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The Tie That Binds

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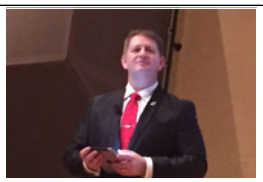

We are so blessed. I want to remind all of us that this is God's Church and we are God's People. We make many mistakes but we are trying - all of us - all of you - to be the best we can be for God. What a blessing this is.

We are glad you are here! And if you are not a member here yet we are ready to help you make that step. If you have any questions at all please let me know.

What a great weekend we had last week with roughly 100 of us at Challenge Youth Conference with 12,500 other Christian young people!

The next few weeks there are some really good things coming up. One will be our annual Spring Fling. We will have games and a giant Easter Egg hunt, the Bunny will be here and YOU get to invite your friends. Let's make this event on **March 20** a great one for the church and the community here. The Sunday after that will be **Lads to Leaders.**

Congratulations to our friends over at the Spring Hill church! Today they move into their new building. We are happy that God's Family is growing in this area and willing to work together for the good of Heaven! We love Spring Hill! Like us they are not perfect but they too are trying to be God's People and an influence for good in our community. What a great church and a great time to be a part of this Family. Let's enjoy these days.

Spring Fling

Sunday, March 20 will be our Spring Fling and Easter Egg Hunt!

Here are a few ways you can help:

- Purchase candy to fill the eggs (place in bin in the foyer)
- Donate money towards purchasing candy (Give to Sid, Gower, or Kyle)
- Help fill and hide eggs
- Invite your friends/family & pray for this ministry.

***We need all donations by March 13!**

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 MAR.: Tonya Spicer and High School Girls

Nursery Attendants: Andrea and Caroline Darden

Join us at the -CHRISTIAN CORRAL-

for Parables with Pudge

Wednesday nights at 7 pm

This Week: The Great Banquet

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

Adult Bible Classes (Jan-March) Sunday nights at 5:00 pm

Sunday nights:

Joe Chester-How We Got the Bible (Auditorium)

Gregg Lawrence: Laws of God (office)

Brent Spicer: Financial Peace (kitchen)

Carl Grimes: Fellowship (small classrm)

Elders: Study of Matthew (hall classroom)

Remember in Prayer

David Phillips suffered a heart attack last week. He is in Vanderbilt. They did **not** do the bypass surgery but are considering other options including eventual heart transplant.

Dennis Swiercz is in Williamson Medical Ctr with health issues. He was in CCU at last report.

Brian King recovering from back surgery.

Dee Campbell (mother of Dana Lawson) is recovering from knee replacement surgery.

Mike Dillingham (father of John Dillingham) is back home recovering from his heart surgery.

Bridgett Spillers (sister-in-law of Addy Sullivan) is battling breast cancer.

Expectant Moms: Allison Crump, Laura Thurman, Kate Nichols, Rebeka Adkins and Erin Johnson.

Continue to Remember: Jen Thorne, Bettye Harper, Virginia Curtis (Ray's mom), William Osborne.

SYMPATHY: Little **Anna Kate** (2 y/o friend of Amy Crowe) passed away last week. Please pray for her family. Their address is: Mike, Jennifer, and Brayden Wenz, 194 Rushing Rd., Martin, TN 38237.

The Pantry Food Bank will be open on Monday, March 21 (3rd Monday) from 9-11 a.m. See Ed McCormick to volunteer!

Upcoming Events...

Young Professional's Potluck on March 13 after AM worship. Bring a dish. Guests are welcome! This group will have a potluck on the 2nd Sunday of the month!

OUTDOOR WORK DAY ON MARCH 12TH STARTING AT 9:00 A.M. Robert Brent is organizing an outdoor work day for the building & grounds. Let him know if you can help.

Spring Meadows Mission Trip: May 27 to June 3, 2016. We will be returning to Ataco, El Salvador! Information: Cost of the trip is $1,400 but the elders set aside $400 per team member to offset your expenses. **Your cost is $1,000.** Half of this ($500) will be due by Wednesday, March 16. The $500 balance will be due by Sunday, April 10. Please let Jim Newsom know if you will be going ASAP (615-300-3652 or newsomj@realtracs.com). He needs a copy of your passport and driver's license.

PUPPET PRACTICE TODAY!!
10-12 grade team: after AM worship
7-9 grade team: after AM worship
5-6 grade: 4 pm 3-4 grade: 4 pm

Announcements

LADIES BIBLE CLASS will meet on on Thursday, **March 10!** We will now be meeting every Thursday at the building in the hall classroom at **9:15 a.m.** Study is ***The Best Yes -Making wise decisions in the midst of endless demands*** by Lysa Terkeurst. All ladies are welcome!

You're Invited! You're invited to hear the Faulkner University Chorus sing on Saturday, **March 12 at 6:30 pm** at the Southern Hills Church of Christ. Dinner to follow catered by Dairy King. RSVP at 615-794-5267.

Sunday, April 10 we will be hosting the Lipscomb Academy Concert Chorus at the 5:00 PM service. Logan Campbell is a member of the chorus. Young men from the chorus will provide a short devo and then they will sing. There will be a Fellowship Meal afterwards. Please mark your calendars for this special event!

By the Numbers
Attendance last week:

Sunday Morning.....384
Sunday P.M.....219
Wednesday Night.....207

Contribution: $12,313.75
Weekly Budget: $13,608.00

Spring Meadows Youth Group

A BIG THANKS to all who helped make the 2016 CYC special! It was one of the best that I have ever been a part of and I am so thankful for the 90+ that attended this year!

TONIGHT, MARCH 6 is the Area Wide Devo at Cathey's Creek. We will leave the building at 4:00 and return by 9:00. You do not need any money for this.

LOMAX Youth Rally in Hohenwald will be March 18-19. I need to know if you are going so I can get the right # of cabins. Cost is $5.00 per person.

Singing Night at the Garage Monday Night - 7:00 pm.

APRIL EVENTS: Mark you Calendar for **April 16th** - this will be the day of our first KIDS RALLY at SM (for 5th grade & down). More info coming soon!

We are looking at having a Family Retreat the weekend of **April 22nd.** Trying to secure a location for this.

Registration now open for MCC AND Horizons. Dates for MCC are June 5 and June 12. Horizons is July 3. SM pays half of the Horizons fee.

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