



# West Central Baptist Association

## The Messenger

DECEMBER 25, 2025

The Blood, the  
Book, the Blessed  
Hope for the world.  
John 5:24

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THANK YOU WCBA CHURCHES for your generous donations of 235 stuffed-to-top backpacks for children of the Appalachian Region in/around Corbin, KY!!

A special thanks to (l-r) Ricky Boozer and Michael Kronosky (Westwood), Houston Young (Shiloh), and Dick Boozer (Fairview) for packing the trailer!!

An EXTRA SPECIAL thanks to Houston Young and Joe Estes (Shiloh), who made the drive to Kentucky to drop off and helped to distribute the backpacks !!!

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### CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR OUR CHURCHES SEEKING A PASTOR

\*Fairview      Northside      Hope  
Pine Grove      \*Westwood

\*Have Interim Pastors

### ANNUAL APPRECIATION DAY

#### LAW ENFORCEMENT/FIRST RESPONDERS

Thursday, January 29 & 30, 2026

First Baptist Church

Meals/Awards Ceremony  
Celebration Service

Many volunteers needed!

Contacts: Kathy Smith (334.328.9250)  
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### CONGRATULATIONS

**Orrville Baptist Church** as they welcome their new Pastor, Rev. Thomas Fletcher and his wife Bethany and son Theo.

### WCBA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

#### MEETING

Tuesday, January 13, 2026

5:30 PM — Fellowship/Snacks

6:00 PM — Exec. Meeting

WCBA Office



## JANUARY

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| 1     | NEW YEAR'S DAY, (WCBA office closed)                  |
| 13    | WCBA Executive Committee Meeting, WCBA Office         |
| 18    | Sanctity of Human Life Sunday                         |
| 25    | Baptist Men's Day                                     |
| 29-30 | First Responders/Law Enforcement Appreciation Day     |
| 30    | Mended Hearts, Summerfield Baptist Church, 10:00 A.M. |

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### Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

**WCBA Total 2631**

Thanks to all who participated in any way!