

UPCOMING EVENTS:

TODAY: Grand Ole Opening, 4 p.m

- 8/22 **Monday Morning Quarterbacks**, 6:30 a.m.
- 8/22 **Kyle Hutchison Golf Tournament**, Brentwood Country Club
- 8/22 **Women's Prayer Time** 7:30 p.m., Reception Room
- 8/23 **Ladies' Bible Class**, 10 a.m., Library
- 8/23 **FriendSpeak**, 6:00 p.m.
- 8/24 **Midweek Fellowship Meal**, 5-6pm "Summer Cookout" Theme
Hot Dogs or Barbeque
Baked Beans
Chips
Watermelon & Dessert
Ages 12& up: \$5; 4-11: \$3; 3& under: free
- 8/24 **POWER**, 5:45 p.m.
Bible Classes for all ages, 6:30 p.m.
- 8/27 **The Marriage You've Always Wanted** with Gary Chapman
Tickets available at moodyconferences.com.
- 9/9-11 **Family Retreat**, Henry Horton State Park
- EMS VOLUNTEERS**
8:00 – Betty Dickerson, Zach Wesley
9:15 – Brian Cromwell, Jeff Thurman
10:30 – Lawrence Freund, Lauren Berlin
6:00 – Leah Bradshaw

KEEPING THE NURSERY

8:00 A.M.

Infants: Amanda Davis, Jenny Davis, June Estes

Toddlers: Lori & Morgan Daniel, Nancy Ingram, Lynn Walton

10:30 A.M.

Infants: Mary Elkins, Dana Forrester, Gina Fox

Toddlers: Kare Loyd, Julie Maples, Phyllis & Chloe Sullivan

6:00 P.M.

Infants: Laura Flatt, Valeria Gillum, Shari Godley

Toddlers: Stephanie Forrester, Martha Frasier, Beth Lifsey

*****IF YOU ARE A SUBSTITUTE, PLEASE CHECK THE NURSERY TO SEE IF YOU ARE NEEDED.*****

Our Mission

The Brentwood Hills Church of Christ seeks to worship God and obey His will by preaching the gospel, loving and edifying each other, and ministering to those in need.

Implementing Our Mission

Following Jesus as Lord, we strive to do this by...

- Studying diligently the word of God and making prayer a way of life;
- Putting the word into practice in our lives and developing our personal faith;
- Praising God in our public assemblies and private lives, offering ourselves as living sacrifices;
- Identifying and employing our individual spiritual gifts, relying on God's Spirit within us;
- Strengthening our families and serving as extended family to one another;
- Strengthening loving/serving relationships within this Body, our church family; and
- Leading, participating in, and supporting missions of teaching, evangelizing, and caring for others.

BRENTWOOD HILLS CHURCH OF CHRIST

5120 Franklin Road Nashville, TN 37220 832-2541

Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 8:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday PM Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday P.O.W.E.R 5:45 p.m.

Walt Leaver, Minister

ELDERS

Alan Bradshaw
Bill Dickerson
Junior High
Jon Lowrance
Burt Nowers
Greg Slagle
Tom Whitfield

Mike Canterbury
Rick Harris
Ronnie Hunter
Frank McCreary
Randy Perry
William Tucker

IGLESIA DE CRISTO EN GRANDVIEW

2605 Nolensville Rd. Nashville 37211 244-0608

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Singing 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Roberto Santiago, Minister

WOODBINE FAMILY WORSHIP AT RADNOR

Worship 11:15 a.m.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Wed. Dinner 5:15; Bible Study 5:45 p.m.

FOR THE RECORD

Contribution & Attendance 8/14/2011

Weekly Contribution Goal: \$ 55,000
Actual Contribution: \$ 50,819
Year-to-date Contribution: \$1,677,768
Year-to-date Goal: \$1,705,000

8:00 a.m. 662
10:30 a.m. 808
6:00 p.m. 559

BRENTWOOD HILLS CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Highlights from the Hills
BRENTWOOD HILLS
CHURCH OF CHRIST
Being Light and Love on our Journey to the Son

EVANGELIZE
EDIFY
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ENCOURAGE

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AUGUST 21, 2011

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome

Mark McInteer

Leading Singing

Andy Flatt

*We Praise Thee, O God
Lord, Reign in Me
I Love You, Lord*

Scripture Reading

Hunter Taylor

Prayer

Al Bradshaw/Lee Mayo

*Spirit of the Living God
Here In This Place*

Comments

Amberry Brown/Pete Prosser

Communion
Offering

Hallelujah Praise Medley

Message

Walt Leaver

Do You Know My Jesus?

