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Spring is busting out all over!

March 2013

MOMLIFE BOOTCAMP

Think summer camp, with the addition of wisdom and an entire weekend designed to help you connect with God more deeply and other moms more fully.

The staff at **MomLife Today** share their lives with others daily through blog posts but we felt it was time to begin carving out relational time for moms. It is our desire to provide an opportunity for moms to pull away from their momlife and be refreshed

The mom event
for you!

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BOOTCAMP**

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like a teenager.

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with peers.

Hear...
biblical truth.

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**APRIL 12-14, 2013
IN TYLER, TX**

weekend of fun with a purpose.

in a beautiful location enjoying God's creation. We also wanted to find just the right people to partner with and we did in Pine Cove. For over 40 years Pine Cove has made a difference in the lives of countless youth and families through providing the very best camp experience ever.

Moms will learn much, be loved lots and have some serious fun alongside other moms of all ages! Encourage the moms in your life to consider joining us for this incredible



HOPE FOR ORPHANS

God wants His people to care for children who have no one. This is what he has al-

ways wanted. At different times, we as His followers have been responsive to this desire and at other times we have not. But right now, there is a historic movement underway. It is a movement that is literally changing the world and it is doing so one church and one orphan at a time.

Every week churches are launching ministries dedicated to caring for orphans and to finding many of these children families through adoption and foster care. God is raising up His church in mighty ways to address the current reality of over 130 million orphans worldwide.

How might God want to use your church?

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Serving every church to reach every orphan

FamilyLife's Hope for Orphans is committed to connecting you with excellent resources and strategic relationships so that your church can do all that God has called it to do on behalf of the orphan.

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Continue to pray for the Content Team as we edit and evaluate materials for ministry. Pray for God to mold and shape our team to be what He wants
- Pray for the staff women preparing for the MomLife Bootcamp to be led by the Lord as they prepare to bring renewal to moms from around the country.
- Pray for the Weekend to Remember conferences that are occurring each weekend this spring. Pray the couples who attend will find hope and healing for their marriages.
- Pray for our family. We desire to serve the Lord with all our hearts. Pray He will guide us as we minister in His name.

Under His Mercy,

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Family News

Our family has had quite a busy month of ministry. Some of it broke our heart and some of it blessed us to tears. All of it reminded us of the mercy of God.

Early this month we were saddened to hear of the homegoing of one of our dear, longtime friends. He leaves behind a dearly loved wife and daughter. It was such an honor to stand with his family at the DFW National Veterans Cemetery as Nick led the service for Steve Welp. It reminded us that this world is not our home and that heartache will one day come to an end.

Lisa was thrilled to be able to minister with Katie at a ladies ministry tea and outreach at FamilyLife during her spring break. They served tea and goodies with mercy and laughter to some women who had heavy hearts and weary souls. It was a blessing for those who gave and those who received.



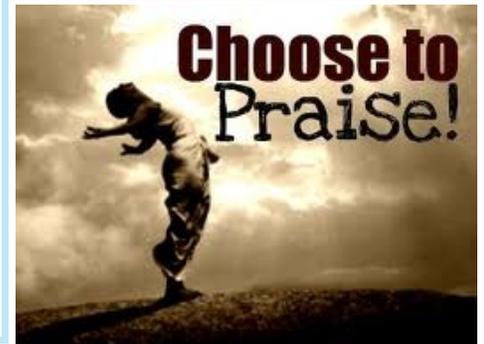
Emily spent her spring break on a mission trip to San Pedro, Dominican Republic. Her small group of four teens and two adults led VBS, baseball camps, dance camps and did door to door evangelism. Although their focus was mainly on children their parents were invited to attend the evening services. Five adults gave their lives to Christ in ONE service. Emily

has learned so much about how God can and wants to use her to further His kingdom! Thank you for praying for her and the team.

Thank you for praying for our family as we grow and learn and serve the Lord together. Grace and peace from our Lord and Savior be yours.

Family Praise Update

- ♥ We praise God that 597 people have decided to follow Christ at Weekend to Remember conferences this spring!
- ♥ Emily has had a tremendous opportunity to minister and touch the lives of children in the Dominican Republic.
- ♥ After our tragic encounter with a deer in our old car the insurance company was very fair to us. We were able to purchase a 2002 car for Nick to drive that had half as many miles as our old car.
- ♥ Howard G. Hendricks, known as "Prof" to graduates of Dallas Theological Seminary went to be with the Lord on February 20th. He leaves behind an incalculable legacy. Nick's life and countless others were touched by this one man's faith and teaching.



Our Featured Product:

MOMLIFE BOOTCAMP

Pine Cove

April 12-14, 2013

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