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WORSHIP 8/16/2026	GIVING 08/16/2026	GENERAL YEAR TO DATE	2026 MISSIONS
199	\$4,936.00	- \$1,779.99	(2026 GOAL: \$120,000) Total Pledges Received \$102,738.8



Our staff meets every week on
Monday at 1:00 p.m. Email us at
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THE WORD OF THE LORD

August 23, 2026

things to know

WELCOME, VISITORS! We are glad you are here today. We would love to get to know you. Please scan this QR code to fill out a visitor form, or go to thesprings.cc/contact to get in touch!



THE SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS AND WORSHIP ARE LIVE-STREAMED at thesprings.cc/messages and on facebook.com/TheSprings.cc at 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.

COMMUNION is available to all during the invitation to the tables. Gluten-free bread is also available. Come to the Table with us!

GIVING at The Springs can be accomplished by placing a check or cash in the baskets at the tables today, or by giving online. Check out all the ways to give by going to thesprings.cc/give.



ASL INTERPRETERS - Each Sunday during service, we have an ASL interpreter on the North side of the Worship Center.

COMMUNION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - Our communion ministry welcomes your help! Scan the QR code to visit the 2026 calendar and select your month for preparation or cleanup. Your consideration and help is very appreciated.



CHURCH APP - Did you know we have a church app for you smartphone? Go to GooglePlay, or the Apple App store and download "Church by MinistryOne." Open the app, search for "The Springs Church of Christ," and create an account. From there you can register for events, give, listen to sermons and more. Contact Leah Redling if you need help or have questions.

prayer needs

PRAYER LIST - We invite you to scan the QR code to access The Springs Prayer List and pray alongside us for our church family.



HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU TODAY? If you would like to pray, confess, or talk about baptism, members of the prayer team are in room 113 throughout service. Please also feel free to go to thesprings.cc and click the **Get Prayer** button to submit a request. Our staff meets weekly to pray for you!

looking ahead

SUPPER CLUB - College-aged young adults are invited to join us on Wednesday nights from 6-8 PM for dinner and spiritual formation. Our location rotates each week, so please use the QR code to RSVP to get location information and help us plan.



SPRINGS FANTASY FOOTBALL! Whether you're an elite player or have never tried it before, everyone is welcome to join the fun. This is a fantastic opportunity for fellowship, building connections, and enjoying friendly competition with your church family. *Under 18 must have parental supervision.* If interested, please contact Ryan Stephenson or Blake Mullins. Online draft set August 27.

current happenings

THE WORD OF THE LORD - Today we continue our annual sermon series, The Word of the Lord. The sermon texts come from the Revised Common Lectionary, a three-year cycle of scriptures that follows the Christian liturgical year from Advent to Lent to Easter, and beyond. Join us as we submit ourselves to the authority of God in every corner of scripture.

BACK TO SCHOOL CARNIVAL - Our annual Back to School Carnival is *today* from 5 to 7 p.m. in the church gym and parking lot! We hope you will join us for this evening of carnival games, snacks, and prizes. Invite your friends and family!

PRAYER PARTNERS - If you would like to pray for one (or several) of our children during September, please use this QR to find more information and to sign up!



bible classes

Learn more at thesprings.cc/adultbibleclass

ADULT BIBLE CLASS (Room 110 - 9:30 a.m.) Starting this week, Jeremy Ball is leading our Adult Bible Class in a 2-week Bible Book class meeting in Room 110.

WALKING TOGETHER (Room 206 - 9:30 a.m.) Adults of all ages are invited to join our college students and other young adults for conversations about navigating life transitions. Together, we will see how scripture reminds us that God is always with us and teaches us how to live faithfully as we journey from *what is* to *what is about to be*.

FAMILIES WITH YOUNG CHILDREN (Room 207 - 9:30 a.m.) Brent Stafford will be leading our discussion of The Philosophical Baby. Join us as we explore how young children think, learn, and make sense of the world, and discover practical ways parents can communicate more effectively with their young children. We hope you'll join the conversation!

WOMEN'S BIBLE CLASS: THE NAMES OF GOD (Room 113 - 9:30 a.m., begins *today*) From the opening chapters of Genesis through the final verses of Revelation, God is known by many names—names that reveal who He is, what He does, and how He relates to His children. You have a name, too. You are His beloved child, a Christian, one who bears His name. In this 8-session Bible study, you'll examine names for the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and you'll discover the impact each of God's names has on your relationship with Him. Each name you encounter will inspire you to worship God for who He is and challenge you to consider how your life can be transformed in light of His character. Ladies of all ages are welcome.

UPCOMING CLASSES:

WEDNESDAY PM BIBLE CLASS - Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m., begins September 2, 2026 - This fall, the adult Wednesday night class is studying the Gifts of the Holy Spirit. Check out 1 Corinthians 12. The giving of these precious gifts can't be explained by talent, education, or righteousness—they aren't even earned. A gift can become a lifelong ministry or last just a moment. Let's learn together about these pure gifts from the Holy Spirit and how to receive them. 1 Timothy 4:14 says, "Do not neglect the gift in you." Study guide info to follow.