



Our Church Family

Marge Crawford is in rehab at Health South North room 108B... **Alberta Casey** fell and is now in Baptist DeSoto room 829... **Bill Miller** continues physical therapy at Baptist DeSoto Rehab room 1052... **Jeff Shocklee's**, dad Gene, had foot surgery again yesterday, he is at home and healing well...

SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to **Don Bennett** and family in the passing of his father, Jim Bennett, last week. The funeral was Tuesday. Our sympathy is also extended to **Bill Ivey** in the passing of his brother last week in Huntington, TN.

CONGRATULATIONS

To **Bill & Yvonne Scott** whose daughter, Susan Sanderson, had twins girls on April 12. Megan Nicole and Callie Michelle both weighed 4 lbs 1oz and are doing well.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

We need items donated for decorations: baskets (no loop handles, side handles are good), pottery, urns, rugs, greenery and fabric, anything that looks like Bible times. If you want your items back be sure to put your name on the bottom. Our VBS is May 31-June 3 from 6:30pm - 9:00pm. Registration will begin April 26.

SIX STATE GOSPEL SINGING

The Church of Christ at Southwind invites you to their 5th Annual singing April 17 7:00pm - 10:00pm. Their address is 8220 East Shelby Drive, Memphis, TN; 901-755-6699.

SCRAPBOOKING

Scrapbooking this Friday, April 17 at 6pm.

BOY SCOUT YARD SALE

Is this Saturday, be sure to stop by the sale.

HELP NEEDED

Goodman Oaks is in charge of the Area-Wide Youth Devotional meal this Sunday, April 19. Please help by signing up at the information desk. Items needed: spaghetti - aluminum pans will be provided, bread, desserts and 2 liter drinks. For questions please contact: **Laurie Hammer** 662-393-8135 or **Kim Billingsley** 662-429-3643.

WOMEN'S BREAKFAST

All ladies are invited to meet together this Saturday morning at 8am in room 1. Please sign the list in the lobby. Cost is \$3. If you have comments or questions please contact **Gwen Coker**.

FAMILY CARE GROUPS

Please be checking your mail box for a letter from your Family Care Group leader/elder. This will inform you of what to write on your attendance card on Sunday. **Tim Mobley's** group will meet April 19th after evening services for a fellowship meal at **Betty Hill's** house. Bring finger foods, sandwiches, salads, chips and dip.

ELDERS & DEACONS

Will have a meeting on Sunday, April 26 at 3:30 in the elders' office. Please plan to attend.

MEN'S RETREAT

The Men's retreat and golf tournament is set for May 9. The total cost for the retreat and tournament is \$75. You don't have to be in the golf tournament to attend the retreat. Contact Charlie Moore or Don Hylander.

NUMERICALLY SPEAKING

April 12, 2009

Sunday Bible Class	
Sunday Morning Worship	
Offering	\$
Budget	\$ 22,743

SCHEDULE OF ASSEMBLIES
Sunday:
 Sunday School - 9:00 a.m.
 Worship - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship - 5:00 p.m.
 Fellowship, Study and Service - 6:15 p.m.
Tuesday: "Encouragement Class" - 10 a.m.
Wednesday:
 Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

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Around The Oaks

with Steve Reeves

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“WE PRAISE THEE O GOD - FOR THE SON OF THY LOVE!” We do, indeed, praise God for blessing us with such a wonderful day of worship this past Sunday as **827** of us gathered for worship here at Goodman Oaks. In addition to this **Todd Willis** tells me that another **115** from here were away in Nashville at the Lads to Leaders / Leaderettes Convention. Such involvement and participation on your part is as heartwarming to this preacher as the beautiful spring sunshine.

THIS SUNDAY

This coming Sunday will provide an opportunity for our young people to share with us the talents and skills they have been developing for Lads to Leaders / Leaderettes. During the Bible Class hour all of the ladies will meet in the Family Life Center for a presentation by the young ladies. All of the men will meet in the Auditorium. During our morning service, in addition to my sermon we will have brief messages presented by **Tim Willis, Tyler Willis** and **Wyatt Braden**. Following the service all who would like to remain and view the Lads “puppet” teams are encouraged to do so. Then, on Sunday evening several of the younger boys will present their messages and lead our singing. We are so thankful for all of these young people and the adults who work so diligently with them.

