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Spring Meadows Church of Christ

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Welcome New Members!

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The Tie That Binds

by Dale Jenkins

Welcome to 2017! What better way to begin than with God's People in worship? And what better way for us to begin than with a new family? Today we welcome **Matt and Ginny Phillips** and their three little ones: **London (age 7), Jude (age 5), and Campbell (2 months).** Matt is a Pharmacist at Vanderbilt and Ginny is a homeschool mom, Disney travel agent, and owner of Tilda Jane Consignment Sale. I know you'll help make this neat family feel the love that is here and help us make them feel at home.

What a grand way to begin 2017, together. Today is special. We get to host the area-wide devo and Jerry helped us get **Willie Franklin** for the whole day. Wait till you hear him! You'll leave energized and inspired to face this new year with renewed energy. I love new things and this New Year is full of promise. Let's make it grand!

Last year we had 16 new families and 18 baptisms. We can do more in 2017 to the glory of God. Let's work together and stay together this year. I want to encourage you to identify one person or family who may be struggling in their spiritual life or who may be away from the Lord and begin praying for them and looking for opportunities to invite them to church, study with them, pray with them, or open the door to them spiritually. Who will be yours?

Remember this week to start your daily devotional book and read the lessons on "Word."

We Welcome Willie Franklin-Guest Speaker!

NO BIBLE CLASSES TONIGHT.

Children's Bible Hour Sunday mornings for ages 2 to 2nd Grade!

Two-year old Bible Hour will meet in the 2's classroom. Teachers: Tonya Spicer & Lesley Holbrook
****Bible Hour for ages 3-8 will meet in the kitchen. Teachers for JAN.: TBD**
Nursery Attendants: TBD

Wednesdays 6:30 pm (PreK-5th)
New Study *AGENTS IN ACTION*

***Join us every Wednesday night!**

Bible Classes-Sunday at 5:00 pm

Dale/Stephen Heffington (Aud) "The Minor Prophets & Their Profit"
Gregg Lawrence (Hall) Fatherhood Class
Carl Grimes (small) "Construction Zone Ahead"
Scott Ford (office) One Year Bible

Wednesday:

Dale (Aud) The Barnabas Factor
Brent Spicer (Hall) Ephesians study using favorite Devotional methods

Remember in Prayer

Bob and Shirley (grandparents of Shannon Murphy & Kristyn Boyd) are suffering with health issues.

Dennis Swiercz needs our prayers.

Phillip Brown is in NHC Columbia for rehab. Address: Room 134, NHC Columbia, 101 Walnut Ln, 38401.

Erma Downey (mother of Debbie Looper) fell and broke her hip. Recovery will be at least 6-8 weeks.

Roy McCormick (Ed's brother) is stable & continues chemotherapy for lung cancer.

Roger Thomas (Mike's father) has been diagnosed with liver and bone cancer.

Caroline Thurman (7 yrs. old) continue to remember.

Expectant Moms: Jenny Robinson and Caroline Sparrow.

Continue to Remember: John Smith, Dean Elder, Riley Jones, Mike Rice, Tessa Fleming, Susan Campbell, Jen Thorne, David Phillips, Crystal Bowman, The Hooper family, William Osborne.

Happy 80th Birthday to **Bud Burgess** who celebrated on Dec. 27th!

The Pantry Food Bank is open next on January 16th from 9-11 (open on third Monday of the month).

Upcoming Events....

THEME FOR 2017:

One Word devotional book will be our sermon focus for the New Year! A copy was given to each family at SM. See Dale or Jerry if you need a copy!

Announcements

Ladies Bible Class will take a break over the Christmas Holidays and resume in January. Thanks to Julia Dozier for hosting a wonderful Christmas luncheon!

College Secret Friend Reveal Meal: We will have our reveal meal on January 8 after evening services. If you are a volunteer this semester, look for a Perfect Potluck email sign-up soon! We plan to have soup, sandwiches, and dessert. We are also signing up for the new semester now. See Tonya Spicer to participate.

Weight Watchers Group: A new Weight Watchers class will start on Jan. 3 at 6 pm at the building. Contact Virginia Bacue, group leader, for more info at 615-368-2262 or rhbfamily@united.net.

Special Year-End Contribution Total from Dec. 18: $31,021.97

By the Numbers

Attendance last week:

Sunday Morning.....365
Sunday P.M.....N/A
Wednesday Night.....187

Contribution: $ 8,485.59
Weekly Budget: $13,608.00

Spring Meadows Youth Group

Happy New Year! Today we will host the AREA WIDE DEVO with Willie Franklin!
5:00 Worship
6:00 Meal
7:00 2nd Worship

Afterwards we are having a Lock-In that will last until 6:00 a.m. You will need $10 to cover cost for the evening. We will be going at midnight to see the movie, "SING." Bring snack foods, card games, board games - it's going to be a great evening!

Still time to go to CYC. Sign up NOW!

Evangelism University is in 3 weeks. If you would like to go please let Jerry know.

Wednesday - Lunch Ladies meeting at Dairy Queen at 5:15. This is for grades 9-12!

New Youth Group T-shirts!! In the next week we will begin taking orders for new youth group shirts. Watch for the information!

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