

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 1

9:00 am—Church in Worship, Heart Touch Ministry
10:30 am—Sunday School

Monday, March 2

8:30am—Ladies Exercise

Tuesday, March 3

8:30am—Ladies Exercise

Wednesday, March 4

5:15pm—Family Night Supper
6:00pm—Student Worship
6:00pm—Kids Activities
6:00pm—Women’s Bible Study- Whitney Payne (A105)
6:00pm—Women’s Bible Study- Jennifer Baker (A104)
6:15pm—Midweek Prayer Meeting/Qtly Business Meeting
7:20pm—Adult Choir Practice

Thursday, March 5

8:30am—Ladies Exercise
6:30pm—Adult Pickleball

Friday, March 6

4:00pm—YaH Whitesville Fish Fry

WELCOME VISITORS!

If you are visiting today, please complete the welcome card from the pew racks with information and/or prayer requests, and place it in the offering plate when it is passed. You can also scan the QR code with your phone camera and complete it online. Thank you!

FOR THE RECORD—FEBRUARY 22

Sunday School Attendance	183
Morning Worship Attendance	332
Weekly Budget Needs	\$19,584.19
Weekly Budget Offering	\$22,529.75
Designated Gifts	\$2,908.00
Total Offering	\$25,437.75
Budget Goal to Date	\$156,673.52
Budget Offering to Date	\$165,034.52
Amount Over Budget	\$8,361.00

CHURCH INFORMATION

Dr. James Wedding, *Senior Pastor*
Dr. John Johnson, *Music & Worship Pastor*
Rev. Ben Fitzgerald, *Student Pastor*
Rev. Ron Harrington, *Senior Adult Pastor*
Rev. Tom Collier, *Family & Recreation Pastor*
Mrs. Amy Douglas, *Director of Kids Ministry*
Mrs. Judi Cornell /Joyce Davis, *Church Secretary*
Mrs. Susan Wedding, *Financial Secretary*

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MESSAGE FROM GOD’S WORD

“Bound For Glory”

1 Peter 5:8-11

As Peter closes his writing, which is Holy Scripture, he reminds the saints that even if our present is tough, and your future situation will get tougher (1 Peter 4:12-13), God has never forsaken you and He can certainly never forget you (Hebrews 13:5-6).

Christians must live in this world with the reality we are in enemy territory (Acts 14:18-22;15:25-26). Christians must live with the understanding that God’s purposes realized in the future will require some pain in the present (1 Peter 2:20-22; 2 Timothy 3:10-12).

Remember, the pain, pressure, persecution and problems are given to us not to defeat us but to define us, not to destroy us but to develop us! While the believer is being personally attacked by the enemy, he is being personally perfected by the precious Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus perfects, establishes, strengthens and settles you. These words speak both of strength and resolve to finish your course with faith (reading).

What keeps the believer going in this dark and difficult world is the fact this world is not our home. We are pilgrims passing through. Our hope and home are above us.

I. Where are we going? Heaven itself (John 14:1-3; Philippians 3:20-21; Psalm 115:3; Psalm 84:10-12).

II. How do we get there? By Jesus Christ Alone (John 10:9,14:6; Acts 4:12; 1 Peter 1:18-21; 1 John 1:7; Revelation 13:8)

III. What will we see when we get there? (Hebrews 12:18-24)

- An innumerable hosts of angels
- The church glorious
- God the Father
- Jesus Christ



March 1, 2026

Welcome and Opening Prayer	John Johnson
Congregational Song	“Hallelujah For The Cross”
Scripture Readings	“Grateful For The Cross” “I’m Forever Grateful”
Offertory Prayer	Greg Gibson
Offertory	Beth Holmes “Open Our Eyes” with “Be Thou My Vision”
Congregational Songs	“How Deep The Father’s Love For Us” “I Set My Hope On Jesus” “Bound For Glory”
Dismiss Kids to Kids Church	
Message from God’s Word	Bro. James “Bound For Glory” 1 Peter 5:8-11
Commitment Songs	“I Have Decided To Follow Jesus” “It Is Well With My Soul”
Closing Comments	Tom Collier



DISCIPLESHIP

Wednesday Night Women's Group @ 6:00pm

Women's group, led by Whitney Payne, meets in A105.
Studying—The Book of II Peter

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Women's Group, led by Jennifer Baker, meets in A104.
Studying "Created to Commune" a study on the
Spiritual disciplines by Rachel Joy.

Wednesday Night Men's Brotherhood Group @ 6:00pm

Our men's brotherhood group meets in the Fellowship Hall.
Studying—Max Lucado's *Life Lessons in John*.

