GREAT BANQUET Newsletter!



August, 2015

Men's Fall Great Banquet Weekend #76 – Thursday, September 24 – Sunday, September 27, Pinecrest Conference and Retreat Center, 21430 Hwy 57, Moscow, TN 38057. Lay Director – Ronnie Long

Women's Fall Great Banquet Weekend #77 – Thursday, October 1 – Sunday, October 4, Pinecrest Conference and Retreat Center, 21430 Hwy 57, Moscow, TN 38057. Lay Director – Paula Denbow

Team Dedication/Potluck – Thursday, September 17, 6:30 PM, Faith Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 3427 Appling Road, Bartlett, TN 38133 – bring a potluck dish for the evening along with snack and/or beverage for Agape to take to the weekend for our guests.

4th Day Event - Saturday, October 10, 6-8 PM, Faith Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 3427 Appling Road, Memphis, TN 38133

Updated Team and Guest lists for both weekends are available on the Mid-South Great Banquet Website (<u>www.midsouthgb.com</u>)

Calling all Prayer Warriors!!!!

We have many spots for both the Men's and Women's weekend still open on our prayer chart. Please go to the website and click on **Prayer Chart** on left hand bar – then scroll down and look for **Mid-South Great Banquet** Men's and Women's weekend. It's critical and probably one of the most important things we can do for the weekends!

Agape:

Lots of Agape will be needed for both weekends. Don't forget how special it was to come in at night and find agape on your bed or at the tables when you sat down for a meal. This is one of our many acts of love our guests experience throughout the weekend. 65 pieces are needed for each weekend.

Its Takes MANY Hands and Feet for the Weekends!

There are so many needs and opportunities to be the unseen hands and feet of Christ for our guests. This leaves our Community with many opportunities to serve throughout each weekend. Come out for send-off, to serve a meal, decorate tables, write letters, provide snacks, attend serenade, candlelight and/or closing. Please remember these teams need LOTS of support from the community. Be mindful that in order to come out and serve/sponsor/attend, you must have participated in a weekend yourself.

Sponsoring a Guest for the Weekend:

Be in prayer over a friend or family member you could sponsor for the Men and/or Women's weekend which still has spots available. Remember that in order to sponsor someone you need to turn in a guest form, sponsor form and a \$50 deposit. All the forms along with the payment can be found and made on the Mid-South Great Banquet website (http://www.midsouthgb.com/).

LAST GATHERING FOR 2015

Gatherings are a great place for the community and their families to join together in food, fun and fellowship. A donation for childcare is collected so bring the kids, a pot luck dish and sit back and enjoy the company around you. Listed below is the remaining Gathering for the year.

November 14th 6-8PM
Advent Presbyterian Church
1879 N. Germantown Pkwy, Cordova, TN

2016 Awakening Weekend

Saturday, January 16 - Monday, January 18, 2016 Girl's Lay Director - Missy Carey Guy's Lay Director - Paul Earhart-Brown

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR THE WEEKENDS:

Also, remember that scholarships are always a need for the Banquets. There are many needs for the weekend and oftentimes we have guests or sponsors who are unable to pay the necessary fees. If you feel led, you can go to the website and make a donation through PayPal or mail a check to Mid-South Great Banquet, P. O. Box 343357, Bartlett, TN 38184.

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