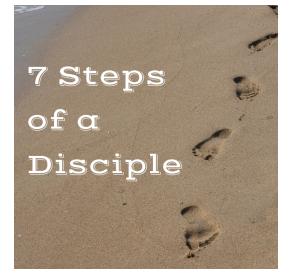
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Current Sermon Series

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Worship at the Building

Daylight Saving Time begins this weekend. Remember to spring forward and set your clocks ahead one hour before bed on Saturday night!

Worship at the building is Sunday at 9:30 am. Bible classes for all ages begin at 11:00 am. Shepherds are available for prayer in Room 112a off the gym, 8:45 am.

Streaming on YouTube

Our Sunday worship service is streaming live on YouTube! @MXChurchSTL

MX Church Bowling



MX Church Bowling is Back! Sunday, April 7, we're going bowling at Shrewsbury Lanes from 1:30–3:30 pm. Everyone is welcome to join the fun. Please bring \$10 per person up to \$40 per family group. Click for more information or to sign up.

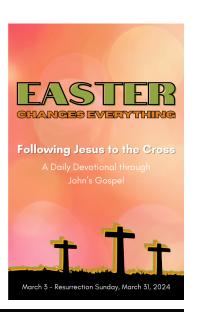
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Following Jesus to the Cross

Following Jesus to the Cross – This daily devotional through John's Gospel invites us to follow Jesus on his road to the cross through to Resurrection Sunday. Each day has a short passage from the Gospel of John and a devotional thought written by one of our MX members. It is not too late to catch up!

Join in for today's reading, John 2:1-11, and a reflection from Alec Hill. The Easter devotional is available in digital format. Click the image or the following link for a <u>PDF of the booklet</u>. It is also available on the main page of the Church Center app <u>here</u>.

Our prayer is what John promised in John 20:31: "But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name."



Candy Needed for Easter Eggstravaganza



Call for Candy – We are requesting donations of candy for this year's Easter Eggstravaganza egg hunt on March 31. We are good on allergy-friendly candy and plastic eggs, but we need chocolate and other types of candy. The candy must fit inside an easter egg, so miniature candy is the way to go. Please drop off bags of individually-wrapped pieces of candy through Sunday, March 17, in the foyer.

Camp Neotez Annual Dinner

The Camp Neotez Annual Dinner will be Friday, April 5, at the Machinists' Hall in Bridgeton. Doors open at 6. Tickets are available from <u>Steve Jones</u> or <u>Angie Earnhart</u>. Adults \$25, children (ages 3-12) \$10. No childcare; kids will join us. For more information go to <u>neotez.org/annual-dinner</u>.



News & Upcoming Events

A Time of Congregational Prayer will be offered for two weeks on Sunday 3/17 and Sunday 3/24 during Bible class. This Sunday 3/10 is the final class in the current series, 7 Steps of a Disciple, on the theme of "Multiply."

A Wedding Shower for Cora Blackford will be held this Saturday, March 9, at 2:00 pm upstairs on the 4th level. A registry is available on Zola at this link: <u>Cora and Patrick</u> <u>Wedding Registry</u>. To participate in a group gift, contact Vicki Roberts: 573-429-9551.

Election Day Food Drive – On Tuesday, April 2, MX will host a food drive during polling from 6:00 am–7:00 pm at the building. We need volunteers to collect donations for our food pantry from voters in our community. To sign up for a 1–2 hour shift contact Barb Eickele: 618-409-2392, <u>chas.babs@sbcglobal.net</u>.

Timothy's Connect Care Campaign – Christian Family Services is collecting all donations for its annual Timothy Campaign during the month of March this year. Pick up a can in the foyer, donate <u>online</u>, or drop your donation in the big blue bucket at MX on one of the 5 Sundays in March. Funds from <u>Timothy's ConnectCare Campaign</u> go directly to the children CFS serves. Learn more at: <u>stlcfs.org/connectcare</u>.

