

Groups

May 30, 2010



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 rd)	Bigtime	9:00/10:30	Rm 205 (Beach Club)
4 th -6 th grades	Crew 456	10:30 only	Rm 204 (Captain's Quarters)

Parents, register your children at the "Ticket Booth" located in the main hallway. Please notify us of any allergies or special needs.

Students

7 th -12 th grades	Student Ministry	10:30 only	Rm 202 (Surf Shop)
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Small Groups

- **Sunday Bible Study** group meets at 10:30 am in Rm 200 today (because of the Blood Drive).
- **Special Friends Class** will meet in Rm. 111 during 2nd service
- **Chaney** (parents of teens) will meet tonight at 4:00 pm at the Riley's home.
- **Shelter** (teens) are having a "Movie Night" tonight!! Meet at Bruster's at 7:00 pm for ice cream then "Prince of Persia" at 7:25 pm. For info, see Todd (greenlawler@bellsouth.net)

*Most of the groups are off for Memorial Day weekend!

*For leader's contact information, see www.mauryhills.com or contact the office.

Small groups leaders. . . . are reminded that we will be starting a new series, "The Parables of Jesus" during the month of June. Please let us know by June 1st if you'll be participating. If so, we'll send you the discussion questions on Friday of each week. Also, don't forget to turn your Fearless materials back in to the office.

Numbers from last week:

Worship	589
Contribution	\$12,126
Building Fund	\$285

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 Rm. 102. For children 2 years through 5th 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 or contact us at mhcoc@bellsouth.net or 380-0206.

Events & Ministry

A word from Russ . . .

We just received all of our reports back from the small group leaders and I thought you might like to see the numbers from the Fearless study.

We had 24 groups participate and they hosted 369 people. Of those, about 35 don't attend Maury Hills (we're reaching out!) and 118 were children/students. That means 216 of our adults participated in a small group for the study. Based on our average assembly attendance that's 63% of the congregation. That's great but we're hoping to get that up around 80%.

That's important because small groups are vital to the life of the church. They help us make connections with other believers and encourage discipleship and spiritual growth. In June, about half of our groups are participating in series I'm starting on the parables. They'll be listed in "Getting Connected" The others are taking the summer off. Then, we have a church-wide study coming up in August.

For more information about groups (joining one or starting one), contact the office.

Parents, would you like to find a fun, easily-approachable way to talk to your children about baptism? **For Heaven's Sake** is Sunday, June 6th from 12:00-1:30 pm (lunch provided). Students in 4th-6th grade and their parents are invited. If you have a younger child who is interested in baptism and want to consider attending, contact Dana Spivy to find out if this event is right for you. RSVP is required. Contact Dana at 380-0206 or dana@mauryhills.com.

The **Senior High Beach Retreat** is June 1-5. Pray for safe travels and faith-building week!

College Students—a small group study is starting Sunday, June 6th in Rm 200 during 2nd service. Matt White is leading and we'll be discussing the book, "Crazy Love" by Francis Chan.

The next **Beach Club** is Sunday, June 13th during 2nd service in the Beach (Rm 205). Parents and families are encouraged to bring your child for this special worship time together.

Summer Concerts! Wednesday, June 9th will be our first concert. It's with *Red Shepherd* at 6:30 pm in the Beach!

We need 20 more sponsors for **Dream 514!** If you can help, pick up a brochure in the lobby or visit www.dream514.com

We need volunteers to financially **sponsor** some of our kids for summer camp. If you can help, please contact Dana (children) at dana@mauryhills.com or Todd (student) at greenlawler@bellsouth.net



Family News

New members . . .

. . . **Ann & Maurice Burgess** - 504 Kingree Road, Shelbyville, 37160. His email moburgess2@hotmail.com and her's is anne.burgess@hotmail.com. Their phone is 931-684-1102.

. . . **Kim McKennon** and her daughter, **Tiffany Smith** - 101 Locust St, Mt. Pleasant, (38474). Kim's contact info is kim.mckennon@medsolutions.com and 931-626-5878. Tiffany's is tsmith7@columbiastate.edu and 931-626-3986.

Baptisms . . .

. . . We rejoice with **Kristen Loveless** (sister of Niki Baxter) who was baptized last Saturday by her grandfather and **Kim McKennon & Tiffany Smith** (placing membership today) who were baptized last month by their uncle!

Thank you . . .

. . . Thank you so much for the basket of baby items you gave to us upon the birth of our daughter, Madelyn. Thank you, too, for including our big sister Ally in the gift. That was very thoughtful. All of your kind words of support have been appreciated as well. We are blessed to be a part of such a caring and supportive church family. Thank you, **Tim, Kristin, Ally & Maddie Lenart**

. . . Thank you for your caring concern and the many prayers said in my behalf. I appreciated the sweet cards and Helon's letter. I hope to return shortly to my church family of love. Sincerely, **Myrna Beard**

Bridal Shower . . .

. . . for **Tiffany Prince**, bride-elect of **Joseph Howell** on Sunday, June 6th from 1:00-2:30 pm. Tiffany & Joseph are registered at J.C. Penney's and Target.

Sympathy . . .

. . . to the family **Pearl Murray**. She was the mother/mother-in-law of **Ricky & Rita Murray** and the grandmother of **Tessa (Rodney) Tucker** and **Rachel (Jim) Tanner**.

June Birthdays & Anniversaries are in the lobby!

Wedding invitation . . .

. . . We joyfully invite you to our wedding celebration. Please join **Savannah Cameron Clark & James Arthur Alexander** on Saturday, June 5th at Cedar Forest Lodge at Cedars of Lebanon State Park.

Prayer Requests . . .

. . . **Myrna Beard** is scheduled to return to her home on 5/29; **Tricia Beck**—3 more weeks of radiation; **Compton's; Nancy & Jimmy Derry-berry** (David Westmoreland's sister & brother-in-law); **Ronn Lambert & family; Linda Mogge**—upcoming cancer surgery on June 7th; **Greg Norman** (Marie Skelton's brother)—suffered a heart attack, but has returned home from MRMC; **Robert Norman** (Marie Skelton's Dad)—health issues; **Logan Parker**—13 yr-old friend of the Kinnard's has now been diagnosed with a rare form of cancer; **Ellie Poroin; Cody Roberts' sister, Elaine**, has stage-3 cancer and starts treatment in 2 weeks; **Harold Sharpe** (Susan's husband) has been hospitalized with congestive heart failure, but has returned home; **Marie Skelton** is at home with health issues; **Bob Taylor** - upcoming surgery; **Charlie & Betty Wakefield** (Robert's Dad & step-Mom); praise God **Terry Wakefield** is responding to cancer treatments; **Crystal Webster** is recovering after surgery and had to be re-hospitalized for another surgery on Friday; **Paula Westmoreland, Zula Westmoreland** (David's Mom), **Julie Wheeler**- cancer . . . Expectant moms/babies. . . **Aimee Alberd & baby boy** (Sept); **Susan Allen & baby girl** (June); **Amanda Blanks & baby boy** (July); **Tracy Rogers** (July); **Andrea Spears & baby Anderson** (June); **Tessa Tucker** (Oct), and **Stephanie Huffman** (Sept) . . . Those serving our country . . . **Sammy Beard; Gregg Dellert; James Gray; Grant Voss; Kyle Wix**

