

...From Andy Miller

Spring Retreat - March 1-3 Our 6th grade and up group are invited to join us for our annual Spring Retreat. We will be headed to Gatlinburg, TN for a fun weekend and some great time to study God's Word. We will have an in-depth study of the miracles of Jesus. You will need to bring additional money for 3 meals & any sightseeing or shopping. We will plan to meet at the building between 4 & 4:30pm on Friday to load luggage & head out. If you have any questions please see Andy or Jennifer Miller.

March 8-KFC Service Activity: We will meet at the building at 6pm & return by 8:30pm. We will have dinner at Chik-Fil-A & have a service project. Please note the date change due to Spring Retreat.

March 9 - Kite Day: Mark your calendars for our annual Kite Day and egg hunt. This should be a great Saturday with food, fun and fellowship.

Lads to Leaders practice is today at 2pm.

Practice Schedule	
Feb. 17th-2pm	March 10th
Feb. 24th	March 17th
	March 24th

VALENTINE'S BANQUET RECAP

Last Saturday about 30 of our teens worked together to host our annual Valentine's Banquet Opry Style. We are so proud of how hard they worked & their great attitudes. We had nearly 70 adults in attendance, & we want to especially thank them for sharing their evening with us. Jimmy Davis, James Vanderpool & Ken Hardison headed up our cooking crew & our youth served up barbecue chicken, mac-n-cheese, baked beans & biscuits. Dorea Johnston spent time teaching our young ladies the art of cupcakes. A special thank you to Terri Moore, Shana Graham, Katie Vanderpool & Laura Meade for helping with decorations & clean-up. Sharon Broome is our on-site photographer. Carrie Alden is our costume & props designer & we want to especially thank her for all the bedazzled creativity. There are so many adults who show up to help clean & make the night go smoothly. We want to send a special note of thanks to all of you. If you missed it, please put it on your calendar for next year!

Youth

Feb. 17-Lads to Leaders Practice
March 1-3 - Spring Retreat
March 9 - Kite Day
March 28-31, - Lads to Leaders
June 9-14 - WCBC Bible Camp
Sept. 7 - Bible Bowl
Oct. 25-26 - Fall Retreat

KFC

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March 8 - KFC Activity
March 9 - Kite Day
March 28-30 - Lads to Leaders

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Sunday, February 17, 2013

~ The Claims of Christ ~

Both of today's sermons will deal with the claims of Christ (John 5:16-30). The morning sermon will discuss four of these claims. (1) The authority of Jesus comes from God (v. 19). (2) The Father loves the Son (v. 20). (3) The Son gives life (v. 21). (4) All judgment has been committed to the Son (v. 22).

The evening sermon will continue the discussion of the claims of Christ. (1) To honor the Son honors the Father (v. 23). (2) The Son gives life (v. 24). (3) The Son brings resurrection to life (v. 28-29). (4) The Son does the will of the Father (v. 30).

Remember that the truths taught in this great chapter (John 5) came about following the Lord's healing of the lame man at the pool of Bethesda (5: 1-15). That miracle angered the Jews (probably the Pharisees) who "persecuted Jesus, and sought to kill Him, because He had done these things on the Sabbath" (v. 16).

When Jesus added that God was His Father (v. 17), "the Jews sought all the more to kill Him, because He not only broke the Sabbath, but also said that God was His Father, making Himself equal with God" (v. 18). This led to the eight claims cited above.

The Gospel of John is such a great gospel account because it tells us so much about Jesus and who and what He is and what he means to all men.

~ Dan Cottrell

ELDERS:

John Bufford
Dan Cottrell
John Cottrell
Jerald Hill
Joe Russell
Stoney Warren

DEACONS:

Dale Alden - Education
David Broome - Technology
Ken Cooley - Senior Activities
David Cost - Benevolence
Jimmy Davis - Fellowship, Youth
Chris Doughtie - Education
Chris Graham - Office Admin.
Ryan Haedge - Church Growth, Education, Advertising
DeWayne Johnston - Building & Grounds, Youth
Herb Jones - Building & Grounds
Phillip McCullough - Education
Len McKnatt - Family Assistance
Michael Meade - Youth
Alex Melton - Worship, Edu., VBS
Jerry Pritchett - Edification Groups
Jeff Rhodes - Missions
Desmond Sumerel - Worship
Dave Sweeney - Worship
Thomas Waggoner - Education

MINISTER:

Dan Cottrell

YOUTH MINISTER:

Andy Miller

SECRETARY:

Pam Cost

SUNDAY MORNING SERMON:

"The Claims of Christ (1)"
(John 5: 16-23)

SUNDAY EVENING SERMON:

"The Claims of Christ (2)"
(John 5: 24-30)

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SICK/PRAYER LIST

Zac Martin's brother, Jeff, is in bad health at this time and is with hospice. Prayers are requested.

Kim Compton, a friend & neighbor of David & Pam Cost, has stage 4 colon cancer, which has now spread throughout his entire body. He is with hospice. Kim has a 26-year old son, **Taylor**, who has also been diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer. He lives at home. Prayers and cards would be appreciated. Their address is:
1154 Roy Sellers Road, Columbia, TN 38401.

