



# REFORMATION SUNDAY

## MEADOWLANDS

### BAPTIST CHURCH

#### TODAY

##### **Nursery (0-3)**

9:30am and 11am

##### **\*Adult Bible Study Fellowship Groups**

9:30am or 11am

##### **\*Children's Sunday School/Teens**

11am

\*Please see the Information  
Desk for locations and  
details.

For by the  
works of the  
law no flesh  
shall be  
justified.

GALATIANS 2:16B



Coffee fellowship is  
available in the gym  
foyer before and  
between Sunday  
morning services.

**Please reserve the rear  
4 rows near the right  
auditorium entrance for  
families with small  
children.**

#### MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES

29 October | 9:30am or 11am

##### CALL TO WORSHIP

2 TIMOTHY 3:16-17

##### HYMNS

353 "O CHURCH, ARISE"

89 "AMAZING GRACE"

18 "ALL PEOPLE THAT ON EARTH DO DWELL"  
WITH "DOXOLOGY"

##### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

##### SCRIPTURE READING

GALATIANS 2:14-21

##### HYMNS

53 "A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD"

354 "THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION"

364 "HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION"

##### MESSAGE

"WHOM SHALL I FEAR?"

NEHEMIAH 6:1-14

PASTOR KEVIN WILLIAMS

##### CLOSING HYMN

133 "ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST"

##### BENEDICTION



**THIS WEEK (Oct 30-Nov 4):**

**Wednesday**

6:30pm

- Teen Bible Quizzing (Room 308)

7pm

- Men's Bible Study (Room 207 Fireside Room)
- Ladies' Bible Study (Auditorium)
- Kids 4 Truth

**Thursday**

6:30pm

Music Ministry Rehearsal

7:30pm

Choir Rehearsal (Auditorium)

**Friday**

6:30pm

Ladies' Pickleball (Gymnasium)

**5 November**

12:30pm

All-church lunch

1:30pm

Baptism and new members service (list of membership candidates on bulletin board)

**6 November**

7-9pm

Men's Sports Night - Floor Hockey

**10 November**

1-4pm

Homeschool Gym Day. All homeschool families in the Meadowlands congregation are invited. Contact Chelsea Rose (bcrose815@gmail.com) for more information.

**13 November**

Remembrance Day Observed -Church Offices Closed

**17 November**

Teen Nerf Wars

Details to follow

**1 December**

Christmas Banquet

See bulletin board for more information

*Deacon Nominations*

**October 15 - November 19**

Forms Located at the Information  
Desk in the Church Foyer

*Baptism & New  
Members Service*

**November 5 at 1:30**

Please speak to  
one of our  
pastors if you  
would like to be  
baptized.



July/August 2023

*(Excerpts from a recent update)*

Dear Praying Friends,

Every two months as the prayer letter is written, we are provided an opportunity to review God's faithfulness to us.

Early July was made up of counseling appointments and opportunities for ministering to folks from our church. All of these different occasions provide us with opportunities for gospel work. In conversations and in acts of love, people are introduced to and strengthened in the hope of Jesus. Pray for fruit from our various ministries.

On July 21, we drove to Cape Town to collect a visiting missions team from Fourth Baptist Church in Minneapolis, MN. This was the first team of people that has come to visit us on the mission field so we were a little excited! 18 people and their luggage arrived in Cape Town late in the evening. For the next ten days, we did our best to show the missions team our life in South Africa. We were so blessed by them - it was overwhelming. Pray for fruit from the ministry they accomplished. Their trip was so helpful and so successful, that we are looking forward to the next missions team that will come to help.

Our work with local teens continues as well. Not only is the ministry of the Boys' Bible study continuing, but we are still involved in hosting monthly youth activities as part of our ministry here. Pray for fruit from these activities. The activities always include a gospel presentation, and many of the kids come each time there is an activity, so they've heard the truth many times. We are praying for many of them to be saved.

At church, we are now seeing an average attendance at church in the 50s. We need a facility, but the property and building possibilities continue to present a challenge. The Lord knows our needs and will direct us to the right property in due time. We are trusting Him - and taking every opportunity to look at properties and venues when they become available.

Shortly after the team departed, there was trouble in the Western Cape province because the city of Cape Town instituted a crackdown on unsafe taxis. The taxis in our town took part in a strike action to protest the government's crackdown. Herb, who drives a taxi-like van, was unable to collect people for church and Boys Bible study had to be canceled for two weeks. Taxi drivers set up a picket line into the township and stopped anyone with more than two people in their car; in some cases, they would forcibly remove people from vehicles. Things were pretty tense in Knysna. Tires were placed in the road and set alight, and protestors threw rocks and in some cases, molotov cocktails. The strike is over now, and calm has returned, but the violent flare-up reminded us that our safety is in the Lord's hands. We are trying to be wise, and careful, but we also need to carry on our ministry. Your prayers for our safety are meaningful - and necessary. National elections are in 2024, and there is often an uptick in violent protests as a result.

Herb's counseling load has been steadily increasing and we find people with numerous challenges in their life. There is a significant amount of needs, and we need wisdom, grace, boldness and stamina to point people to the scriptures and to Christ, who is the source of hope.

You all minister to our hearts through your prayers and to our needs (and even our wants) through your giving. We are grateful to God for you!

Only by His grace,  
Herb, Janet, and Noah Hunter



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## **GIVING**

A giving receptacle is located by the church office door. E-transfer is also available. From your bank's website, select the e-transfer feature. The email address to transfer to is [donations@meadowlandsbaptist.com](mailto:donations@meadowlandsbaptist.com). Your donation will be automatically accepted, and you will receive a confirmation of the transfer. Please include your full name in the message line.