MEADOWBROOK CHURCH OF CHRIST



May 10, 2020

While we can't be in the same building yet, we CAN worship together. <u>Click here for details about our Face-book Live session</u> this Sunday and feel free to invite friends from around the globe.

In Christ Alone	Praise Team
Be Unto Your Name	Praise Team
Welcome	Amanda Box
"The Marvelous Mother"	Brian Cunningham
*Communion	Suddeth family
It Is Well with My Soul	Praise Team
Closing prayer	Suddeath family
Shout to the Lorrd	Praise Team

*<u>Please have your bread and fruit of the vine for communion prepared before service begins</u>. <u>Click here for</u> <u>communion bread recipe</u>.

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

Baptism Congratulations to Mason Priddy on his baptism, Wednesday, May 6. Mason has attended Meadowbrook for several years and has been studying with Brian Cunningham recently for some time now. Mason has been baptized before, but felt the need to rededicate his life to Christ! He is married to Samantha Baylor, who attended Meadowbrook while attending pharmacy school in Jackson. She is expected to complete her residency in Texas in June and move back to Flowood. You can email Mason at <u>tmpriddy@hotmail.com</u> or send him a card at 1227 Apt. G2, Flowood, MS 39232 to congratulate him.

Blood Drive

Hey, Meadowbrook! Want to help out your fellow Mississippians? Meadowbrook has rescheduled its annual blood drive for Sunday, May 17, 12pm-4pm, in the Family Center. Mississippi Blood Services, who constantly stress to meet the needs of hundreds of units of blood and blood products for the metropolitan area every day, especially welcomes blood donors during this crazy time we are currently experiencing! Meadowbrook also needs to meet its annual requirement of at least 20 donors to ensure there is insurance coverage provided by Mississippi Blood Services for all our Meadowbrook members and their immediate families who might require the need for blood.

It is very important to Mississippi Blood Services and Meadowbrook shepherds and staff that we practice safe distancing and other precautions during this event. This is what MBS staff will do: take everyone's temperature before they are allowed to enter the FC. They will also all wear gloves and a mask, and they will bring PLENTY of hand sanitizer for our use. They will disinfect the donor beds/chairs between each donor as well. Staff will make sure that safe distancing is in place.

Who can give? Anyone between the ages of 16 & 17, with parents' permission, and up qualifies as a potential donor. After your temperature is checked before entering the FC, MBS will put you through the usual screening process — they will ask questions regarding your health and travel. Donors should eat a meal or snack **before** they come. Also, donors will need to **bring I.D**.

If you have ANY questions, contact Belinda Melson at 601-573-1022 or email, <u>Belinda@meadowbrook.org</u>. WE NEED YOU! MISSISSIPPI NEEDS YOU! <u>Sign up to donate here.</u>

Congregational News Continued...

Meadowbrook Graduating Seniors

Congratulations to Peyton Hilliard and Thomas Whitehead who are graduating from high school this year. If you would like to give these seniors a gift, staff will be at the building on Sunday, May 17, from 11-4. We will gather and deliver the gifts to Peyton and Thomas.

MYG Bible Classes

Ryan Howard has hit the ground running and is already scheduling classes for the teens. All teens should join Ryan for Bible class this Sunday. The zoom invitation is below:

Sunday, May 10, 11:30am Join Zoom Meeting https://zoom.us/j/93230662766

FAVE 5

Mississippi Food Network, contact Trisha Richardson, trish richardson@hotmail.com

Want to volunteer this week from your couch? <u>Follow this link to the virtual food pantry and pick out what you would like to put in your grocery cart -- it's that easy.</u> No one should go hungry, but especially not now. Mississippi Food Network is the supplier for almost every food bank in Mississippi, including Stewpot. Recently, WAPT did a virtual food drive and raised \$42,400 — roughly 253,000 meals. We have plenty of hands on deck but money is the volunteer avenue of choice right now. For every dollar you give, six meals are provided. Your \$5 will provide 30 meals, \$20 will be 120 meals. Thank you!

Health Talents International Click here for an update on our medical missionaries Kemmel and Lisa Dunham, who serve with Health Talents International in the rural area of Chichicastenango, El Quiche in Guatemala. <u>http://kemmelandlisa.blogspot.com/2020/05/exactly-same.html</u>

What is Fave 5 and why are we doing it? Learn more here. Other partners are Jackson Public Schools, Sunnybrook Children's Home, and Stewpot.

While we practice Safety-in-Place, we still want to maintain our ministries and financial obligations.

- If you would like to submit your contribution online, you can do so using this link.
- •Checks can be mailed to 4261 I-55 North, Jackson, MS 39206.

• If you would like to drop off a check or cash at the building, you can do so by placing it in our secure drop box. The drop box is located by the Education Building glass doors that face the I-55 frontage road.

•You can also request a pre-stamped envelope for your convenience. Email <u>belinda@meadowbrook.org</u> to request a stamped envelope.

Ministers and administrative staff will be working from home until further notice. Please use the phone numbers listed below to get in touch with staff.

Miss a Meadowbrook sermon?

Blaine Totty, Jr. Craig Wood

If you would like to listen or pass along a sermon, you can find sermons by date using this link.

Shepherds:	Staff: 0 601.362.5374
May Chairman: Tony Edwards, 601.278.2876	Brian Cunningham, Senior Minister c (205) 657-1926
Quinton Dickerson	Amanda Box, Connections Minister c (601) 896-4622
Tony Edwards	Ryan Howard, Youth & Family Minister c (318) 550.7274
Roy Kellum	Belinda Melson, Office Administrator c (601) 573-1022
Don Seago	
Larry Stowe	



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PRAYER CONCERNS

Mason Priddy — beginning his new walk with Christ.

Amy Nisbett, scans were clear on Monday, April 27. Next scans are on Tuesday, August 25.

Reed Seabrook, son of Bill & Martha Jean Seabrook, waiting on surgery; Address 60002 Umfress, Amory, MS 38821

COVID-19: Pray for a cure for our country's citizens and citizens of all countries affected by the coronavirus. Pray for our president and other leaders; for our shepherds and our children and youth at Meadowbrook and their teachers; health care professionals; school children and their teachers; HS seniors and their future; and pray for patience and understanding for EVERYONE.

Continued prayers: Amy Nisbett; Maury Phillips; Sarah Hooten; David Jackson, former pulpit minister; Charleen Read, former member; Lowell Kirkbride, elder at Cleveland CoC; Reed Seabrook, former member; Paul and Merry Ellen Stockwell, Stacey Irwin's father and step-mother; the Rives' families; the Dill family; Carlos Collier, and so many others.

If you have a prayer concern, public or private, please send an email to our shepherds or to Belinda Melson, <u>Belinda@meadowbrook.org</u>, and we will get you on the prayer list.