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Welcome New Members!



**Mike and Jennifer Reese
Anna Grace & Lauren**
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✘ **The Tie That Binds** ✘
by Dale Jenkins



What great days these are! Today we welcome the **Reese family: Mike & Jennifer and their daughters, Anna Grace and Lauren.** You'll love this family! They are delightful - let's make them feel 100% at home here as we all work together to glorify God in this area. We continue to be so blessed with new members!

This morning we introduce and begin a series that has been years in the making. I'm calling it "**An Uncomfortable Truth**" as we investigate deeply some meaty (see Hebrews 5:12-14) and needed areas of much discussion. The series should be very different and I'm looking forward to seeing how it all comes together and to your feedback as we grow together.

Today about **20** of our Family members will be leaving to head to Freed-Hardeman University and **Horizons**. Jerry and those with him do so much good! We are blessed.

Today also marks **Larry, Mary Beth, Madison and Morgan's** third anniversary with Spring Meadows. We are blessed with many talented folks in this Family. As I travel around, I hear

over and over the challenges churches face with song leaders/song leading AND sadly hear of the conflict and (frankly) ungodly power struggles that often go on under the surface between him and the preacher. Such does not exist here. I love Larry and all that he has brought to our times of worship together as he crafts and works so hard to make each week special. I am biased but believe we have the best worship leader that is out there! Thanks for helping make the Arnolds a big part of our Family here. To have someone specifically charged with helping make our services unique and to focus on that with the energy Larry does is both rare and powerful! We are blessed.

It's been a great summer so far. Can't wait to see what all God has in store for us the next few weeks. Let's make it memorable!

New Sermon Series starts Today!

An Uncomfortable Truth

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 June: Eric & Jennifer Brown
Nursery Attendants: Jesse Davis and Kristyn Boyd

CAN YOU DIG IT? Discovering Treasures Beneath the Surface / Wednesday Night Summer Program 7 PM ***For ages 4 thru 5th grade***
This week: A Humble Heart



-BEATITUDES-
Passionate Heart
Loving Heart
Humble Heart
Tender Heart
Generous Heart

NEW ADULT BIBLE CLASSES START TONIGHT at 5:00 PM (July-Sept)!

Dale Jenkins & Stephen Heffington - "Trending" (Auditorium)
Steve Peden - Bible Literature (Hallway)
Scott Ford - One Year Bible (Office)
Chester Darden-College Age (puppet rm)
Wednesday Night: Charles Melton - Galatians; Human Depravity vs. God's Spirit/ Two Natures - Our Choice (Auditorium)

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Osmon family - continue to pray for the Osmon family as they struggle to cope with the loss of Angie. She had a beautiful memorial service last Sunday in Columbia.

Staley Brent will be having surgery on July 7 for a detached retina. Please pray for complete healing.

Chris Parliament has pneumonia.

Eric (son-in-law of Laura Edmunds at TCH) was involved in a serious auto accident (head on collision). He underwent surgery on Tuesday.

Ruth Madden (mother of Rich Madden) is very ill with breast cancer. Rich is in Canada with her.

Jan Hirst (cousin of Dana Lawson) received a good report from her CT scan. There are no more tumors in her lungs!

Continue to Remember: Joey Lawson, Donnie Fielder, Don Riggs, William Osborne, Evan Rector, Gabbi Cook.

Expectant Moms: Sharon Byrdsong, Kristyn Boyd, Kasey Dickerson, Lana Rogers, and Holley Bell.

SYMPATHY: We extend our love and sympathy to **Katie Moore** on the death of her grandmother, Joan Farmer. She passed away rather suddenly last week in Birmingham, AL.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

LADIES BUNKO NIGHT
Tuesday, July 21 at 7 pm at
the building. Bring a friend
and a finger food!

"SMA - All Sports Camp"
July 13-17 / 9:00-12:00
for ages 3-8 (age change)
Instructor: Tabitha Philpott
(931-334-3611)

LADIES RETREAT!
Sept. 25-26 at Garner
Creek Retreat Center in
Dickson. **THEME: Lord
Help Me!**



ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEACON'S MEETING on SUNDAY, JULY 26 from 3:00-4:00 pm at the building. Let Doug Patterson know if you cannot attend.

THE PANTRY FOOD BANK next open date - JULY 20 (3rd Monday) from 9-11 a.m.

***HOPE HOUSE** domestic abuse shelter is in dire need of feminine hygiene products. Women come to them with absolutely nothing. We have been providing food to them from The Pantry but this need was also expressed to us. Please place these items in The Pantry donation boxes. See Ed McCormick if you have any questions or to make a monetary donation.

Attention Guests: We have gluten-free communion bread available on a table at the back of the auditorium!

BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning.....403
Sunday P.M.....208
Wednesday Night.....202

Contribution: \$11,964.75
Weekly Budget: \$11,104.00

Spring Meadows Youth Group

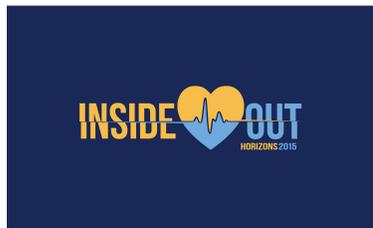
JULY 19-22 - Mission Team sign up on the Youth Board for Mission Trip to Linden, TN. We'll be door knocking in the day and assisting with the VBS each evening! It will be the Team P.O.S.S.I.B.L.E. VBS. This will be for grades 9-12.

SEC at Faulkner University is July 31 - August 2. It's for grades 6 and up.

There **WILL** be Garage Bible Study on Monday at 7:00 pm!



HORIZONS 2015
STARTS TODAY! We will be leaving the building this morning after worship. You will need money for lunch going & coming back. Pray for our young people attending that they will grow even closer to the Lord. Horizons Banquet: 80's Theme!



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