CONGRATULATIONS

Our applause goes to our own **Ricky Stenhouse Jr.**, for an excellent showing at the Nashville Speedway in a nationally televised race this past Saturday. Ricky had one of the top starting positions and was actually running 15th before being involved in an accident with just nine laps to go. Fortunately he was not injured and was able to complete the

race. We are proud of Ricky for his accomplishments.

Congratulations also to **Carl Rounsaville** who displayed his renovated ‘55 Chevy at a car show in Water Valley, MS, this past weekend and brought home several top awards including “Best Interior.” If you’ve never seen Carl’s car you should stop by his house sometime. I guarantee you he will be happy to show it to you.

DAY OF PLANTING

Have you invited someone to join you on April 26th for our “Day of Planting?” This will be a great time to bring your friends and family to worship together and to see the Goodman Oaks church doing what it does best — serving people. Remember to bring your bags filled with groceries and place them on the stage area. Bring a sack lunch and stay afterwards as we eat and then spend the afternoon sorting the food and stocking our shelves. We’ll meet again at 5 p.m. for our evening service.



GET INVOLVED

The next time you’re in the church building stop and look around. Everywhere you turn there are displays, bulletin boards, sign-up lists and other means of information regarding ways you can be involved. If you’re interested in doing something that’s not displayed by all means speak to one of the elders and /or staff and be ready to “go for it.”

Involvement in a local church reminds me a lot of what Lincoln said about happiness. Most folks have about as much of it as they make up their minds to have. If you are willing I can assure you there’s plenty to do...

“Around The Oaks!”

Kevin’s Korner

...Kevin Jourdan

Moriah House

Tuesday, April 21 we will go serve dinner to fifteen women and five children at the Moriah House. The Moriah House is a long-term recovery program for women and their children whose lives have been shattered by domestic abuse, depression, drug and alcohol abuse, and prostitution. The ultimate objective is for these women and their families to encounter new life through a relationship with Jesus Christ and emerge as fulfilled, productive members of the community.

Tuesday we will prepare dinner here at Goodman Oaks and will take it out to the Moriah House where we will serve the women and children. In addition to eating dinner with them we will do arts and crafts with the children. We will leave Goodman Oaks at 5:00. This is an opportunity for all who are wanting to serve. If you would like to go please let me know by this Sunday.

Memphis Union Mission

Saturday, April 25 we will have the opportunity to share our time with over 100 homeless men by serving them dinner and visiting with them. This is an opportunity for all who want to serve. I asked the director of volunteer groups if there was a limit to how many we could bring and he said “if you bring three or thirty, I will find a way to use them.” If you would like to go please let me know. We will leave Goodman Oaks at 4:00. After we serve we will go to dinner together.

Summer Bible Camp

Summer Camp is July 19-25, and will be held at Sardis Lake Christian Camp. The cost this year for camp is \$130. The ages for camp are 8-17. applications are available at www.sardislakechristiancamp.org.

Youth News

... Jeff Shocklee

AREA WIDE DEVO

April's devo will be hosted here at Goodman Oaks this Sunday, April 19. We will be needing help with providing food for our guests. Laurie Hammer and Kim Billingsley will be coordinating the food. We will eat with our guests at 5pm and then worship at 6pm. All of this will happen in the FLC. Terry Wallace will be our guest speaker. **Churches will be coming from all across North Mississippi.** Let's make sure to welcome them with open hearts!

Day of Planting

Remember our Day of Planting. It is a great way to serve each other, our community, and especially God!

Family Spring Celebration

On April 25 the families of grades 9-12 will meet at Shelby Farms for a day of food, fun, fellowship, and faith. You will need to bring a side dish for the meal. We will meet at Shelby Farms at noon. We will have some food, then games and free time until 3 pm. At that time we will have a devotional and then load up and return home. Possible activities for the afternoon are football, ultimate Frisbee, hiking, biking, horse riding, fishing, disc golf, catching some sunshine, and just enjoying being outside. This is open to the entire family of our high-schoolers, so parents and siblings need to join in on the fun!

Memphis Workcamp

It is time to sign up for Workcamp. The Dates are June 8-12. We need adults to be involved as well. We will paint about 30 houses during the week and show God's love throughout the area. Each evening we will worship together with 500 other Christians serving in the same way. The cost is FREE and you need to turn in your application by April 26.

Upcoming Summer Deadlines

- **UPLIFT—June 27-July 22.** Cost: \$190. Sign up and pay \$90 deposit by May 3.
- **Adventure Trek—July 12-17.** Cost: \$160. Sign up and pay by May 17. Only 16 spots are available.