

OUR SERVICES
10:30 AM SERVICE
Family Song
Song: All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name
Welcome
Song: Let God Arise
Prayer
Song: It Is Well With My Soul
Communion
Contribution
Song: O Worship The King
Scripture: Luke 12:22-31
Song: You Are My All In All
Sermon: "WWJP"
Song: All To Us
Shepherd's Prayer
Song: I Stand In Awe
Need anything? elders@mcoc.org

6:00 PM SERVICE
Song: Living By Faith
Welcome
Song: O For A Faith That Will Not Shrink
Song: Days Of Elijah
Song: I Stand Amazed
Prayer
Song: How Deep The Father's Love
Scripture: Romans 5:6-8
Song: You're Worthy Of My Praise
Sermon: "Name Your Price"
Song: Worthy, You Are Worthy
Prayer
Song: I Will Sing The Wondrous Story
Need anything? elders@mcoc.org

FAMILY SHEPHERDS
CHAIRMAN (October-December)
Greg Hughes; 832.453.9625
Shepherds are distributed among the family by last name as seen below in parentheses.
Philip Bailey (A-Bi)
Aaron Deister (BI-Cu)
Frank Devine (Da-Ga)
Jerry Gerlich (Ge-Ho)
Greg Hughes (Hu-Li)
Tom Messick (Lo-Mu)
Terry Montgomery (Ne-Ri)
Alan Pence (Ro-Sp)
Robby Robinson, Jr. (Sq-Zr)

SERMON NOTES
"WWJP"
10:30 AM Service - Kurt Picker
"NAME YOUR PRICE"
6:00 PM Service -Jayson McKinley

Memorial Church of Christ
Seeking & Sharing God's Love, Truth & Grace
October 25, 2020
900 Echo Lane
Houston, TX 77024
713.464.0271

MCOC Pumpkin Patch
Now through October 31
Mon.-Sat.; 10:30-6:30
Sun.; 1:00-5:00

Steve Lehman
Singles Minister
Of all the things Houston is famous for, bad roads and road construction have got to be near the top of the list! You really cannot go anywhere without being jostled around or finding a lane closure sign. Look closely, and you will even find an orange cone on the city flag! Roads are nice and smooth when they are built, but after years of vehicles, droughts, and rain the once smooth road is broken and in need of repair. There will always be a need for repair crews.
They are coming, the times during our life when we will need to put out a few cones and ask the road crew for help. We will encounter rough patches along the way regardless of who we are or our life stage. The encouraging thing is that we have a God who does amazing things. Paul tells us in Philippians 1 that God began a great work in us and will see it through, and he goes on to say in Chapter 2 that God is working in us. In other words, our life is a constant construction project with the good and bad times included. God's long-term plan and purpose for us includes loving Him and encouraging one another. The relationship we have with God, and the community we have with each other, strengthens our faith and supports us through the rough times.
We get encouragement coming from one another, so what communities are you a part of at Memorial? Mike Avery has formed the Community Ministry Team to identify current areas of involvement and interests which will provide ideas for future community opportunities for everyone. Every member will be contacted, and we're starting with As, so you may have a few weeks to think about it if your last name begins with Z!
Want to be part of the Community Ministry Team? Email Mike at mavery@mcoc.org for more information.

MINISTRY STAFF
Mike Avery - Youth & Family
David Duncan - Preaching
Shawn Freeman - Youth & Bridge
Robert Heyen - Involvement
Steve Lehman - Singles
Larry D. Phillips - Congregational Care & Outreach

UPCOMING EVENTS

FINAL DAY

FALL FESTIVAL - "FALL-O-WEEN JESUS" - Registration has closed.

NOW THROUGH OCTOBER 31

MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST PUMPKIN PATCH

Come enjoy our 1st Annual Pumpkin Patch!

All proceeds benefit Friendship School.

Open Monday-Saturday, 10:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

Sunday, 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Volunteer!



IN-PERSON SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASSES

BEGINNING NOVEMBER 1: BETWEEN 1ST & 2ND SERVICES

Family Ties: Justin & Gabriel - Room 302FC

YP Class: Room 211/212

Honeymooners: Skip Wagner - Room 213

Kirk Castleman: Room 220

Watch for more information on topics, teachers, additional classes, and a Zoom option.

MAINTENANCE LOG BOOK

The Facilities team would like to remind the congregation of the "Maintenance Log Book" located at the welcome desk. Please use this to submit maintenance requests or email our facilities manager directly at facilities@mcoc.org.

NEED TO RESERVE A ROOM AT MEMORIAL?

DO YOU WANT TO USE OUR BUILDING FOR AN EVENT?

We are blessed with a building that we love to see used by our members as well as our community. In order to best accommodate everyone needing to use the facilities, we are asking everyone to reserve their needed space. Visit the QR code to begin the reservation process.



