

VISION

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Welcome New Members!



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✘ The Tie That Binds ✘

by Dale Jenkins

Welcome to Spring Meadows! We are excited to do our favorite thing and introduce some new members this morning. **William and Sherry Phillips** come to us from the Concord Road congregation where they were very actively involved. They are both retired now and have moved to Columbia. They are the parents of Emily Heffington and we are very glad to have them at Spring Meadows! Please make them feel welcome!

Today is a very special day for us as a church family! We will officially appoint **seven new deacons** to help organize the Lord's work here and the Elders will share their vision for Spring Meadows in our Family Meeting. September also marks our **10th Anniversary** as a congregation and Tom Campbell and I will be bringing a message I'm calling: **Lessons from 10 Years of Spring Meadows.**

Then this afternoon we will have a fun family time at our **Fall**



Festival at the Tennessee Children's Home. We will have worship/singing around 5:00 pm at TCH so there will be **NO service here at the building tonight.** I hope to see everyone there. Invite a friend!!



Our Fall Festival is TODAY, Sept. 27 from 2:00-6:00 PM at the Tennessee Children's Home Pavilion! Inflatables, games & pumpkin carving starting at 2:00. Burgers & Hot dogs at 4:00. Worship at 5:00.

Bring enough drinks for your family + 3 more people. Also bring lawn chairs.

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 Sept.:** Kate Nichols and Kristie Batts
Nursery Attendants: Hiliary Rector and Sondra Lawrence

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!!

Our Church's Anniversary



ANNUAL FAMILY MEETING TODAY!
 Celebrating & thanking God for 10 years of Spring Meadows!

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Gower Ludwig is recovering from gall bladder surgery.

Fran Hudgens is recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Bud Burgess will be needing open heart bypass surgery as soon as he is cleared by his neurologist.

Tammy Castorena has been battling kidney stones and will have a procedure on Monday.

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

NEW BABY: Congratulations to **Kyle and Kasey Dickerson** (former members) on the birth of a baby girl! **Magnolia Kate Dickerson (Maggie Kate)** was born Sept. 20 and weighed 7.8 lbs. and was 19 in. long. Ezra is the proud big brother!

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

NEW ADULT BIBLE CLASSES start in October (Oct-Dec)!

Sunday nights at 5:00 PM:

Dale: Difficult Texts of the Bible (Aud)
Dennis Swiercz: I & II Peter (Kitchen)
Tom Campbell: History of the Church
Scott Ford: One Year Bible (continued)

Wednesday: Your Favorite O.T. Stories Revisited - Victor Lay / various teachers

UPCOMING EVENTS...



THANK YOU STEVE AND ALPHA DEAN! We want to thank Steve Baker for his loving service as an Elder at Spring Meadows since 2007. His 3 year term has expired and he's chosen not to seek re-affirmation. We love and appreciate Steve & Alpha Dean and all they have done for Spring Meadows!!

Houses for El Salvador *Help Needed*

Spring Meadows is attempting to raise money for 3 additional houses for some of the church members in dire need in Ataco, El Salvador. One house is for a local preacher and the other 2 are for families we met on our mission trip this year. The houses cost \$2,200 each and most of the money has already been raised/donated. **However, we are still in need of \$1,000 to complete the total amount and begin construction.** Please see Jim Newsom to make a donation (checks need to be payable to SMCOCC). Thank you!!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

LADIES BIBLE CLASS will meet this week on **Thursday, Oct. 1** at 9:30 am at the home of **Tammy Osborne** (917 Scotten St at TCH). We are studying *The Armor of God* series by Priscilla Shirer. See Susan Campbell to get your book!

SPRING MEADOWS ACADEMY is our wonderful preschool for ages 2 thru Pre-K. We offer a Mon/Wed OR a Tues/Thurs option from 9-2. SMA has a few spots available that we would LOVE to fill with more kiddos. Since school has already started, Kelly is waiving the registration fee and giving \$50 off one month of tuition for each child that is enrolled. Contact **Kelly Estabrooks, Director**, at 615-261-8663. Also, SMA is ordering school shirts, both short & long sleeve! Order form on SMA bulletin board. **Deadline is October 1.**

BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning.....310
Sunday P.M.....217
Wednesday Night.....171
Contribution: \$10,654.95
Weekly Budget: \$11,104.00

Spring Meadows Youth Group

If you were here Wednesday night you might have found a post-it note of encouragement on your windshield! Thank the youth group for those encouraging notes. That was part of our new service Wednesdays! Upcoming months:
OCTOBER - Gift Bags for Trunk or Treat
NOVEMBER - Magi Boxes for Healing Hands

FALL FESTIVAL IS TODAY SEPT. 27
Help is needed from our teens! We need you to be in charge of stations for the little ones.



****Don't forget our special Bible study series on Wednesday nights: AIM Higher.****

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



NEXT AREA WIDE IS OCTOBER 11 at the Sandy Hook church of Christ.

JOIN US ON PERISCOPE FOR:

The Garage - Monday at 7 pm
SMA Chapel - Wed. & Thurs. at 9:15
5 till 9 Family Devo - Thurs night 8:55

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