

SUNDAY, APRIL 21, 2024

-- Jr. Gap Youth Sunday + Brow Sunday --

9:30 AM Worship led by Jr. GAP Students Sloan Riibe, Regan Holtrop, Aric Maassen, Tessa Kamerman Ecclesiastes 3, Daniel 3:18, Habakkuk 3:17-19, Job 38, Philippians 4:4-7

10:45 AM Sunday School

NEXT SUNDAY AT MRC

-- Master's Ringers --

9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy Journey Through Acts – Sermon Series Acts 3: What I Have I Give You...Give Them Jesus!

10:45 AM Sunday School

10:45 AM Sr. High Brunch - Sr. High Youth Room

"You rescued me so I could stand and sing, I am a child of God



MRC HAPPENINGS

Reminder: There is no Children & Worship this morning because of Youth Sunday

Life Group Opportunities - Life Groups are a vital part of community and fellowship at MRC. Please check out the opportunities below:

- Life Group Coordinator In an effort to make sure Life Groups are as A Place to Belong effective as possible, we are searching for an individual or couple to oversee all Life Groups represented at MRC. This would involve checking in with Life Group leaders, making sure congregation members that desire to be in a Life Group are plugged in, and simply making sure everything is running smoothly. If you are interested in this or would like more information on what this would look like, please reach out to Roger Van Regenmorter (712.441.3598) or Brvan Van Gelder (712.548.3677).
- Starting a New Life Group There is always room for new groups! If you have a desire to start up a new Life Group, please reach out to Roger Van Regenmorter (712.441.3598) or Bryan Van Gelder (712.548.3677).
- Searching for a Life Group If you desire to be in a Life Group, be on the lookout for sign-up sheets in the Fellowship Hall soon!



Opportunity - We have the wonderful opportunity to support another Ukrainian couple, Ivan & Luda. If anyone would like to give towards their support, or is interested in helping welcome them to Maurice church, please contact Marc & Lisa Scheitler or AJ & Lisa Smit.

NASCAR Ministry Opportunity - The National Fellowship of Raceway Ministries is looking for volunteers to serve at the Newton Speedway in June. This experience would be for the three race days on June 14-16 and would consist of serving those who are coming to the race. If you are interested in

this mission opportunity, please sign up at the information table by May 1.



VBS Craft Directors & Leaders - If you enjoy being creative & working with children, we need you! We are looking for a few craft leaders and a craft co-director for VBS. The theme for VBS this year is Scuba, diving into friendship with God. Please contact Deb Walter at 712.441.2044 if you are interested or just want to know more. Thanks!

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ALWAYS STAY TUNED TO THE BULLETIN + MAURICE MOMENTS FOR ALL OF MRC'S **UPCOMING EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS!**





THIS WEEK AT MRC

Sunday, April 21 - *Jr. GAP Youth Sunday* 9:30 AM Worship led by Jr. GAP Students **Prom Sunday 10:45 AM Sunday School Monday, April 22

1:00-4:00 PM Yarn Connection 6:30 PM Master's Ringers Rehearsal 7:00 PM Faith Bible Study **Leader - Jeanette, Hostess - Michelle **Tuesday, April 23**

9:30 AM Staff Meeting

Wednesday, April 24

5:30 PM Meal **Brats, hot dogs, chips, fruit salad, dessert 6:20 PM Jr. GAP 7:50 PM Sr. High

Thursday, April 25

6:45 PM Sunday AM Rehearsal

Sunday, April 28 - Master's Ringers

9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy 10:45 AM Sunday School

MRC Elders: Lloyd Cleveringa, Greg Haverdink, Rob Hofmeyer, Billy Korver, Mike Vander Broek, Loren Vander Schaaf, Mark Van Ommeren, Rog Van Regenmorter, Jerry Vermeer

MRC Deacons: Myron Dekkers, Dave Dykstra, Isaac Holtrop, Aaron Maassen, Lane Mars, Alan Muilenburg, Craig Van Gorp, Mike Vermeer

NURSERY SCHEDULE **Please be in the nursery by 9:15**

April 21 - Sara Wielenga Family **April 28** - Marlin & Kari VK, Sydney Nagel **May 5** - Michaela & Brady Chadwick

If you have any interest in volunteering in the nursery ministry at MRC, feel free to reach out to Ashley Riibe and she can get you plugged in! We would LOVE to have you on board! 920.784.1001

CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER

Be in prayer for **Wilma Vander Stelt** as she recovers from cataract surgery, and as she has surgery on her other eye this week.

