

# Welcome to White River

## YOUR NEXT STEP EXPERIENCE

**TODAY | 9:30am | Discovery Room**

Learn the history & direction of WRCC — who we are, what we believe, & why. Find out how you can become part of God's plans for this church. Breakfast snacks will be served.



## MEN'S GRILLIN' & CHILLIN'

**July 18 | 5:30pm at the Indiana Gun Club**

Eat. Play. Shoot. Register to win a Wii!

Get more information at the Men's Ministry Counter in the Lobby.

### OPEN HOUSE TODAY | 9:00am-1:00pm | The Annex

Come by & see our new building (which we are temporarily calling "The Annex") just south of our main campus.

### COMMUNION / OFFERING TEAM MEETING TODAY | 6:00pm | Music Rehearsal Room

If you have signed up to serve communion/offering or are interested in learning more, please attend this informational meeting.

### ADOPTION MINISTRY MEETING July 21 | 6:30pm | Discovery Room

Our guest speaker, Kate Greason from Children's Bureau, will speak on siblings adjusting to adopted siblings coming home. Don't miss this time of fellowship & learning with other families blessed by adoption.

### SR. HIGH PARENT SUMMIT August 14 | 7:00-8:30pm | Garage

This is a chance for parents to get to know one another, talk about raising teens & to learn what's coming up next in Senior High Ministry.

### DYNAMIC MARRIAGE ORIENTATION August 24

Registration forms are at the Women's Ministry Counter in the Lobby. Deadline for class registration is August 10. Contact Dave & Nancy Chance at 773-5030 or call 776-4187 for info.

### IF YOU HAVE BEEN AFFECTED BY CANCER Use your experience to help others.

Would you be interested & willing to be a friend to someone else facing cancer? To give encouragement & pray with them? If so, contact Verna King at 776-8932 or Brenda Siebert at 213-3459.

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY "SPIRITUAL SPA DAY" September 27 | \$60

Does the thought of your mind, body & soul being pampered for an entire day sound good to you? We have so much planned to leave you revived & refueled. We are offering a payment plan for this event. Stash away \$20 for the months of June, July & August & your ticket will be paid in full by the spa date. Visit the Women's Ministry Counter in the Lobby for more information or to make your first payment.

# COMMUNITY WORKS

### NURSING HOME MINISTRY SEEKS VISITORS

**1st & 3rd Tuesdays | 3:30-5:00pm | Harbor Manor**

We love the elderly & they have so much to offer us. Please contact Fred Knoll in the office or stop by the Community Works Counter in the Lobby if you'd like to brighten the day of a few wonderfully wise elderly people at Harbor Manor Care Center on SR 38.

### SERVANT EVANGELISM CELEBRATION NIGHT

**Thursday, July 24 | 7:00-8:30pm | Worship Center**

Renowned authors & speakers Steve Sjogren & Daniel Bernard will share their hearts regarding reaching out to those in our own neighborhoods by meeting practical needs in Jesus' name. All north side Indianapolis churches are invited. Celebrate what God is doing in our community through music, video, testimonies & powerful teaching. Event is free & childcare for infants-4th grade provided.

### COATS FOR CHRIST

Drop off your clean coats at the coat pile in the Lobby. Don't fill up your attic—fill up the coat bin & show the love of Jesus Christ to families in our community.



### JULY 21-25

It's a family mission trip in your own back yard! Help the church reach the whole community with Jesus' love. Take your family to serve those in need in our own community with members of several other churches for one day or the entire week. Each day includes a brief time of worship & teaching followed by family friendly landscaping & home improvement projects. One day in one neighborhood equals one huge impact for Christ! Visit the Community Works Counter for more information or a registration form.



### VISIT OUTRIGGER ISLAND THIS SUMMER!

**Sunday Morning VBS | Sundays through August 10**

Our Early Childhood & Elementary Ministries will be doing the Outrigger Island Vacation Bible School program during all services on Sunday mornings. This is an excellent opportunity to invite your friends & neighbors.