FAMILY LIFE

Family Night Supper Wednesday, March 4 Team 3

BBQ Chicken, Corn on the Cob,
Salad, Rolls, Desserts



FREE Family Ice Skating Fellowship
Edge Ice Center 3/15/26
5:00-7:00pm



FAM JAM MARCH 18 6:00- 8:00PM Free Dinner 5-5:45pm

Mark your calendars and be sure to attend our family event on Wednesday, March 18. We have great speakers and worship leaders coming to join us! There will be a free meal from 5:00-5:45pm. We will start at 6pm in the Student Room, and we will have worship and giveaways, followed by awesome breakout sessions. Finally, we will have some family fellowship time and of course, ice cream! You won't want to miss this excellent night planned just for our families with kids and youth!



Check out our **Family Life Yellow Creek Baptist Church Facebook page**, the closed Facebook group for our church family! We will post lots of church information and more. You can post pictures, videos, family fun ideas, encouraging articles, humor, etc. Find us on Facebook and click to join!

MISSIONS & MINISTRY

March "Pantry Focus"

Crackers, Ramen Noodles

Please leave all donations at the church office.



Honduras Missions: It's time to begin signing up for our mission trip to serve with El Ayudante in Honduras. The trip is May 31 - June 6. Sign up sheet and new information flyers are available in the Connection Center on the table. Please sign up soon! Please see Ben for any questions about this trip. Team commitments are needed by February 28.



Oneida Mission Trip: April 5-9

See Michelle Weightman if you have questions.



KIDS



Kids will be dismissed to Kids Church following the musical portion of our service. They will return to the front pew toward the end of the service. Sign in your child with the QR code.



Crossings Kids Camp at Jonathan Creek is July 28-31! If your child is in 2nd-5th grades, they are eligible to attend. Use the QR code to follow the link to the online registration. It is such a great camp experience! Register now before spots are gone!



Mark your calendars for Emerald Crossing VBS, July 13-17! In a world filled with worry and confusion, kids need to know there is a God who cares for them. Join us as we look at Psalm 23 for answers!

STUDENTS



Midweek Student Worship!-6:00-7:30 pm- We want all 6th-12th grade students to be a part of our weekly Wednesday gathering! MidWeek features food, snacks, upbeat worship music, positive message, Bible study time, hangout and discussion time in age and gender specific groups, fun theme nights, free giveaways and more!

Summer Camp 2026 - Big Creek Mission in Eastern, KY - June 14-20. This is a mission camp with opportunities to serve in construction, community, and children's projects. Cost is \$275 with fundraisers available to assist. Students need to be committing now to the best trip of the year!

YOUNG AT HEART

WHITESVILLE FISH FRY—FRIDAY—MARCH 6—4:00PM

Vans leave church at 4pm. Menu; Catfish filets, baked potato, coleslaw, and homemade hush puppies. All you can eat. Cost: \$15.00— Desserts: \$2.00.

COMMITTEE MEETING—TUESDAY—MARCH 10—11:00AM

Meeting will be held in the Office Conference Room.

GAME NIGHT—THURSDAY—MARCH 12—6:00PM

In CLC (2nd Floor) We will play table games and shuffle board. Bring your favorite games and snacks.

DERBY DINNER PLAYHOUSE—WEDNESDAY—MARCH 18—8:30AM

"The Spelling Bee" (A wildly funny Broadway Musical)—Leave at 8:30. Tickets are \$40. Need money by Sunday, March 8.

SIGN UP FOR THESE EVENTS AT THE YaH TABLE

GENERAL

Anytime you make a purchase at **Rural King**, mention Yellow Creek Baptist Church and 270-281-4118, then they will donate a percentage of your purchase to the church.

VOLUNTEERS

Counting Committee

3/1-Connie Gibson, Jenny Millay
3/8-Terri Hobgood, Tonya Blake

Safety Team

3/1-Matthew Horn, Doug Gilmore, Randy Logsdon
3/8-Mark Irby, Jim & Teresa Crandall, Carl Hendley

Offertory Prayer & Outreach

3/1-Greg Gibson
3/8-Chris Holmes

Nursery

3/1-April Yonts, Lorri Pile, Brenda Brantley, Bella Irby, Mason Yonts, Amanda Sosh
3/8-Kathie Finch, Bradley Napier, Valerie Yonts, Brandy Pablo, Nolan Yonts

Kids Church

3/1-Amy Douglas, Hailey Fitzgerald
3/8-Holly Davis, Bryanna Copeland, Morgan Hawes

Cooking Team

3/4-Terri & Michael Hobgood, Sharon & Don Wright, Rebecca Sparks, Gail Stone
3/11-Kristie Blue, Sharon Brooks, Marie Mann, Amber Williams