



MONTHLY NEWS | FIRST WHITEWRIGHT | JANUARY 2019

### WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

#### **SUNDAYS**

9:00am Fellowship  
9:30 Group Bible Studies (Adults, Students, Kids)  
10:45 Worship Service (& God's Word... Kid Style)

#### **MONDAYS**

6pm Faith Bible Institute

#### **WEDNESDAYS**

5:30pm Family Meal  
6:15pm Awana Club, Youth Elevate, & Adult Bible Study

#### **FRIDAYS**

6:30am Men's Prayer Breakfast

### JANUARY ACTIVITIES

13<sup>th</sup> – Youth Sack Lunch Fundraiser  
15<sup>th</sup> – Rhythms of Grace Winter Series – 6 weeks  
25<sup>th</sup> – Parenting Seminar

### **FEBRUARY SNEAK PEEK**

9<sup>th</sup> – Valentines Banquet/Youth Fundraiser  
10<sup>th</sup> – Men's Skeet Shoot at Bethel Ranch  
TBD – Family Roller Skating Party

*First Whitewright takes your safety and security seriously. Safety team active at every on-campus event!*

*A Word from Bro. Dave*

**2019 Here We Come!!!**

I love a new year! I love to “visioneer” as in peer into it, pray about it, plan through it, while pursuing God’s goals and plans in my life – declaring “war” on my time, and the temptations of busyness\laziness, over-commitment\under-commitment, pride, fear\insecurity, apathy, and all the devil’s lies – so I can be all that God wants me to be!


With declaration made – the new year then gets exciting, as, “in Christ,” it represents hope, potential, change, new happenings, new starts, new beginnings - and hopefully OVERCOMING, GROWTH, FRUIT, and a deeper relationship and experience with God!

In short, the new year is a great time to take inventory, and prayerfully re-orient and recommit ourselves to HIM, and His Kingdom agenda reflected in the Great Commandment and the Great Commission, which is what we have been “re-purposed” for!

As a staff we have been seeking God and believe He is leading us into an incredible year of opportunity and outreach, impact and service, influence and growth. Some of that is communicated in this newsletter. We will also be sharing throughout the month. We pray that all of us in light of the cross, and all of His favor to us, “throw off everything that hinders, and the sin that so easily entangles, and run the race God has marked out for us,” (Hebrews 12:1), for His Kingdom, our blessings, and God’s glory!

“To the ends of the earth” -

Dave



**Parenting Seminar**

Guest Speaker  
**Dr. Kenneth Wilgus**

**Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:00pm-9:00pm**  
 Dinner served at 6:15pm

201 W. Walnut St.  
 Whitewright, TX

*First Whitewright*

**Free Event | Childcare Available**

**About the Guest Speaker/Author:**

Dr. Kenneth Wilgus is a licensed psychologist and formerly the director of Psychology for the Child and Adolescent Dept. at the Minirth-Meier Clinic in Richardson, Texas. He currently maintains a private practice, consults with numerous school districts and churches, and is a frequent guest of Dr. Dobson's Focus on the Family.

**School Ministry Update**

FWW is joined with others in the community for a massive one on one, (or 2, or 3 etc..) prayer initiative covering all students, teachers, administrators and board members of WWISD - over 1000 souls. Currently, ALL Whitewright High School & Whitewright Middle School Students & Teachers are covered! There are still 70 Whitewright Elementary Students and/or Teachers in need of prayer sponsors.

Sign up is simple. Just search Kingdom Warriors of Whitewright, Texas on Facebook, and join the group. Or you may contact Ms. Rebecca Card @ 214-797-4470.

**Join Our Children's Ministry Team!**



*Would you consider serving 1 time per month in on Sundays at 9:30 or 10:45? Are you available to serve on Wednesdays at 6pm? Contact Kaci @ 318-680-5099 or email [children@fbcwhitewright.com](mailto:children@fbcwhitewright.com).*

*Coming in February...*

**YOUTH FUNDRAISER**

*Valentines Banquet*

*...childcare available!!!*

COMING SOON IN 2019

- March 29<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup> - Youth High School D-Now Weekend
- April 13<sup>th</sup> - Community Crawfish Bowl Youth Fundraiser
- April 18<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> - Youth Middle School Easter Retreat
- April 26<sup>th</sup> - 28<sup>th</sup> - Men's Ministry Retreat