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Please take a minute to check your Directory App information to see if it is up to date.

HINT: Fall is a great time to take an updated family picture.

Send new pictures and any updates to EmilySMCOC@gmail.com.

GUESTS: Welcome, we hope you love it here. Text GUEST to 615-552-1082. We have a gift for you!

THE TIE THAT BINDSX by Dale Jenkins



This year is flying by. I want to encourage you to keep your ears open to opportunities to invite people to worship with us. I also want to continue to encourage us to reach out and welcome those who are our guests. You do such a great job in this. Let it be natural, just be friendly. I heard about a church this week that uses what they call the 10 yard rule. Speak to everyone at church services within 10 yards of you.

We had nearly 100 folks for the Church Growth and Health Workshop yesterday. Thanks to all who shared the info about it with others. There were a good number of congregations blessed by what you are a part of here.

The next really big thing happening (there are numerous smaller things) is our annual Family Meeting on September 29. This will follow our

morning service and every member is encouraged to stay. Also, if you will, put what we are branding SMA Pray Day for October 27. We have had a special day to recognize and pray for all of our children BUT on the 27th we are inviting all of the parents and children in SMA or Spring Meadows School of the Arts to join us. It will be a great time to make the most of this important outreach. Let's capitalize on it well and make great connections with anyone who comes on that day. Remember, always souls, always souls!



A few changes: this year will be come and go and no costume contest.

Sunday Children's Bible Hour

Nursery - up to age 2
Teachers: Kelly & Jacobi Ruiz & Jesse Davis
Room 2 - 2yr olds

Teacher: Kelli Bolton
Room 3 - 3 & 4 year olds
Teacher: Lana Rogers
Room 4 - Kdg & 1st Grade

Teacher: Mallory Haile

Wednesday Children's Program Ages: 4 years old - 5th Grade



Singing, Bible lessons, puppet shows, snacks, games, crafts and more!

ADULT CLASSES Sunday at 5PM

Dan Winkler (Auditorium) -

"Sharing Our Passion for Jesus"

Greg Lawrence (Hall) Men - "Stepping Up Taking Christianity to the Next Level"

Jacob Netterville (Office) College Age

Wednesday at 6:30PM **Keith Parker** (Auditorium)

Matthew Ruiz (Hall) - Love Kindness

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Kathleen Madden is in the Critical Care Unit room 640 at Williamson Medical after having a seizure Friday evening. The doctors have discovered that her cancer is progressing. Please pray for her and Rich.

Sharon Pinkston's surgery was successful and she will have 5 days of radiation treatments. She has one more test result to receive, but they are hopeful chemotherapy will not be needed. Prayers that her treatments are successful.

Dean Elder and **Margaret Curtis** are both continuing their recoveries at NHC in Columbia.

Expectant Mothers: Stacey McGee

Military: Tristan Roa & Ryan Smoot

Continue to Remember:

Sharon Pinkston, Larry Dugan, Margaret Curtis, Nancy Heffington, Teresa Guiliani, Christy Deree, Miriam Pinkston, Adkins Family, Kathleen Madden, Frances Schroeder, Bill Price, Dean Elder, Caroline Thurman, David Surber and Phillip Brown.

Holly Carter, sister of Phil Hooper, sent a thank you note for your generosity and outpouring of love at the time of her husband's death.

UPCOMING EVENTS



KIDS (ORNER

Kids Fall Party

THIS Saturday, Sept. 28th 10am - 12:00

Ages 0 – 5th grade and their families

home of Tim & Kate Nichols

See Kids Corner Bulletin Board for details and to **SIGN-UP**.

**Parents and guardians, snacks and food crafts are sometimes used in classes, please let Angie Basham know if your child has any food allergies.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Stitchers Meeting

This Saturday at 11:30 at TCH See Stitchers Bulletin Board for more info.



Need a little extra spending money? SMA is looking for someone to take down a section or two of chairs on Sunday nights and put them back up any time between Thursday pm and Saturday pm each week. See Kelly Estabrooks for more details.

By the Numbers

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:

Sunday Morning......427 Sunday Evening.....280 Wednesday Night.....215

Contribution: \$19,080.80 Weekly Budget: \$15,900.00

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Spring Meadows Youth Group

Hope you all have had a great week! Here is what's coming up:

Monday night The Garage Bible Study 7pm. Week 2 of the series "Be"

Wednesday will be WASH day. Grades 6 and up will meet at the building at 4:30 for service projects and dinner. Cost for dinner is \$5.00

Sign up for **ERUPT** on the youth board and let me know what days you are going.

Saturday, October 5. We will be going to the Banana Pudding Festival in Centerville. We will leave the building at 2:30pm and return that night.



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