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### **Upcoming Events**

New Classes start tonight at 5PM and on Wednesday night at 6:30PM!

Ladies Christmas
Party - Dec. 8th

### \*\* The Tie That Binds \*\*

#### by Dale Jenkins

Welcome to Spring Meadows Church of Christ! There's a lot I'd like to tell you about right now, but there is one thing that comes to the top. need to say THANK YOU! Your serving spirit, your beautiful attitudes, your willingness to do and be an impact is astounding. I have had a front row seat to view It's just a part of who this church is. You serve. respond. You do. So many of you are a part of so much. Every church I have ever seen serves as it is a part of the very DNA of Christians. BUT, I've never seen a church serve with the fervor you bring to it. While weeks like this one highlight it - I see it often in all the things you do on a regular basis. I don't say if often enough, THANK YOU! I feel uniquely honored and blessed to be your



preacher and I love you. So, this week, with a lot on the plate and a lot to say - simply THANK YOU!

New Sunday classes start tonight at 5PM and Wednesday at 6:30PM. We hope you will make Bible classes a priority for your families. You will be blessed by our outstanding teachers!

# Today's Word - "GIVE"



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

Two-year old Bible Hour will meet in the 2's classroom. <u>Teacher</u>: Tami Heffington.

\*\*Bible Hour for ages 3-8 will meet in the kitchen. <u>Teachers for DEC.</u>: Tracy Grimes and Kathleen

Madden. <u>Nursery Attendants:</u> Lauren Mallard and Jennifer Street

## Wednesdays 6:30 pm (PreK-5th) New Study \*Armor of God\*



Join us every Wednesday night! Bible lessons, singing, crafts, snacks/games, puppets and more.

#### **Adult Classes Sunday Night at 5 pm**

Gregg Lawrence (Aud) Ten Commandments Shaine Street / Lucas Rogers (Kitchen) Young Professionals / Young Families Scott Ford (Puppet Room) One Year Bible Jacob Netterville - College Age Class (Office)

#### **Wednesdays**

Dale Jenkins (Aud) "2 Peter"
Larry Arnold (Hallway) Singing
Jerry Elder (Teen Room) Parents and Teens Family Faith Building

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

**Hayes Crump** is at home and continues to improve after having a severe respiratory infection.

Caroline Thurman continue to remember.

**Brickelle Ballinger's** bone marrow biopsy results were normal! **Jovie Ballinger's** tests also came back normal!

**Expectant Moms:** Amanda Clayton.

Military: Tristan Roa, Ryan Smoot, Andrew Goolsby, Andrew Arnett, Jeff Neely Jr. (Grandson of Bob & Karen)

Continue to remember: Kellie Donovan, Chip McGee, Bill Baldy, Tony Hearn, Riley Curd, Teresa Giuliana, Annabeth Kinnard, Phillip Brown, Jen Thorne, Susan Campbell, Johnny Smith, Crystal Bowman, Dawn Darden, Terry Alsup, Stanley & Janice Bradway.

The Pantry will be open Monday, December 18th from 9-11. It's open the third Monday of each month.

Gluten free communion is available and is located in a basket on the back wall of the auditorium.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS....**

Dec 5 - Emptynesters trip to Opryland for the Christmas lights - leave building at 5PM

Dec. 8 - Ladies Christmas Party at the Home of Diane Patterson (2126 Homestead Lane Franklin, TN) at 6PM. The theme is "Favorite Christmas Item" and you are asked to bring an item (~\$15) to swap with others. Please see email from Diane to sign up to bring appetizer or sweet treat.

Dec. 14 - Ladies Bible Class Luncheon at 10:30AM at Ferguson Hall on the Tennessee Children's Home campus. Ladies attending should bring a salad, vegetable or dessert to share.

Dec. 15 - Emptynesters Christmas party at Clay and Susan Johnson's house

Help Needed! Sunday evening Bible teachers are needed for our 2 year olds and 4th/5th Grade class. Please see the sign up sheet in the back of the auditorium or see Tami Heffington for more details.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Ladies Bible Class** will meet on Thursday, December 7th at 9:15 a.m. at the church building. Study is: Having a Mary Spirit by Joanna Weaver. Leigh Moffett facilitates the class.

New Classes: Sunday PM

Gregg Lawrence (Aud.) - Ten Commandments

Shaine Street and Lucas Rogers (Kitchen) - Young Professionals / Young Families

Scott Ford (Puppet Room) - One Year Bible

Jacob Netterville (Office) - College Age Class

# BY THE NUMBERS ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning......377 Sunday P.M.....242 Wednesday Night.....233

Contribution: \$12,464.03 Weekly Budget: \$13,712.00

### **Spring Meadows Youth Group**

Coming up.....

Area Wide Tonight at West 7th St. in Columbia. We will leave the building at 4:30PM and return by 7:30PM.

Monday Night at The Garage Bible Study at 7PM

Dec. 17th - Youth Christmas Caroling and Party

Dec. 31st - New Year's Lock-in



A big THANK YOU to all of those that helped with Breakfast with Santa and the Sensory Sensitive Santa yesterday! Your help was greatly appreciated!

CYC - Challenge Youth Conference in Pigeon Forge is February 23-25. Sign up on the Youth Board! Parents are WELCOMED and encouraged to go on this trip!

Signups begin for Evangelism University (Jan. 14-16). This is for grades 9 and up! Also, there are College-age sessions. We'd love for you to go!

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