WEEKLY ZOOM BIBLE STUDIES

For all of these Bible Studies, check your email for log-in information or email lphillips@mcoc.org.

TUESDAYS

LADIES BIBLE CLASS - 10:00 AM

Contact: Ruth Anne - racasci@gmail.com.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS - 11:00 AM

BIBLE CLASS FOR ALL - 2:00 PM

BIBLE CLASS FOR ALL (GALATIANS) - 7:00 PM

WEDNESDAYS

BIBLE CLASS FOR ALL - 3:00 PM AND 7:00 PM

THURSDAYS

BIBLE CLASS FOR ALL - 7:00 PM

OCTOBER 29; 4:00 PM

MEDICARE INFORMATION MEETING VIA ZOOM

Presenter: Caleb Robinson

Meeting ID: 2817940798; Passcode: Robinson

Contact Larry Phillips (lphillips@mcoc.org) with questions.

NOVEMBER 15

GRIEF SHARE - SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

JOIN THE COMMUNITY

MINISTRY TEAM

Acts 2:42-47 defines community as a group of people who study, pray, worship, fellowship, give/serve, and share their faith together.

Do you want to help create community? If so, please email Mike - mavery@mcoc.org for more information and to become part of the community ministry team.

POWER FOR TODAY

If you would like to pick up a copy of the Power For Today, you may come by the office during the week or you can call and ask that they mail one to you.

Mon.-Thurs.; 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.; Fri., 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. 713.464.0271



YOUTH NEWS

OCTOBER 28; 7:00 PM

In-Person (Zoom option) Small Groups

Refer to Covid guidelines in Youth Newsletter.

NOVEMBER 7

ALL YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT & FUN

We will be joining the YPs in buying & wrapping Christmas gifts for children at Medina Children's Home. We will then play games at Bendwood Park. More details coming soon!

SUMMER 2021 TRIPS - SAVE THE DATES!

Wilderness Trek (entering 9th-12th grade and adults)

June 6-12, 2021. Cost \$550.

Mission McAllen (entering 7th-9th grade and adults)

June 19-25, 2021. Cost \$100.

Camp Bandina (entering 6th-12th grade and adults)

July 4-10, 2021. Cost \$200.

Impact VBS (entering 6th-12th grade and adults)

July 18-22, 2021. Cost \$50.



OCTOBER 28; 5:45-6:30 PM

Zoom Bridge Class

Class will meet with Shawn via Zoom for ones not able to attend in person. Watch the Youth News for log-in information.

OCTOBER 28; 7:00 PM

In-Person Bridge Class - Refer to Covid guidelines in Youth News.



NOW - OCTOBER 31 - Pumpkin Patch - front lawn!

FINAL DAY - Fall Festival - Registration has closed.

NOVEMBER 4: Wednesday night Bible class begins!

NOVEMBER 7; 9:00-10:30 AM: Donut Drive-Thru

MCOC parking lot - pick up your Nov./Dec. curriculum packs!

NURSERY (BABIES/NON-MOBILE) IS OPEN!

One parent must stay with child; available at anytime during worship.

BUSY ROOMS (MOBILE TODDLERS) ARE NOW AVAILABLE!

Located in the preschool hallway and available at any time during worship. Worship will be streamed to the room.

BIBLE HOUR (2 YEARS-PRESCHOOL) BEGINS!

If you are signed up, please join us in the Bible Hour room when they dismiss following communion.

Nursery, Busy Rooms, Bible Hour

*Masks required. *Clean items used. *Social distance.

JOURNEYLAND YOUTUBE PAGE



SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS; 9:30 AM

YOUNG PROFESSIONAL IN-PERSON

(ZOOM OPTION) BIBLE CLASS

Log-in details are on the Facebook group page. We will have a socially distanced seating configuration, and all participants will wear masks.

THURSDAY NIGHTS

THURSDAY NIGHT CHRIST CENTERED FELLOWSHIP

Check the YP Facebook page

FAMILY NEWS

CELEBRATIONS WITHIN 3 WEEKS!

HONORING SAM SCHUSTER & DELANEY PRIDDY

NOVEMBER 1; 3:30-5:30 PM - WEDDING SHOWER

This shower will be in-person with masks

& social distancing measures in place.

Registered at Zola.com, Pottery Barn, Target, & Bed Bath and Beyond

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pam Bell -no longer experiencing the constant itching. Doctors suspect it may have been the flu shot she had last year, but will test again later.

Nancy Castaneda - has tested positive for Covid and is recovering at home. Rey has tested negative.

Diane Clair -experiencing health issues.

Jane Evans -mother of **Becca Hayes**, successful procedure to remove breast cancer tumor.