## JR & SR HIGH MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

### SR HIGH CIY--WE LEAVE TOMORROW!

**July 14-19 at Southern Illinois University**

If you registered for CIY, meet at the church at 8:00am TOMORROW, July 14. Eat breakfast before you come—we will stop for lunch on the way. We will return around noon on Saturday, July 19. Bring a sleeping bag or bedding for a twin bed, clothing for the week (shorts are fine, but please dress modestly), personal toiletry items, your Bible, a pen, & money for 2 meals on the road, a camera (optional) & extra money for souvenirs, vending machines, etc. If you have not paid your balance, please do so as soon as possible.

### 8<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE\* TO KENTUCKY KINGDOM

**July 30 | \$75 | 7:30am-11:00pm**

Pick up a flyer in the Garage or at the Youth Ministry Counter in the Lobby or get the details & download your registration at wrcc.org. \$75 includes your transportation & admission to the park. We will accept registrations until the day of the trip or until the bus is full—whichever comes first! \*Based on the grade just completed.

### SR HIGH AWAKE Sundays | 7:00pm | Garage

This is a place where students can come together & worship the living God through live music, biblically relevant teaching & fellowship with a community of believers.

## SPORTS & RECREATION

### ADULT SPORTS OPPORTUNITIES

1) Men's Flag Football League - playing Saturday morning & some Sundays & Mondays, starting August 9.

2) Coed Softball League - playing at Morse Beach on Tuesday evenings starting August 5. Cost is \$35.

3) Men's Softball League - playing at Morse Beach on Tuesday evenings starting August 5. Cost is \$35.

Sign up at the Sports Ministry Counter or email Brett Cadwell at bcadwell@wrcc.org TODAY if interested in these opportunities.

### FAMILY CAMPOUT August 1-3 | Clifty Falls

There are still sites but the deadline to register is July 20. Register at the Welcome Counter or on the web at www.wrcc.org.

### FAMILY CAMPOUT INFORMATION MEETING

**July 20 | 9:30am | Discovery Room**

If you are registered for the Family Campout please attend this important meeting. We will have site assignments & will share details of the weekend. If you are unable to attend this meeting please contact Amy Moore in the church office or by email at amym@wrcc.org to get your assignment & weekend information.

### CHURCH OFFICE POSITION AVAILABLE

**Monday – Friday | 25 Hours per Week**

Candidates must be proficient in Word, Excel, Microsoft Publisher, Power Point. Graphic design & database experience is desirable. Applicants must be able to multi-task & handle a multi-line phone system, possess strong interpersonal skills, have great follow through, & require minimal supervision.

To be considered for this ministry, please email your resume to:

Sherri Stetnish at sstetnish@wrcc.org.



### FALL FLAG FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING REGISTERING NOW FOR KIDS IN KG-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE!

Register now at the Sports Ministry Counter or at wrcc.org.

## WEEKLY PROGRAMS

|                           |                        |                             |
|---------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Sr. High AWAKE            | Sundays; 7:00pm        | Garage                      |
| Women's Bible Studies     | Various Times          | Various Locations           |
| Sr. High Chillin'         | Thursdays; 3:00pm      | See WRCC.ORG for locations. |
| Food Pantry Open          | Thursdays; 4:00-6:00pm | Food Pantry                 |
| Men's Basketball Open Gym | Thursdays; 8:30pm      | Family Life Center          |
| Men's Prayer Breakfast    | Thursdays; 6:00am      | Bob Evans                   |

## MONTHLY PROGRAMS

|                                  |                                                         |                    |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Prime Time                       | 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturdays; 5:30pm                       | Discovery Room     |
| Nursing Home Visitation Ministry | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays; 3:30-5:00pm | Harbor Manor       |
| Teen MOPS                        | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays; 6:00-7:30pm | Attic              |
| CATALYST                         | 1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesdays; 6:30pm                      | Worship Center     |
| Evening of Prayer                | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mondays; 6:30-8:00pm                    | Worship Center     |
| Second Saturdays                 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturdays; 8:30-Noon                    | Meet in the Garage |
| Military Support Group           | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays; 6:30pm                      | Conference Room    |
| Evening of Prayer                | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mondays; 6:30-8:00pm                    | Worship Center     |
| "Linked by Love" Adoption Group  | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday Odd Months; 6:30pm               | Discovery Room     |
| Heaven's Handiwork               | 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesdays; 9:30am    | Discovery Room     |
| Bits & Pieces                    | 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday of Month; 6:30pm                 | Discovery Room     |

