

# VISION

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# TRUNK or TREAT

*Join us for.....*

## Trunk or Treat

**Wednesday, October 28 at  
6:00 pm in the church parking  
lot! Games - Food - Treats!**

## ✘ The Tie That Binds ✘ *by Dale Jenkins*

These are very good days. In spite of a lot of folks gone on Fall Break we had a good crowd Sunday. But we don't "do this" for the crowds - we do it for the Lord. We are so glad you have joined us today to pour ourselves into His presence. Welcome!

There are some big days coming up. Today we close out our "Uncomfortable Truths" series. Thank you for the response to it. It has been challenging and encouraging to hear your feedback and connections with these lessons. Next Sunday, three of our college guys will preach. I know you'll want to hear from them and to encourage them. I will begin a meeting just down the road a-ways at the Pulaski Street church in Lawrenceburg. Pray for this effort too.

Today we will launch our annual **Sack the Pulpit** holiday meal project. This year the effort will be larger than ever. I hope you'll be excited about the challenge. Also, on Sunday, Oct. 25 Jerry and I have something special planned that you won't want to miss and then on **Oct. 28th** we will



**host Trunk or Treat.** Let's make it the best ever - remember we are looking for souls! Connections are essential.

On November 1, I plan to begin a short series called "**Happy? Thanksgiving.**" I have something neat we are going to need you involved with on November 8 - I'll tell you more about it later.

**Thanks-Singing** is on the horizon and will be quickly followed by **Breakfast with Santa on Dec. 12.** Hard to believe it's nearly here!

A quick note about our Wednesday classes: Right now **Tom Campbell** is teaching a long view of church history in the hall classroom. The class in the auditorium will feature some of our young men who haven't been in front of us a lot. I hope you'll be here to encourage, be encouraged, and to grow in your faith. I love you all!!

**\*Young Adults Potluck TODAY after morning worship! Young Adults will have a Potluck on the 2nd Sunday of the month. See Mallory Haile.\***

### Children's Bible Hour Sunday mornings for ages 2 to 2nd Grade!

Two-year old Bible Hour will meet in the 2 year old classroom located behind the Nursery. **\*\*Bible Hour for ages 3-8 will meet in the kitchen.**  
**Teachers for OCT.:** Todd and Hiliary Rector  
**Nursery Attendants:** Erin Johnson and Nicole Thomas

### Join us at the -CHRISTIAN CORRAL- for Parables with Pudge

**Wednesday nights at 7 pm**

**This Week: Lost Sheep/Lost Coin**



Parables study for ages PreK to 5th grade! Bible lessons, crafts, snacks, puppet shows & more!!

### NEW ADULT BIBLE CLASSES

**Sunday nights at 5 PM (Oct-Dec)**

**Dale Jenkins**-Difficult Texts of the Bible (Auditorium)

**Dennis Swiercz**-I & II Peter (Kitchen)

**Robert Brent/Chris Davis**-BASIC: Francis Chan Video Series (hall classroom)

**Scott Ford**-One Year Bible (continued)

**Wednesday Fall Series:** Seeing God's Plan through the Old Testament (Aud)

**Tom Campbell**-History of the Church (Hall)

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

**Anora Bell** (infant daughter of Jonas & Holley) was hospitalized again last week due to a fever and low oxygen levels. They ran several tests and everything was clear. She is now back home and doing well!

**Bud Burgess** is scheduled for open heart bypass surgery on October 15.

**Dr. Sissy Gooch** (friend of several members) is terminally ill with cancer.

**Expectant Moms:** Allison Crump.

**Continue to Remember:** Fran Hudgens, Rob Johnson, Darrell Brown, William Osborne, Evan Rector, Gabbi Cook.

**SYMPATHY:** We extend our love and sympathy to **David Smith** and family on the death of his mother, Liz Smith. She passed away last Monday in Jonesboro, AR. A graveside service was held on Wednesday.

**NEW BABY:** Congratulations to Sid and Tami Heffington on the birth of a new granddaughter! **Adeline (Addie) Kanzelmeyer** was born on Friday, Oct. 9 in Huntsville. She weighed 8 lbs 3 oz and was 19.5 inches. Everyone is doing well!

**THE PANTRY FOOD BANK** next open date is **OCT. 19 from 9-11 a.m. (3rd Monday of the month)**

**ATTN GUESTS:** We have gluten-free communion wafers available in a basket on a table at the back of the auditorium.

## UPCOMING EVENTS...

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT FALL SERIES - "SEEING GOD'S PLAN THROUGH THE OLD TESTAMENT"

Oct. 14: Daniel Haile - Esther  
 Oct. 21: Jacob Campbell - Abraham  
 Oct. 28: TRUNK OR TREAT  
 Nov. 4: Seth Lasater - Moses/Pharaoh  
 Nov. 11: Kevin Chiddister - Jonah  
 Nov. 18: Charlie Scott - Gideon/Samson  
 Nov. 25: THANKSINGING  
 Dec. 2: Eric Brown - David  
 Dec. 9 & 16: TBA  
 Dec. 23: DEVO  
 Dec. 30: Todd Rector - Daniel

### EmptyNesters Potluck will be on Saturday, October 17 at Tom & Brenda Miller's treehouse & lake! RSVP today!

Starts at 1:00 PM with Hot Dogs and Chili. Then fellowship, fishing/boating, games, etc. At 4:00 PM we will walk through Miller's Thrillers Haunted Woods!! 7:00 PM Outdoor entertainment! (*\*This will be in place of the 3rd Sunday potluck at church.*)

**Ladies BUNKO night on Monday, October 19 at SM!** Bring finger foods. Snacks & drinks provided. Eat & fellowship starting at 6:30 pm. BUNKO at 7:00 pm. Hosted by Penny McCormick. (*Held on Monday so as not to conflict w/ FPU class on Tues.*)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**LADIES BIBLE CLASS** will meet this week on **Thursday, Oct. 15** at 9:30 am at the home of **Ellen Ford** (3017 Brisbane Court in Cherry Grove Subdivision). We are studying *The Armor of God* series by Priscilla Shirer. All ladies welcome!

**LADS TO LEADERS KICK-OFF MEETING** is next **Sunday, October 18** in the teen classroom after morning worship. We will have program information, sign-up sheets, and answers for your questions. See Charlie Scott.

**Dale's New Sermon Series starts Nov. 1:**



### BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning.....376  
 Sunday P.M.....213  
 Wednesday Night.....N/C  
 Contribution: \$15,317.27  
 Weekly Budget: \$11,104.00

## Spring Meadows Youth Group

**AREA WIDE DEVO** is **TONIGHT** at Sandy Hook. We'll leave the building at 4 PM and return at 8:45 PM.

**TEEN SERVICE PROJECT WEDNESDAY** will be on October 21. We will be making gift bags for Trunk or Treat. We will meet at the building at 5 PM and have dinner at 6 PM.

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30:** Haunted House get together at the home of Mike and Nicole Thomas. Watch for details!



You're Invited to Join us for...



A Fun Family Event

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28**  
**6:00 PM**  
 SPRING MEADOWS CHURCH OF CHRIST  
 ~ GAMES ~ FOOD ~ TREATS ~



"It's In The Bag!" The Garage Bible Study on Monday nights at 7 PM.

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 SCOTT FORD, STEPHEN HEFFINGTON,  
 CHUCK TERRY

*\*THE ELDERS MEET ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS AFTER CLASSES.\**

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