MX News and Prayer Concerns

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Join us for a time of prayer together on Sunday after worship on the fourth floor.

Current Sermon Series

Worship at the Building

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 – On Sunday, April 7, after our farewell lunch for Jeremiah, we're going bowling together at Shrewsbury Lanes from 1:30–3:30 pm. Come join in the fun! Bring \$10 per person up to \$40 per family group. <u>Click here to sign up</u>.

Register Today!

News & Upcoming Events

Circle of Friends will meet this Friday, March 22, instead of the last Friday of the month. We will meet at 11:30 am at the church parking lot. We will go out to eat at a restaurant you won't know until that day. RSVP to Judy or Linda: 636-296-2973. Hope to see you then.

A Time of Congregational Prayer will be held this Sunday, March 24, during Bible class at 11:00 am. All are invited to join us for this important time of lifting in prayer the needs and hearts of MX Church. Children's classes will still be taking place as usual.

Election Day Food Drive - Volunteers Needed! On Tuesday, April 2, MX will host a food drive during polling at the building. We still need volunteers to collect food donations from 7–11 am and from 4–7 pm. To sign up for a shift, contact Barb Eickele: 618-409-2392, chas.babs@sbcglobal.net.

A Farewell Congregational Potluck Lunch for Jeremiah will be held on Sunday, April 7, after Bible class, to honor and thank him for his service to McKnight. We will need people to bring a main dish, side dish, salad, or a dessert. If you have any questions, please email Carrie Strickland at <u>landcstrickland@gmail.com</u>. Bring a card and/or gift card to show your appreciation for Jeremiah and help set him up in his new position.

A Blood Drive at McKnight is being held in the gym on Wednesday, April 24, from 12:00 pm–4:00 pm. The American Red Cross is facing a constant need for blood products. One donation may help save more than one life and healthy individuals are needed to donate blood, platelets, or plasma now. To make an appointment, call 1-800-733-2767 or click on the following link: <u>MX Blood Drive</u>.

Our dear brother, Bob Connally, passed away on Friday, March 15. A Memorial Service for Bob will be held on Saturday, April 6 at McKnight. Visitation will be at 10:00 am and a Service at 11:00 am. **A Meal Train to show our care for Mary Jo** has been set up at this link: <u>Connally Meal Train</u>.

A Meal Train for the Walkers has been set up for providing care and nourishment to Gwen as she recovers from her surgery. For convenience and flexibility, they would prefer gift cards. Click the link to participate or for more information: <u>Walker Meal Train</u>.





Easter Eggstravaganza – During this annual event, we use the time to build community inside our church, outside our church, and in the city of St. Louis. We would love to have your family celebrate Easter with us and then participate in Eggstravaganza! We can't wait to see you there on Sunday, March 31.

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. 3/20</u> - Youth Group Hangout, 6:00 pm. <u>Sun. 3/24</u> - Worship, 9:30 am; Bible Class, 11:00 am; THEO, 6:00 pm. <u>Mon 3/25</u> - Churches on the Streets, 5:15 pm.

<u>Upcoming Events</u>: <u>Apr. 13-14</u> - SALT Retreat.

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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 Amy Weiler (314-229-1119) or Glenda Smith (314-974-7664) for more information.

CFS Timothy's Connect Care Campaign



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>.

Camp Neotez Annual Dinner

The Camp Neotez Annual Dinner will be on 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>.



Area-Wide Singing Night



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 <u>Maryland</u> <u>Heights Church of Christ</u>, 107 Midland Ave, Maryland Heights, 63043. Hope you can join us as voices from around the St. Louis region come together in praise.

CFS Golf Tournament



SAVE THE DATE!! Christian Family Services is excited to announce that we are hosting our 33rd annual CFS Mark Buehrer Memorial Golf Tournament on Friday, June 7, at Aberdeen golf course in Eureka, Missouri. The cost is \$200 per golfer, unless you register before May 1, then you get the early bird discount of \$180! Lunch is provided at noon and the tournament starts at 1:00 pm.

We will have lots of food, drinks, prizes, and snacks for an awesome day of golf and raising funds for our families in need!

Participants can register by going online to <u>www.stlcfs.org</u>. If you have any questions, you can email Eric McPherson at <u>emcpherson@cfserve.org</u>. See you on the course!!

Food Pantry News



Current Food Pantry Needs: sugar, stewed tomatoes, creamed corn and Velveeta shells & cheese.

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>.

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

Prayer Requests



Mary Jo Connally in the loss of Bob last week. Gwen Walker is home recovering from surgery. Louis and Joyce West as they step away from leadership and navigate hospice care. Louis is at Arbor Hills in Ferguson. Continue to Remember in Prayer: The following MX Members: 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.

Mar 20 - Ron & Joanie Milligan 21 - Ben Mehringer 23 - Daniel Matheny 24 - Brad & Sue Stevens

25 - Sloane Grimshaw

For the Record



February Offering...\$45,093 February Goal...\$55,385 YTD (Feb.) Contribution...\$90,328 YTD (Feb.) Goal...\$110,769 "Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."

- 2 Corinthians 9:7

Always on Our Website mxchurch.org

- <u>Sunday Sermons</u>
- <u>Church Directory*</u>
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