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### Adult Class Schedule

**Sunday 9:30am**

**Dec. 13 – Jan. 3** (combined class)

**FC-fh** - "Luke's Christmas Story: Backgrounds & Themes" *Keith Parsons, Ben Fike*

**1st Quarter ASG Classes for Sunday and Wednesday begin Jan. 10**

**Small Groups** on break until Jan.

**Wednesday Night Supper** resumes in Jan.

### Meadowbrook Leadership

#### Elders:

- Don Berryhill
- Phil Lucas
- Bud Martin
- David Read
- Jeff Richardson
- Ton Rietvelt
- Jesse Simpson
- Larry Whiting

#### Staff:

- Amanda Box, Connections Minister
- Ben Fike, Senior Minister
- Laura Fike, Children's Minister
- Jay Hilliard, Finance Manager
- Belinda Melson, Admin. Assistant

### Stats - December 20, 2015

Attendance: 352   ▪   Weekly Budget: \$16,730   ▪   Contribution: \$21,598

### Assembly (10:30am, Auditorium)

**Sermon Series: "Songs of Hope: An Advent Mix-Tape"**

Dec. 27 "A Camel's Perspective" - Ben Kerr

Jan. 03 "The Earth is the Lord's and Everything in It"

**Sermon Series: "Hear the Word & Put It into Practice"**

Jan. 10 "Hear the Word and Put It into Practice"

Jan. 17 "Heart"

Jan. 24 "Soul"

Jan. 31 "Strength"

Feb. 07 "Mind"

### Calendar

#### December 2015

- 30 ...No Wednesday night classes
- 24-Jan 01 ...Christmas holidays (office closed)

#### January 2016

- 06...Meadowbrook Connect launch
- 10...New Life Sunday 10:30a Aud
- .....Baby shower for Sadie Sanders 1:30-3p RR
- 13...Guatemala Mission Trip Informational Meeting Teen Center (time TBA)
- 16...Daniel Ministry 2016 Kickoff 7a FC
- 18...MLK holiday (office closed)
- 23...Caleb Stevens/Paige Harrell Wedding 2p Meadowbrook Aud
- 30...Mid-South Girls Conference Memphis

MEADOWBROOK CHURCH OF CHRIST



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**December 27, 2015**

### Let Us Go and See

Luke 2:15

*Fairest Lord Jesus (v.1)*..... Lee Harrell

*Joy to the World (v.1)*

Welcome and Announcements ..... Amanda Box

### Jesus Is LORD

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Luke 2:27-32

*Jesus, Name Above All Names*

Prayer in Awe of His Great Salvation ..... Jason Windle

*Salvation Belongs to Our God*

Luke 18:24-30

"A Camel's Perspective" ..... Ben Kerr

*Wonderful Story of Love (vv. 1,2)*

### Grace that Rescues Me

*Blessed Jesus*

His Body, Our Sustenance..... Christ Jacobs

His Blood, Our Forgiveness

*You, Oh Lord, Are My Refuge*

### Reign in Your Power

Offering ..... Craig Wood

*Lord, Reign In Me*

Benediction (Luke 1:68-79 from NLT) .....Ton Rietvelt



### Prayer Requests

**Luke Ferguson** - out-patient shoulder surgery on Tues., Dec. 22.

**Rebecca Hammer** - at Highland Home.

**Jack Hardy** - Heather Hardy's father, diagnosed with rare form of cancer. Will be treated at M.D. Anderson.

**Hazel Stevens**, Caleb Stevens's grandmother, is having blood pressure problems.

### Congregational News

**Coming soon!** Hey, Meadowbrook, we are excited to announce that our new fancy shmancy communication system called *Meadowbrook Connect (MC)* will be available on January 6, 2016! MC will replace our current data base and do so much more to comprehensively support our ministries and our communication. Tutorials are available for those who need a little coaching, Wednesday, January 6, at 5:30 - 7:30pm, in FC 1. Be sure to bring your laptop. Stay tuned for more information.

### 1st Quarter Adult Spiritual Growth Classes coming January 10 - March 27.

Watch for class titles, facilitators, and locations.

**New Sermon Series beginning Sunday, January 10** - "Hear the Word and Put it into Practice".

*Paige Harrell*  
and  
*Caleb Stevens*

*Invite you to their wedding*  
*23rd day of January 2016*  
*2:00pm*

*Meadowbrook Church of Christ*  
*4261 I-55 North Frontage Road*  
*Jackson, MS*  
*Reception to follow*

**Christmas Holidays** Wednesday night classes will not meet Dec. 30. The church office will be closed December 24 – January 1. Ministers and Elders can be reached by email or phone.

**End-of-Year Contributions** If you donated a non-monetary item to the church in 2015 and did not receive a letter acknowledging that donation, please call the church office. Also, checks received after December 31 will not be included in calendar year 2015 charitable contribution statements unless the check is mailed and post-marked December 31 or before. Charitable contribution statements will be mailed out on or before January 31, 2016.



**Children 3 yrs. through 2nd grade** will not meet for KFC during Advent, Christmas, and New Year's. A Threes nursery is available if needed. KFC will resume January 10.

**We'd love to hear from you!** Please contact Amanda Box at [amanda@meadowbrook.org](mailto:amanda@meadowbrook.org) with any pictures or stories of your family's Advent time together that you'd like to share!

**Save the Date!** New Life Sunday is January 10.



**Mid-South Girls Conference 2016:** We are gearing up for the Mid-South Girls Conference at Harding Academy in Memphis on Saturday, January 30, 2016. This year Nicole Hendley will deliver a powerful message from John 4. Nicole is a youth minister at Otter Creek Church in Nashville, TN. Her Spirit-led passion is both encouraging and contagious. The cost of this one-day conference is \$20 and includes lunch, afternoon treats, a t-shirt, and an unforgettable day filled with worship and truth! Register online today! Registration deadline is Wednesday, Jan. 6.

**Winterfest 2016:** Mark your calendars for Winterfest 2016 to be held in Gatlinburg, TN on Feb. 19-21. Online registration will begin Dec. 20 and end Jan. 17. More details to be announced.

**Guatemala Mission Trip Informational Meeting:** Wednesday, January 13, Teen Center. Time TBA.



The **Meadowbrook Women's Circle** will meet on Wednesday, January 6, at 10:30am, in the Reception Room. We will go over assignments for our cooking day this January. Please bring a sandwich. Drinks and dessert will be provided. Please reply to Rebecca Long, 601-832-9003.

**Baby Shower for Sadie Sanders** A baby girl shower for Sadie Sanders will be on Sunday, January 10, 1:30-3pm, in the Reception Room. She is registered at Babies R Us and Target.

The **Women's Book Club** will meet on Tuesday, January 26, 6:30pm, at the home of Janet Ferguson, to select books to read for 2016.



**Daniel Ministry Breakfast and Workday:** Saturday, January 16. Breakfast begins at 7:30am in the FC-fh, followed by 3 to 4 hours of service.