



Our Church Family

Bernice Warren was injured in a car accident on her way to church Sunday morning. She is in The Med with neck injuries... Faye Chambliss remains in The Med's burn unit room TG92... Virginia Langston is waiting for test results... Jerry Winstead is home feeling some better...

Robert Coleman has been diagnosed with emphysema and pulmonary fibrosis... Lynn Miller's mother, Bertha Miller, had surgery Monday in Greenville, TN... Paula Jenkin's mother, Valera Key, is in Baptist DeSoto... Mike Dixon's brother, Doug, fell off a ladder and fractured his back... JoAnn Brusseau's sister and nephew are both battling cancer... Tiffany Tabor's sister's newborn baby had heart surgery Tuesday at LeBonheur... Michael Davis' grandmother is recuperating from surgery in Jackson, TN.

SYMPATHY

- Our sympathy goes to Peggy Bennett in the passing of her brother, Johnny Pounders, this past week. Funeral was Monday in Senatobia.
We also extend sympathy to Debbie Couey in the death of her brother-in-law, Marvin Couey.

LADIES DAY TEA FOR TWO

Saturday, April 24, 10:00am - 1:30pm Continental Breakfast and Activities; 1:30 - 2:30pm Come and Go Tea. Our guest speaker is Brenda Curtis from Park Avenue congregation. Make plans to be here and bring a friend. It is going to be a great day.

TEACHERS NEEDED

Our 4 & 5 year olds need teachers for Wednesday evenings during the Summer and/or Winter Quarters. If you can help please call Betty Hill @ 662-349-3362 or the church office.

MILITARY CARE PACKAGES

We hope to resume sending Care Packages to those related to our members who are on active duty overseas. Please help us update our list by calling the office or writing their name, address, and branch of service on your attendance card.

DAY OF PLANTING SUNDAY, APRIL 18

Invite the Very Important People in your life to come to worship with you Sunday and help us fill the auditorium with families, friends and neighbors. This day will also be a time to once again replenish our pantry. Plan to bring a sack lunch and stay for an hour or so to sort and put away the food on April 18. We will have men at each entrance to help you carry in your items and place them on the stage.



LADS RECEPTION

Sunday night in the FLC following the Lads Puppet Shows. This informational reception is for anyone who wants more information about our L2L program. Come find out how your child can be involved!

VBS NEEDS & SIGN UPS

Betty Hill needs tow sacks/burlap bags and packing peanuts for our skits. Also continue to bring medium to large size baby food jars with lids. We have 3 wooden animals that need to be painted. For information contact Louisa Allgeier 901-734-3684 or Missy Howard 901-230-2315.

CONGRATULATIONS

We congratulate Ben Holley who recently graduated 3rd in his class of recruits at the Arkansas Law Enforcement Academy in Little Rock.

SOUTHWIND SINGING

The van will leave at 6:15 Friday evening for those who desire to attend the 6 State Singing at Southwind. Please call the office to add your name to the list.

SCOUT'S YARD SALE

This Saturday, April 17th. To donate items please call Wayne Ashmore @ 901-283-4798.

NUMERICALLY SPEAKING

April 11, 2010

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SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES
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# Around The Oaks

with Steve Reeves

## V.I.P. Day This Sunday!

It's almost here! This Sunday is the special day for you to bring those Very Important People in your life to worship. Just imagine how thrilling and encouraging it will be to have the auditorium filled with our friends, neighbors and loved ones as we worship together. We have some special and exciting events planned for the day.

During the morning Bible Class hour all of the ladies will meet in the Family Life Center to hear a presentation by our "Leaderettes." These young ladies have worked hard for the past year and received numerous honors at the Lads to Leaders convention. You will be blessed by hearing them.

While the ladies meet in the FLC, all of the men will meet in the auditorium where the men who work with the **Lads to Leaders** program will present their thoughts concerning it's current and future role for the children and youth of our congregation. This, too, should be an encouraging session.

In conjunction with V.I.P. Day we will also use Sunday as our annual "Day of Planting" for our church food pantry. Last week we distributed the final box of food on hand. We are asking each of you to fill a sack or box of groceries and bring them with you Sunday morning. We will have men at each entrance to take them from you (or bring them from your car) and place them around the pulpit area.

Each time we do this we continue to be overwhelmed by your generosity and we demonstrate in a powerful, visible way our desire to connect with the people in our community. Following services we'll need plenty of help to move these items and assemble food boxes.

