



## INVEST WELL

Invite someone you've met for coffee, lunch, or to your ABF or Life Group.

## Generosity Report

As believers in Jesus Christ, we acknowledge that all we have comes from God. He owns everything. We manage the assets He has entrusted to us.

|                             | Received YTD | Budget YTD         | %+/-  |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-------|
| Local Ministries            | \$302,617    | \$223,200          | 35.6% |
| Total Project Cost          |              | \$2,336,792        |       |
| Imagine the Potential Given |              | <u>\$2,028,364</u> |       |
| Complete the Link           |              | \$308,428          |       |



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“Do Excellent Work”

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**FIGHT CLUB Kick-Off**

Date & Time: September 13 @ 11pm  
 Location: Baker Youth Club  
 Questions: Contact WLGBC (574) 267-6623

Visit [wlgbc.com/fight-club](http://wlgbc.com/fight-club)

# New to WL

Please stop by the Information Center for a free gift. For more information about getting connected at WL, visit our website at [www.wlgbc.com](http://www.wlgbc.com) or call Tim Wright, Discipleship & Adult Ministries Pastor, at 267-6623.

# This Week at WL

## TODAY

*Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowships* meet at 10:00 a.m.

*Connections Class* begins this morning at 10:00 in the Fireside Room of the church. It will also meet next Sunday.

*The Living Room* is our alternative worship service that meets each week at 11:15 at The Hub.

*Kids Chorale* meets from 6:00-7:30 p.m. at The Link.

## Tuesday

*Men's Bible Study* is at 6:00 a.m. at American Table Restaurant.

*Moms' Connection* meets at 9:15 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

*ENL (English as a New Language)* begins at the YMCA from 6:30-7:45 p.m.

## Wednesday

*Ladies Noon Bible Study* begins today at The Hub.

*Epic for students* meets at 6:45 p.m.

*SPLASH* begins tonight from 6:45-8:15 p.m.

*Parent Prayer* is from 6:45-7:10 at The Link. This is open to any parent—or grandparent—who would like to meet to pray for their children.

*Midweek Prayer Group* meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Prayer Room.

*Understanding AWANA class* meets at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room.

## Thursday

*ENL (English as a New Language)* meets at 10:00 a.m. at the church.

*Global Prayer Group* meets at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room.

*Women's Bible Study*, "True Woman 101: Divine Design," meets from 7:00-8:15 p.m. in room 102 of the main building.

## Friday

*Fight Club for men* kick-off is at 11:00 p.m. at Baker Youth Club.

## Saturday

*Single Women's 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday Night Gathering* is at 5:00 p.m. at The Hub.

# WL Ministries

***Our Local Outreach Partner of the Week*** is World Compassion Network. WCN assists local churches to reach out to their community by providing experience, equipment, and supplies to victims of disaster. To volunteer, go to [www.w-c-n.org/volunteer](http://www.w-c-n.org/volunteer). *This week, WCN's initial relief efforts related to Hurricane Dorian* include diverting supplies staged in Ocala, Florida, to the Bahamas to help load aircraft flying these and other supplies to victims in the Bahamas. WCN will then bring relief supplies up the coast from Florida to help hurricane victims in the Carolinas. *Tyler Snow from WL recently joined the WCN staff as Disaster Relief Coordinator.* He will be managing and engaging with our volunteer teams and church relationships, both domestically and worldwide, to help bring emergency assistance to those affected by both natural and man-made disasters. In the coming weeks, watch for updates from Tyler on how you can donate supplies or participate on a relief team.

***Reaching Our World Locally:*** Here are some ways WL individuals, families, Life Groups, or an ABF can help showcase God's love to our community. For full details or to sign up to participate, pick up a copy of the September WL Family News at the Info Center or go to [www.wlgbc.com/local-serving-ops](http://www.wlgbc.com/local-serving-ops).

- ***Fellowship Missions*** (Warsaw homeless shelter): On Saturday, September 21, WL will host a 6:30 p.m. Pizza and Bingo night for the 25+ residents.
- ***Warsaw Soup Kitchen:*** Wednesday, September 25, WL is providing and serving the noon meal for approximately 100 people.
- ***ENL*** (English as a New Language): We would like to have a prayer team to pray while the classes are held and to pray for voluntary requests from the students to be e-mailed to the ENL Prayer Team. Not necessary to attend the class times/locations to participate but welcomed.
- ***Room at The Table*** (WL's foster/adoption ministry): The group invites you to join their Facebook page "Room at the Table," where you can see the current needs for our foster care closet as well as the exciting things happening as our church family becomes involved in fostering and adopting kids in need.
- ***Second Wind*** (Jefferson Elementary) is a relational ministry of connecting one WLGBC person with one of the administrators, teachers, or staff at Jefferson for the purpose of encouragement (small gifts, tangible help, notes of encouragement, but mostly prayer).

**Our Global Teammates of the Week** are Dave and Susie Hobert who have been serving in France since 1980. They divide their time between here and France now, helping with evangelism and church-planting in PARAY-le-Monial, discipling and mentoring believers, and serving as missionaries-in-residence at Grace College and Seminary.

**Connections Class** meets this morning and next Sunday, September 15, at 10:00 a.m. in the Fireside Room of the church. This two-week class is designed to help you get connected, understand the most important things about the church, and to help us know a little more about you.

