

OUR SERVICES

8:20 & 10:30 AM

Song Director - Wade Price

- Song: Hosanna 167
- Song: Hosanna *
- Welcome
- Song: Here In This Place..... *
- Song: Be Thou My Vision *
- Prayer: G. Silva/J. Maddox
- Song: Alas And Did My Savior Bleed 324
- CommunionC. Bailey/B. Burdette
- Song: Alas And Did My Savior Bleed 324
- Contribution.....
- Song: Search Me O God (Cleanse Me) 420
- Scripture: 1 Timothy 5:3-8 A. Squillante/D. Williamson
- Sermon: "Jesus: A Heart For Widows" D. Duncan
- Song: Lord Take Control..... 790
- Song: The Heart Of A Servant 693
- Shepherd's Prayer:..... Terry Montgomery
- Song: Blest Be The Tie That Binds 711

6:00 PM

Song Director - Danny Wilson

- Song: Our God He Is Alive 23
 - Welcome
 - Song: Hallelujah Praise Jehovah 3
 - Song: To God Be The Glory 4
 - Song: Doxology 66
 - Prayer: C. Reneau
 - Song: Be With Me Lord 778
 - Scripture: James 1:6-9 J. Hardegree
 - Sermon: "2 Prayer Requests" D. Duncan
 - Song: I Am A Sheep 533
 - Prayer:.....
 - Song: How Can I Keep From Singing? *
- Communion will be served in Rm. 141 immediately following this service.*

SERMON NOTES

"JESUS: A HEART FOR WIDOWS"

8:20 & 10:30 AM Services - David Duncan

Luke 7:11-16
 "His heart went out to her."
 "Cleanliness is next to godliness except where _____ is required."
 His pain was for the _____.
 It _____ His death.
 His _____ would suffer.
 Luke 21:1-4
 Last _____ of His life.
 He knows He will _____.
 Jesus relates to the _____.
 James 1:27
 Helping widows is part of _____.
 Widows often lost all _____ possibilities.
 All widows have _____.

 Socially

 What is our response?
 Pray for them.
 Treat them with _____.
 _____ them.
 _____ for them.
 Do I have a _____ like Jesus?

"2 PRAYER REQUESTS"

6:00 PM Service - David Duncan

What would be your _____?
 Proverbs 30:7-9
 1st Request
 Put _____ far away.
 I don't want to speak _____.
 I don't want others to be _____ with me.
 A study of 147 people between 18 and 71:
 People lie _____ times per day.
 2nd Request
 _____ prayer
 Keep me from _____.

 It's promised if I will be _____.
 Psalm 23:1-4
 I will be content in all _____.
 Philippians 4:11-12
 For what am I _____?



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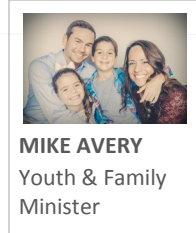
April 8, 2018



Spring Meal Prep

APRIL 10 - 7:00 PM

Let Laurie Sawyer
 (lwsawyer@sbcglobal.net) know if you'll attend.



MIKE AVERY
 Youth & Family Minister

Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6 Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path. Psalm 119:105.

There are many paths available to a young person today. When a student transitions from high school, they often face a number of changes. They find themselves living away from their family in a new community, making new friends, and discovering new freedoms. How does a young person stay true to their beliefs and core values? Spending time in God's Word is the key (Psalm 119:9-11). As Christian parents, we are called by God (Deuteronomy 6:4-9) to impress His commands upon our children. We are told to talk about God and His commands in the morning, on the road, at meal time, and when we go to bed. Developing a daily routine is tough, but it can be the key difference in your child's Spiritual life. To compliment your efforts, take advantage of other opportunities provided here at Memorial such as our Bible classes on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am and Wednesday nights at 7pm. Participate in the Memorial Dad's ministry. Attend a family retreat or our parenting classes this summer. Get your children involved in our children and youth ministries. These programs will reinforce what you are doing at home. This past weekend we had a number of kids and families participating in Leadership Training for Christ or LTC. Our kids learned how to lead, serve, and learn in a variety of ways. It was great to see the smiles on the kids' faces as they were rewarded for their accomplishments. I look forward to being in Heaven and I want my family and all of you to be there with me. Have a conversation over lunch today discussing the Bible class or the sermon. Make a plan to share Jesus with your family every day. Let me know if you need resources. I'm praying for you and I'm here to help you share Jesus with your kids.

