

Family Focus

The Carpenter Family



Family Focus welcomes
Clay and Lindley
to the Germantown family!

Clay and Lindley Carpenter met each other when they were teenagers at the Collierville church of Christ. The Carpenters are newlyweds as they were married on June 19, 2010! They placed membership with our congregation on July 18.

Lindley grew up in Collierville as the oldest of five children and was brought up in the church. After graduating from Fayette Academy Lindley obtained a Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education and a Master's Degree in Elementary Education from Freed-Hardeman University. She enjoys being a 1st grade teacher at H. W. Byers elementary school. Lindley's hobbies include reading, going "junking", riding bikes and crafting.

Clay was raised in Slayden, MS and has one daughter, Mackenzie, who is 6 years old and lives in Atlanta.. He was also brought up in the church and was baptized at the Collierville congregation when he was 17 years old. In December 2009 Clay was restored. Clay co-owns and manages the Slayden Travel Center on US Highway 72.

The Carpenters have already volunteered to be part of the Green Apron Crew! Both Clay and Lindley "are eager to jump in wherever we can" and "look forward to becoming involved in outreach ministries."

Be sure to make friends with Clay and Lindley as we work together in the Lord's service at Germantown! - Glenn Daily -

L2L 2011 is now underway!

Lads-to-Leaders (L2L) at Germantown has started the 2011 year! We enjoyed the Kickoff Banquet last night and we are looking forward to another great year!

Barry Binion, a former youth minister at Germantown, gave a great keynote address! Thanks to Al Gabriel, who was our MC, and to Steve Estes, Josh Robinson, Will Buchanan, Mark Conder, Len Walp and Zach Shappley for their part in the program.

Thanks to everyone who prepared food and performed the setup and cleanup. Janet Smith and Lynn Gray did another excellent job in the coordination of the banquet!

If you were not able to attend the banquet, registration forms are on a table in the south hallway. Registration forms are due to the Dailys or of before September 26. The registration forms include:

- ⊗ Registration Fees Form - one per family
- ⊗ Adult Registration Form - one per adult staying in the hotel
- ⊗ Student Registration Form - one per L2L participate staying in the Opryland Hotel (exception: 2nd grade or under)
- ⊗ Hospitality Suite Form - one per family if your family will be eating in the Hospitality Suite

Be involved in L2L 2011!

The Challenge

10 Women
10 Weeks
10 Challenges

The following women are taking The Women's Leadership Challenge! Please keep these women in your prayers over the next several weeks as they increase their spiritual growth.

Tracy Anderson	Brandy Marek
Lindley Carpenter	Jennifer Markham
Lindsey Crowe	Suzanne Marrero
Emily Graham	Ilinda Parham
Liz Jinkerson	Emily Turner

A special thanks to Suzanne Marrero, for coordinating the signup process for The Challenge!

What 2 Watch 4

September 14 and 28 **The Advanced Challenge**
The Men's Leadership Advanced Challenge meets in Room 123 at 6:30 pm.

September 21 **The Challenge**
The Women's Leadership Challenge meets in Room 123 at 6:30 pm.