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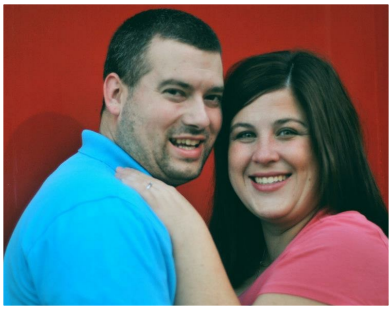
Welcome New Members!



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The Tie That Binds

by Dale Jenkins

CONSUMED WITH COMPASSION - "Consumed....with..... compassion." That is our theme for **2015**. Today we will pull that theme apart and begin thinking about it together. I have much to share with you and am glad you are here to hear it!

Today we are also very excited to welcome another young family to Spring Meadows. **R.J. and Caroline Sparrow** moved to Spring Hill recently. They have been married about 18 months. R.J. is a VP at Fairway Supply and Caroline is a teacher at Bethesda Elementary.

This afternoon at 5:00 we begin our new quarter of classes for this year. Let me challenge you if you have not been a part of our Sunday evening classes to start tonight!! There would be no better use of that hour. If you have children, you need to make an effort to have them in class every week. Education in Scripture is the most essential part of their education and the most vital instruction they can receive. There are some great new adult classes too. It's going to be hard to decide which one to go to. Check out the lineup and be a part of one of them. You will not regret it. I look forward to seeing you this evening!

SPRING MEADOWS' THEME for 2015

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 Jan: Andrea Darden & Emily Heffington.

Nursery Attendants: TBA.

PAUL'S AMAZING RACE

Wednesday Nights from 7-8 pm for ages Pre-K thru 5th grade!

This week: Tentmakers: Paul in Corinth! Join us for Bible lessons, puppets, snacks, crafts & more!

New Adult Bible Classes start TONIGHT, January 11 on Sunday Nights at 5 p.m.

Tom Campbell - Life of David (Aud.)
Chester Darden-Young Adults (Kitchen)
Joe Chester - Living God's Rich Calling (Hallway)
Carl Grimes - (Small classroom)
Scott Ford - Read the Bible in a Year (Office)

Wednesday Nights (Auditorium)

Dale Jenkins-You, Me and People in the Pew (Class book available for $10)

Remember in Prayer

Angie Osmon undergoing radiation and chemo treatments.

Continue to Remember: Evan Rector, Gabbi Cook, Jude Kee, Moiilani Castillo.

Expectant Moms: Jesse Davis, Jessica King.

SYMPATHY: We extend our love and sympathy to **Tami Heffington** and family on the death of her father, Billy "Travis" Hammack. He passed away at the age of 85. The funeral was held on Tuesday in Murray, KY.

SYMPATHY: We also extend our love and sympathy to **Pam Elder** and family on the death of her grandfather, Jessee Byar. The funeral was held on Wednesday in Kentucky.

The Pantry needs your help! We provided food to many families in need this month on Jan. 5th. We appreciate **Ed McCormick** for loading the food in the cars and praying with each family before they left. We are now depleted of many items that are not donated during the food drives such as cereal, condiments, jelly, toilet paper, etc. PLEASE BE LOOKING FOR AN EMAIL IN THE NEXT WEEK OR TWO listing Pantry items for each Sunday School class to bring. This worked very well the last time so we are going to try it again! Thanks for your willingness to help this wonderful outreach ministry!

Upcoming Events...

Women of Hope Conference - Feb. 6-7 at Embassy Suites in Murfreesboro **Ladies, you can still register for the conference. We are also trying to book hotel rooms ($130/night) to be split four ways. Let Tabitha Philpott know if you can attend. For more info visit: www.hhi.org/womenofhope**

Empty Nesters Potluck on January 18th!

The Empty Nesters group will continue with their 3rd Sunday potlucks this year.
Food break down for Jan. 18:
A-F bring meat dish, bread & drinks
G-Z bring vegetable or salad & dessert (each dish to feed 12 people)
*** See Anita McIntyre for questions.**

DIAPER WORK DAY

All Ladies and Teenage Girls
You Are Needed! SATURDAY,
JANUARY 24TH
10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
Bring a sack lunch (drinks provided)
We'll be making diapers from t-shirts & sheets to be sent to countries with this great need. See Linda Frye or Julia Dozier.

Announcements

Thursday Ladies Class will meet this Thursday, January 15, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Susan Campbell (2932 McLemore Circle in Franklin).

Ladies Meeting: All ladies of the congregation are invited to a meeting on **Sunday, January 25th** from 3:00 to 4:30 in the kitchen. It will be facilitated by Joe Chester. We need your input!

"A cord of three strands is not quickly broken." Ecc. 4:12 How strong is your cord? How strong do you want it to be?

By the Numbers

Attendance last week:

Sunday Morning.....372
Sunday P.M.....361
Wednesday Night .....N/A
Contribution: $12,586.11
Weekly Budget: $9,968.17

Spring Meadows Youth Group

Evangelism University is next week! We will leave the building at 5:30 Friday and return Sunday afternoon. ***Please see Jerry today for details for the trip.***

COMING SOON.....The Power to Be

TEEN CLASSES FOR JAN.-MARCH
Sunday Night: "Philippians/Colossians"
Garth Pinkston/High School
Chuck Terry/Middle School
Wed. Night:
Jerry Elder/High School-Topical Study
Greg Philpott/Middle School-Attitudes

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES:
January 25 - Home Devo
February 8 - Area Wide Devo at Highland
February 21 - Senior Adult Banquet
February 28-March 1 is CYC. Turn in payment to Emily Heffington.

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