Sunday night following our evening service the **Lads to Leaders Puppet Teams** will present their programs. Both of these teams won first place at the recent convention. Following the program there will be an "Information Reception" for anyone who would like to know about the Lads to Leaders program and how their children can become involved. It takes a lot of commitment and hard work but the rewards are outstanding.

*It promises to be a grand and glorious day here at Goodman Oaks.*

### "NO DEBT, NO SWEAT"

April 25th and 26th are the dates for Steve Diggs "No Debt. No Sweat" seminar here at Goodman Oaks. We're excited about having this well known speaker with us on Sunday and Monday. Informational brochures are in the foyer and we'll have more details for you in next week's bulletin.

### A JOB WELL DONE

Speaking of our Lads to Leaders, - didn't they do an outstanding job this past Sunday? During the morning worship service **Sean Bobo, Tyler Willis** and **Tim Willis** led singing and delivered the message. During our evening service **Braden Branning, Matthew Litzkow, Noah Schon, Connor Ales, Cooper Robertson, Robert Cashion, Jared Kirkman, Jonathan Underwood** and **David Underwood** led our service. They, too, did a great job. We are so thankful for the hard work invested by these young men and their parents.

When I see such dedication and commitment on the part of young families I know that the future is bright for this church. May God continue to bless us with a spirit of love, unity and evangelism as we work together... ~ "Around The Oaks"

## Kevin's Korner

...Kevin Jourdan

### Summer Camp

The time for getting ready for camp is already here. This year is going to be a great experience. Our theme for the week will be LOVE OUT LOUD. We will be learning how to live a life that shows our love and God's love to the world.

You can sign up on the board in the foyer. The camp application and information flyer is right beside the sign up board. Please go ahead and fill out an application and mail it in with your deposit of \$20 or the full amount, which is \$130. **There will be a \$20 late fee for anyone who does not turn in an application with the deposit two weeks before our week of camp, which is July 18-24. Please mail in your application before July 1 so you will not have to pay a late fee.**

There is also a sign up board for anyone who would like to be a counselor or help in any other way. If you are struggling financially and cannot afford to send your child to camp you can talk to Paul Tullos or Kevin Jourdan and we can work something out. We want your child to be at camp and will do whatever we can to help you get them there.

-Paul

### New York Fundraiser

This summer, 15 of us are going up to Timothy Hill Children's Ranch in New York to work on the Ranch and put on an evening VBS for the community. I ask that you keep our planning in your prayers.

Those who have been on mission trips know that funds have to be raised in order for us to go. We are planning an Italian supper for Sunday night, May 9. We are also planning a crafts fair, car wash, and bake sale for Saturday, May 22 in the park. The cost will be \$50 a booth for those who want to sell items for the crafts fair. We also need baked goods to sell. If you are able to provide baked goods, please let me know.

### 4 Twelve Schedule

April 15 - Team 2

April 22 - Team 3

April 29 - Team 4

This will end this year's schedule. Thank you to all the teams for helping this year! We would like to apologize for any inconveniences that occurred.

## Youth News

... Jeff Shocklee

### Day of Planting

Our Day of Planting is this Sunday, April 18. Pick up a list and bring what you can. Whatever you can do will be a great offering to God! Also, if you need some extra time, feel free to bring it in whenever you can.

**Plan to bring a sack lunch and stay for an hour or so to sort and put away the food immediately following AM worship.** This is a tangible way to bless God and our community!

### Area-wide Devo

Our next area-wide devo is this Sunday evening at the Gilmore St. church in Senatobia. Vans will leave at 4:15pm and return at 7:45pm. This is a great chance to meet other teenage Christians in the area and to worship God together. You don't want to miss it!

### Senior Night

There will be a quick meeting of the parents of the juniors immediately after the AM assembly this Sunday, April 18.

### Workcamp

It is time to think about Workcamp again! Each year we paint 25-35 houses in urban Memphis. We work with about 15 other churches and 400 teens. We serve people in the name of God and we worship Him together each evening.

The dates for Workcamp are June 7-11. Registration forms are available on the youth board. Pick one up and join in! It's going to be hot. It's going to be difficult. It's going to be a blast! You'll love it! **The deadline is April 25!**

### UPLIFT

Uplift will take place from June 26-July 1 at Harding University. The cost is \$190 per person. **The deadline to sign up and pay a \$90 non-refundable deposit is May 2.**

**Don't forget to sign up to have Jeff come to lunch with you!**