Prayer

Alan Paterna/Michael Mayo

Grand Ole Opening

4:00 **Open House** North Wing
5:00 **Potluck** Rotunda
6:00 **Service** Family Life Center
7:00 **Grand Ole Gospel Show** Family Life Center

Our elders want to be available to pray with you anytime you have a need. At least one elder will be in our prayer room (#302) at the end of each Sunday service. If you would like to pray, just leave the auditorium during the invitation song and come to the prayer room. At other times, feel free to call the office to arrange a meeting.

ELDER ANNOUNCEMENT FROM SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 2011

When we expanded our facilities in 2000, we obtained appropriate land use variances from the city of Oak Hill. While it appeared we would not be able to expand any further on our 10 acres, we continued to look for ways to maximize the use of our acreage and provide much needed classroom and other space for all age groups, especially our young people—a most important mission field.

With professional assistance we were able to develop a better plan for the north wing, which had an apartment for an on-site caretaker and a large unfinished storage area underneath. The plan also included improvements to the Family Life Center to make it more useable and attractive.

When a new Oak Hill city manager came on board, we initiated discussions to see if we might be able to get the necessary permits to implement the plan. These meetings revealed a window of opportunity to proceed with the plan. All that was needed was a letter from our neighbor to the north, Our Savior Lutheran Church, that they would not object to our facility being at one point about six feet closer to their property line than at present. They readily gave the letter.

The cost of the improvements, along with some needed enhancements and deferred maintenance in other parts of our facility, was estimated to be between \$900,000 and \$1,000,000. The elders determined that we could comfortably pay for about half the costs using funds reserved for future expansion. We would then seek the other half through a capital campaign. In the meantime we obtained a \$750,000 unsecured line of credit from SunTrust Bank to insure, pending the capital campaign, that we could pay all costs of the project without depleting needed operational funds.

We have enjoyed and effectively used our current facility debt free for about eight years and would like to be debt free again as soon as possible. Our excellent facilities are a gift from God provided to us through the contributions and efforts of our members who contributed during past building campaigns, many of whom have gone on to their reward. Many of us who are now benefiting from the facilities have not had the opportunity to contribute to a capital campaign as a gift to present and future generations. This can be that opportunity. We believe the new north wing will be an effective launching pad from which to send our young people out into the world to be the light and love of Jesus. The new facility will also be available for many other uses as we reach outside these walls to spread the good news.

The elders have appointed a committee to develop a capital campaign to raise \$500,000 to ensure we can totally pay off all the expenses of the expansion as soon as possible and retire the line of credit. We are designating the 5th Sunday in October as commitment Sunday to raise the needed funds. We are asking all members to prayerfully consider an immediate contribution or commitment.

In addition, the elders are beginning work with another group to gather information from the congregation to help refocus and revitalize our congregational vision. A survey document and focus groups will be used to encourage each member to provide input about additional ways we can spread the good news and serve the Lord both inside and outside these walls. We hope every member will give us their thoughtful input.

In Christ, The Elders

WELCOME, GUESTS!

It is a pleasure to have you worshipping with us today! Please take a moment to sign an attendance card and place it in the collection plate so we can acknowledge your visit. Our nursery is available for little ones who may become restless or require some other attention during the service. Also, **Children's Worship Training** meets in our small auditorium at the 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. services for two-year-olds through the first semester of first grade.

SUNDAY MORNING BROADCAST (10:30 A.M.): **WNQM-AM 1300**

Web Audio (All Services): www.brentwoodhills.org - Click "BHCC Live"

OUR FAMILY NEWS

JONATHAN'S JOURNEY

GRAND OLE OPENING

The *Grand Ole Opening* is TODAY! We will officially open and dedicate our newly renovated Family Life Center and North Wing this afternoon and evening with a special time of fellowship, worship, and entertainment in the Family Life Center.

