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MXYG Newsletter

4/1/24 - 4/8/24

Happy Monday MXYG Family! We had a beautiful Resurrection celebration yesterday, but let us not forget that it is something that should be celebrated everyday. Let's take that Easter spirit and live it out everyday, not just on Easter, and especially not just on Sundays. Let's see what's going on this week!

2023-24 Verse of the Year

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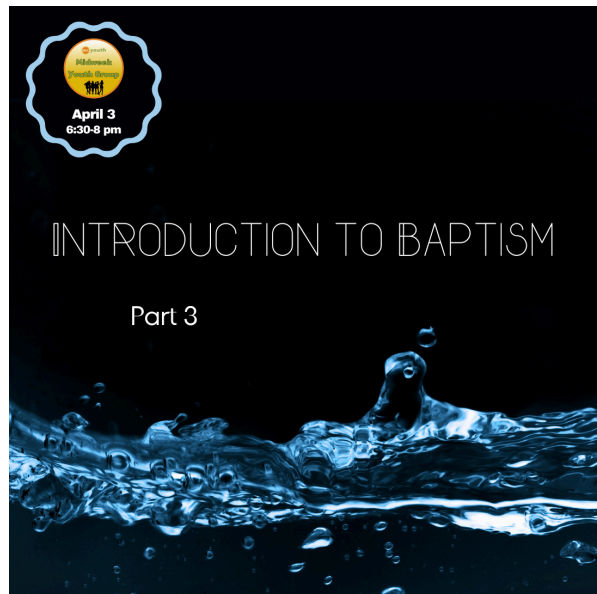
Psalm 63:4-5 JPT



This Week's Events

Wednesday | Apr 3

After a 2 week hiatus from the baptism series — due to Memorial Drive being in town and Jayden’s awesome devo last week — we finally return this week for part 3 of “Introduction to Baptism!”



This Friday (April 5) is the Camp Neotez Dinner! Doors open at 6pm. Come support camp!

Saturday | Apr 6

This Saturday we’ll meet at **6 North Cafe** for this month’s SYATC!

**14438 Clayton Rd
Ballwin, MO 63011**



Sunday | Apr 7

After celebrating the resurrection of King Jesus yesterday, we jump back into the swing of Bible class this Sunday.

Following class, we'll have a Farewell Brunch for Jeremiah to thank him for his service to MX over the past 2 years.

After the brunch, join us at Shrewsbury Lanes from 1:30-3:30pm for Church Bowling!

7202 Weil Ave, St. Louis, MO 63119



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Upcoming Needs of Volunteers:

SALT Retreat (4/13-4/14): A 1 night stay in Columbia, MO for our student leaders. We need one female chaperone to help make this trip happen!

Church Family Initiative - Spring '24

January 7: SALT - Chris & Katrina Fuller

January 21: THEO - Brad & Sue Stevens

February 4: SALT - Alec & Wanda Hill

March 3: SALT - Sara Henagean

March 24: THEO - Bret & Kari Ferguson

April 21: THEO - Matthew & Rachel Bardowell

Available sign ups on Linktree and Church Center:

- Camp Neotez
- Church Bowling (4/7)
- Spiritual Movie Night (4/26)

Spiritual Movie Night (4/26)

Originally meant to be on April 19th but is now the 26th, is our Spiritual Movie Night! We'll be watching *The Shack* — a movie that does an incredible job of displaying God's character, especially in the midst of difficult circumstances.

No registration required.



Blessings

Thankful for my beloved MX family. Let us continue to walk in the Spirit as we strive to spiritually develop our students!

As always, please don't ever hesitate to reach out with any questions, comments, or concerns.

Blessings,
Nathan

The Latest from Instagram!

@ mxyg_cool



The 5 Series

Most recent 5 Series post: **5 Reasons to Share the Gospel**

Who do you know that you need to share the Gospel with?

5 REASONS TO SHARE THE GOSPEL

- TO SPREAD THE TRUTH**
Jesus is the Way, the Truth, and the Life (John 14:6). It's important to tell people who don't know the Gospel, for sharing it helps others find the truth that sets them free.
- TO HELP OTHERS FIND PEACE**
The ultimate peace, peace that surpasses all understanding, comes from a relationship with Jesus. See what He says in John 14:27.
- TO HELP OTHERS FIND HOPE**
In what feels like a hopeless world, the Gospel brings hope. Paul says, "May the God of HOPE fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with HOPE by the power of the Holy Spirit." (Romans 15:13)
- TO FULFILL THE GREAT COMMISSION**
How could we go make disciples without spreading the Gospel? How could anyone believe in Him if they have not heard about Him? (Romans 10:14). In sharing the Gospel, we also obey a command.
- TO BRING GLORY TO GOD**
When we share the good news of Jesus, we proclaim His greatness and tell others of what He's done for us. "Declare His glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples." (Psalm 96:3). Show others how He has transformed you with His love.



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