



welcome to **willowbrook**



November 19, 2023

WILLOWBROOK EVENTS

PRESCHOOL Join us to celebrate Jesus' birthday! Sunday, December 3 at 4:30 in the Venue. \$5 covers pizza, games and the Christmas story for the whole family. Register online willowbrook.org/preschool-hsv.

FISH FRENZY Fish Wknd 2024 will be on February 9-11! Middle and High School Students can sign up for the lowest price of \$45 on our FISH FRENZY date, November 27! Visit willowbrook.org/students to register!

MISSIONS Bags of Blessings Collection for the Care Center of New Hope. Please go to the table near the Mission Wall for a list of items to fill your bag (s). Bags will be collected from Sunday, November 12 - Sunday, December 3. Thank you for your kind donations, they are greatly needed and appreciated!

WORLD MISSION BANKS World Mission Banks will be available in both the Preschool and Grade School areas. Money collected will be used to purchase digital Bibles for Jamie and Jolie to share with those who do not have easy access to a Bible in their country. Banks are due back on December 3.

WOMEN Join us for the Celebrate prayer gathering on November 27, 6-8p in the Huntsville Campus Worship Center. This dedicated time of prayer is come and go. Feel free to come anytime between 6 and 8p, and stay as long as you are able. We will start on a new topic of prayer every 10 minutes. Also, tickets are still available until 11/27 at willowbrookwomen.org/celebrate.

TURKEY TROT Calling all walkers and runners! Join Willowbrook's team for the Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving Day, benefitting Crisis Services of Alabama. Cost is \$25. Email Denise Wing at denise@willowbrook.org for the link to sign up.

CHRISTMAS EVE Christmas Eve Service will be back at Milton Frank Stadium on December 24 at 5p. Join us for an amazing night of music, inspiration, and fireworks.

FINANCE "The 3rd quarter 2023 Financial update is now available to view and download at willowbrook.org/budget"

WELCOME TO WILLOWBROOK

We are thrilled you're here and can't wait for you to become part of our community. Here's how you can connect with us:

- **WHERE DO I START?** If you're a guest today, we'd like to extend a warm welcome. Please stop by our Guest Services desk located in the lobby. We have a special welcome gift just for you.
- **HOW CAN I GET CONNECTED?** Get involved in one of our Life Groups to experience community, encouragement, and biblically-based teachings. Our Welcome Team is eager to help you find a group that's the right fit for you.
- **WHAT ABOUT MY CHILDREN?** Willowbrook loves kids! We offer engaging, safe, and biblically-centered programs for children, ranging from nursery age through high school. On Sunday mornings, we have:
 - Classes for children through 5th grade at 9:15a and 10:45a
 - Classes for middle school and high school students at 9:15a
- **HOW DO I BECOME A MEMBER?** Interested in becoming a member of our church family? Simply come forward at the end of a service. You can ask any questions you have and learn about the steps to become a member.



- Give online at willowbrook.org on the giving tab.
Weekly Budget Needs: \$116,973.92
Budget Receipts: \$111,809.75
To view our most recent quarterly update, go to willowbrook.org/budget

UNLIKELY

Acts 9:1-18

#1 God Graciously Pursues And _____ Even The Worst Of _____
Verses 1-2

Galatians 1:13

For you have heard of my previous way of life in Judaism, how intensely I persecuted the church of God and tried to destroy it.

The Dual Nature of God:

-It's true God hates and _____

-It's also true God lovingly and graciously _____ sinners.

Psalm 5:4

Psalm 92:15

2 Peter 3:9

Jonah 4:2

1st Timothy 1:14-16

What does this mean for us?

-Saved People Need To Be Careful We Don't Decide Who Would _____
_____ and Who _____ Lost People Need To Realize
They Don't Have To _____ Their Life For God To Save Them

#2 God Loves To Blow Our _____ By Doing The _____ And
Using The _____
Verse 15

God may be the same yesterday, today, and forever... but that doesn't mean
you can predict or understand what He will do.

God likes to use the _____ to accomplish the _____

1st Corinthians 1:27

1st Timothy 1:12-13

We may be _____ of our past, but we are not _____ of
our past.

Rick Warren

Ephesians 3:20

Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask
or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us



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