Everyone is invited to come at 4:00 for tours of the new North Wing, followed by a sandwich, salad, and dessert potluck at 5:00. The dinner line will form in the Rotunda and we'll head into our newly renovated Family Life Center to eat. During the meal we'll project video of the construction project so you can witness the entire project start to finish.

Please bring sandwiches, salads, and/or desserts to share. We will have many guests joining us this evening and want to be sure we have enough food.

At 6:00 p.m. we will worship together in the FLC. Following worship will be a dedication of the north wing and a ribbon cutting.

After the dedication, Kerry Stiles and his band, featuring our very own Jill Freeze, Shelby McCreary, and Alan Bradshaw, will present a *Grand Ole Gospel* show, including commercials you don't want to miss. And we'll have a special appearance by *Roadhog Whitfield!*

Our evening should wrap up around 8 p.m. We hope everyone will join us for a fun evening of family fellowship!

FAMILY RETREAT

We are looking forward to the Family Retreat, and it's less than 3 weeks away! If you signed up for the Family Retreat, more information and a schedule will be sent to you via email. Let us know if you have any questions. It's going to be a great weekend, and we are looking forward to the fellowship!

CAMP 2012

Mark your calendars for Brentwood Hills Christian Camp XXVI—which will be held at Camp Leatherwood in the Summer of 2012! Junior Camp—July 1-5 Senior Camp—July 8-14 We are looking forward to another great year of camp, and plans are already underway for BHCC XXVI!

Many of you know that our dear friend David Mosley passed away back in July. Brother Mosley worked for many years to make Camp Leatherwood available for summer camps, and we are so grateful for the life he lived. We received this kind note from his family: *To our friends from Brentwood Hills Camp, Thank you so much for the lovely plant sent in our Dad's honor. It was a real blessing to know you were all at camp the week he passed. We know you love Camp Leatherwood as much as Dad did. May the Lord continue to bless and keep you. -The Family of David Mosley*

JOIN OUR FAMILY!

If you are interested in becoming part of the Brentwood Hills church family, please indicate on your attendance card, stop by the Information Center, or contact Jerry Kennedy (832-2541 x.228 or jerry@brentwoodhills.org). He will contact you and discuss the process for being identified with Brentwood Hills.

WELCOME!

We are happy to welcome **Christy and Russ Nash** to the Brentwood Hills family. Both are Lipscomb graduates. Russ is originally from Memphis and works for CPA Consulting Group. Christy is from Marietta, GA and teaches 4th grade at DLCS. The Nashs live at 320 Old Hickory Blvd. #1606 in Nashville 37221, and join CARE Team 11, Allison Musso leader.



SHINE

The children of our community need you! We are looking for volunteers who can serve Cole Elementary School by baking cookies, donating school supplies and clothes, assisting teachers, being lunch buddies, tutoring, and much more! Everyone can be involved with this project - young or old, male or female! Please visit the SHINE table in the foyer for more info on how you can help this year.

INNER CITY NEED

A young man from inner city needs a 38 Long sport coat. Please place at info center with Ruth Saunders' name on coat.

KYLE HUTCHISON GOLF TOURNAMENT

Everyone is invited to participate in the Kyle Hutchison Foundation Golf Tournament on Monday, August 22, at the Brentwood Country Club. Tee off is at 12 noon, and lunch and dinner will be provided. Cost is \$150 per person, and all proceeds will benefit the college fund for "Kyle's Boys". Contact Jeff Hunter or Ryan White for more details.

WOMEN'S PRAYER TIME

Women, all ages, are invited to an hour devoted to prayer, led by Sara Walker, on Monday, August 22 at 7:30pm in the reception room.

