

# Groups

## Children

Infants/Toddlers	Nursery	9:00/10:30	Rm 101
Two Year Olds	Teeny Time	9:00/10:30	Rm 201 (The Reef)
Pre-schoolers (3-5 yrs)	Primetime	9:00/10:30	Rm 203 (Funhouse)
Elementary (K-3 <sup>rd</sup> )	Bigtime	9:00/10:30	Rm 205 (Beach Club)
4 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> grades	Crew 456	10:30 only	Rm 204 (Captian's Quarters)

Parents! Please register your children at the "Ticket Booth" located in the main hallway. Make sure to notify us of any allergies or other special needs. We also encourage you to pick up a copy of the parent's materials outside your child's classroom.

## Students

7 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> grades	Student Ministry 10:30 only	Rm 202 (Surf Shop)
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The student ministry also meets Sunday nights at 6:00 pm and other times throughout the year. Sign up for our student ministry newsletter by sending an email to Todd at [greenlawler@bellsouth.net](mailto:greenlawler@bellsouth.net)

## Small Groups

- **Sunday Bible Study** groups meet at 9:00 & 10:30 am in Rm 109.
- **Special Friends** (handicapped adults) meets on Sundays at 10:30 AM in Room 111.
- **Divorce Care & Divorce Care for Kids**-Tuesdays at 6:30 pm at the building.
- **Dynamic Marriage** (closed group) meets Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm at the building.
- **Divorce Recovery for Women**-call Shirley Stone at 527-3619.
- **Moms-to-Moms** ladies Bible study meets bi-weekly at the building.
- **Shelter** will not meet Sunday night at 6:00 pm at the building..
- **Tuesday** study group meets at 10:00 am For info, call Sandra McCarthy at 380-1086.
- **Anderson** group will meet Sunday at 5:00 pm at their home.
- **Boren** group will meet Sunday at 5:00 pm at their homee.
- **Duncan** group will meet Sunday at 5:00 pm at the Adcox's home.
- **Domkowski** group will meet this Sunday after 2<sup>nd</sup> service at the McCuiston's home.
- **Lamar/Lawrence** group will meet Sunday at 4:00 pm at the Lamar home.
- **Parents of Teens** will meet at 6:00 pm at the Beach (Rm. 205).
- **Parks** group will meet after 2<sup>nd</sup> service at the Pollard's home.
- **Schwendimann's** meet Wednesdays in Hohenwald. More info, email
- **Stoltz** group will meet Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup> after 2<sup>nd</sup> service at the Beach (Rom. 205)
- **No other group** reported that they will be meeting.

\*For leader's contact information, see [www.mauryhills.com](http://www.mauryhills.com) or contact the office.

<b>Numbers from last week:</b>	
Worship	530
Contribution	\$9,033
Building Fund	\$347



Welcome to Maury Hills! This is a church where judgment ends and restoration begins. Regardless of where you are on your journey with God, you are welcome here! We want this to be a safe place for you to ask questions, explore faith and learn more about the story of grace. I hope that you find today's experience to be encouraging and uplifting. After worship, you can usually find me standing in the front of the Worship Center around the stage. I'd love to meet you and answer any questions you might have. Thanks again for joining us!

### Information for our Guests

1. **What can I expect?** Our worship typically lasts an hour and 10 minutes. During this time we'll have singing, prayers, communion and a message from the Bible.
2. **Am I allowed to participate?** Absolutely! We encourage everyone to participate in worship to God so please feel free to take communion and join us in singing.
3. **What about the contribution?** This is for our attendees and members. Don't feel obligated to give. All we ask you to do is fill out a communication card and drop it in the plate.
4. **What do I do with my kids?** For children under 2 years we have a staffed nursery in Mr. 104. For children 2 years through 5<sup>th</sup> grade, please register them in the children's wing. Volunteers will help you from there.
5. **What if I have more questions?** Visit our website at [www.mauryhills.com](http://www.mauryhills.com) or contact us at [mhcoc@bellsouth.net](mailto:mhcoc@bellsouth.net) or 380-0206.

## Events & Ministry

### A Word from Russ...

Last week Jim Webb told us that we budgeted enough to hire a new children's minister in 2010. Well, we just hired her!! Dana Spivy will be joining our ministry staff on February 6<sup>th</sup> as our new Children's Minister (birth-6<sup>th</sup>).

Dana grew up in Louisiana and earned her bachelor's degree from LSU. She's worked as a children's minister in three different churches (North Atlanta and East Cobb in Atlanta and Rochester in Detroit). She comes to us with 9 years experience in the field!

The search team was very impressed with Dana and feels like she's a great fit for Maury Hills. She shares our vision for "partnering with parents" and "equipping families."

In her philosophy of ministry she writes, "My philosophy centers on the importance of ministering to families so parents (and other Christian adults) can take the lead in their child's faith formation. A church should not do spiritual development for a family, but provide ways for families to live into their own spiritual development."

Russ

**Midweek Praise** begins this Wednesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> in the Beach at 6:30 pm. Each week we'll be led in a time of worship and someone from Maury Hills will share a message with us. We'll also have a full range of classes for children and students!



**Beach Club** is Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup> during 2<sup>nd</sup> service in the Beach. Children (3 yrs and up) and their parents are encouraged to attend! Beach Club is a fun-filled time of worship, story-telling and games.

