

...from Andy Miller

Bible Bowl-This past weekend almost 100 of us were at Cookeville for the annual Bible Bowl competition. It was a great day as thousands of teens participated to show their love of the Lord and interest in studying His word. We are so proud of all our participants. We want to recognize Claire Graham who earned her 10-year participation award and Peyton Waggoner who earned her 5-year participation award. We want to say a special thank you to Dorea Johnston for providing snacks at all of the practices, the Broome family for designing our t-shirt, John Pratt for being our announcer, Ken Hardison for handling our adult challenge, Laura Meade for being our official score keeper, and all the many parents who came out and supported the group. We have a very special group of men and women who write questions every year and this is so important for the success of our group. A huge word of thanks to Keith and Tracey McKnight and James Vanderpool who feed us a bbq feast the day of the competition. Finally to our coaches, chaperones and mentors-you give of your time each week to teach and inspire these young people, it is with heart-felt thanks to Beth Lincoln, Sharon Broome and the Lovetts. We are so blessed at Southern Hills to have so many wonderful volunteers, youth and an eldership with great love and vision.

September 27—Service Sunday— We will eat lunch and head to NHC to sing. Please bring \$10 for lunch.

November 20-22-Creation Museum Weekend. This trip is for couples, families or individuals of ALL ages. 6th grade and up may attend without a chaperone. Food, lodging, transportation, t-shirt are provided. This is a free trip. Sign-up forms are available at: www.southernhills.net-youth-forms. Please sign up by October 1st, 2015.

Sept. 27-Service Sunday-Sing at NHC
Oct. 23-25 Fall Retreat /Concord Road
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David Broome
John Bufford
Dan Cottrell
John Cottrell
Jerald Hill
Ken Hardison
Jeff Rhodes
Stoney Warren

DEACONS:

Dale Alden - Education
Jimmy Campbell-Youth/Security
David Cost - Benevolence
Jimmy Davis—Fellowship, Youth
Chris Doughtie - Education
Matt Ensor— Family Assist.& Stewardship
Chris Graham - Office Admin.
Ryan Haedge— Church Growth, Education, Advertising
Dewayne Johnston-Building & Grounds, Youth
Herb Jones - Building & Grounds
Mike Kinnard— Edu. & Edification
Phillip McCullough—Education
Len McKnatt - Family Assistance
Michael Meade - Youth
Alex Melton-Worship, Edu., VBS
Mike Mizer - Education
Clint Oppermann—Finance
Matt Potts - Bldg. & Grounds
John Pratt—Missions
Cullen Rodgers— Web Services
Dave Sweeney - Worship
Thomas Waggoner-Education
Daniel Winkler— Education

MINISTER:

Dan Cottrell

FAMILY LIFE MINISTER:

Andy Miller

YOUTH MINISTER:

Cody Lovett

SECRETARY:

Pam Cost

OPPORTUNITIES

Today I am preaching at Homecoming at the Totty's Bend church near Centerville, Tennessee, where I did my first regular preaching (1961-62). Clint Oppermann will preach here this morning. The speaker tonight will be Jack Honeycutt, who is deeply involved in the India mission work that we help support. Ken Hardison will combine his Sunday School class and mine in the auditorium. We appreciate these three brethren and their willingness to help.

A new Bible School quarter began last Sunday. It is not too late to start attending a Bible class on a regular basis. You and your family need to be in one of our Bible classes on both Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. Please determine to get the "Bible School habit." We have some excellent Bible classes here at Southern Hills, both on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. Please take advantage of these opportunities to study God's word (2 Tim. 2: 15; 1 Pet. 3: 15).

Next Sunday morning I plan to start a series of sermons that will deal with what we call "First Principles." There are some who attend here on a regular basis who have not obeyed the gospel. These sermons are designed to teach the first principles of God's plan of salvation and to encourage those who are not Christians to obey the gospel. I hope you will be here to study these lessons with us. Bring others with you who are not Christians. Hopefully some of them will obey the gospel of Christ (Rom. 1: 16-17).

~Dan Cottrell

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"Press On"
(Hebrews 12: 1-2)

SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

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SICK/PRAYER LIST

John Bufford will have surgery on Tuesday the 15th at Vanderbilt University. Keep him in your prayers.

David Workman is back in the hospital, in ICU. He is being treated for pneumonia. His address is: **502 3rd St., Logan, WV 25601.**

Kendra Rodgers had an accident last week that left her bruised and sore but otherwise ok.

