

Direct From Dave —

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Football season is here. People are cheering for their favorite college or pro teams! People get vocal and personal about their favorite teams. Listen to what happens if someone mentions “**Gators.**” The Gators will cheer, but some others who are loyal, for example, to the ‘**Noles** will most likely make some negative noise (and vice versa).

And yet how wonderful to be all on the same team---**team Jesus.** We are one! “ *So also we are many persons. But in Christ we are one body.*” (Romans 12:4-8) In Christ we are one. Unity does not mean uniformity. On Sunday we will talk about how even with differences, we can focus on Jesus. We will be talking about not just being a spectator, but getting in the game. We will celebrate how, while we are all different in many aspects, we have Jesus as our unifier. The amazing thing about Team Jesus is His team consists of people of all ages. This is going to be a great time to make some intergenerational connections.

You are invited to wear your favorite sport’s jersey. I’m amazed how at sporting events we can get excited and even make noise. I trust that on Sunday we will be excited and make a joyful noise for Jesus. Let’s root for Jesus; He’s rooting for you.

I hope you will come excited, pumped and ready to celebrate being part of Team Jesus!!!

Yes, I’ll be wearing a football Jersey. Hmmm, my daughter went to University of Florida for a year and my son-in-law graduated from Florida State.....and well, Sarah has this Kentucky thing going on...What to wear, what to wear????

You will find me in the Jersey that on the back says “**Rev.**”

Go team Jesus, Go!!!!

Pastor Dave

**TEAM
JESUS**

After worship at 9:30 you are invited to stay for a Tailgate Party for Jesus. There will be a hotdog lunch provided (donation appreciated) in the Multi-Purpose Room. We will have Corn-Hole, a Giant Connect Four and Jenga, as well as other games. Let's get excited about Jesus and let's get excited that we are on His team. This Sunday gives us the opportunity to be together in worship and then in fellowship and have fun with each other. Please wear your name tags. We will be having people from all three services joining us for this special service.



**WE WILL BE
CLOSED
LABOR DAY**

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Westlake Christian School

Robin's Nest

Stars & Comets

We will celebrate Holy Communion on Sunday, with emphasis that through the body and blood of Christ, that He sacrificed for us, we are one with Him. It is in Christ that we have our hope. It is in Christ that we draw strength. It is in Christ that we can make it through any difficult time we may be facing.



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