

On the Calendar

November 2012

- 11...Salute to Veterans 6p FC-fh
 20...Area-wide Thanksgiving service 6p @ Broadmeadow Methodist
 22-23...Thanksgiving holidays (office closed)

December 2012

- 02...JAM ice skating
 2 & 9...Small Group Christmas parties (each Small Group's choice)
 3-6...Stewport service
 08...MYG Christmas Party

Adult Classes

Sunday 9:30 a.m.

The Reason for God

FC-1: Blaine Totty, Jr.

Grace: Greater Than We Imagined

FC-2: Philip Street/Jerry Neill

You Lost Me 2

FC-5: Sam Beasley, Blaine Totty, III

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

A Recipe for Peace

FC-1: Rebecca Long

The Cultivation of Virtue

FC-2: Jerry Neill

Praise Team Rehearsal

FC-6: Eric Livingston

Small Groups

Discussion guide sheet in Auditorium foyer or download from Web site

<http://meadowbrook.org/ministries/small-groups/>

Meadowbrook Leadership

Elders:

Don Berryhill
 Tony Edwards
 Roy Kellum
 Jim Kopf
 Phil Lucas
 Bud Martin

Tom Reaves
 Jeff Richardson
 Ton Rietvelt
 Don Seago
 Blaine Totty *November Chairman*
 Larry Whiting

Staff:

Amanda Box, *Children's Minister*
 Eric Livingston, *Assoc. Minister*
 Belinda Melson, *Admin. Asst.*
 Jerry Neill, *Senior Minister*
 Michael Tolleson, *Admin. Minister*
 Jonathan Woods, *Youth Minister*



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Windows



Welcome! We extend a friendly greeting to all worshipers today. If you are visiting or if you have a prayer request, please complete a prayer/guest card provided on the back of the pew in front of you and place in the offering plate.

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Setting the Scene

Salvation Belongs to Our God..... Eric Livingston, Associate Minister
 Welcome & Prayer Jonathan Woods, Youth & Family Minister
 Psalm 95:1-7
 #43 All Things Praise Thee
 #2 We Praise Thee, O God
 Light the Fire
 Lord, for Your Glory
 #43 All Things Praise Thee
 Prayer for Peace Sam Beasley

Receiving Sight

Matthew 5:3-12
 Speak O Lord
 "Iconoclast: The End of Your Story" Jerry Neill, Senior Minister
 Be Thou My Vision

In View of the Table

Psalm 70
 Jesus Draw Me Ever Nearer
 Breaking the Bread.....Pat McCarthy
 Sharing the Cup
 #318 O Sacred Head

Living in God's Vision

Offering.....Andy Lambert
 Faithful
 BenedictionRoy Kellum, Shepherd

Our Mission
 To be a Spirit-led
 community of believers
 who demonstrate
 the sacrificial love
 of Jesus to the world

Our Vision
 To be the
 hands and feet
 of Jesus

Our Values
 Worship
 Spiritual Maturity
 Outreach
 Fellowship
 Giving

Prayers

Bobby Brothers, Stephanie Perry's father, is in the hospital in Georgia experiencing heart rejection problems. His cancer treatments have been put on hold.

Continued prayers:

Mary Ellis Cravey, Shirley Johnson, Mark Hayden, Ida Lambert, Shane Allen - *Belinda Melson's brother*, Scott Bradley - *Kay Martin's brother*, Elizabeth Estes - *Ken Estes' mother*, Ann Mixon - *Butch's mother*, Linda Harcharik - *Leann Harcharik's mother-in-law*, Kemmel & Lisa Dunham - *Guatemala*

Condolences to:

Judy Rives and family on the passing of her mother, June Humphries, Friday, Nov. 2. Her funeral was Monday, Nov. 5, in Shreveport, LA.

Marieo Whitehead and Thomas on the passing of Marieo's father, Willie Lindsey, Wednesday, Nov. 7. His funeral will be Tuesday, Nov. 13, 11:00, at Lakeover Funeral Home in Jackson.