FAMILY SHEPHERDS

- CHAIRMAN (April - June): Carl Greer - 713.824.8799
- Philip Bailey
 - Danny Clancy
 - Aaron Deister
 - Frank Devine
 - Jerry Gerlich
 - Carl Greer
 - Rob Harmon
 - Greg Hughes
 - Terry Montgomery
 - Alan Pence
 - Robby Robinson Jr
 - John Sawyer

MINISTRY STAFF

- Mike Avery—Youth & Family
- David Duncan — Preaching
- Shawn Freeman — Youth & Bridge
- Jo Harmon — Children
- Rob Harmon — Education
- Robert Heyen — Involvement
- Alan Martin — Marriage & Family
- Larry D. Philips — Congregational Care & Outreach

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WIFI Info:
 User: Guest Password: mcoc1234

UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY; 9:30 AM

INTERESTED IN PLACING MEMBERSHIP?
Come & Learn More! Oak View Room

TODAY; 3:30-5:00 PM

BABY BOY SHOWER - KAYLA & XIN LIU
Registered at Target & Amazon

APRIL 15; 12:00 PM-1:30 PM

SOUTHERN AFRICA BIBLE COLLEGE TRIP REPORT - Oak View Room
Lunch Provided - RSVP to Kirk Eason by April 12
keason@southernafricabiblecollege.org

APRIL 15; 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

ADULT TEACHER WORKSHOP - Rm. 218

APRIL 19; 11:30 AM

YOUNG AT HEART LUNCHEON - Oak View Room

APRIL 22; 12:00 PM

WIDOWS & WIDOWERS LUNCHEON - Family Center

APRIL 26

LIFELINE SCREENING; HELD AT MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST
Flyers available at the Welcome Desk
Pre-Registration is required - 1.888.653.6450

APRIL 28; 3:00-5:00 PM

STOP THE ONLINE PREDATOR IN YOUR CHILD'S
OR GRANDCHILD'S BEDROOM - NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ecclesia on the West Side; 325 Piney Point
Memorial Villages Police Department will present a free two-hour
training focused on what every parent or grandparent needs to
know so that children of all ages can be protected.

APRIL 29; 11:30 AM

FRIEND DAY POT LUCK LUNCHEON - Family Center
Invite your friends and bring your favorite side dish and/or dessert.
Meat will be provided.

APRIL 29; 3:30-5:00 PM

WEDDING SHOWER - REY CASTANEDA & NANCY RODRIGUEZ
Registered at Target, Amazon, Bed Bath & Beyond, and Sur La Table

WEEKLY EVENTS

LADIES BIBLE CLASS -TUESDAYS, 10:00 AM ; RM 218
Childcare is provided for those attending from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM.
April 3: *Excuse Me God, but Exactly What Are You Doing?*
Habakkuk 1-3 Speaker: Linda Castleman

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS - TUESDAYS, 10:00 AM - LIBRARY

Nursery Helpers

8:20: M. Johnston, M. Boyd, 3 helpers needed
10:30: D. Sheppard, J. Fuller, 3 helpers needed
6:00: 2 helpers needed

Toddler Time & Bible Hour

8:20: McKee (TT); Deister, LaMott (BH)
10:30: Kuehn (TT); Reynolds, Schuster (BH)

YOUTH NEWS



READ EXODUS 15-17 FOR OUR APRIL 15th BIBLE CLASS

TODAY
SATELLITE SERVICES
AM: 7th & 8th; PM: All Youth & Bridge

TODAY; 3:45 - 4:45 PM HAITI MEETING

FRIDAY, APRIL 20-SUNDAY, APRIL 22

7TH-12TH GRADE GIRLS' RETREAT
"COME TO YOUR SENSES"

WESTIN @ MEMORIAL CITY; COST: \$40

REGISTER HERE: MCOG.ORG/CONNECT/YOUTH/EVENT-SIGNUPS



STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: LILAC NOLAN

GRADE: 11TH

BAPTIZED: 1/1/2012

FAVORITE BIBLE VERSE: PSALM 73:26

FAVORITE HOBBIES: VOLLEYBALL, READING,
SINGING, POETRY:

FAVORITE SCHOOL SUBJECT: PHYSICS

FUN FACT: I WAS ON TV LAST SUMMER!