Keep **Judy Vlietstra** in your prayers as she continues oral chemotherapy and infusions. Prayers for continued healing and strength.

Pray for those with ongoing concerns:

Lorna Bylsma, Ruth Heidebrink, Debbie Hubers, Amy Muth, Brandon Vander Sluis, Lylis Van Donkelaar, Stan Van Ommeren, Linda Zevenbergen

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Hey Kids! Have you seen Ollie the Octopus yet?! He is hanging around getting excited for Scuba VBS! Have your parents registered you? Do so today!

Kids entering kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to come! We will meet June 3-6 from 6:00-8:30pm. There will be dinner for students & volunteers at 5:30pm.

Scan this code to register your kids!

Prayerfully consider helping at VBS.



Feel free to contact Amanda Dykstra or Bonnie Wolf with any questions! Paper copies are available at the information table. Please return these, along with the payment, to Bonnie's office or mailbox. Thanks!

Memory Verse April 21 - May 5: Rev. 11:15

"Then the seventh angel blew his trumpet, and there were loud voices in heaven, saying, 'The kingdom of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord & of his Christ, and he shall reign forever & ever.'"

Y OUTH MINISTRIES

April 24

Jr. GAP - Worship Night Snacks - Kale S, Ashley M, Peyton M Sr. High - Worship Night Snacks - Alyson L, Cole J, Erica J, Sara G

May 1

Jr. GAP - End of Year Party **Snacks - Provided** Sr. High - End of Year Party **Snacks** - Provided

JR. GAP ANNOUNCEMENTS



Jr. GAP Youth Sunday - TODAY - We are looking forward to leading worship this morning, using our God-given gifts, talents, and abilities! Thank you for worshipping Jesus with us this morning!

Power Connection Work Camp & Weekend 2024 - MSP/St. Paul, July 23-28

Registration is open, but it is getting close to full, so register soon if you plan to go! Go to the following link to do so: https://www.powerconnectioninfo.com/registration to

register online. When you register, select register as a group, then select join a group and search for our church. Our passcode is PC2024, access code is CULTIVATE-24 (click the little check mark to the right). When prompted for payment info, select pay by check. Cost is \$175 per student. Payment is due by May 1; checks written out to MRC Jr. GAP.



Middle School Retreat - Last week, we worshipped and learned about Jesus and had a great time as a group having fun and growing deeper in the faith together! Many students rededicated their lives to Jesus and three students made Jesus their Lord and Savior! The Holy Spirit moved and hearts and lives were changed for eternity.

8th Grade Supper - May 6, 6:30-8:00pm - The Refuge - 8th graders, we want to invite you to the 8th Grade Supper! Please RSVP before May 1.

SR. HIGH ANNOUNCEMENTS



Sr. High Summer Mission Trip - June 21-29, 2024 - We are excited for our Sr. High PELICAN summer mission trip will be Whitesburg, Kentucky. Whitesburg is a small town of MISSIONS nearly 1,700 people in the valley of the North Fork of the Kentucky River, surrounded by mountains. Due to the decline of the coal industry over the years, almost 25% of families live under the poverty line. While in Whitesburg, we will stay at First Baptist Church. We will have the opportunity to serve in a variety of ways: physical labor, construction, and ministering to children and youth. This community was on national news two summers ago as flooding caused large amounts of

destruction and loss. We will help with their rebuilding efforts. We look forward to God using us to be a blessing, and no doubt be blessed along the way as well. The cost is \$250 per person and is due now; checks written out to MRC Sr. High. Currently there are 42 students & 7 leaders registered.

Sr. High Brunch - Sunday, April 28 - Next Sunday following the service, we will have a brunch for ALL Sr. High students in the Sr. High Youth Room, beginning at 10:45am. Come & enjoy the food and fellowship!





Senior Supper - May 5, 6:00-8:00pm - Sr. High Youth Room - We want to celebrate and recognize all that God has done in the lives of our 2024 seniors during their time in MRC Youth Ministry, and encourage them as they enter the next chapter of their lives. Stay tuned for more details!

