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# MEADOWBROOKE church

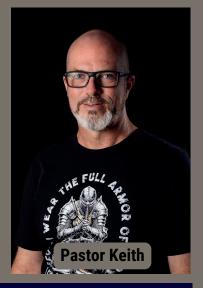


# QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



#### **LEAD PASTOR REPORT**

On July 13th, we will begin a new sermon series in James titled Faith and Works. Our time in James will help us gain a better understanding of what genuine faith looks like practically in the world we live in. I started preparing for this series a few weeks ago and believe that you will find it to be both encouraging and practical in helping you continue to develop as a follower of Jesus who is able to engage life and people in a way that honors God serves others well. I believe we are entering into an exciting season of life and mission together as a church. I am thankful that we get to enter this coming season together as brothers and sisters longing to see lives transformed by the only message that has the power to do so, and that is the gospel of Jesus Christ (Rom. 1:16-17). Grace! - Pastor Keith





#### **OFFICE REPORT**

Foremost, I want to extend our gratitude to the helping hands & hearts who made this year's Spring Cleaning possible! In tandem, we have brought on Mason's services for more consistent lawn care. We strive to be considerate and gracious neighbors! Speaking of, our neighborhood's upcoming Neighborhood Night Out is the evening of July 10<sup>th</sup> on Silvergate Drive (the road immediately south, paralleling our parking lot), you're welcome to join! Other upcoming outdoor fun is Super Day! Please join us in blessing attendees with Gatorade, activities, prizes, and most importantly, with the gospel and info about our upcoming VBS. - May you have a blessed summer!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**



## **WORSHIP & DISCIPLESHIP REPORT**

On July 31st we will be hosting a music tryout for anyone interested in serving on the music team! There is a flyer in the lobby with a QR code to sign up and get some information about the worship philosophy of Meadowbrooke. It's exciting to see our music team growing!

August 8th-10th is our summer youth camp! This will be an awesome time of fun and fellowship. Ben Mckay will be handling the preaching and I (Dillan) will be leading the youth in worship through song.



We are planning to invest more in Life Group leaders, equipping them primarily in two areas: pastoral care and a view towards multiplying. The way we plan to help leaders in these areas is through regular monthly contact, just a quick check-in to keep the communication open and make sure they're not doing this alone. We will also plan on hosting two in-house gatherings per year (fall and spring) to train and encourage Life Group leaders.



#### **FAMILY REPORT**

- Summer is here, and our kids are still exploring the Fruit of the Spirit learning what it means to embody it and more through engaging lessons, crafts, and Scripture each week.
- Mark your calendars! VBS is coming July 14–18, and we'll be discovering
  The Wonder of Jesus' birth, life, and death. It's going to be a week full of
  joy, discovery, and the love of Christ—don't miss it!
- Thank you for praying and partnering with us as we guide the next generation to Jesus!

## **ELDER REPORT**

As I reflect on this past year, what stands out to me most is God's faithfulness and how our church has striven to live the life of discipleship. In the past couple of years, the Board has:

- Formed the Deacon/Deaconess Council in line with the New Testament model.
- Revamped our hiring process to include an independent committee (Prov 12:15)
   Recently, we have felt God calling us in specific ways, to include:
- Pursue our calling to minister to the nations and engage in international missions.
- Building a more robust and consistent prayer culture including studying/discussing A Praying Life as an Elder Board, our Sunday morning *A Praying Life* course, and continued emphasis on prayer in our services.
- Enhance the feeling of community at Meadowbrooke, with exciting initiatives to come at the Fall Meeting!
   Some of the items that we are currently working on include:
- Going on a mission trip to Peru in 2026 Growing our wonderful volunteer teams.
- Hosting A Praying Life Seminar, in alignment with our church's call to be people of prayer. More info soon!
- Growing our wonderful volunteer teams.

In Christ, Ben McKay and the Elder Board



