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Adult Spiritual Growth Classes

SUNDAY MORNINGS, 9:30AM - FALL QUARTER

FC1 - "Praise and Lament and Reflection: The Study of the Book of Job and the Psalms" Keith Parsons

FC5 - "You and Me Forever" Chuck & Amanda Box

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS, 6:30PM-7:30PM

FC3 - "The Gospel of Mark" Ben Fike and Justin Kopf

FC6 - "Praise! Worship through Singing" Lee Harrell

Meadowbrook Leadership

Shepherds:

Quinton Dickerson Don Seago
Tony Edwards Larry Stowe
Roy Kellum Blaine Totty, Jr.
Jim Kopf Craig Wood

Staff & phone extensions: 601.362.5374
Amanda Box, Connections Minister, X 37
Ben Fike, Senior Minister, X 24
Laura Fike, Children's Minister, X 23
Belinda Melson, Administrative Assistant, X 22
Marshall Wade, Finance/Youth Minister, X 27

Stats - September 9, 2018

ATTENDANCE: 181 WEEKLY BUDGET: \$11,962 CONTRIBUTION: \$13,901

Assembly (10:30am, FC-fh)

Sermon Series: Joy on the Journey

Upcoming scriptures for preaching:

Sept 16 - Philippians 1.27-2.13

Sept 23 - Philippians 2.19-3.1a

Sept 30 - Philippians 3.1b-11

Small Groups

SG information is on Meadowbrook Connect, or call Amanda Box, 601.896.4622.

Team Feed 'em – Wed., Sept 19

Spaghetti, bread, dessert, and drink; \$5.

Calendar of Events:

Sept 2018

23...Budget Sunday
30...5th Sunday potluck and going-away party for the Fikes after am worship FC-fh
.....Shepherd town hall meeting 1:15p FC1

Oct 2018

07...Bridal shower for Elizabeth Thompson 1:30-3:30p RR
08...Columbus Day (office closed)
14...Baby boy shower for Amber Wicker 1:30-3:30p RR
21 & 24...Guatemala missionaries Kemmel & Lisa Dunham visit/preach
23...Preschool fall festival 5:30-7p FC-fh
31...Trunk-or-Treat

MEADOWBROOK CHURCH OF CHRIST



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September 16, 2018

The Name Above All Names

At the Name of JesusBlaine Totty, III
Blessed Be Your Name
#77- Glorify Thy Name
Welcome & PrayerAmanda Box

One in Spirit and of One Mind

Christ Above Me
Opening Prayer.....Nathan Lucas
We Are Called to Be God's People
Philippians 1:27- 2:13Helen Whiting
"Let the Same Mind Be in You" Ben Fike
Speak, O Lord

He Humbled Himself

#366- By Christ Redeemed
Christ's Body, Broken for You Randy Monaghan
Christ's Blood, Poured Out for You

It Is God Who Is at Work in You

Offering.....Dean Johnson
My Life Is in You, Lord
Shepherd's Prayer Blaine Totty, Jr.



Prayer Concerns

Dean Johnson will have more treatments on Tuesday & Wednesday, Sept. 18 & 19.

Amy Nisbett – thanksgiving prayers that the scans done on Monday, Sept.10, were clear! Please keep praying as treatments continue.

Bill Nisbett has been moved to Brookdale Senior Living in Ridgeland.

Vince Gibbs announced last Sunday that he has been blessed with answered prayers for pain relief.

GC Strickland, Lyle Strickland's father, doing well after triple by-pass surgery in Hattiesburg on Wednesday, September 5.

Eddie Evans, Trese Evans's brother - scans revealed non-cancerous tumors, but that there were more tumors being formed. Please continue praying.

Bonnie Tripp, Kristi Cofer's mother is recovering well at home.

Continued prayers

Jack Stinson; Jean Elwell; Tony Buchanan, Nancy Buchanan's husband; John Hooten, Mike Hooten's father; Larry Marsman, Michael Marsman's father; Charlotte Bradley and Scott Bradley, Kay Martin's mother and brother; Donald Evans, Trese Evans' brother; Brooks Dobson, Kirk Latson's great-nephew.

Tragic Loss The Harding University family continues to mourn the tragic death of 2016 alumnus Botham Shem Jean, who was tragically killed on September 6 in his apartment in Dallas, TX. Botham frequently led worship in chapel and during campus events such as Uplift and Lectureship. If you would like to reach out to the Jean family, cards may be sent to the alumni office, Box 10768, Searcy, AR 72149.

Congregational News

Baptism Meadowbrook celebrates the baptism of Poppy Kerr on Sunday, Sept. 9, by her father Ben Kerr. Poppy's contact information is on Meadowbrook Connect. Please drop Poppy a note or card to congratulate her on her new journey in Christ. Congratulations, Kerr family!

FAVE 5 - To find out what Fave 5 is about, go to <http://www.meadowbrook.org/>.

Transition News

As you know, the Fikes will be moving to work with another church. Their last Sunday with us will be September 30. Currently, guest speakers have been scheduled and a search team is being confirmed. We will announce the guest speakers and the search team once all is finalized. For the rest of the month, Laura and Ben will function as normal while we work on how to cover their responsibilities. We ask for your patience and prayers and encourage you to come to us with any questions or concerns at any time. Meadowbrook has a long history of smooth transitions between ministers, and we are grateful to the Fikes for working with us to make this happen. Meadowbrook Elders



Kids for Christ (KFC) resumes during worship today for children 3 years - 2nd grade! Today, our children will learn of God's great love through the story of the Ten Commandments.

A **staffed nursery** is available for children 2 and younger. Our KFC and nursery rooms are all located in the Education Building, next to the Auditorium.



4th Sunday Gathering: On September 23 at 5:30pm, MYG will meet at Fannin Lanes for dinner and bowling. Students will need around \$20 to cover both.

Today: After worship MYG will meet at Aplos (across the highway in Highland Village) for lunch, then walk next door for popsicles at Deep South Pops. You will need \$15-20 to cover your meal and dessert. Please talk to Marshall if you need transportation to or from Highland Village.



Bridal Shower Ladies, you are invited to attend the bridal shower of Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of David & Melissa Thompson, Sunday, October 7, 1:30-3:30, in the Reception Room. Elizabeth will be marrying Bradley Gordon on Saturday, December 15, in Brandon. The couple is registered at Bed Bath & Beyond, Target, Dillards, Tupperware, (Rebecca Myers Teague, 601.896.4886,) and online at Zola, <https://www.zola.com/wedding-planning>

Baby Shower A baby boy shower for Amber Wicker will be held in Meadowbrook's Reception Room, Sunday, October 14, 1:30-3:30pm. Amber is registered at Target and Amazon, <https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/amberandtimothy-wicker-amber-wicker-november-2018-jackson/2JZTOW70KZUU3>.

Congregational News continued...

Save the Date On Sunday, September 30, Meadowbrook will host a going-away party for Ben and Laura Fike. We will gather in the Family Center-fellowship hall after morning worship to share a meal and to show the Fikes our appreciation for their service. These two ministers will be missed, and we want to send them on their way with God's greatest blessings. Families are asked to bring a potluck dish or two to the event.

After the going-away party, we will have the town hall meeting at 1:15pm in FC 1. This meeting is simply a relaxed forum where you may ask your shepherds questions. Although we hope you will reach out to ministers, ministry team leaders, and shepherds at any time, our shepherds want to make sure you are fully informed and can freely address any questions or concerns about our church family. To ensure that your concerns are addressed as thoroughly as possible, please submit your questions and concerns here: <https://meadowbrook.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/114/responses/new>.