

VISION

Spring Meadows Church of Christ
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UPCOMING

Ladies Day at SMCOC
September 12th
9:30 - 2:00 p.m.

See the email for more information.
Sign up on the bulletin board.

Rejoice!

Jackson Bradley was baptized on Monday!



Please keep him in your prayers as he begins his first semester of college.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

We are so thankful that you have come to worship today. If you are here for the first time, thank you for honoring us with your presence. I pray that today will be a blessing to you and your family.

When Life Shakes, God is Our Rock

This week brought news of a devastating earthquake in Colombia — the ground itself giving way beneath thousands of families. It's a sobering image. But most of us don't need tectonic plates to feel the ground shift. A phone call changes everything. A schedule falls apart. Plans we counted on crumble overnight. This week, some of mine did.

When life shakes us, we instinctively look for something solid to stand on. Scripture points us again and again to the same answer: God is our Rock.

- **Strength** — *"The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge" (Psalm 18:2).*
- **Stability** — *"He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be greatly shaken" (Psalm 62:2).*
- **Safety** — *"Lead me to the rock that is higher than I" (Psalm 61:2).*
- **Certainty** — *"On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand" — a truth older than any hymn, rooted in the promise that while everything around us moves, He does not (Hebrews 13:8).*
- **Family & Focus** - *"upon this Rock I will build my church… gaining ground on the enemy" (Matthew 16:18)*

Earthquakes remind us how fragile the ground really is. But faith isn't built on the ground — it's built on the Rock. We may not see what's next, but we know who holds it. **God is good all the time, and all the time, God is good.**

Let's continue to keep Venezuela and Colombia in our prayers — and let's stand together on the Rock that never shakes.

CHURCH RETREAT SHOUT-OUT! What a blessing our church family had this past weekend for our church family retreat! Thank you to everyone who made it possible — and to all who came and dove in. Pictures should be posted online soon. - *Chuck*

SUNDAY BIBLE HOUR

Nursery - up to 24 months
Emily Wells & Ashley Woronka
2 & 3 year olds - Lime Rm
Dana Evans & Kim Gattis
4's - PreK - Blue Rm
Amanda Swiercz & Miki Noah-Wilson
Kindergarten - Purple Rm
Victoria Talbert & Kristina Estabrooks
1st grade - Red Rm
Jenny Chase

SUNDAY CLASSES

Classes begin at 5:00pm.

Up to 24 months - Nursery
2's & 3's - Lime Room
4's - PreK - Blue Rm, **K** - Purple Rm
1st-2nd Red Rm, **3rd-4th**-Green Rm
5th-6th - Orange Rm, **7th-12th** - Youth Room

The Joy Factor - A Study of Philippians
Scott Ford & Brent Spicer (Aud)
Lessons to Learn from People of the New Testament
Various Teachers (Hall)
Why Did This Happen? A Study of Job
Steve Peden (Kitchen)
Lessons to Learn from People of the New Testament
Various Teachers (C20s)
Spiritual Practices (College)
Carson Patterson - College Classroom

WEDNESDAY CLASSES

Classes begin at 6:30pm.

Up to 24 months - Nursery
2's & 3's - Lime Room , **4's - Pre-K** - Blue Room
K - Purple Room, **1st - 2nd** -Red Room
3rd - 4th - Green Rm, **5th - 6th** - Orange Rm
7th -12th - Teen Rooms

A Study of Sin
Clay Tyree (Auditorium)
The Emotions of Psalms
Matthew Ruiz and Carl Grimes (Kitchen)
A Day in the Life of David
Todd Stinson (Hall)
How to Answer the Hard Questions
Jerry Morgan (C20s)
Applying the 10 Commandments to Today
Tim Burton (College)

Remember in Prayer

Continue to Remember: Nancy Heffington, Caroline Thurman, Riley Walker, Bud and Linda Burgess, Heidi Street,Ray Scott, Nova Wayne, Tammi Ettinger, Jasper Wilson,David Bawcum and Lora Daniel.

Expectant Mothers: Lauryn Gaw, Ariel Terry, and Hannah Cottrill



Announcements

Reminder

Reaffirmations for elders and deacons are now open. There are also three bylaw amendments to consider. In addition to the traditional paper ballots available at the building, you can also nominate/reaffirm digitally via the link in the email or the QR below. Contact Matthew Ruiz with questions.

Kids Corner

PATHFINDERS

TODAY

11 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Lunch and activities at the building.

Cost is $10 for activities and additional lunch money.



By the Numbers

Attendance Last Week:

Sunday Worship Service.....562
Sunday Evening Classes.....
Wednesday Night Classes..295
Contribution: $75,704.00

Spring Meadows Youth Group

What a great church retreat! With over 100 of our family and friends, we became closer as we spent the weekend in the word and fellowship. I appreciate all of those that have worked diligently to make this retreat possible. Plans for next year have begun!

We had a great crew to attend our first area-wide of the year at Graymere. Next up is Culleoka! See the QR below for this year's schedule.

The Garage Bible Study is Monday Night at 7pm! I hope that you will bring your friends as we study Gods word together! BTW Parents are welcome to stay!

"Seniors and Sevens" Lunch - August 23rd - High School Seniors and 7th grade will go out to lunch together!

RUSH at FHU is set for September 26th we will be going that day!

COMING NEXT MONTH!

W.A.S.H. - Wednesday After School Hangout

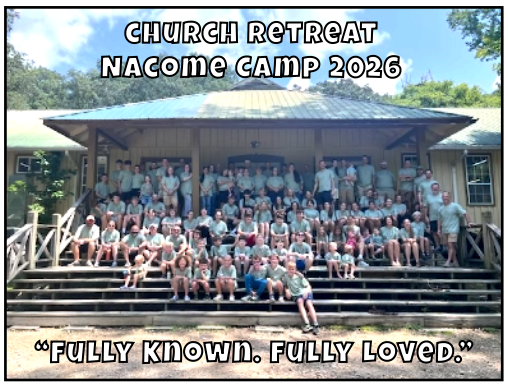
Lunch Ladies Program - Grades 9-12

AREA-WIDE SCHEDULE

"Sweet Ever After: Our Forever Home Awaits" A Year-Long Journey Through the Hope of Heaven.

Scan the QR for details.





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