2011-2012 FELLOWSHIP GROUPS SIGN-UP BEGINS AUGUST 28

Fellowship Groups are a great way to get to know other members of our church family! When you sign up, you and your family are placed in a group of your preference, (with or without children, etc.). The groups (generally 15-20 people) meet once per month between October and May. The meetings are strictly for fellowship while enjoying a meal together, bowling, going to the park and a number of other fun things. Don't miss out on the opportunity to enjoy monthly fellowship with fellow members of Brentwood Hills! Each group is headed up by group leaders who give direction and leadership for the remainder of the year. You may sign up in class or in the foyer. For questions, please contact **Dianne Mayo**, 512-9486 or mayomom09@yahoo.com.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Tuesday Morning Ladies' Class, 10 a.m., Library. Lunch together the fourth Tuesday of each month.

Sanctuary Class, 6:30 p.m., Rooms 303/304. Sara Walker will be sharing with the class this week.

Wednesday Morning Ladies' Bible Class will resume on September 7.

UPCOMING SHOWERS

Wedding Shower for Rachel Smith and Corey Parkinson, today, 4:00 p.m., Reception Room, Registries: Bed, Bath & Beyond, Macy's, Williams Sonoma

Wedding Shower for Jessica Nowers and Halden VanCleave; Aug. 28, 4:30 p.m., Reception Room Registries: Bed, Bath & Beyond, Pottery Barn, Target

Wedding Shower for Marcy Hammons and Brennon Binkley, Sept. 18, 4:00 p.m., Reception Room

Adoption Shower for Katie & Brent Culberson (& Lucy), Sept. 18, 7:00 p.m., Reception Room, It's a girl (size is 18-24 months). Registries: Babies R Us, Pottery Barn Kids, Target

Baby Shower for Keri Hillis, Sept. 25, 4:30 p.m., Reception Room, It's a girl!

MEN'S MINISTRY

Monday Morning Quarterbacks meet every Monday at 6:30 a.m. in the Conference Room.

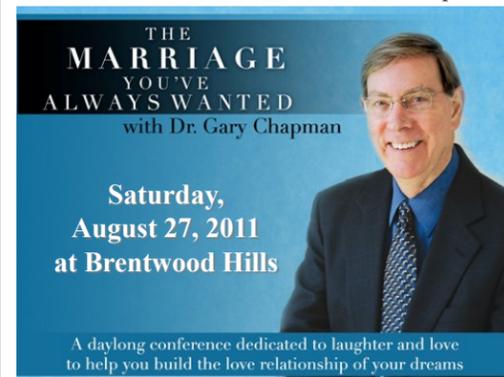
The **Men's Class** meets Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the Small Auditorium.

MARRIAGE MINISTRY

One Week: The Marriage You've Always Wanted!

If you purchased a ticket to the Marriage Conference for August 27th, you may pick up your ticket at the Marriage Ministry table in the foyer today! Hang on tightly to your tickets!

Also if you would like to come to the conference and haven't purchased a ticket or haven't paid for one that is being held for you, please contact Wayne or Karen Stephens or a Marriage Ministry committee member. A few tickets have become available at the \$35.00 price.



"I will make you my promised bride forever. I will be good and fair; I will show you my love and mercy." Hosea 2:19



This article & all forms can be found on the web. Financial assistance available for youth activities.

NEW BRO IN CHRIST!

12th grader, **Parker Thompson**, was baptized by John Hillin (one of our Wilderness Trek guides) this past Monday night here at BHCC at our Trek Reunion! Proud mom, Renee and sister Taylor were also present. We are so proud of Parker's commitment to the Lord - please send him a note of encouragement at: 5004 Danestone Dr. Nashville, TN 37220



AWAKENING CLASS THIS MORNING

7TH-12TH GRADE—9:15 AM BHSM STUDENT CENTER

OPEN HOUSE TODAY!

Sunday, August 21-Open House! The entire congregation is invited to worship, eat, and check out the new student center starting at 4:00PM. 5th-12th graders will serve at the meal at 4:45PM. Worship will follow at 6:00PM.

7TH-12TH PARENTS MEETING—NEXT SUNDAY!

All 7th-12th grade parents are encouraged to be at this all important meeting as we see where God is taking the BHSM! With all the changes in our youth staff, we would appreciate all families represented to provide the best year possible for our students! Info will be shared and input from YOU will be needed at the meeting. Meet in the BHSM Student Center at 5 pm.

