

Spring Retreat

March 10-12, 2017

"Aftermath"

Our 6th grade and up youth group members are invited to join us for our annual Spring Retreat. Sign up online at www.southernhills.net under youth and forms. Spring Retreat will be held in Gatlinburg and we will be staying in the Big Moose Lodge. We will be looking at how to live our lives in a more Christ-like manner, especially our words and actions and the consequences that arise from them both positive and negative. This should be an excellent study in a powerful setting. The cost is \$100.00 per person and includes study materials, lodging, transportation, activities, and t-shirts. You will need spending money and money for 3 meals.



March 10-12, 2017 - Spring Retreat
 April 13-15, 2017 - Lads to Leaders
 May 21, 2017 - Graduate Reception
 June 4-9, 2017 - WCBC Bible Camp
 July 9-12, 2017 - VBS
 July 13-16, 2017 - VBS in Vienna
 August 6, 2017 - Back to School Bash

TODAY - Service Sunday - 6th grade and up are invited to lunch and to sing at the NHC nursing home. We will return in time for Lads to Leaders practice.

Lads to Leaders: Practice today will begin at 2:00pm. Please plan to come prepared with scripts and materials that you will need. For those in Speech - your outline and rough draft is due today. For those in debate please come with any research materials that you have found as we will begin outlining arguments.

Congratulations to **Hailey Hefington** who signed to play soccer for Freed-Hardeman University this week. This is a huge milestone for Hailey, and we are so proud of her and look forward to hearing more about her career going forward. Go Lady Lions!

Congratulations are in order for **Mason McKnatt**. Mason plays guard for Grace Christian Academy and was named first team All-District 11-A Boys. As a freshman, Mason scored 518 points and averaged 1.5 steals per game. He has a 91% free throw average and is over 41% from the three point line. I believe Cody Lovett has begun recruiting him for future Southern Hills basketball teams! We are excited for what the future holds for Mason on so many different fronts.

March 17, 2017 - KFC Service Project
 April 13-15, 2017 - Lads to Leaders
 June 4-9, 2017 - WCBC Bible Camp



TIMES of SERVICES

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP	9:00 AM
SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY	10:00 AM
SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP	5:00 PM
WEDNESDAY LADIES BIBLE CLASS (During the School Year)	10:00 AM
WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY	7:00 PM

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OUR ELDERS:

David Broome John Bufford
 Dan Cottrell John Cottrell
 Jeff Rhodes

OUR DEACONS:

Advertising - Ryan Haedge, Cullen Rodgers
Benevolence - David Cost
Buildings & Grounds - DeWayne Johnston, Herb Jones, Matt Potts
Day School - Chris Graham, Len McKnatt, Dave Sweeney
Education - Dale Alden, Phillip McCullough, Mike Mizer, Daniel Winkler
Finance & Office Administration - Chris Graham, Clint Oppermann
Health & Wellness - John Dees
Missions - John Pratt, Thomas Waggoner
New Members - Ryan Haedge
Security - Jimmy Campbell
Senior Ministry - Herb Jones, Dave Sweeney
Technology - Michael Meade, Cullen Rodgers
Worship - Herb Jones, Alex Melton, Dave Sweeney
Youth - Jimmy Campbell, Jimmy Davis, Chris Doughtie, DeWayne Johnston, Michael Meade

OUR STAFF:

Aubrey Johnson - Preaching
 Andy Miller - Family Life
 Cody Lovett - Youth
 Katie Vanderpool - Office

Well done good and faithful servant.

Lord, Open Our Eyes

Aubrey Johnson

Recently, our Preschool Ministry passed out flowers to honor ladies in our congregation. They also planned to visit a nursing home, but a flu outbreak prevented the visit. I am thankful for Nikki, Molly, Carlie, and Heather who lead this ministry to teach our children the joy of serving. When faithful families with small children come together, it attracts others who long to train their own little ones (Proverbs 22.6). It is a point of introduction where newcomers find belonging and natural evangelism is ongoing.

The Lambs of the Light ministry demonstrates a wholesome approach to outreach and church growth. There are many ways to share the gospel, but friendship evangelism is one of the best. In this way, every ministry becomes a window where people see the gospel at work. When visitors experience love and joy in Jesus' church, it opens a door to share the way of salvation.



Our church calendar abounds with evangelism opportunities because members are encouraged to bring friends to most activities. Many events are intergenerational and strengthen the church by increasing our gratitude and respect for one another. In our divided world, a close-knit spiritual family draws people to Christ. It produces an atmosphere people admire and desire for their families. Educational events are evangelistic because they equip us not only to live better but to share life-changing truth with the lost.

AM - **Self-Care Is Not Selfish** (Mark 12.30-31)

PM - **God Is Our Refuge** (Psalm 46): Sunday Night Psalms

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SICK/PRAYER LIST

Michael Hensley, Beth Cottrell's uncle, had a stroke and has lost his vision.

Continue to Remember: Lillian Anders, Tom and Betty Bolles, Paul Brunett, Susan Campbell, Joe Campodonico, Ken Cooley, Annie Sue Crisman, Paige Crumley, Candy Doonegan, Bruce Doughtie, Alastair Ferrie, Jeanette French, Wesley Fox, Don Gross, Elizabeth Haley, Rachel Haffner, Johnny Henson, Frieda Holloway, Marie Holman, Robert Holt, Gail Krech, Amanda Mackert, Helen McKee, Delores McMurry, Wilda Moss, Dean Nichols, Amos Penley, Lois Pratt, Gary Robinette, Marguerite Steele, Nellie Smithson, Jimmy Smithson, Marcia Spillers, Brittany Sullivan, Alice Vasy, Mike Vice, Harrison Warren, Stoney Warren, Bobbie Wilhoite.