The **New Testament Challenge** continues! Tomorrow begins week three. This is a great time to jump in. A reading plan and book intros/discussion questions can be found at <http://www.mauryhills.com/ntchallenge.htm>. You can also sign up for our emails at [mhcoc@bellsouth.net](mailto:mhcoc@bellsouth.net)



To sponsor a child in **Belize**, pick-up a form from the lobby and turn it into the church office. If you want to help with Belize missions, but are unable to commit to \$200, a group of individuals might join together to sponsor a child. For info, contact Jenny Adcox at [jennyadcox@yahoo.com](mailto:jennyadcox@yahoo.com) or 628-0735,



**Winterfest** is February 19-21<sup>st</sup>. Students are reminded to please turn in their forms and money to Todd ASAP. To get a packet or more info, contact Todd at 270-725-7245 or [greenlawler@bellsouth.net](mailto:greenlawler@bellsouth.net).

## Family News

### New Members . . .

. . . **Harvey & Carol Church (Taylor, Emma)** They live at 307 West 6<sup>th</sup> St., and their phone is 381-5865. Harvey's email is [harveychurch@att.net](mailto:harveychurch@att.net) and Carol's is [carolchurch@live.com](mailto:carolchurch@live.com).

### Baby Shower....

. . . **Jill Norman Fields** (Buddy & Tricia's daughter) on Sunday, February 7<sup>th</sup> from 1:00-2:30 pm. Jill & Billy are registered at Target, Fisher Pharmacy and Itty Bitty. It's a girl!!

### Thank you . . .

. . . Thanks to the many people who volunteer when you know of a need. We greatly appreciate your response to our recent requests – **Karen Pearce, Jane Cherry, Carroll Duvall** for decorating our Christmas trees, lobby and worship center during the holidays; **Rick Arnett** for clearing our sidewalks of ice before recently; the volunteers that helped someone move and **Paul Kline, Charles & Richard Goolsby** for driving the U-Haul to Kentucky and unloading it!! Thanks to numerous other people who are quietly behind the scenes involved in ministering in many ways. You are appreciated!! **The Maury Hills Church family** . . . Dear Maury Hills Family, We cannot thank you enough for all that you have done and continue to do for the homeless at Green Street. The donations of clothes, food and money to provide a hot meal are greatly appreciated by the people who receive these blessings. Also, thanks to the members who have provided furniture, linens, and other household items to the individuals we have moved from Nashville to Columbia. We feel so blessed to be a part of a church family that demonstrates Christ's love in such a big way. We love you all! **Bob & Suzanne Derryberry** . . . The family of Sarah Murphy acknowledges with deep appreciation your kind of expression of sympathy.

**Betty & Donald Flowers and Bill & Mary Jean Murphy** . . . Thank you so much for the visit and basket brought during my recent stay at Maury Regional. The cards and acts of kindness we have received from your church family have encouraged us through a difficult time. Most of all thank you for your prayers. Love, **Ramona Ward**

### Prayer Requests . . .

. . . **the family of Carl Arnett; Beezer Blalock; Zachary Borne; Anna Carter** (Suzanne Derryberry's daughter) – tests this week to determine if she has cancer;; **Taylor Church** – recovering from surgery; **Brice Cosby** (Jim & Betty's son) continues his recovery at home! **Crystal Craig** (MUMS volunteer); **Nancy & Jimmy Derryberry; Jerry Donovan** (Lisa Allen's friend)– his cancer has returned; **Tommy Dooley** (Julie Kinnard's Dad); **Amy Hawkins & family; Trevor Jacoby** (David Derryberry's grandson) – praise God and thanks for prayers. Trevor has been dismissed from Vandebilt and is doing well; **the family of Justin Kaiser; Ronn Lambert & family; Mary Lawrence & family** (Andy Lawrence's grandmother); **Betty Love; Brandon Love** (Hopper's friend) – health issues; **Jerry Lovett** isn't doing as well and has pneumonia. He is at Life Care Center; **Betty McPeak** is recovering after surgery; **Leah Menees** (Erin Lawrence's Mom); **Linda Mogge** (Shirley Stone's friend) - cancer; **Floyd Pinkleton** (Marlyn's brother-in-law); **Andrea Owens Polk** will have surgery Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>; **Shelby Powell** (Flagg's cousin); **Floyd Pinkleton; Rejeenia Ransom; Gypsy Schwendimann** is recovering after surgery; **the family of Angie Sims; Dylan Snider; Tony Spain; Shirley Stone**- heart; **Merrill Turner; Crystal Webster & family** (HH House); **Steve Westmoreland** (David's brother) has been transferred to VA Hospital in Nashville and is improving; **Zula Westmoreland; Tim Wilson** (Diane McCuiston's brother);

Those serving our country—**Sammy Beard; Gregg Dellert; James Gray; Joshua Hines; Grant Voss.**

### Haiti Relief Help . . .

. . . To help with the **Haiti Earthquake Relief**, you can give through Healing Hands International (pr another charity of your choice). You can contact HH at (615) 832-2000 or through their website at <http://www.hhi.org/>

### Sympathy . . .

. . . to **Al & Jane May** on the death of their son-in-law, **Justin Kaiser**. Services were conducted in Watseka, IL. . . to **Andy Lawrence & family** on the death of his grandmother, **Mary Lawrence**. Funeral services will be conducted in West Frankfort, IL, . . . **the family of Leonard Williams**. Services were conducted Thursday.