



Woodland Baptist Church

Monthly Update

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Community



**Free Community Dinner
July 14**

Come be a part of our community outreach. This meal is not intended as a church social, instead we want to go into our community and meet a need.

Matthew 25:34-36 (NIV)

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.



Graduation Recognition Sunday, June 12

If you or someone in your family would like to participate in Graduation Recognition, please contact Greg@woodlandchurch.org.



Child Dedication - May 19

Woodland celebrated Child Dedication on May 19. Ben Akershoek, Logan Campbell, Landen Campbell, Chloe Hernandez, Guenivere Hernandez, and Kailey Stratton were dedicated by their children. As a part of this celebration, we committed to encourage, love, and help the parents to bring these children up in Christ's love.

Another Child Dedication is scheduled for June 19. If you would like to be a part of dedicating your child, please contact Greg@woodlandchurch.org.



Vacation Bible School Carnival - June 18 Vacation Bible School June 25-29

Vacation Bible School will begin on June 25 and run daily from 6:30-8:30pm with an additional session Sunday morning 9:30-noon.

Don't forget to come to the VBS Carnival on June 18 and preregister for VBS.



Vacation Bible School Volunteers

We need your help! If you are interested in helping, please email info@woodlandchurch.org.



Congratulations! Christian Giles was pinned 1st Lieutenant

Christian Giles is serving in Afghanistan. To show our continuing support, we will be sending the final Care Package to Christian on June 12. Please bring your items to the Social Hall. If you have any questions, contact Liz Burnett s.eliz.burnett@gmail.com.



Word from the Pastor

First Year Anniversary

This month (June 14th to be exact) I celebrate my first year anniversary at Woodland. What an exciting year! This year has been full of many great events. Here are some of my favorite events from the last 12 months:

- Oak Hill Mission Trip - 30 Woodland participants
- Adonia Concert
- Youth Fall Retreat with 20 youth
- Trick or Trunk - Hundreds of community participants
- Easter Egg Hunt with the Salvation Story shared
- Paying off church debt - Celebration Service
- Child Dedication of 6 children
- Sunday Morning Small Groups
- Community Connections
 - Wheelin' for Hope
 - Relay for Life
- 5 Baptisms
- 10 new church members
- First Ever Variety Show
- Engaging Worship filled with drama, testimonies and God's Spirit
- Children - They keep coming! And making us smile
- Celebrating our 100th year together

We have only just begun our journey together. What do you want to be a part of in the next year? God has a plan for you and me in setting the stage for the next 100 years at Woodland.

Greg

