all needs for the activity will be met.

If you have any questions or need further clarification, call Dawn at (432) 694-7787.

Women on Mission

Lottie Moon Christmas Auction

This year's World Mission Auction was amazing! We had a great selection of items to fight (I mean, bid) over. Fun was had by all. Thanks to your generous and friendly bidding, we collected over \$8,600 for world missions. Way to go, everyone! Your amazing contributions go to support missionaries around the world and help spread the gospel of Jesus.



WOM Meeting

5:00 pm

Sunday, January 12

We'll be kicking off a new year and decade. Please join us as we plan various wedding and baby showers, and pray for our missionaries.

Ladies Quilting Day

3:00 pm

Sunday, January 26

Our quilts were a great hit at the Mission Auction! We'll start back with a bang making new quilts for the 2020 Auction. Come join us for a time of fun and fellowship as we put these quilts together. No experience needed; just a willingness to thread a needle, or iron, or clip threads, or run a needle with thread through a square of cloth. Bring a friend.



Financial Peace University

Starts January 7, 2020

WPBC is offering Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University beginning January 7 at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. This is a 9 week course designed to help people get out of debt, learn to budget, and most of all learn how to manage money God's way. If you, a friend, or coworker haven't taken this life-changing course, now is

the time. Register at <http://www.fpu.com/1102223>. This is a direct link to our class. For questions, contact Gregg or LeeBell Ulvestad or Alicia Marlowe.



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Sunday Services:
Bible Study 9:50 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:30 pm

Wednesday Activities:
Adult Bible Study 6:30 pm

December Statistics

FINANCIAL REPORT:

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Designated</u>
12/1	\$ 6,208.00	\$ 0.00
12/8	\$ 7,965.00	\$ 2,661.00
12/15	\$ 8,921.00	\$ 111.00

ATTENDANCE REPORT:

	<u>Sunday School</u>	<u>Worship</u>
12/1	51	77
12/8	55	77
12/15	60	97