Our Shut-ins: Jane Davis, Nancilynn Dunn, Wilma Gower, Jean Henderson, Russell and Ruth Miller, Lawrence and Janet Cash, Betty Pence.

Men's Breakfast Meeting - Men, mark your calendars for Saturday morning March 18th. The meeting will begin at 8am and after the meeting is over, Deacons will be meeting with the Elders.

ARK ENCOUNTER

We are officially planning a trip to the Ark Encounter on June 23rd and 24th. The costs are broken down on a sheet in the foyer and back hall along with sign up sheets. If your family is interested in going, please sign up if you haven't already done so. Andy will be following up with each interested family/person in March.



SHARE GROUP

We are looking at a trip to the Corvette Museum for the month of March. The cost will be \$25 for the trip, which includes lunch, museum tour, and transportation. If you are interested in going please let Andy or Katie know if March 28th or 30th would work for you.



Tentative Itinerary will be leave the building around 8:30am arrive at the museum around 10am, leave the museum around 1pm and arrive back at the building around 3pm.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All members and visitors, please fill out the attendance cards in the back of the pews in front of you so we may have a record of your attendance.

Ladies Bible Class will meet Wednesday at 10am.

The newest edition of THINK Magazine is available in the foyer.

March Calendars are available in the foyer.

The Nursing Home Singing is today at NHC on Fairground Street at 1:30pm

FINGER FOOD NIGHT!

WHEN: Tonight after evening services

WHERE: Fellowship Hall

Please bring finger foods and join us tonight to honor 2 very special couples to Southern Hills, Jerald and Peggy Hill & Stoney and Donna Warren. Both of these gentlemen have served this church for many years as Elders as well as both of their wives being their support, and supporting the activities of this church.

**Matt & Carlie Lyndoe
Addison & Anna**
1432 Oak Leaf Drive
Columbia, TN 38401



PLEASE ADD THEM TO YOUR DIRECTORY

Items for the Magi Box for March:

Mild bar soap & Wash cloths

THOSE TO SERVE

TODAY — SUNDAY, February 26, 2017

USHERS: Dwayne Moore, Garrett Moore, Clint Oppermann, Noah Oppermann

Preside at Lord's Table: Ken Hardison

Serve the Lord's Supper: Gary Berglund, Mike Malon, Matthew Ensor, Ryan Haedger

Reader: Jimmy Davis

Opening Prayer: Trey Pratt

Closing Prayer: Will Harrub

Song Leader: John Rhodes

TONIGHT'S EVENING SERVICE

P.M. Preside/Lord's Supper: Ken Hardison

P.M. Reader: Jimmy Davis

Opening Prayer: Cody Lovett

Closing Prayer: Baylee Dees

Song Leader: Caleb Chitwood

THIS WEDNESDAY March 1, 2017

Opening Prayer:

Closing Prayer:

Song Leader:

THE RECORD

Last Sunday (2/19/2017)	Morning Worship	291
	Sunday School	2238
	PM Worship	214
Wednesday Night (2/22/2017)		191
Contribution Last Sunday:		\$9,793.00
Contribution YTD:		\$ 91,601.00
Contribution Goal YTD:		\$ 92,000.00

NURSERY TODAY - February 26, 2017

AM: Haley & Maclaine McKnatt

PM: Rebecca & Ellie Andrews



NURSERY-NEXT SUNDAY - March 5, 2017

AM: Jean Sweeney & Christine Berglund

PM: Lori Mizer & Rachel Potts

COLLECT COMMUNION CUPS – March

William Morrison

BUILDING LOCK-UP - March

Dale Alden & Chris Graham

GREETERS - March

Rabbit & Beverly Smithson

FOOD GROUP LEADERS - March

Carol Terry - 615-330-6471

Beverly Smithson - 615-790-0773

Monthly Elder Chairman - March

Jeff Rhodes

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TENNESSEE CHILDRENS HOME

Food and Supply Drive Spring 2017

Items Needed



Bisquick	Baked Beans
Honey Mustard Dressing (non Refrigerated)	Instant Potatoes
Kool-Aid (canisters)	Canned Tuna
Mayonnaise	Velveeta Cheese
Mustard	Large White Bath Towels
Liquid Laundry Detergent	Paper Towels
Kitchen/Bathroom Spray Cleaner	Aluminum Foil
Men's Deodorant	Loose Leaf Paper

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Columbia Academy recently announced its' honor graduates for the class of 2017. Graduating Summa Cum Laude with a GPA 3.75 or higher, we want to congratulate Kendell Hardison, Claire Graham, John Rhodes, and Bethany Young. These individuals have worked very hard to accomplish being in the top percentage of graduates across the country while maintaining their spiritual integrity and a high level of commitment in service to the Lord. We are so proud of them as well as all of our 2017 graduates and more information will come in the future regarding their accomplishments.



UP COMING DEVOTIONALS

February 27, 2017 - Mens Devotional

Room 100 at 7pm

March 6, 2017 - Ladies Devotional

Room 100 at 6:30pm

March 20, 2017 - Young Professionals Devo