



MHS Principal Called To Serve Community in a New Light

Chuck Muston, MHS Principal, is choosing to answer a calling to serve the greater community of Mooreville in a new way as the full-time church administrator with Mt. Gilead Church. Mr. Muston will continue to serve as MHS Principal through December 31, 2012 and begin as Church Administrator on January 2, 2013. Mt. Gilead Church and Mooreville Schools have jointly announced this upcoming servant-leader transition.

"I truly feel called to this position," said Muston. "I am excited to serve in this way and to begin this spiritual opportunity of full-time ministry. At the same time, I don't want to lose contact with public education, which has been part of my life for more than 30 years. I want to remain an advocate and partner for the greater Mooreville Consolidated School Community and plan to do everything I can to make this a positive, seamless transition. Mooreville High School and the many dedicated, great people will always be near and dear to my heart."

Muston and his wife Kim have been members of the church for seven years. Kim will continue to serve the Mooreville Schools community as a first grade teacher at North Madison Elementary, an Indiana Department of Education "A" Rated school.

"We have been searching for a person to serve in this capacity overseeing our budgets-serving as our business manager and functioning as our human resource person with main responsibilities here, but with some administrative responsibilities in regard to MG House as well," said Senior Minister Jeff Faull. "We have been praying for just the right candidate to be available and we believe God has answered that prayer."

"We are happy for Chuck in this new ministry opportunity to which he has been called," said Superintendent Brad Lindsay. "Chuck is called and equipped to serve Mt. Gilead and the greater Mooreville Community in this leadership role. We support Chuck and the Mt. Gilead ministry and the decision to continue to serve our community in this new light. We believe this is one more way to make Mooreville Schools and our greater community unique and distinct and will serve to enhance the important community connections of our schools and educating the spirit, mind and habits of our Mooreville youth."

Muston was named the 2010 Indiana High School Principal of the Year by the Indiana Association of School Principals and in the same academic year was named Administrator of the Year by the Indiana Association of Student Councils. In addition Mooreville High School is an Indiana Department of Education "A" rated school and owns one of the highest graduation rates among large Indiana high schools. "Mount Gilead Church is gaining a great servant leader in Chuck Muston," said School Board President Dr. Bill Roberson, who was the superintendent who hired Muston as MHS principal.

"His skills, expertise, experience, and of course his commitment will be transferrable and invaluable to kingdom work here," added Faull.

The tentative time schedule allows Muston to conclude his duties as an administrator for Mooreville Schools at the end of this current semester and begin his duties at Mt. Gilead Church in January. Until that time, he will continue serving MHS. The principal position will be posted in accordance with normal school procedures. Due to the mid-year change, district officials may consider an interim position for second semester while the search is conducted.