



**SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2026**

# ORDER OF *Worship*

## **PRELUDE**

"Missionary Anthem"

## **WELCOME + ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

"Holy Forever"

"How Great Is Our God"

## **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

"Send Me"

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

Children's Pastor | Bonnie Wolf

## **SCRIPTURE + SERMON**

Pastor Jeremy Van Genderen

"WDJD?"

Mark 2:1-17, 5:1-13, 5:21-34, 8:1-10, 11:15-19

## **RESPONSE + BENEDICTION**

"Missionary Anthem"

"Doxology"

# WELCOME

*We're so glad you're with us today! If you have a prayer request, or would like to know more about MRC, please fill out the cards found in the pew in front of you. These can be placed in the offering plate when filled out. You may also feel free to connect with Pastor Jeremy. He would love to talk with you!*

# GET CONNECTED

*We would love to help you get connected and stay informed. If you would like to receive church emails with important info and prayer requests, email Emily at [info@mauricereformed.org](mailto:info@mauricereformed.org). Or check out the other platforms for staying connected below!*

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# MRC CHILDREN'S *Ministry*

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

A couple Sunday School items to note:

- Today kids will be learning about when Solomon became king, found in 1 Kings 2-3.
- The memory verse is: "Be not wise in your own eyes; fear the Lord, and turn away from evil." - Proverbs 3:7

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

As you entered the sanctuary today, you have been handed a postcard asking you to volunteer for our amazing VBS that will be happening here at MRC June 8-11. There are many opportunities available, so please consider helping! You may turn this card in to Bonnie Wolf or simply fill it out and place it in the offering plate today. Thank you for using your gifts to bless others as you serve!

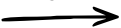
Our theme verse for VBS this summer is John 8:12 which says, "Again, Jesus spoke to them, saying, 'I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness but will have the light of life.'" Let's shine for Jesus by registering your kids and being a part of an awesome week! The dates are June 8-11 from 6:00-8:30 PM each night. **The deadline to register is May 18.** People will be at the VBS table directly after the service **today** for new sign-ups to play PLINKO and win a prize! This area can be found on the west side of the fellowship hall. You can either sign up there or scan the QR codes below. We look forward to having you at VBS!



STUDENT  
REGISTRATION



VOLUNTEER  
FORM



# NEW MRC BULLETIN *Feedback*

Emily is continuing to gather feedback on the new bulletin design. Based on input that the middle section was difficult to read, we've made an adjustment this week. We'd love to hear your thoughts, so feel free to share your feedback with Emily!

# MAURICE REFORMED CHURCH *Life*

## WELCOME TEAM

Do you enjoy connecting with people and helping others feel seen and valued? We'd love for you to use that gift here at MRC! Daryl & Marla De Groot are forming a Welcome Team focused on building meaningful connections with everyone who walks through our doors on Sunday mornings. This is a great opportunity to follow Jesus by showing His love through hospitality. If you're interested in being part of the team, please reach out to Daryl or Marla - we'd love to have you join us!

## BUILDING FUND NEEDS

The MRC facilities have two large repairs that need to be made in 2026. The first is the heat and air conditioning system in the parsonage needs to be replaced. The second is the shingles on the roof of the Family Life Center are in need of replacement. The building fund will need an additional \$30,000 to complete both of these projects. The Deacons appreciate the regular giving from the congregation and request that you prayerfully consider an additional donation designated to the MRC building fund to help cover these costs. Thank you. - MRC Deacons

## UPCOMING WORSHIP OPORTUNITIES

**Tonight at 6:00 PM** we will be having a Worship & Prayer Service. Life can feel loud, busy, and overwhelming, but God invites us into His presence and peace. Join us tonight for an evening set aside to slow down, worship, and seek the peace that only He can give. All are welcome! **Additionally, on Sunday, April 26 at 6:00 PM**, join us for a special time of unplugged worship as we gather for a meaningful time of song, scripture, and a short message in the Fellowship Hall. Come as you are and take a break from the noise to focus on God in a simple, authentic setting. We'd love to worship together with you!

## CHURCH MAILBOXES

Once or twice a year our church mailboxes get rearranged, to make sure they are in correct alphabetical order after recent additions and/or removals. That time will be coming up soon, so now is a great time to let the church office know if you do not have a church mailbox but would like one! If you are a faithful attender of MRC and would like to have a church mailbox, email Emily at [info@mauricereformed.org](mailto:info@mauricereformed.org).