FALL RETREATS

7th & 8th—Sept. 23-25—Taylor Camp
9th-12th—Sept. 30-Oct. 2—Whispering Pines
Applications available NOW!!!

Please be prayerful our all of our BHSM college students as they begin their semester this fall!!!

"Foot" Notes from "Miss" Suzanne



TEACHERS/HELPERS NEEDED

How important are Bible classes for our children? Only 2 more weeks until we mail the post cards to the children announcing their new teachers and yet currently we have only half of the needed number of teachers and helpers. Please don't delay! We need your help serving our precious own children. **The chart is at the south entrance in center of the foyer under the banner.** Choose your class and sign the list to teach either Sunday mornings or Wednesday nights. **Perplexed about your options? Sign the board with other options:** Willing to sub; Desire to be on a teaching team but need a partner; Would like to assist an experienced teacher. **We'll help you connect and use your talents.**



ARE YOU SEEING GREEN?

Recently you may have noticed lots of **green T-shirts** worn by some of our children and adults. Inquire. Ask them, "What is Team 3:17?" You will be amazed at the faith and hearts of these children who want to serve others.



And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

THE POWER OF PARENT PRAYERS...

With the new school year beginning many parents feel powerless when it comes to the negative influences their children might face in the classroom. What might they encounter everyday?a bully, temptations to cheat, "bad" language, or even controversial topics such as evolution, etc. Your best defense is offense.....scripture and prayer! Pray not only for your children, but with them. Pray for their peers, their teachers, and their school. Share a Bible verse each week for them to hold in their hearts everyday. (You might even tuck an encouraging message or scripture in your children's lunch boxes.) Just doing these simple things could change the world.....



PRAYER LIST

- **Sharon Briggs** is recovering from knee surgery.
- **Morgan Craig** will have heart surgery on August 30.
- **Debbie Gower** will be at home 6-8 weeks recovering from a fall.
- **Bill McFarland**, Adonnica Schmittou's father, is hospitalized in Edinburg, TX, after suffering a brain hemorrhage.
- **Frank Meza** has started preventative radiation treatments.
- **Rhonda Parker**, friend of Dana Byrd, request prayers. Her cancer has reoccurred after an 8 year remission. She has 2 small children.
- **Pat Stagner** is at her sister's home recovering from knee surgery.
- **Jeff Thurman's grandmother** is now at NHC Cool Springs.
- **Sara Walker** will continue chemotherapy treatments.

Continue to lift up: Betty Aston, Clara Barnett (Terry Barnett's mother), Pam Bishop (Donna High's sister), Betty Brumfield (Susan Pauley's mother), Susan Duncan (Donna Taylor's sister), Teresa Graves (Lydia Sullivan's friend), Dan Greeson (Sharon Matheny's father), Charlie Hale, Kathy Johnson, Edith Keith, Julie Lampley (Lisa Shankland's cousin), Bashan Liu, Joe McCasland (Lydia Sullivan's friend), Vic McKee, Irene Neal, Janice Pewitt (Joyce Barnett's sister-in-law), Sadie Pewitt (Joyce Barnett's mother), Elizabeth Raney, Courtenay Roberson, Hazel Rowe (Dana Lathem's grandmother), Horace Saunders (father of Nate Saunders), Adrianna Shireman (Kyle and Allison Duke's niece), Kevin Sparkman, Nan Tokunaga, Amanda Ward (Chris Davis' niece), Tommy Williams (Judy Wright's mother)

REJOICE!

Congratulations to **Parker Thompson**, son of Renee Thompson, who was baptized last Monday.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Matt and Anna Luther welcomed **Allis McLean on Wednesday**. She weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. Proud family include big brothers Marshall and Andrew grandparents Woody and Mary Kate Fisher.

Michelle (Tyree) and Chris Reis of New Orleans welcomed **Piper Mae** on Thursday. She weighed 5 lbs. 13 oz. Proud grandparents are **Melissa and Bob Tyree** and great-grandparents are **Jim and Sara Redmon**.

WITH SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to **Emily Hammond** and **Debbie Malone** in the death of their grandmother, **Ruth Downey**. A funeral was held last week in Maryville, TN.