

## springs leadership

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**Communion** Debbie Benedetti

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**Prayer** Holly Hixson

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WORSHIP 11/05/2023	GIVING 11/05/2023	GENERAL YEAR TO DATE	2023 MISSIONS
204	\$22,882.95	- \$9,092.12	(2023 GOAL: \$130,000) Total Pledges Received 107,149.10



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Blessed Are the Peacemakers

November 12, 2023

## things to know

**VISITORS:** Welcome! 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](https://thesprings.cc/contact) to get in touch!



**THE SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS AND WORSHIP ARE LIVE-STREAMED** at [thesprings.cc/messages](https://thesprings.cc/messages) and on [facebook.com/TheSprings.cc](https://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 at select tables. 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](https://thesprings.cc/give).

**COMMUNION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Thanks to all of you who are serving in the communion ministry. If you are not and would like to be a part of this vital service to your church, please scan the QR code. We only need one person to clean in December and cleaners from January to April next year! If you have any questions, please reach out to Debbie Benedetti at [benedetti.debbie@gmail.com](mailto:benedetti.debbie@gmail.com).



**CONNECTION GROUPS** - We could not have great relationships without people like YOU! Connections groups create a space for people to intentionally share their lives with others, grow spiritually together, and encourage each other. Every Connections group is unique! Discover existing Connections groups by using the QR code, or contact Jason Henley at [jasonnealhenley@hotmail.com](mailto:jasonnealhenley@hotmail.com).



**PRAYER NEEDS TODAY?** Elder couples are available to pray with you during communion, and members of the prayer team are in room 113 throughout service. Or feel free to go to [thesprings.cc](https://thesprings.cc) and click the **get prayer** button to submit a request or email our Prayer Delegate at [holly.hixson@gmail.com](mailto:holly.hixson@gmail.com).

- **Melody Jones's father** had a heart attack last Sunday afternoon. He had surgery and is stable, so please pray as he recovers.
- Let's lift up our community in prayer as we strive to be the hands and feet of Jesus and serve our neighbors.

## current happenings

**TODAY WE CONTINUE** our new sermon series, *Blessed Are the Peacemakers*. Violence abounds. Turmoil reigns. There are conflicts everywhere there are humans. In this warring world, Jesus stood on a mountain and called peacemakers blessed children of God. He taught forgiveness, reconciliation, enemy-love, and turning the other cheek. But how is that possible in the world of sin we inhabit? The only way we can follow his way is by trusting Ephesians 2:14: Jesus Christ "is our peace."

**JOIN US TONIGHT FOR WORSHIP!** - We are hosting a time of community worship on the back lawn at 6:30 p.m. Please plan to join us for this time of worship together.

## bible classes

Learn more at [thesprings.cc/adultbibleclass](https://thesprings.cc/adultbibleclass)

**WORKS OF C.S. LEWIS** (Auditorium) - Join us today for our last week looking at the works C.S. Lewis!

**TWELVE WOMEN OF THE BIBLE** (Room 113) - Their stories are not fairytales, the road was not easy, and their examples are not perfect. They lived in times and places quite different than ours. Yet they teach us lessons that are deeply practical, holding up a mirror to our lives and souls that can help us better understand our own story. Real women. Real struggles. Real fight. Join us the next six weeks on Sunday mornings at 9:30!

**PARENTS OF YOUNG CHILDREN** (Room 207)

**COLLEGE & YOUNG ADULTS CLASS** (Room 205)

**WEDNESDAY NIGHTS** - Join us for Bible study at 6:30 p.m on Wednesdays!

## looking ahead

**WELCOME TABLE** - Join us for Welcome Table and Gratitude Gathering this Wednesday, November 15, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. We will have our traditional chili and pie potluck which is always so delicious! We will also have The Pearl House represented by Amelia Powell as they are collecting shoes! Bring new, used or gently worn shoes (all sizes - please no snow boots) to donate.



**WOMEN'S ADVENT GATHERING** - The women of The Springs will gather on Tuesday, November 28, 2023 at 6:00 p.m. at June Cromling's home for an evening of food, worship, and prayer. Please mark your calendar and plan to join us for this evening together.