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SUNDAY

Bible Study Classes	9:45am
Morning Worship	.11:00am
Evening Worship	6:00pm

TUESDAY

Prayer Service6:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Light Meal (Children & Youth)	5:30pm
The TreeHouse - 1st-5th grades	6:00pm
MPact (6th-12th)	6:00pm
Adult Bible Study & Prayer	6:00pm

Meadowbrook Messenger



May 2023

Church family,

This month marks six years since you called me to be your Pastor. We have served together in reaching our community and the world with the gospel of Christ. I want you all to know how much my family and I love our church family. We are truly blessed to be here and work along side you all in growing the Kingdom of God. 1 Corinthians 3:9 says, "For we are God's coworkers. You are God's field, God's building." We work together for and with the Holy Spirit. Not only are we to reach the community for Him, but also each other. We work to grow and encourage each other as we walk through this life. We know it is getting harder, but we know that in working together, we share in our strength. The one statement you hear from most Southern Baptist leaders rings true in the local church, "We can do so much more together, than we can do apart." For us at Meadowbrook, we stand together and do ministry together, knowing that when we are united, ministry is stronger. It is that strength that has encouraged us so much these past six years. It is such a pleasure to be working with each of you.

As the school year comes to a close and summer begins, my family and I look forward to working with you in completing the calling we all have. Church, thank you for six wonderful years, we are excited for the many that are to come.

This summer we have a lot going on. With camps, and VBS, and other things we have a ministry filled summer ahead of us. Keep your eyes and ears open to what all we have going on and jump in!

Pastor Steve



Saturday, May 6th

Youth Game Day 9am-4pm

Sunday, May 7th

Men's Breakfast, 8:00am Deacon Meeting, 12:15pm

Sunday, May 14th

Men's Bible Study, 8:00am Mother's Day, No Evening Service

Saturday, May 20th

Children's Movie, 10:00am

Sunday, May 21st

Budget Meeting, 12:15pm VBS Meeting, 3:00pm Baccalaureate, 6:00pm

Sunday, May 28th

Men's Bible Study, 8:00am VBS Meeting, 3:00pm

Monday, May 29th Office Closed



Men's Bible Study Second and Fourth Sunday each month @ 8:00am in the Fellowship Hall. (May 14th & 28th)



Whenever you do not understand what's happening in your life, Just close your eyes, take a deep breath and say, "GOD I know it is Your plan Just help me through it."



SPJST SERVICE
in TAYLOR, TX
Join us on the 4th
Wednesday each month
(May 24th) as we share
music and a devotional
with the SPJST Home in
Taylor. We meet @ the
church @ 9:15am. Call
the office for details.

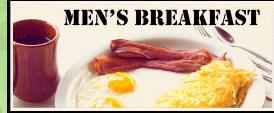
SOUND SCHEDULE

May 07 Charlie McGregor
May 14 Jason Ponnaiya
May 21 Charlie McGregor
May 28 Jerry McPeek





We give honor and appreciation to our American Heroes on Monday May 29th, Memorial Day.



Sunday May 7th @ 8:00am



LADIES BIBLE STUD-

IES Wednesday
Ladies Bible Study will end
May 17th and resume next Fall. Date to be

Meadowbrook Baptist Church services can be heard at 11:00am & 6:00pm each Sunday on the radio at KRXT, FM 98.5 or on the web at www.krxt985.com.

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Church Family,

Well, school is almost done! Please remember that next year we will be having four-day school weeks for most of the year. With the school changing the calendar back-to-back years in such a significant way, please keep me up to date with any events your students have so I can attend and support them! Just a heads up, May 6th from 9AM-4PM we will be having

GAME DAY here at the church for our students! We will be playing a new game called Ultimate Socby (a combination of Ultimate Frisby, Soccer, and Rugby – with no tackling). We will also be playing a few other games like Cornhole, Jackpot, and

we may even have a water balloon/water gun fight if we have time! So please don't let your kiddos wear light colored clothing just to be safe! Lunch will be provided, and we will watch a movie afterwards to cool down! Camp is July 3rd - July 7th and we are so excited for it! We will be doing random summer events like normal so please make sure to ask your students for updates on those! Thank you for your continued support of our students!

