

## Bible Bowl

The Bible Bowl Ministry is an Education Ministry of the Circle of Care.

The Education Ministries Mission Statement:

*Educate God's people with God's Word to increase faith  
and equip the saints for works of service.*

Bible Bowl is a quick recall program where students compete over their knowledge of scripture. A selected book or books of the Bible is determined as the text that season. Teams compete against each other over how well they have learned a selected segment of scripture. The team with the most points at the end of the competition wins!

A team is comprised of up to four players in either 3rd through 5th grade for Beginner Bible Bowl or 6th through 12th grade for Teen Bible Bowl. A team sponsor (a parent or other adult) will have practices with his or her team weekly in order to guide the students in their weekly reading and studying habits.

Teams and sponsors will travel to Bible Bowls to compete with other teams from other congregations. This is a great way for families to participate in a Bible-based activity together. Parents are usually the Team Sponsors and work with their children to learn the selected book or books of the Bible

West Olive has considered hosting a Bible Bowl event because many of the Bible Bowl events have been conducted at progressive congregations. Your elders would like to have children involved in Bible Bowl because it helps develop good Bible reading habits and increases their Bible knowledge.

- Organizers will coordinate the teams and team sponsors
- Organizers will ensure Bible Bowl Players are registered for the Bible Bowl Competitions
- Team Sponsors will help Organizers recruit and maintain Bible Bowl Teams
- Team Sponsors will prepare the Bible Bowl Teams for the Bible Bowl events through weekly study sessions
- Team Sponsors will transport and chaperone Bible Bowl Teams for Bible Bowl events
- Bible Bowl Participants will read the selected book or books and strive to learn what those books say and mean.