News

TONIGHT: Annual Salute to Veterans

Please make plans to join us this evening as Meadowbrook hosts its 13th Annual Salute to Veterans Program, beginning at 6:00, in the Family Center-fellowship hall. Our keynote speaker will be CJ Stewart, of Madison, who will share his powerful testimony of faith, courage, and recovery centered around his service as a U.S. Army combat medic in southern Afghanistan in 2010. In addition, Congressman Gregg Harper and his wife, Sidney, are planning to attend as our special guests. Please be respectful of our guests and arrive in plenty of time to be seated before the event begins.

All members of the congregation are being asked to bring a chicken dish (casserole, fried, baked, etc.), a side dish, and a dessert. Child care for children ages 3 and under will be provided.

Mission Mississippi Soldier:

**Remember that tonight will be the last opportunity to bring non-perishable items that will be shipped overseas to Mississippi servicemen and –women.
A drop-off box is located in the Family Center foyer.**

Meadowbrook Christmas

The Meadowbrook Family will celebrate with a Christmas Talent Show and other festivities on Sunday, Dec. 16. Mark your calendars now!

Christmas Eve Chorus

Christmas is fast approaching! If you would like to participate in this year's Christmas Eve service by singing in the chorus, please come to rehearsal this Wednesday, Nov. 14, in FC-6, at 6:30.

Ladies Retreat— SAVE THE DATE

Ladies: Please mark your calendars for Friday, Feb. 1, and Saturday, Feb. 2, for the 2013 Ladies Retreat at Camp Garaywa in Clinton. The theme, which will be presented by Rebecca Long, is "Women Supporting Women Through All Stages of Life." If anyone is interested in helping with the retreat, please contact Kathy Tumblison.



Save the date! JAM Christmas Party at Christmas on Ice in Madison, Sunday, December 2, 4:00 - 6:00. Tickets: \$15 (includes skates). Bring the whole family with your JAMmer (3-6th grade) and join us for a Christmas ice skating extravaganza.

Bible class and KFC for K-6th: Joshua wins the battle over the Amalekites, Exodus 17:8-13. **Memory Verse:** "Two people are better than one. They can help each other in everything they do." Ecclesiastes 4:9, NIV. **Bottom line:** With God, we can work together to help someone else succeed.

Bible class for 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s: David and Jonathan Say Good-bye, 1 Samuel 20:3-42. **Memory Verse** "Two people are better than one. They can help each other in everything they do." Ecclesiastes 4:9, NIV **Bottom Line** God gives me good friends.

Bible Class for Cradle Roll and Ones: God made me.



Today/Tonight: No SNL tonight. Veterans Night is tonight in the Family Center. If any teens can help out with setting up, please be at the church at 4:00. Also, there will be babysitting provided. Teens wanting to help out, please let Jonathan or Amanda know.

MYG Christmas Party, December 8: Mark your calendars! More information coming soon.

Sharing

New Members: Meadowbrook is happy to announce two new families who placed membership on Sunday, Nov. 4: Billy Herndon and Brett & Morgan Kittredge. Please be sure to look for Billy and the Kittredges and extend a warm welcome. Billy can be reached at 201 West Meadowbrook Dr., Brookhaven, MS 39601, 601.757.2324. The Kittredges' address and phone numbers are: 1906 Gloria Dr., Pearl, MS 39209; 601.624.9076 (Brett) and 770.827.2565 (Morgan).

FYI: John Maxwell and *THE RAGAMUFFIN GROUP* will perform *THE PRODIGAL*, a four-character, one-act play inspired by Henri Nouwen's book on Rembrandt's painting of the parable of the prodigal son. Make plans to attend this performance at St. Richard Catholic Church (1242 Lynnwood Drive), on Sunday, Nov. 18, in Foley Hall at 2:00. Tickets are not required.

Thanksgiving Worship Service: Meadowbrook has been invited to participate in a Thanksgiving worship gathering with some of the other churches in our neighborhood on Tuesday, November 20, 6:00, at Broadmeadow Methodist Church. An offering will be collected to benefit the Chastain Middle School After-School Program and the library at Boyd Elementary School. If you would like to participate in a joint chorus during the service, contact Eric for information. Let's join with other Christians in our community to give thanks to the Lord!

Wed. Night Supper, Nov. 14: Taco salad/ soft tacos, dessert, tea/coffee. \$5 adults, \$3 children