# JR. GAP + SR. HIGH *Ministry*

## APRIL 15

### Jr. GAP & Sr. High

- Parent, Pizza, Puzzle & Pop Night (6:45-8:00 PM)
- Snacks: Provided

## APRIL 22

### Jr. GAP

- Youth Sunday Prep
- Snacks: Camden C, Teagyn R, Kingsten VO

### Sr. High

- Small Group Night
- Snacks: In Small Groups

## PARENT, PIZZA, PUZZLE + POP NIGHT

Hard to believe, but the end of our youth group year is almost here! To celebrate, we're hosting a special night for both students and their parents. Please join us for an evening of dessert pizza, puzzles, and pop. It's a great chance for us to connect, have some fun, and celebrate everything God has done this year. We would love to see every family represented! **Note that both Jr. GAP & Sr. High will meet together at the same time. Everyone is invited to the Family Life Center from 6:45-8:00 PM.**

## MIDDLE SCHOOL RETREAT

The Middle School Retreat is this weekend! We will start packing luggage at 4:00 PM on Friday by the Refuge. We will gather for a time of prayer at about 4:15 and will take off after that. All are welcome to pray and send the students and leaders off! We will pick up pizza along the way (cost covered by Jr. GAP). We hope to arrive home on Sunday between 2:30-3:00 PM. Watch the MRC Jr. GAP Youth Group Facebook page for updates on the weekend and an ETA. God is going to do great work in the lives of these students and leaders! Cost is \$85 which can be given to Jenn Leusink.

## UPCOMING ITEMS + EVENTS

- The deadline to register or change registration for Rocky Mountain High is April 24. No refunds after this date!
- April 26 will be Sr. High Prom Sunday.
- May 6 is 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Supper & Senior Supper.

# WEEKLY EVENTS

*Schedule*

## SUNDAY, APRIL 12

8:45 AM Post High Ministry Breakfast  
9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy  
10:45 AM Sunday School  
6:00 PM Prayer & Worship Service  
6:00 PM Ukrainian Worship Service

## MONDAY, APRIL 13

1:30 PM Good News Circle  
6:00 PM Elder/Deacon Meetings  
6:30 PM Master's Ringers Rehearsal  
7:00 PM Consistory Meeting

## TUESDAY, APRIL 14

11:30 AM Staff Meeting & Lunch

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15

6:30 AM Prayer  
5:30 PM Meal

- Menu: Taverns, coneys, baked beans, chips, mandarin oranges, brownie

6:20 PM Jr. GAP  
7:00 PM Adult Choir – Sanctuary  
7:50 PM Sr. High

## FRIDAY, APRIL 17

4:00 PM Pack Busses for Middle School Retreat

- Middle School Retreat – April 17-19

5:30 PM Recycled Teens @ Golden Pheasant

## SUNDAY, APRIL 19

### ADULT CHOIR

8:25 AM Adult Choir Rehearsal  
8:45 AM Post High Ministry Breakfast  
9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy  
10:45 AM Sunday School

# VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

## NURSERY SCHEDULE

April 12 - Marissa Maassen, Cambrie Vis  
April 19 - Mike & Avea Vermeer

## PRAYER SCHEDULE

April 12 - Jill Muilenburg (Service), Jocelyn Muilenburg (S.S.)  
April 19 - Charlene Oolman (Service), Jerry Vermeer (S.S.)

# CHURCH

*Prayer*

Congratulations to **Michaela & Brady Chadwick** on the birth of a baby girl, Eden Faye, born on April 3<sup>rd</sup>. She was welcomed home by her siblings, Charlotte & Joel.

Please be in prayer for **Linda Zevenbergen** as she had surgery on a broken leg after suffering a fall. Please pray for a smooth and speedy recovery.

Please keep **Dale Grasmeyer** in your prayers as he recently received treatment for a detached retina. Dale has also recently been diagnosed with stage 4 cancer. Please lift up Dale & Robin in prayer, asking for healing, strength, and peace during this time.

Please pray for **Kolten Van Oort** as he recently received surgery on his thumb following a power saw accident. Pray that he may experience quick healing.

Please be in prayer for the students and leaders that will be attending the Middle School Retreat this coming weekend (April 17-19). Make sure to grab a slip of paper today so you can be in prayer for specific students and leaders.

## Pray for those with ongoing treatments & concerns:

Marlene De Jager, Evelyn De Vries, Gloria Feenstra, Jim Feenstra, Ruth Heidebrink, Debbie Hubers, Amy Muth, Liv Van Gelder, Norm & Marge Van Ommeren, Darrel Van Regenmorter, Cliff Wierda