Rabbit & Beverly Smithson's daughter-in-law, **Melissa Smithson**, had surgery on Thursday at Williamson Medical Center. Prayers for her and her family are requested. Her address is: **2730 Zakary Ct., Spring Hill, TN 37174**

Beth Lincoln's boss, **Candy Donegan**, has been diagnosed with MS. She is paralyzed from the waist down. This came on very suddenly. Prayers and cards are requested. Her home address is: **13431 Old Hickory Blvd., Antioch, TN 37013.**

Expectant Mom: Nikki Lovett

Continue to Remember: Mike Caldwell, Melissa Smithson, Nellie Smithson, David Workman, Jean Henderson, Jimmy Smithson, Geneva Richardson, Dean Billos, Rachel Haffner, Gail Krech, Jody Krech, Marguerite Steele, Stoney Warren, Bobbie Wilhoite, Marjorie Perry, Bobby Richardson, Ken Cooley, **Our Shut-ins:** Jane Davis, Nancilynn Dunn, Wilma Gower, Ruth Miller, Lawrence & Janet Cash

GREETERS For September:

The Meade Family

Pick Up Member/Visitors Cards

TODAY: Garrett Comer & Connor Pratt

Sept. 20: Luke Johnston & Slade Pratt

MAGI BOXES

Parents: As you are buying your children's school supplies, remember the M.A.G.I. boxes that we will begin filling soon. All supplies are needed: pencils, paper, crayons (8-16 count), glue sticks (no liquids), rulers, pencil sharpeners, etc. There will be a box in the foyer for you to put your donations in. Remember, they are tax deductible!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Team 1 will meet tonight after the evening service.

Ladies Bible Class will meet on Wednesday, at 10am. All ladies are invited.

We will begin our Wednesday night meals on September 16. Sign up sheets are out.

We want to thank Scot & Heather Baker for the new canvas art in the nursery!

There will be an Elders and Deacons meeting this afternoon at 5:30pm in Room #109.

There will be a brief meeting of the **SHARE** group after Bible study this morning in Room #109, beside Dan's office. Please attend. See Wesley Fox if you have questions.

Please give us your college address this week so we can get them out to the congregation.

THANK YOU

Dear Southern Hills Family: August 30th was a day we will always remember. Thank you so much for your expressions of love. We have read and cherish each card. We will always remember the kind words of love. David Broome really made the tears flow. Thank you, David. The meal was wonderful, the table decorations beautiful and friends abundant. We are thankful for all who planned our going away fellowship, and those who stayed to wish us Godspeed. Our thirteen years at Southern Hills have been good years of spiritual growth and fellowship. We thank you for your support of our works, your words of encouragement, your friendship, and for allowing us to serve you in many ways and "weep with those who weep and rejoice with those who rejoice." May God continue to bless your work at Southern Hills. And always remember, if you decide to "go south", our door is always open to you. In Christian Love, Jerry & Judy Pritchett

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LADIES DAY

Ladies Day is Saturday, September 26 from 9 to 12. Lori Belihar Boyd from Murfreesboro is our speaker. She is a freelance writer for Focus Press and a nurse. Her topic will be "The Many Hats We Wear". Brunch will be served. Invite your friends and family for a day of fun, food and fellowship. The sign-up sheets are on the back board and in the foyer. See Linda Cottrell for more information.

It's time for MNF at the Broome's again. **Monday Night Fellowship** is an open invitation to everyone who is interested in getting together on Monday nights to watch some football, play some games and generally just enjoy being together. Come at 7:30 or anytime after. Contact David Broome for full details.

Tennessee Children's Home Benefit Dinner

will be held at Crieve Hall Church of Christ on Thursday, September 24th from 6pm-8pm. The speaker will be Daniel Hope, minister at Hillsboro Church of Christ. Please sign up in the foyer or the back board by Sept. 20th.

Healing Hands

The Education program of Healing Hands International is in need of supplies: wooden puzzles, large buttons, baby dolls (with no hair), & blocks. See Judy Russell or Linda Cottrell with questions.

Children's Bible Hour is in need of teachers for October. Can you help?

CHILDRENS' BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR

September:

3-Pre-K: Susan McMillan
K-2nd Grade: Jennifer Ensor

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY- SUNDAY, Sept. 13, 2015

USHERS: Reese Harrub, Buddy Krech, Rabbit Smithson, James Vanderpool
Preside at Lord's Table: Trey Pratt
Serve the Lord's Supper: Dale Alden, Wesley Fox, Clint Oppermann, Noah Oppermann
Reader: Ben Meade
Opening Prayer: John Cottrell
Closing Prayer: Len McKnatt

TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Will Harrub
P.M. Reader: Ben Meade
Opening Prayer: Bob Terry
Closing Prayer: John Rhodes

THIS WEDNESDAY, September 16, 2015

Opening Prayer: Michael Meade
Closing Prayer: Phillip McCullough
Song Leader: Jimmy Davis

THE RECORD

Last Sunday (9/06/15)	Morning Worship	268
	Sunday School	221
	PM Worship	167
Wednesday Night (9/9)		174
Contribution Last Sunday:	\$	11,940.00
Contribution YTD		359,974.00
Contribution Goal YTD		368,083.00

NURSERY TODAY—Sept 13, 2015

AM: Kendra, Berkley & Perry Rodgers

PM: Gaye Pike & Mary Ann Hall

NURSERY-NEXT SUNDAY—Sept. 20, 2015

AM:

PM:

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS—September

Harrub Family & Waggoner Family

BUILDING LOCK-UP—September

Jimmy Davis & Ryan Haedge

FOOD GROUP LEADERS—September

Carol Terry—595-0184

Beverly Smithson—790-0773

Quarterly Elder Chairman (July-Sept.)

Jerald Hill

