

May 1 - Graduation Sunday

Knoxville VBS meeting following worship

May 17 - Casey Jones Trip - Jackson, TN

May 18 - Youth Fun Night - Cherry Creek BC

May 22 - Awana Awards Sunday

May 22-27 - Knoxville Mission Trip #1

May 25 - Awana Fun Night

May 29 - Celebrate Belden - 5p - Business Mtg & Tailgate Foods

For the Record:

Mar. Budget Need: \$61,777.58 Budget Receipts: \$42,034.83

#### **Weekly Opportunities**

Sunday: Sunday School—9:00 a.m.

Worship—10:00 a.m. Youth Choir—4:00 p.m.

Children's Choir & Bible Drill—5:00 p.m.

Wednesday: Bible Study—10:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

AWANA—6:00 p.m.

Youth Bible Study—6:00 p.m.



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# **Mission Statement**

To build relationships that lead people to become



## **College:**

Maggie Meinz

Madison Shelton

## **High School:**

John Bailey Meinz

**Amy Priest** 

Addie Smith

Attention all E-givers—Consider using E-check instead of Debit or Credit cards. E-check saves the church money and allows us to steward our resources better. E-check is safe and secure. Thank you for using this valuable tool.

#### FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

I pray that each of you have had a great April and now we are heading into May and then Summer. We have so many opportunities to serve and engage in ministry throughout the Summer. I hope that everyone is making plans to join in.

God is doing a great work in and through our church. We have seen several people be born-again. We have also seen a maturing and reproduction through intentional discipleship. There will be opportunities for both men and women to engage in our D-groups this Fall. Begin praying now for the Lord to direct you to the group that you should join.

I met with the Properties Committee and we agreed that the staff offices need to be in the main buildings. The plan is to have the Music, Children's and Youth offices in the rooms above the gym and the other offices to the right as you enter the front of the gym. We plan to paint, replace the floor coverings and update those areas. This will be much more accommodating for the staff, our members and for guests. We will also continue to update the Sunday School rooms that have not been updated. The old music office floor is rotten and needs work. We will repair that area and make it into a large classroom. We need volunteers to help paint and do much of the work. The staff has done much painting and repairs over the last two years. We must take care of the facilities the Lord has blessed us with. The plan will be to make a few updates to the old office building and make it available to rent.

God continues to bless our church in so many ways. I can't wait to see what He does in the coming months. Don't miss out. Serve the Lord with gladness.

For His Glory,

### Pastor Shane

The spring semester is winding down. I'm getting excited about the summer. We are less than 60 days away from camp. I know the students are ready for a break from school. We're looking at having an exciting month as we are going to celebrate the senior class of '22. The students will be doing that May 11<sup>th</sup> on that Wednesday night. Followed by a

fun evening of Slip and slide kickball with the students at Cherry Creek Baptist Church on May 18.

I'm looking forward to the new group of upcoming seventh grader to move up into the group this summer.

Please if you have not turned in the information about Generate Camp see me so that can get taken care of.

Student Choir – Sundays at 4p - 7-12th Grades Children's Music – Sundays 5p - K-6th Grades Worship Band/Choir – Wednesdays at 7:15p





#### Join us for VBS!

Sunday, June 5 – Thursday, June 9 6:00pm – 8:30pm

For Ages 3 – 8th Grade



May 29th

**5 PM** 

**Business Mtg** 

**Tailgate Foods to follow** 

#### **Senior Adult Ministry:**

We are now in what is one of my favorite months of the year. It is during this time that we are fully able to see God's artwork in the beauty of nature. No artist brush can capture the vivid colors on display for each of us. This time of year also gives us an readily available opportunity to share the love of Christ with others. It takes no time to pick some of the fresh flowers growing everywhere and bringing them to someone that is home bound or a shut in it will certainly bring a smile to their face and it will give you a warm feeling for ministering to others. This month is also the time many begin planning and taking trips. We are no exception. We are planning our inaugural Senior Adult Trip. We are headed to the Casey Jones Museum and the old Country Buffet located in Jackson, Tennessee on May 17<sup>th</sup>. We will be traveling our bus so everyone should be comfortable and there will be plenty of room to stretch out for that afternoon nap on the way back. I hope you will join us for a day of fun, fellowship and good food. We are planning other trips, events, and opportunities for fellowship as we do church together. Let's be in continual prayer for each other and and reaching out to others. Be alert for opportunities God gives us to be His witnesses. Hebrews 10:24-25

Teddy James

Riverview Baptist Church

Knoxville, TN

Construction work - May 22-27

VBS - June 11-17

