

notes from today's message

**What Faith Requires**

Genesis 12::1-9; Hebrews 11:8-12

**ALL THINGS NEW—Part 2 of 6**

*A series of sermons that take a chronological journey through the Old Testament to discover God's plan for our rescue.*

*God's Call to Abraham Was...*

1. ...A command not a suggestion.

Faith requires \_\_\_\_\_.

2. ...Open-ended not clear-cut.

Faith requires \_\_\_\_\_.

3. ...A means to an end not an end.

Faith requires \_\_\_\_\_.

**our vision**

We will creatively obey the Great Commission in order to build a growing community of Christian disciples who are committed to Scripture, prayer, one another, worship and outreach

**MINISTRY TEAM**

Ministers.....Every Member	Secretary.....Kathy Burns
Pastor.....Randy Keasler	Building Maintenance.....
Discipleship Pastor...Jim Beavers	Pianist.....Faye Holbrooks
Worship Pastor.....Christopher Hulsey	Organist.....Mandy Tompkins

**NURSERY TEAM**

JANUARY 14  
 Joyce Barrett, Heather Martin, Anna Smith, Mary Margaret Smith, Maddie Smith

JANUARY 21  
 Paige Price, Marty Price, Donna Brewer, Letitia Marcengill, Duane Marcengill

**FACILITATOR TEAM**

JANUARY 14  
 Alan Ridley

JANUARY 21  
 Dave Herrick

JANUARY 28  
 Jim Friesen

February 4  
 Tim Grant

**DEACONS**

Larry Dellinger, Sec  
 Stephen Bowen  
 Dwayne Blake  
 Bill Butts  
 Robert Brewer  
 Tim Grant, Chair  
 Sam Dickson  
 Jim Friesen, Vice Chair  
 Mike Sapp

**LAST WEEK**

Sunday Morning Groups ....115  
 Sunday Worship.....108    Weekday Groups.....80

**OFFERINGS**

	LAST WEEK	YEAR TO DATE
Budget.....	\$9,788.....	\$185,972
Actual.....	\$8,883.....	\$173,060

WELCOME



*a place to belong*



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# welcome

January 14, 2018

As we enter a new year, we begin a chronological journey through the Bible in our adult Bible study groups at 9:45a. We will continue that theme in worship today as we consider God's call to Abraham. His response of faith needs to be ours as we begin 2018. Thank you for choosing to worship with us. You are an important part of the Westminster Baptist family today.

— Randy Keasler, Pastor

## today in worship

### HAPPENING THIS WEEK

*Blessed Assurance*

### WELCOME

*Walk By Faith*

### THE CHURCH IN PRAYER

### GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Glorious Day - Worship Choir*

### MESSAGE

### INVITATION

*I Surrender All*

### CLOSING

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\*Children leave for Worship KidStyle (4 year olds - 3rd grade) Please meet the children's leader at the front of the worship center. Parents, please pick up your child after the service in the Children's Ministry Center.

# connect | grow | serve

**The Story** is an innovative adult Bible study that presents Scripture as a continuous narrative in chronological order. This is a great way to start the New Year. See Lillian Thrift for details.

**Deacons Meeting** - Today at 4:00p in the Conference Room.

**The Ladies Small Group** will meet at 6:00p today at the home of Jennifer Adams. Join us as we begin our study, *Heart Sisters: Be the Friend You Want to Have* by Natalie Chambers Snapp. Please contact Tonya Sawyer to sign up.

**Online Giving** is now available through [wbc.life](http://wbc.life) or [www.westminsterbaptist.org](http://www.westminsterbaptist.org).

**Your 2017 Contribution Statements** are available in Connect Central. If you do not find yours, please call the office at 647-2315. Thank you for your financial support in 2017.

**New WBC shirts** are available in Connect Central. Short-sleeve shirts are \$20 and long-sleeve shirts are \$25.

**Updates** - Please keep the office informed concerning any change with your family members, address, phone number, or email address.

# this week @ wbc

## Sunday, January 14

- 9:15a Sunday School
- 10:30a Worship  
Worship KidStyle
- 4:00p Deacons Meeting
- 5:00p Parents of Grade 6-12 (Meeting in the Social Hall)
- 6:00p Ladies Small Group - *Heart Sisters*

## Monday, January 15

- 8:30a Men's Bible Study

## Tuesday, January 16

- 10:30a Keowee Place Bible Fellowship

## Wednesday, January 17

- 10:30a Morningside Bible Fellowship
- 11:00a Prayer Meeting
- 6:00p Dorcas  
MidPoint - *In All Things Pray*  
Preschool Missions  
SOM
- 7:00p Worship Choir

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## Severe Weather Damage Update

- **Preschool** repair from ruptured water line damage is nearing completion. An insurance claim with Southern Mutual is in process.
- **Multi-Purpose Room** heat pump compressor will be replaced this week. No insurance protection. Sorry for the inconvenience today.
- **Social Hall hallway** roof leak is part of the flat roof issue we have discussed for several years. Bids for recovering all flat roofs are in process. No insurance protection.