FUTURE PLANS: I WANT TO DO RESEARCH IN NEUROSCIENCE.

"I love Memorial because of the family I have in the youth group.
God is awesome because of His unconditional love He has & will forever have.

SUMMER 2018

CAMP & MISSION TRIP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

mcoc.org/connect/youth/event-signups

Mission McAllen: June 9-15

Mission Haiti: June 12-19

Impact VBS: June 24-28

Camp Bandina: July 29-August 4



READ ACTS 9 FOR OUR APRIL 15th BIBLE CLASS

TODAY
SATELLITE SERVICES
PM: All Youth & Bridge



JUNE 8-10 - JOURNEYLAND CAMP
JULY 16-18 - VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

INCOMING KINDER LUNCHEON

SUNDAY, MAY 20
FOLLOWING 2ND SERVICE

FAMILY NEWS

PRAYER REQUESTS

Mary Doolin-recovering at home from an infection

Reba East-had successful back surgery on April 5 and expected to go home April 6.

Doug Erwin-father of Bettie Gross, had heart procedure Thursday, April 5.

Judie Martin-mother of Brad Martin, is recovering.

Jim Noyes-missionary in Kiev, Ukraine, had surgery Thursday, April 5.

Chris Shanks-awaiting test results following an outpatient procedure.

David Warren-brother of Wayne Warren, suffered a heart attack Tuesday, April 3 and had heart surgery.

Kaye Whitman-is now home. She would appreciate calls.

SYMPATHY

Sam Davis-former member at Memorial, passed away Monday, April 2.

Tommie Bryant-sister of Virginia Penninger, passed away Friday, March 30, in the Fort Worth, TX, area. Virginia & David were able to attend the funeral.

FAMILIES ON OUR PRAYER LIST

Ryan, Elizabeth, & Grayson Baker, Blair Belin, Jeanie Brackett, Charlene Burdett, Kathy Burdette, Betty Childers, Jean Clapp, Shirley Clisbee, Beth Cole, Joan Dale, Joel Dickinson, Eva Dillenbeck, Wanda Duncan, Corinne Elkins, Betty Gaddie, Carolyn Green, Kevin Harris, Sonny Harris, Carolyn Hood, Dorothy Hughes, Royce Humphrey, Harry Jones, Kelsey Kubala, Deanna Lambert, Charlie Middlebrook, Carol Morrison, Virginia Morris, Danny Nelson, Mariah Nolan, Laura Odom, Crystal Payne, Lisa Peace, Judy and Lon Perry, Pattie Pettigrew, Clint & Donna Petty, Virgil & Dorrace Poe, Abby Potts, Christina & Zayne Riggins, Jared Robertson, Gene Robinson, Judy Samfield, Steve Stoeltje, Nona Taylor, Dale & Judy Walker, Eric Watson, Paul Woodward, Beverly Youdal

FAMILY RECORDS

ATTENDANCE - 4/1/18

BIBLE CLASS	8:20 AM	10:30 AM	AM TOTAL
518	325	702	1,027
PM	SMALL GROUPS	AM/PM SATELLITE	
149	55	11/8	

CONTRIBUTION

\$57,007 WEEKLY BUDGET: \$52,681

YEAR-TO-DATE CONTRIBUTION

\$736,290

YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET

\$ 684,853

BAPTISMS - 19

Locally: 8 Prison Ministry: 11

NEW FACILITY NEWS

LET'S CLOSE THE GAP:
\$1,730,716

COST TO BUILD:
\$12,289,007

PLEDGES MADE:
\$10,558,291

PLEGDED AMOUNT RECEIVED:
\$10,022,787

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MEETING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

WORSHIP SERVICES8:20 AM, 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM
BIBLE CLASS9:30 AM
SMALL GROUPS.....6:00 PM

WEDNESDAY

BIBLE CLASS FOR ALL AGES.....7:00 PM

Each One.
Pray for one.
To know THE ONE.