To God Be the Glory – An Annual Area-Wide Singing Night will be taking place on Sunday, April 14, at 5:00 pm at the Maryland Heights Church of Christ, <u>107 Midland Ave</u>, <u>Maryland Heights, 63043</u>. Hope you can join us as voices from around the St. Louis region come together in praise.

Congratulations to Matt and Jennifer Jones who were married last Saturday at Innsbrook. Keaton Jones performed the ceremony.

Weekly Events

Ladies' Bible Study is meeting on Tuesday mornings from 10:00 am–11:00 am in the foyer for a study of Galatians. Contact <u>Michelle Blackford</u> (314-402-3092) for more information. All women are welcome!

Pickleball – Monday at 8:30 am, and Thursday at 9 am and 6:30 pm. This activity is for men and women of all skill levels (including beginner). Come join the fun! Paddles are available. Contact Ron Orick (479-653-8585) for more information.

Women's Pickleball is held Friday mornings from 9:30 am–11:30 am. Come try out this growing sport in a relaxed environment with your sisters in Christ! Call Marion Earnhart (314-583-0658) for more information.





Bible Adventures – Rising 3rd graders (second graders transitioning to third grade in 2024) will participate in our first milestone celebration this Sunday, March 10. Parents are welcome to join in this sweet moment but are not required. Rising 3rd graders will spend the Bible Class hour learning how to navigate through their Bible with fun games and fellowship with others. <u>Register Today</u>.

Calling all change agents! As we cast our vision for the future of our NextGen ministries, we shared how every kid and youth needs 3-5 faithful Christ influencers. We anticipate training, equipping, and mobilizing seven new discipleship leaders in our Kidmin community. If you are passionate about journeying alongside kids from birth to 5th grade, please contact Jeremiah for more information: jhaywood@mcknightcrossings.org.









<u>Wed. 3/6</u> - Midweek Youth Group, 6:30 pm. <u>Fri. 3/8–Sun. 3/10</u> - MXYG Spring Retreat. <u>Sun. 3/10</u> - Worship, 9:30 am; Bible Class, 11:00 am.

Upcoming Events:

Mar. 20 - Spring Break Youth Group Hangout.

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Your support does important work for our church, the community, and beyond. Click here to make a PayPal donation: <u>DONATE</u>.

Food Pantry News



Current Food Pantry Needs: canned peas, potatoes, mandarin oranges, fruit cocktail and pinto beans.

To Support Our Food Pantry: pick up a "Top 10" card in the foyer or click here: <u>Top 10</u>. You can also use this <u>Pantry Donate Link</u> to donate funds. To volunteer in the pantry, please contact Barb Eickele at 618-409-2392 or <u>chas.babs@sbcglobal.net</u>.

Call to Prayer

To help us praise our God in fresh ways, for our weekly prayer prompt we will work through a list of names of God from the Bible and their meanings. Please pray--offering God the glory He deserves for who He is on our behalf. Dwell on how the name speaks to you and tell Him why that names resonates with you this week.

Name of God and its meaning:

THE MIGHTY GOD - El Gibhor

Prayer Requests



Linda Mueller's sister-in-law, Rhonda, passed away after a battle with brain cancer.

Continue to Remember in Prayer:

The following MX Members: Bob Connally, asbestos poisoning; W.C. Conley, kidney failure; Glenn Davania, recovery from head injury; Alice Ferry, multiple health issues; Austin Hollingsworth, multiple health issues; Tom & Maria Holmes; Lacoss-Arnold family. MX Supported Missionaries: in Marseille and Mauritius.

Have a Prayer Request? <u>Click here</u> to use the online Prayer Request Form.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

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- 06 Izzy Henagean, Madeline McPherson
- 07 Alayna Jones
- 08 Kaylynn Myers
- 10 Alec & Wanda Hill
- 11 Chris Borth
- 12 Mike & Denise Hudgens, Willie McCurry, Judy Miller, Ryan Shelley

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