

# VISION

*Spring Meadows Church of Christ*

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**BACK TO SCHOOL BASH, TODAY, AUGUST 7 after morning worship!** We will pray over our teachers & students. After worship we will have lunch (fried chicken & sides) and inflatables for the kids until 2 pm!! Kids may want to bring clothes to change into. Stay and join us for the fun!!

**Normal 5 PM classes!**

## ✘ The Tie That Binds ✘

*by Dale Jenkins*

Sunday night was made more special and topped off with the baptism of **Madison Kalb** by her dad. We love Madison and are so very proud of her decision. I know you'll want to congratulate her and pray that her life is filled with faith, faithfulness and influence for good on all around her!

It's sad to see this summer end. It has been a full, wonderful, blessed one indeed. We've had a number of baptisms and new families. We have enjoyed being busy as a church about many good, good things. Our attendance and contribution have stayed strong and our attendance has even grown some over the summer. Today we sort of say our last goodbye to summer break and we have our **Back-To-School party!** Plan to stay today after the service for the meal and for the bounce houses and for all the other fun. We're glad you are here today.

Remember our Bible classes this evening at 5:00. I begin a meeting



in West Virginia Sunday BUT HERE we have **Drake Jenkins** coming. Yes, the "other" twin. You'll be blown away with his ability as a preacher for as young as he is. I look forward to the days ahead!

**REJOICE!**



**We rejoice with Madison Kalb who was baptized into Christ last Sunday by her father! She is the daughter of Seth and Brooke Kalb and the granddaughter of Steve & Lois Peden! We are so proud of Madison and her decision to follow Jesus!**

### 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 AUG.:** Jennifer Street and Emily Heffington  
**Nursery Attendants:** Dana and Savannah Thurman

### Wednesdays 7 pm (PreK-5th) New Study **\*AGENTS IN ACTION\***



**\*Join us every Wednesday night!**

### Adult Classes tonight at 5:00 pm (July-Aug).

**Sunday:**

**Summer Series** (Aud) Shaine Street  
**Johnny Batts** (small class) Christian Living  
**Tom Miller** (kitchen) Christ's Examples of Motivation & Leadership/Book of Mark

**Wednesday:**

**James Barnes** (Aud) Old Testament Survey

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

**Jonas & Holley Bell** are having some health issues. Jonas had back surgery that went very well. Holley is having some tests.

**Leanne Brent's mother** is in St. Thomas hospital.

**David Phillips** has his cranioplasty surgery scheduled for Sept. 8th.

**Caroline Thurman** (7 yrs. old) continuing her chemo treatments.

**Expectant Moms:** Jenny Robinson, Lindsey Ward and Sara Quint.

**Continue to Remember:** Phillip Brown, Roger Thomas, Riley Jones, Crystal Bowman, Susan Campbell, Sanai Pettus (5th grader at CA) The Hooper family, Bridgett Spillers, Virginia Curtis, William Osborne.

**SYMPATHY:** We extend our love and sympathy to **Lois Peden** and **Margaret Curtis** and their families on the death of their mother, Bettye Harper. She was also the grandmother of **Brooke Kalb**. Funeral arrangements were incomplete at the time of this printing.

**The Pantry Food Bank will be open on Monday, August 15 from 9:00 - 11:00 am.**

**Thanks to all our volunteers! See Ed McCormick to help!**

## UPCOMING EVENTS...

*Diaper & Wipe Baby Shower for Lindsey Ward - Sunday, August 28 from 2-4 at the building. She prefers Huggies diapers or anything for a boy! If you want to donate to buy in bulk, please give to Laura Thurman by Aug. 21.*

**BRIDAL SHOWER** for Grace Pinkston on Sunday, Sept. 11 from 2-4 at the building. Grace is registered at Target, Anthropologie, and Bed, Bath & Beyond. She is the daughter of Garth and Sharon Pinkston.

**ATTN MEN: Thursday, Sept 1 we will have a FUN Day for men to see the Braves play the Padres.** We will leave early and eat breakfast in Chattanooga. Then watch the Braves/Padres at 12:10 ET. Should be home by 9:00 pm. **COST:** Tickets are \$35. Meals on your own. We are taking the bus. Sign up in the back ASAP.

**LADIES NIGHT OUT - Mystery Party on Sat., August 27 from 5-8:30 pm** at the home of Emily Heffington (2304 Country Club Ln/Columbia). Cost is \$25 per person. It includes a wonderful catered dinner. Only 34 spots available. RSVP quickly to Emily.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**COLLEGE SECRET FRIEND PROGRAM:** It's time to start signing up for the college secret friend program for the new school year! If you are willing to "adopt" a student please see Tonya Spicer. We have around 20 students this year. If your child just graduated and needs to be added to the program, please let Tonya know!

**SPRING MEADOWS ANNUAL FAMILY MEETING** will be **Sunday, SEPT. 25.** Please prayerfully consider your elder and deacon nominations. The 2016 Selection Committee is as follows: Doug Patterson (Chair), Andy Bledsoe, Steve Peden, Brian King, Brent Spicer, Chester Darden, Chuck Terry.

**The Great Debate 2016: Is God a Moral Monster? - Dr. Ralph Gilmore vs. Dr. Alexander Rosenberg.** By: Warren Apologetics Center. **Tues., Sept. 27 at 6:30 to 9:30 pm, Columbus, OH.**

### BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning.....384  
Sunday P.M.....224  
Wednesday Night.....158  
Contribution: \$14,140.84  
Weekly Budget: \$13,608.00

## Spring Meadows Youth Group

**Monday Nights @ the Garage - this week is Singing Night. 7:00 p.m.**

**AUGUST 13 - East Hill Youth Rally in Pulaski, TN.** Leave the building at 8:00 am return by 3:15. Sign up on the youth board.

Beginning in September - Wednesday After School Hangouts. A time to serve and be together. Dinner will be served or we will go out. Then back to the building for Bible Study!



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

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