Matt & Becca Ferguson - friends of **Mary Shanks**, have returned to New Mexico to see if he gets into a clinical trial for his cancer.

Austin Fleck -cousin of **Megan Johnston**, has been placed on dialysis & remains extremely ill in ICU in Sioux City, IA.

Monty Guidry -cousin of **Jenny Roley**, had a stroke & is unable to speak or move. He will be moving from Memorial City hospital to rehab downtown.

Becky Guillory -half sister of **Roy Smalling**, is scheduled for back surgery soon.

Kay Handley -friend of **Brenda Smalling**, had knee surgery, Tuesday, October 20.

Pete McKinney -starting third of seven week treatment. Radiation five times/week and chemo one/day. Patrice says Pete is still working & being "a trooper."

Christina Waters -daughter of **Jeremy & Amanda Waters**, is improving & scheduled to enter Texas Children's Hospital for inpatient rehabilitation.

Mitch Wilburn -minister in Tulsa, OK, & speaker at previous MCOC marriage retreats, is hospitalized with Covid, and struggling because of several underlying conditions. His wife, **Shannon**, has also tested positive but is doing well at home.

SYMPATHY

Carol Ansel -was recently killed after being hit by a car while walking in her neighborhood. **Connie McKaskle** requests prayers for a friend, **Beth Black**, who witnessed the accident & is really struggling.

Scott Davis -father of **Sean Davis**, passed away Wednesday, October 14. Services will be conducted at Memorial Church of Christ, Saturday, October 24 - Visitation 12:30-1:00 PM, Funeral 1:00 PM. PLEASE NOTE - Guests will enter at the East Foyer entrance (old building) and proceed to the Worship Center foyer. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to missionaries Joseph & Sonia Rhodes at Upstate Church of Christ, 1136 Brown Road, Anderson, SC, 29621 Attention: Russian Missions.

Mack Moriarty -great-nephew of **Tim & Debbie Moriarty**, passed to his heavenly home Friday, October 16. Mack would have turned 6-years old Tuesday, October 19. Our deepest sympathies to the **Moriarty, Hyland & Squillante** families.

Mary Packer -former member at Memorial, passed away Sunday, October 18. There will be a visitation Thursday, October 22, 6 - 8 p.m. at Waltrip Funeral Home, 1415 Campbell Rd. Services will be at 10:00 a.m., Friday, October 23, at the funeral home.

FAMILY RECORDS

CONTRIBUTION - 10/18/20

\$55,489

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$57,544

YEAR-TO-DATE CONTRIBUTION

\$2,391,367

YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET

\$2,416,848

NEW BUILDING

OUTSTANDING DEBT:

\$297,034.23

HELP US WIPE OUT OUR DEBT!

2020 BAPTISMS - 19

Local: 14

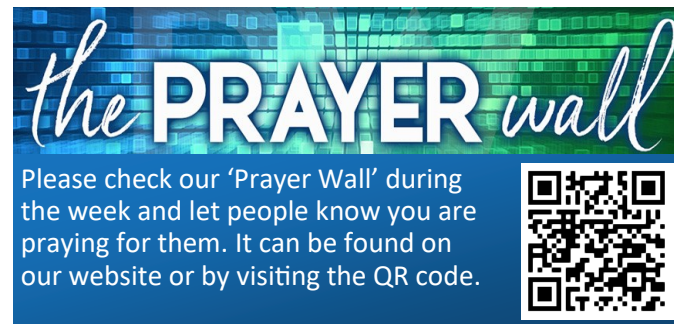
Prison Ministry: 5

10:30 AM IN-PERSON SERVICE: 401

6:00 PM IN-PERSON SERVICE: 84

Want to connect?

WIFI Info: User: Guest Password: mcoc1234



CONTINUED PRAYERS FOR:

Melanie Adams - daughter of **Wade & Sarah Price**

Rigo Arguera - missionary at Darien Loop Iglesia de Cristo, Houston

Charles & Jeanene Bare

Roy Barnes

Judy & Philip Belanger - parents of **Jon Belanger**

Quinn Britt - cousin of **Lou Ann Phillips**

Dean Bryce - friend of **Janis Dear**

Dawn Clabough

Joe Guidry - father of **Jill Biernat**

Paul Hendrickson - president of Texas Bible Bowl & a preacher in Abilene

Chris Huff - son of **Betty Huff**

Shannan Humphrey

Deanna & Mark Lambert

Matt & Dot Miller

Diann Milstead - mother of **Amanda Dyniewski**

Zayne & Christina Riggins

Shalmon Stennis - brother of **Ty Clark**

Those dealing with or recovering from Covid

Notes Of Appreciation

We have received notes of appreciation from **Pam Bell** and **Lovee Sherwin**.