**The WLGBC Choir** will be singing in both services on September 29. If you are interested in singing in choir, rehearsals will be held on the Sundays of September 15 and 22 from 4:00-5:30 p.m. in rooms 103/104 of the main building.

**Do you have a heart for the nations** and are free on Tuesday evenings or Thursday mornings this school year? ENL (English as a New Language) has several ministry opportunities. On Tuesday evenings at the YMCA from 6:30-7:45 p.m., beginning September 10, we're looking for people to help teach English—no prior experience needed! On Thursday mornings from 10:00-11:30 a.m., beginning September 12, we're looking for childcare workers. *In addition to English-speaking childcare workers, we are also looking to find a childcare worker who is fluently bilingual in English and Spanish to help with Spanish translation.* For details, contact Cassie Wanty at 937-612-3126 or [cjwanty@gmail.com](mailto:cjwanty@gmail.com).

**CareGivers Support Group** meets next Sunday, September 15, at 10:00 a.m. in the café area of the Fellowship Hall. If you are the caregiver for a loved one and need some encouragement and support, plan to join this group. Contact Gladys Deloe at [gdeloe@gmail.com](mailto:gdeloe@gmail.com) if you have questions.

## WL Kids

**Sunday school** is at 10:00. Nursery/early childhood classes are available during both worship services; K-6th grade students sit with their parents in the service and are dismissed to Kids Worship part-way through the service.

**Serving opportunity:** Would you be willing to help with a special needs class for a 13-year-old girl on Sundays during the 11:15 service? Two volunteers would serve together no more than once a month. If you can help, please contact Brenda Wilcoxson at 269-6991.

**“Understanding AWANA” class** for parents is this Wednesday, September 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the conference room of the main building. This class will familiarize you with the AWANA program and how you can help your children memorize God's Word in some fun ways.

## WL Students

**Sunday School** is at 10:00 a.m. each week at The Hub.

**Epic Wednesday** meets at 6:45 p.m.

**Stay connected** @WLStudents on Facebook, Instagram or WL Parents on Facebook, or contact Cindy at [cyocum@wlgbc.com](mailto:cyocum@wlgbc.com).

## WL Young Adults

**Young Adult ABF** meets every Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the main building.

## Women's Ministries

**Plan to attend** “Revive 2019: Seeking Him,” September 27-28, when we will simulcast the conference here at WLGBC. This is open to women in the Warsaw community and surrounding areas. Visit [www.revive19.com](http://www.revive19.com) for more information. To register, go to [www.warsaw.cc/revive2019](http://www.warsaw.cc/revive2019). Contact Rhonda Raber at [rraber@wlgbc.com](mailto:rraber@wlgbc.com) if you have questions.

**Come join the Women's Ministries noon Bible study** beginning this Wednesday, September 11, at The Hub. Bring your lunch and your curiosity. Donna Seyfert will lead this discussion on things that may be ahead for believers as we look at some specific scriptures. The 6-week study begins at 12:10 and will end by 12:50 to accommodate those who can slip away from work over the noon hour. Contact Lois Maxson at 269-3194 if you have questions. Sign up at the Info Center. Books will be provided.

**Moms' Connection** begins its new year on Tuesday, September 10, and is for mothers of preschoolers who are looking for encouragement and connections. It meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of most months during the school year from 9:15-11:15 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Registration is online, and further details may be found at [www.wlgbc.com](http://www.wlgbc.com). If you have questions, contact Lauren Warren at [laurenkwarren@gmail.com](mailto:laurenkwarren@gmail.com).

**2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday:** All single women from WLGBC are invited to the monthly gathering on September 14. The theme is “School Days” so bring a picture of yourself from school if you have one, a snack to share, and a favorite game if you'd like. Enjoy conversation and games at 5:00 in The Hub. If you can't make it by 5:00, come when you can. Questions? Contact Brenda Wilcoxson at 269-6991.

## Men's Ministries

**Calling all men!** Fight Club is a 10-week ministry tool designed to help men live an intentional, focused, and healthy life. Grab a friend and join us for the kick-off next Friday, September 13, at 11:00 p.m. at Baker Youth Club. You'll be encouraged, have a lot of fun, and find out more about this round of Fight Club which is open to all men age 18+ and out of high school.



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Redeeming work . . .

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So what?

### **Community News**

***Right to Life’s annual fall banquet*** is Monday, September 16, from 6:00-8:45 p.m. at the Manahan Orthopaedic Capital Center on the Grace College campus. Main speakers will be Dr. Anthony (ex-abortionist) and Cecelia Levatino. Emcee will be Brian Catron, past Right to Life board president. Tickets are \$25 per person and may be purchased by sending a check (payable to RTL of NCI) to: P.O. Box 1162, Warsaw, IN 46581. For more information and to purchase tickets online, go to [www.ProLifeBanquet.com](http://www.ProLifeBanquet.com)

***The “Gospel-Shaped Family Conference”*** will take place on Saturday, September 21, from 9:00 a.m.-3:45 p.m. at Christ’s Covenant Church. This event is designed to help equip people to have a deeper impact on their family for the sake of Christ. Pastors from all over the country (including our church) will be speaking on subjects like marriage, parenting, and grandparenting. For more information or to register, you may go to <https://www.gospelshapedfamily.com/conferences/winona-lake>