

On the Calendar

March 2013

- 02...Shine @ Watkins Elementary 8a-12p
- 03...Blood Drive 12p-4p FC-fh
- 05...Women's Book Club 6:30p @ Beth Hansen's
- 06...Women's Circle 10:30a @ Rebecca Long's
- 14-17...MYG Spring Break Gulf Shores, AL
- 27...Passover Seder, Rabbi Yosef, guest speaker
- 29-31...S.E.L.T.C. (Bible Bowl) Mobile, AL

Adult Classes

SUNDAY 9:30 A.M.

Gospel of John - January 27 - May 26

- FC 1: Quinton Dickerson/Chuck Bearman
- FC 2: Mark Hayden/Michael Tolleson/Jerry Neill
- FC 3: Jim Kopf/Jesse Simpson/Larry Whiting
- FC 5: Jeff Richardson

WEDNESDAY 6:30 P.M.

Planting a Good Life

FC-5: 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
- Jim Kopf *February Chairman*
- Tom Reaves *March Chairman*
- Jeff Richardson
- Ton Rietvelt
- Don Seago
- Blaine Totty
- 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



*The flowers this morning are in memory of Verna Deane Moon
May 23, 1919—February 16, 2013
from the Ridgeland 4 Small Group.*

February 24, 2013

The Gathering

- Awesome God Eric Livingston, Associate Minister
- #96 I Stand In Awe of You
- Welcome & Prayer Chuck Bearman
- Psalm 27:1-6
- #238 You are the Song that I Sing
- Sing to the King
- #275 O Lord, You're Beautiful
- Praise to the Lord, the Almighty
- Prayer for Peace..... 5th & 6th Grade Class

The Word

- "Festive Faith" Jerry Neill, Senior Minister
- A Reading from Genesis 1
- Let Us Adore
- "Festive Faith: Sabbath"
- #31 Be Still and Know

The Feast

- Still
- Breaking the Bread Bud Martin
- Sharing the Cup
- Jesus Draw Me Ever Nearer

The Work

- Offering Alan Lemly
- Hide Me Away, O Lord
- Benediction

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
Excellence*

Prayers

Barbara Taylor has been diagnosed with Chronic Myeloid Lukemia (CML). She is receiving chemo by mouth.

Bob Keyes is in St. Dominic Hospital. No visitors at this time.

Continued prayers:

Mark Hayden, Mary Ellis Cravey, Shirley Johnson, Linda Gosa - *Michael Gosa's mother*, Estelle Allen - *Belinda Melson's mother*, Sandra Franklin - *Liz Harrell's mother*, Lloyd Beasley - *Sam Beasley's father*, Rosa Douglas - *Tim Douglas's mother*, Ameia Lockett - *Lula Bell Lockett's daughter*, Jodi Ozio - *Darrell Jackson's daughter*, Nancy Bellamy - *Mike Bellamy's mother*, Bobby Brothers - *Stephanie Perry's father*, Kemmel & Lisa Dunham - *Guatemala*

Condolences to...

...longtime Meadowbrook members Jean Foy, on Thursday, Feb. 21, and Verna Deane Moon on Saturday, Feb. 16.

Arrangements for Jean Foy were not available at the time of this printing. Our condolences to her daughter Lynn Witt and granddaughters Honey and Candy.

Verna Deane Moon's funeral was Tuesday, Feb. 19, at Meadowbrook. Our condolences to her daughters Bobbye Jackson and Jane Porter and to her granddaughter Holly Rose and their families.

Also, Pam Stowers' mother, Marie Oliver, passed away Monday, February 18, in Houston, TX. Arrangements were unknown at the time of this printing.

News

Van Fire On Tuesday morning, one of the church's vans caught fire due to an electrical short. Unfortunately, it remains in our parking lot, awaiting the insurance adjuster's inspection. For safety reasons, we ask that no one go near the vehicle.

Shine 2013 Don't forget that we will be overflowing with God's love in our community this Saturday, March 2, from 8:00 until noon at Watkins Elementary School at the corner of Watkins and Northside Drive. Please bring landscaping tools, wheel barrows, pressure washers, hand tools, etc. Meet at the school at 8:00 to help make a difference in the lives of hundreds of students in our community.

Blood Drive Please mark your calendar for Meadowbrook's next blood drive, Sunday, March 3, from 12 - 4, in the Family Center. A sign-up sheet is available in the Auditorium lobby, or you may contact Sharon Tompkins at stompkins@clinton.k12.ms.us, or 601-942-8814, for a donation time. All blood donors are needed and welcomed!

Book Club The Women's Book Club will meet Tuesday, March 5, 6:30, at the home of Beth Hansen. We will discuss Janet Ferguson's manuscript, [Leaving Oxford](#).

Women's Circle The Meadowbrook Women's Circle will meet at 10:30 on Wednesday, March 6, at Rebecca Long's home. Lunch and dessert will be provided. Circle members please reply if you will be attending the meeting.

Passover Seder Come join the Meadowbrook family on March 27 to experience this Passover feast. Rich with tradition and meaning, this worship experience, led by Rabbi Yosef of Congregation Beit Lechem, will open your eyes to a whole new way of experiencing the cross of Good Friday and the empty tomb of Easter Sunday. Sign up on the Web site if you would like to attend.



Shine 2013: Parents please bring your kids with you to Shine, On March 2, from 8:00 - noon, when Meadowbrook will again be joining thousands of other Christians in our city for a day of service. There will be plenty of work to do for all ages. Meet at 8:00 at Watkins Elementary, 3912 Watkins Drive in Jackson.

The **children's prayer video** shown during worship on Feb. 17 is now on Facebook.

Many **thanks** to Ricky Rives and all of our awesome Daddy/Daughter Date Night volunteers. Check Facebook for pictures!



Today/Tonight: SNL in the Teen Center from 5:30-7:00. The Clinton small group is providing food. Bring a friend!

SHINE, March 2: Look for information on SHINE in the News section, opposite page.

Gulf Shores Beach Retreat, March 14-17: Let's spend some of spring break together at the beach! Worship, sand, service project, volleyball, two pools, games, lessons, and much more will be going on during this great trip! Sign up online by March 3. Cost is \$110 for teens and \$80 for adults. More information is on the Meadowbrook Website.

Please let Jonathan know if you are not getting weekly parent emails from him.

Sharing

Bible Bowl Study this Sunday, Feb. 24

3rd-6th grades: after church until 3:00, bring \$3 for lunch.

7th-12th grades: 3:30 to 5:30

GOLF TOURNAMENT DATE CHANGE: Save this date instead → Saturday, April 20: Meadowbrook's 2013 Golf Tournament will be at a new location, Whisper Lake Golf Course, in Madison. Tee time is at 2:00. Contact Butch Mixon at 601.259.1341 if you are interested in playing.

Online Christian Video Library

Meadowbrook has joined the www.RightNowMedia.org Web site, which is an online repository of more than 2,000 Christian video curricula. The concept is similar to Netflix. If you would like to sign up for a free account, please contact Eric in the office.

Attention Small Groups If your Small Group would like to provide food for our teens during Sunday Night Live, please contact Linda Easterling at 601.825.3139 or Barbara Neely at 601.845.7541.

Wed. Night Supper: Pork loin, sides, dessert, tea/coffee. Adults, \$5 Children, \$3.