

## TRENDING NOW: SUMMER 2017

**Vacation Bible School** – You can't have summer without VBS! In partnership with Hope City Church, "Glow For Jesus" features week-long Bible instruction, games, food, and activities that culminate in a huge party at Shelby Farms including paddle boating, horseback riding, and a dinner on the grill... June 5-7 (5:30-8p) at Bickford and then Shelby Farms on June 8 (2-5p).



**Summer Baseball** – Few things epitomize summer fun like baseball. This year we are partnering with 'A-Game Sports' to provide a program teaching baseball fundamentals, team spirit and fun competition. Over the last few years we've had our teams experience winning seasons as they put into practice what they were learning. This year we will have 2 teams (14 & under and 10 & under). If you like baseball and have some time, we'd love your help coaching these awesome kids!



**Read 2 Succeed (R2S)** – READY is one-on-one tutoring where each student will be matched with a coach and receive instruction in phonics, fluency & sight words. In addition, we will be taking all of our R2S participants on field trips to local staples like the Memphis Zoo, Incredible Pizza, etc.



**Summer Bible Camps** – we are taking our students to a couple of key summer camps to help them experience Christ and service in ways they have not experienced before. Our middle-schoolers will join Hope's youth to attend The Great Escape Bible Camp in Cleveland, TN. Out of their normal element, youth will be challenged in the understanding of Christ and to place Him first in their lives, and have a blast in the process. Our high school youth will be participating in Service Over Self (SOS) Camp. Here they will serve others through construction projects outside of their neighborhood and learn the value in putting others first and making Christ the Lord of their lives.



**Warrior Princesses & Lion's Cage Clubs** – Girls and boys in grades 3-6 come together to learn life skills such as cooking or self-defense, spiritual development, and community service. Meet at Bickford or go on outings various times throughout the summer.

**Middle & High School Clubs** – These youth outreaches meet periodically since the kids are spending most of their time in summer camps and the Summer Leadership Academy. Clubs are designed to help kids stay connected and have fun before the school year begins again.

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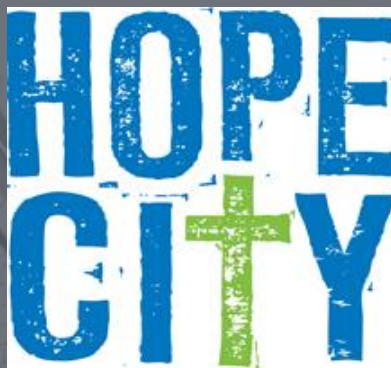
## MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS!

Habitat for Humanity & President Jimmy Carter partnered to build 26 new homes in August 2016

Our Youth Star Terrian Bass was featured on American Idol and is featured on TobyMac & Newsboys Tours

'Undeclared' (documentary on the Manassas Football Team including Oasis volunteers) won an Academy Award

ABC's 20/20 'Babyland' featured ministry and community



**Summer Leadership Academy** – This is the most intense summer program that we run. Our higher achieving high-schoolers participate in an intensive 8-week long training that provides cultural exposure, leadership development, service opportunities, job training & employment for students in order to promote longevity and self-sustainability in their lives. Students learn and practice Love for God, self, others and community. Investing in our youth in this way can radically increase their capacity to succeed in life.

**Back to School Drive** – To help your child prepare for the first day back to class, we partner with Urban Ministries of Hope Church and local schools to fill backpacks with requested supplies needed for students in grades K-college.

**Oasis Appliance & Home Furnishings** – Shop at our store (3154 North Thomas Street, in the Northgate Shopping Center, 901.577.0013) for quality, affordable pre-owned items, Tuesdays-Saturdays from 10a-4p. We not only offer great appliances, furniture and home decor, but also provide job training and employment.

**Bickford Seniors' Program** – Our 125 seniors are thriving and growing with numerous activities and events going on daily! Free meals & transportation (provided by MIFA), Bible studies, crafts, social services, fields trips, parties, education and much more are provided. Meet at Bickford M-F from 8:30a-1p.

**Affordable Housing** – Over the past 12 years, Oasis has partnered with other non-profit housing agencies to build more than 70 homes in the community. Oasis directly owns and provides quality /affordable housing to 22 families in our community. Consider renting one of our beautiful properties or volunteer for one of our upcoming builds. Call for vacancies at 901.354.2778.

**Hope City Church** – Get to know our Community Pastor, Colley Cooper, who is leading the way in 'A New Way To Do Church' in 38107 that is open to the unchurched, the dechurched, and the rechurched! Get involved with this growing movement! Service is held inside of Caldwell-Guthrie School (951 Chelsea) on Sundays at noon.

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