

Our purpose is to be a Christ-centered body of believers, glorifying God through:

- 1. Upreach: worshipping God in spirit and in truth
- 2. Inreach: equipping believers for ministry towards Christlikeness
- 3. Outreach: reaching the lost with the love & message of Christ

NURSERY SCHEDULE

Worship	Today Mandy, Valerie & Natalie Septer	Next Week Janelle Greene, Colleen Krogman Macie Krogman
ABF	Jayne & Katy Hopper	No nursery. Joint ABF

NEWS YOU CAN USE

The Messenger is in your mailbox. Be sure to stop by and pick up your copy.

Christmas Cantata practice will begin Sunday, October 15, from 4-6pm.

Operation Christmas Child Afghans -Linda Lampel is once again graciously offering a free afghan to those who donate \$50 to Operation Christmas Child.

Men's Home Help Work Day - The Men's Ministry is again hosting a work day (Saturday, October 21) to help those in our church body who need assistance with projects at their homes. Work request forms are in the bulletin. If you or someone you know in the church could use assistance with a project please fill out a work request form or contact any of the Men's Ministry Committee Members.

Baptism - A baptism service has been scheduled for October 15. If you have not been baptized since putting your faith in Christ, and would like to obey the Lord in this way, see Pastor Jeremy.

MCC Meals - One of the ways the Women's Ministry Team helps is by setting up mealtrains for our members. There are no requirements for these, but typically we try to set them up for new babies, surgeries, extended illness, etc. Sometimes we overlook someone, or are unaware of a need, so please, if you know of someone within the body (even yourself!) in need of some meals, contact Colleen Krogman or the church office.

Financial Update

Needed to Meet Budget 10/1/22-8/31/23 \$440.907.84 Received \$475,149.77

THIS WEEK		October 1, 2023	
Today 6:00pm	High School Youth Group.	I could use help from the Men's Ministry with	
Monday 10:15am	Ladies Bible Study on Zechariah, meets in room 104.	☐ Minor electrical work	
7:00pm	Open basketball in the gym. All skill levels welcome.	☐ Minor car repair/service☐ Yard work	
9:30am 6:30pm	Ladies Bible study, <i>Living with Confidence in a Chaotic World</i> , by David Jeremiah begins October 4 in the Fireside. Contact Donna Andrus. Adventure Club. Lesson 6: <i>Rainbow After the Storm</i> . Wear lots of colors.	 ☐ Minor plumbing ☐ Painting ☐ Moving something heavy ☐ Computer issues ☐ Something else 	
Thursday	JH Youth Group.	Notes:	
Thursday 5:30pm	Night-Out for "the older set" at Crouse Cafe in Indianola. Come for dinner and fellowship. Contact Bev Hanawalt with any questions.		
Next Sunday	1		
10:30am	Joint ABF for our annual Pastor and Deacon Reports. Note: there will be no nursery or Sunday School during the meeting.		
6:00pm	High School Youth Group.		
	COMING EVENTS		
October 12 (Thursday) 11:15 AM Γ. meets at Crouse Café.		
October 15 (Baptism s	Sunday) 10:30 AM ervice in the gym.		
	6:00 PM	·	
	ongregational Meeting. If you are a member, please plan to attend. It on final approval for the 2023-24 budget.		
No HS Yo	uth Group.		
October 17 (Baby show at Amazon	wer for Maggie Mendenhall in the Fireside Room. She is registered	i	
October 19 (-	
October 21 (
	Wednesday) 1:00 PM	I	
Youth Ga We'll trave	me Time. Meet at MCC at 1:00 PM and get picked up at 4:00 PM. el to Windflower park for pickleball. If the weather is too poor for Game Time! Will be cancelled. RSVP for food or ride.		

Welcome

To Martensdale Community Church!

We want to find out who you are and how we can be of service to you.

After filling this card out, drop it in the offering bag, give it to an usher, or leave it on the secretary's desk.

Where ar	e you	from?
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- ☐ I am from out of town.
- ☐ I am from this area.

Have you been here before?

- □ I am visiting for the first time.
- ☐ I am a returning visitor.
- □ I am a regular attender.
- □ I am a member.

What are you interested in?

- □ being added to the email list.
- ☐ learning more about MCC.
- □ speaking with an elder.
- □ being baptized as a believer.
- □ becoming a member of MCC.
- ☐ Other:

Personal Information

Name (please list children with ages):

Address:

Email: _____

Notes:____

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PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES

Evangelical Chaplain Ministries – This ministry shares the Good News and the truth of God's word in hospitals, nursing homes, retirement centers, and other care centers in the Des Moines area.

Trcas – They serve with EFCA ReachGlobal by leading personnel in Budapest, Hungary and throughout Europe. Pray for safe and fruitful ministries for the European staff.

PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER

Dutch & Maggie Mendenhall – Praise God for the safe arrival of Elsie Mae Mendenhall! She was born Saturday, September 2, weighed 7 lbs. 10 oz. and measured 19 in. long. Mother and baby are doing well.

Carly Eaton – Carly came home Wednesday from the hospital and is in recovery mode. She now has a picc line in her arm in which she gets her antibiotics daily. Pray for healing and that meds at home go seamlessly.

Rich & Irene Wheeldon – Pray for patience as they continue the very slow healing process.

Ongoing Prayer Requests - Continue to keep these people in prayer:

Phil Hopper, Dave and Bonnie Thomas, grieving families (Christophersons, McVays) and expecting families (Heinigers, McClures, Kittermans, Rhoulhacs).

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:00 - 10:10 A.M.

Worship in Song Led by Mike Doty
Special Music Worship Team
Worship in Giving Ushers
Message Jeremy Kidder
Communion Daniel Moore

ADULT BIBLE FELLOWSHIP 10:30 - 11:30 A.M.

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