Blessings,

Collin



Don' forget! Youth Camp Deposit of \$25 is due Sunday, May 28th.

KIDS CORNER NEWS

Just last month, we held our regular monthly movie in the Children's Ministry by showing Babe. They watched a movie, snacked, played games, made a

craft, and did a round of trivia for a full two hours of fun. The movies will be a regular occurrence, with a different one every third Saturday (excepting June & December). This month we will be watching "Beauty and the Beast", a movie where the kids will learn that love can transform us. The children will learn that in Christ, they can be transformed too! God is doing amazing things in the Children's ministry! With growth in mind, we've been planning a VBS for 60 attendees, up from nearly 40 last year. Even though VBS isn't until June, we do a lot of work behind the scenes before it is ever presented. If you would like to help, there are plenty of opportunities. I am so thankful for the dedicated work from so many. Speaking of many, our current age Sunday School class split is ages 4-6 (pre-K, K, and First grades) and "everyone else" which is ages 7-11, grades 2-5. The vision is to split the second class into a group of second and third graders (ages 7-9) and fourth and fifth graders (ages 9-11). But that means we need more teachers for the older groups! If you are interested in showing children the majesty of God's Word on Sunday mornings (and Wednesday nights too, if possible) please let me know. Children are eager to learn about the Lord, and we can teach them! "Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving." Colossians 3:23-24, NIV

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VBS JUNE 5th-9th, 9:00am-12:00pm Ages 6yrs old thru 5th graders



Come join us on Wednesday, May 31st for Game Night @ 6pm in Fellowship Hall. Bring your favorite snack to share!



Rooted in Christ, Growing in Faith

The **TreeHouse** is for children in grades 1st 5th grades. They meet at 5:30pm in Fellowship Hall each Wednesday for a light meal. Then they will be in the main building for their session 6-7:00pm.



MAY 2023



Sunday	Monday	Tuçsday	Wødnøsday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	Prayer Service 6:00pm	3 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am Youth & Children meal 5:30pm The TreeHouse (1-5th)6pm MPact (6-12th) 6pm Adult Bible Study 6pm	4	5	9:00am—4:00pm
7 Men's Breakfast 8:00am Deacon Meeting 12:15pm	8 6:30pm	9	10 Ladies Bible Study 9:30am Youth & Children meal 5:30p The TreeHouse (1-5th)6pm MPact (6-12th) 6pm Adult Bible Study 6pm	11	12	13
No Evening Service	15	16 Prayer Service 6:00pm	17 Youth & Children meal 5:30pm The TreeHouse (1-5th)6pm MPact (6-12th) 6pm Adult Bible Study 6pm	18	Leave church @ 5:30 for baseball game in Round Rock	Children's movie 10:00am
Senior Recognition AM Service Budget Meeting 12:15pm VBS Meeting 3pm 6:00pm BACCALAUREATE Meadowbrook Baptist	22 6:30pm	Prayer Service 6:00pm	24 SPJST Service leave @ 9:15am Youth & Children meal 5:30pm The TreeHouse (1-5th)6pm MPact (6-12th) 6pm Adult Bible Study 6pm	25	26 RHS GRADUATION	THORNDALE GRADUATION
Men's Bible Study 8:00am VBS Meeting 3pm SUMMED Youth Camp Deposit Due	Memorial Day Office Closed	30 Prayer Service 6:00pm	31 GGGH 6:00pm			

Birthdays & Anniversaries



May 02 Bill Jones

Wanda Waggoner

May 04 Carolyn Temple

May 09 John Norton

May 10 Paul Warner

May 12 ♥ Wayne & Melba Luker

Billy Zimmerman

May 13 Frank Rogers

Nancy Willis

Dorothy Lewing

May 14 Tamra Vance

♥ Larry & Donna Pipkin

May 16 Charlie McGregor

Peggy Meaker

May 18 Judith Carver

Hope Helgren

May 19 Darrel Walker

May 21 Orman Hoffman

May 22 Becky Phillips

Jerry Waggoner

May 23 ♥ Collin & Tori Brickhouse

May 27 Dick Boundy

May 29 - Jerry & Wanda Waggoner

Judy Cabral

May 31 ♥ Dick & Malda Burns