
MEADOWBROOK NEWS

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and that means.....
back to TeamKID and Youth Group
Wednesday nights beginning Sept 6th
from 6:30-7:30pm.

coming this Fall.....



VBS Report

What a great week we had!
(inspite of the heat)
80 children enrolled
28 workers

Thank you to an amazing group of teachers and helpers! You always go above and beyond. Thank you to those who provided meals for all of the workers. Thank you to those who donated craft and snack items. Most of all, thank you to everyone who prayed for, and during, the week. God is at work and it's exciting to be a part of what He is doing at Meadowbrook.



**Basketball
at "The Barn"**

Starting mid-October
for children & their parents
More info to come.



Church-wide cookout
& ice cream
at Pastor & Patricia's
446 S. 7th St., Auburn
Sunday, Aug 13th,
6:00pm

We will provide the meat & buns. Bring a side dish to share and your favorite dessert or home-made ice cream.

From My Heart to Yours



by Pastor David

Praise the Lord! I praise the Lord for all that He has done this summer here at Meadowbrook! There were six saved at camp back in June, including 4 from our group. We have had the privilege of baptizing 5 people within the last month with still more baptisms to come. Seeing people coming to faith in Jesus Christ is truly exciting! Please pray for these new believers as they begin their walk with Christ and encourage them as they are discipled in their faith.

We had a great Twists & Turns VBS with a great enrolment and attendance. Thanks to everyone who helped and contributed to this great outreach event. We have already begun working to involve these students in our upcoming TeamKID, youth group, and Sunday School. Beginning mid-October on Saturday afternoons we will also be engaging some of these families through "Basketball at the Barn" where parents and their children will enjoy some fun basketball events at the Koen's metal building, which now has a nice concrete floor and three basketball hoops. We are praying that this fun activity will provide opportunities to form friendships with these parents and their children whereby we might reach them for Christ. "Basketball at the Barn" may not be the final name for this event, but please be praying for this special outreach effort.

Beginning September 10th, we will be offering Sunday School classes for Preschool and Children in addition to our current classes. We need volunteers to help staff these two classes. Even if you could help once a month that would be a tremendous help. We also need volunteers on a rotation basis during worship to provide care for birth thru 2 years old.

The Lord is at work in our midst. Let's join Him! Following Jesus changes everything!
As always, I love you and I love being your pastor!

Welcome New Members

by baptism- Troy Dugger
Alex Ushman
Montana Greenwalt
Rufus Fugate
Ryleigh Brummett

Backpacks for Kids Program

The Auburn School District relies on donations from the community to help with school supplies for children in need. If you would like to donate supplies or fill a backpack, take one of the lists on the bulletin board. Please mark the grade level on your donation. There will be a collection box in the foyer.



First day of school- August 17

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Now's a good time to start collecting items to fill your shoeboxes. We will be collecting shoeboxes in November.



-ONE person to pray for & share the gospel with.
Be intentional!

Every ONE counts!

Weekly Opportunities

Sunday

- Small Groups- 9:30am
- Worship Service- 10:40am

Wednesday

- Praise Team- 5:30pm
- TeamKID & Youth Group will resume Sept 6th.

HAPPY Birthday

August

- 4 Dorothy Seppi
- 8 Connie Gwinn
- 13 Heather LaBuy
- 13 Treshaun Lancaster
- 18 Eleya Brummett
- 23 Al Crocker
- 24 Heather Hall
- 30 Josh Brummett

We want to include all of our church family. Please let us know if we have overlooked your birthday.



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Financial Report Year-to-Date

As of July 31 st	
Budget Needs	\$ 61,690.00
Undesignated rec'd	\$ 66,355.26
A.A.Easter Off to date	\$ 290.00
Kid's Camp to date	\$ 2,085.00
Checking Account	\$ 13,100.66
Debit Account	\$ 43.45
Youth/Missions Fund	\$ 361.00
Building Fund	\$ 20,231.79