## SPECIAL EVENTS

|                                      |                 |                            |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| Welcome to White River Class         | TODAY; 9:30am   | Discovery Room             |
| Men's Grillin' & Chillin'            | July 18; 5:30pm | The Indiana Gun Club       |
| Family Campout Meeting               | July 20; 9:30am | Discovery Room             |
| Faith, Hope, & Love Week             | July 21-25      | See Inside for Information |
| Servant Evangelism Celebration Night | July 24; 7:00pm | Worship Center             |
| Sr. High Trip to Kentucky Kingdom    | July 30; 7:30am | Meet at WRCC at 7:30am     |

## SERMON NOTES

July 13, 2008 • Keith Comp, Associate Teaching Pastor  
 Today's Message: Off the Bench | COMMITTED to Serve

 For more information about these events and more, visit [www.wrcc.org](http://www.wrcc.org).

Download sermon notes and subscribe to the podcast at [www.wrcc.org](http://www.wrcc.org).



# WHITE RIVER CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**JULY 13, 2008**

Welcome! We are so glad you are here today. We have prayed for you. We have planned for you. Our team has worked all week to ensure that this service is the most significant moment of your week. You matter to God & you matter to us. Sit back, relax, & take time to consider what God wants to teach you today. Listen closely, God is speaking to you.

Thank you for turning off your pagers & cell phones during service.

WE LOVE BABIES...but if they are crying, please comfort them in the Lobby or in the nursery. The service can be viewed on video monitors in either location.

**FIRST TIME GUESTS, PLEASE FILL OUT A COMMUNICATION CARD LOCATED IN THE PEW IN FRONT OF YOU. PLEASE VISIT THE WELCOME COUNTER IN THE LOBBY FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFO YOU NEED!**

## TODAY AT THE RIVER

### WORSHIP IN SONG

### COMMUNION

Everyone who claims Jesus as his Savior is invited to participate in this physical reminder of His sacrifice. After we pray, the bread & juice will be passed. Take them as you wish during our quiet time.

### OFFERING

Each week we share in an offering. We believe those who are members of WRCC should support its work by giving to God as an act of worship & obedience. If you are not a member, you are under no obligation to give. Please do as you feel the Spirit leading you.

### MESSAGE

### DECISION SONG

If you have a decision to make today--to give your heart to God for the first time, to rededicate your life, or to place your membership with White River, you are invited to come forward at this time. One of our pastors will take your confession & you can be baptized. Or, if you are more comfortable, you are welcome to meet one of our pastors or elders over by the baptistry after service. Our invitation is never closed.

### BENEDICTION

## ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIPS

### GODLY LEADERSHIP | 9:45AM | MUSIC REHEARSAL ROOM

This study examines how we can set the condition for success in others if we follow the examples & principles in God's Word.

### FOR SINGLES ONLY | 9:45AM | ROOM 14

This is an ongoing class for single adults.

### YOUNG AT HEART (AGE 55+) | 9:45AM | PRAYER ROOM

This ongoing class is studying the life of Paul.

## SUNDAY YOUTH CLASSES

### INFANTS THROUGH 5 YEARS

Care is available during all services.

### KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 4<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

"The Kids Zone" meets in the Family Life Center during all services.

### JUNIOR HIGH | 5<sup>TH</sup>-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

PULSE meets in the Garage during the 9:45am service.

PULSE Remix meets in the Garage during the 11:15am service.

### SR. HIGH | 9<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

AWAKE meets in the Garage at 7:00pm every Sunday evening.