Dan Cottrell will have a surgical procedure done on Thursday morning, February 21st at Baptist Hospital.

Remember our expectant Mother: **Rachel Haedge.**

Continue to remember: Terry Broome, Minnie Lincoln, Timmy Walker, Jane Woodroof, Albert Jones, Ramelle Patterson, Larry Cash, Ruth Miller, Kim Compton, Taylor Compton, Bobbie Wilhoite, Richard Marlin, Bob Bufford, Madelyn Gregg, Joe Russell, Stoney Warren.

Our shut-ins: Evelyn Billings, Mary Allen, Nell Buttrey, Jane Davis, Ramelle Patterson & Odessa Barnhill.

GREETERS for February:
The Harrub Family

Pick up Member/Visitor Cards:

TODAY : Aidan Broome & Mason McKnatt
Feb. 24: Curt Graham & Caleb Sumerel

Sign Up for Children's Bible Hour!

The **Children's Bible Hour** is in need of teachers for both age groups for the month of March. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

~ Brad Harrub's Schedule ~

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
Feb. 15-25	Gospel Meeting	Trinidad

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ladies Bible Class and Mens Prayer Group will meet on Wednesday at 10am.

Team B, the **David Broome team**, will meet tonight after the evening service.

Today is our covered dish luncheon. Meet in the fellowship hall after our morning service.

There will be an **Elders/Deacons meeting** next Sunday afternoon at 3:30pm. It would be appreciated if all would attend!

~ Welcome ~

Patrick & Melissa Crumley

Paige, Daniel and Sam

5178 Reynolds Road
Columbia, TN 38401

Melissa: 931-626-8262 **Patrick:** 615-594-0840

Please add the Crumley Family to your directory.

~ Notes of Thanks ~

Dear Southern Hills Family: Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers you sent for my father's service. The love you have shown through all the prayers, calls, cards and visits has been tremendous. We are so blessed to have such a wonderful church family as you.

In Christian Love, Desmond Sumerel & Family

To Our Christian Friends at Southern Hills: We are most grateful for each act of kindness shown to our family during some most difficult times. Thanks especially for each one who lifted up our family in prayer. The cards, calls & food were appreciated. We thank you for your love and friendship. In everything you say and do the love of God shines through. Sincerely, Minnie Lincoln

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FELLOWSHIP MEAL

On Wednesday
February 20th ~ 5:45 pm

On The Menu:

Baked Chicken, Broccoli Rice
Casserole, Baked Apples,
Coconut Cake, Rolls,
Tea, Lemonade, Coffee

Sign Up By Tonight

~ Sweetheart Banquet ~

On Saturday, February 23rd, beginning at 6pm, we will have our first Sweetheart Banquet. It will be in the fellowship hall and is for married couples only. There will be a charge of \$10 per couple, which includes games, ice breakers and dinner. Child care is provided. If you have any questions see Teri Moore or Jennifer Miller. **Please sign up.**

~ Marriage Class ~

Class Dates/Times: Every Sunday afternoon prior to evening services (March 31-May 26).
Class Start Time: Determined by size of class, tentative start time is 4pm.
 1 Pre-session, then 8 transformative Sessions
Cost is \$99. Childcare to be provided.
 Sign up sheets are out. See Michael or Laura Meade if you have any questions.

CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR TEACHERS FOR February:

3-5 Years: The Meltons
K-7 Years: The McCulloughs

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY ~ SUNDAY, February 17, 2013

Ushers: Andy Miller, James Vanderpool, Sam Pratt
Preside at Lord's Table: Matt Ensor
Serve the Lord's Supper: David Cost, Aidan Broome, Jim Campbell, Herb Jones
Reader: Ben Alden
Opening Prayer: Andy Miller
Closing Prayer: Michael Meade

TONIGHT'S SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE:

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Tony Tucker
P.M. Reader: Ben Alden
Opening Prayer: Chris Graham
Closing Prayer: David Cost

THIS WEDNESDAY, February 20, 2013

Opening Prayer: Jerald Hill
Closing Prayer: Will Harrub
Song Leader: Desmond Sumerel

THE RECORD

Last Sunday (2/10)	Morning Worship	252
	Sun. School	208
	PM Worship	157
Wed. Night (2/13)	Bible Study	147
Contribution Last Sunday		\$ 8,875.00
Contribution YTD		57,832.00
Contribution Goal YTD		59,598.00

NURSERY - TODAY: February 17, 2013

AM: Katie Vanderpool & Rachel Haedge
PM: Judy Pritchett & Jennifer Ensor

NURSERY - NEXT Sunday, February 24, 2013

AM: Jean Sweeney & Linda Cottrell
PM: Ashley & Ellie Pratt

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS - February

Cody & Nikki Lovett & Cody & Lindsey Eaton

BUILDING LOCK-UP - February

Jimmy Davis & Ryan Haedge

KITCHEN CLEAN-UP - February

Phoebe Davis, Mary Anne Hall, Ralph & Mary Nell Hogg

FOOD GROUP LEADERS - February

Wilma Cooley - 791-4710
 Carol Comer - 791-9982

QUARTERLY ELDER CHAIRMAN (Jan.-March)

John Bufford