

Calendar

November (*month of Thanksgiving*)
27 Not Meeting
28 Thanksgiving Holiday
29 Office Closed

December (*month of Advent*)
1 Hope
4 Class 6PM
8 Peace
9-13 Stewpot Serving Week
15 Joy
16 Jaquith Home Pty 1:30p
18 Christmas Party 6-7:30p
22 Love

SMALL GROUPS

Roy & Susan Kellum
(601) 362-3004
Cedars - Sundays 6pm
4145 Old Canton Rd. 39216

Brandon 2 - Caleb & Paige Stevens
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Young Professionals Tuesdays 5:30p

STATISTICS

NOVEMBER 17, 2024

Attendance: 106
Contribution: \$ 11,323.78

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OFFICE HOURS

Please call a person on staff
for assistance

MEADOWBROOK CHURCH OF CHRIST



Welcome! Please join Meadowbrook in-person this Sunday at 10:30am.
We will also livestream the service on Facebook.

November 24, 2024  *Happy Thanksgiving*

Call to Worship

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah.....Brad Blake
What a Friend We Have I Jesus
Where No One Stands Alone

Welcome.....Blaine Totty

Sun of My Soul / Sweet Hour of Prayer

Prayer.....Chris Jacobs

Sweet Will of God / Thank You Lord for Loving Me

Colossians 2:6-7.....Mary Presley Eifling

Till My Faith Becomes Sight
For All That You've Done I Will Thank You

"Overflowing with Thankfulness"Brian Cunningham

Lead Me Gently Home, Father

Communion.....Craig Wood

Jesus, Lover of My Soul

Benediction.....Randy Monaghan

Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart



*If you are visiting with us this morning or if anyone is in need of prayers, please fill out a **Visitor/Prayer Card** available on the table in the gymnasium. Cards may be placed in the designated basket.*



WINDOWS

A peek inside the Meadowbrook Church of Christ

Praying for -

- Marie Lentz, *compression fracture*
- Cindy Skipworth, *heath*
- Hayes Adcock, *Stacey Irwin's son*
- Ryan Hamrick, *health*
- Camille Dumas, *friend of Grace Stevens*
- Jason Petro, *Caleb Stevens' uncle*
- Nina & Elizabeth Thorn, *Sheila Thorn's mother & aunt*
- Kristen Cox, *friend of Randy & Teresa Monaghan*
- Thomas Mangum, *Bonita Ellwein's father, hospice care*
- Latasha Crump Coleman, *Lula Bell Luckett's godchild*

Ephesians 3:20-21... ²⁰ Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.

~~~ **Questions for Reflection** ~~~

1. What are some areas in your life where you have experienced God's goodness but may have forgotten to express gratitude? How can you intentionally remember and give thanks in those areas?
2. How does the idea of being "rooted and built up in Christ" help you maintain a heart of gratitude, even during difficult times?
3. What specific obstacles in your life might hinder you from a life of thanksgiving, and how can you address these challenges with God's help?



MINISTRIES

To be the hands and feet of Jesus

THERE WILL BE NO NURSERY OR CONNECTIONS TODAY

Our Wednesday night bible study will not meet this week.

Jaquith Nursing Home/Whitfield Annual Christmas Party

December 16, 1:30pm

Join us to sing carols, enjoy light refreshments and spread holiday cheer for about 20 residents.

Please contact Lula Bell Luckett (769-233-9606) or Linda Easterling (601) 259-4340) if you would like to attend/donate party refreshments

Congregational Christmas Party

Wednesday, December 18, 6-7:30 PM

Dinner will be provided.

Desserts to share are welcome if you have the time to bake.

A fun time of visiting, kids' crafts, and a fast-paced game are all on the menu.

Kids, teens, and the young-at-heart bring a wrapped gift (not to exceed \$10) for the game.

There will be a sign-up sheet in the back of the church, or you can sign up online. Watch your email for the invitation!

Thanksgiving in the Bible

The word "thanksgiving" can be defined as the expression of gratitude, especially to God. What does the bible say about "thanksgiving"?

- Being freed from the sin brings thanksgiving (Romans 6:17)
- Our victory through Christ causes thanksgiving (1 Corinthians 15:57)
- Thanksgiving is to be conjoined with prayer (Philippians 4:6)
- We have thanksgiving because God is good (Psalm 118:29)
- Relationships in the church cause thanksgiving (Philippians 1:3)
- Thanksgiving is to accompany our life in Christ (Colossians 2:6-7)