8:20 & 10:30 AM SERVICES

Song: A Beautiful Life.

Welcome
Song: O Lord, Our Lord (2nd Service)
Song: A Mighty Fortress
Prayer:Sam Delaney/Matthew Avery
Song: Highly Exalted
Communion/Contribution:Kirk Eason
Scripture: Habakkuk 3:17-19 James Burnett/Gibson Allison
Song: I Will Rise
Sermon: "Sermons On The Mound, Seizing the Moments"
David Duncan
Song: Where He Leads, I'll Follow
Shepherd's Prayer: Bill Burdette
Song: Will You Not Tell It Today?

Song Leader: Clayton Hamby/Craig Schuster

SERMONS ON THE MOUND

Seizing The Moments

We should make	e the	of today.			
It is the only thing		-			
	James 4:13-17				
I can find	today and	devote it to God.			
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	Jairus (Mark 5)				
The bleeding _		(Mark 5)			
The	(Mark	1:40-45)			
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Others,	Others, their moments.				
The Samari	tan village (Luke	9:50-52)			
Rich your	ng ruler (Luke 18	:18-23)			
The Jew	ish leaders (Luke	e 22:2)			
We sometimes use	e our moments to	D/			
	& cause				
	from others when I am				
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Apostle Paul cho	se joy in				
	moments.				
P	hilippians 1:3-5				
Peter negatively use	d a moment to	Jesus.			
	Luke 22:54-62				
Don't let missed	moments	me.			
	II				
	o bring				
How am I	my	moments?			

6:00 PM SERVICE

Song: We're Marching To Zion	
Song: I Sing Praises To Your Name	
Welcome	
Prayer:	Jimmy McClung
Song: Step By Step	
Sermon: "Devotional Thoughts"	
Song: I Love You Lord	
Prayer:	Mike Kelso
Song: Christ For The World We Sing	

Song Leader: Wade Price



Following PM worship, we will have a report given on the recent trip to Southern Africa Bible College.

> We give prayers of thanksgiving for the safe return of all of our participants:

Matthew Avery, Mike Avery, Meredith Avery, Cade King, Sawyer King, Ava Beasley, Barbara Duncan, David Duncan, Scott Patterson, Richard Ramharack, Veroyanda Ramharack, Ava Nelson, Ali Nelson, April Sprott, Jeremy Sprott, Amie Stewart, KK Stewart, Malana Bitting, Caitlyn Johnson, Christie Eason, Kirk Eason, Krystal Schaefer, Karla Brown, Jake Hicks, Howard Hicks, Trevis Bonnett, Giovanni Bonnet, Debbie Hudgins, Jayna Beard, Tiffany Rice, Craig Schuster, Susan Schuster, Tag Shelton, Kadence Koteras, Lauren Ivanhoe, Luis Farias-Vargas, Genesis Eden Farias-Vargas, Emery Bond, Addison Bond, Rey Castaneda, Jessica Renzelman



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Ministry Staff	David Duncan	Steve Lehman	Mike Avery	Shawn Freeman	Quincey Spurlock
	Preaching	College/Singles	Youth & Family	Youth & Bridge	Resident Intern
Laura Norwood	Spencer Prather	Jack Prather	Wayne Roberts	Jessica Fuller	Lindsey Hawkins
Elementary	Preschool	Technology	Connection	Friendship School	Counseling Center

Family Shepherds Philip Bailey Bill Burdette Daron Cathey Frank Devine Jerry Gerlich Greg Hughes Tom Messick Terry Montgomery Alan Pence Robby Robinson, Jr. Craig Schuster Chris Shanks



PRAY WITHOUT CEASING

Isaiah 54:19

"All your children will be taught by the Lord, and great will be their peace."

Deuteronomy 7:9

"Know therefore that the Lord your God is God; he is the faithful God, keeping His covenant of love to a thousand generations of those who love Him and keep His commandments."

My older brother, Joe Houston, was a fervent and devoted follower of Jesus. He was a Navy helicopter pilot and flight instructor. He was a loving father. His relationship with God was deeply proved through the many personal trials he endured in his short life. He leaned upon God through them all. Joe died fourteen years ago, and his five year old son, Asher, was left to be raised far from our family in a tough environment.

My family and I prayed continuously for Asher. His daily environment did not lend itself to the light of Christ. We influenced in all the ways we knew how. And we prayed. After his own road of personal trials, and after nineteen years of praying for him, Asher began a journey to find himself. I didn't know if he would ever hear the Lord's call.

In a visit to Houston, Asher wanted to go through some of his dad's things. We brought down boxes from the attic, those emotional boxes that stay unopened for so long. This led Asher to his dad's journals.

My brother, Joe, kept extensive journals about his painful journey, the hardships he faced, and most of all his unshakable relationship with God.

Asher took these home to California with him. He meditated on Joe's writings. By the next visit to Houston, Asher decided to become a follower of Jesus!



This last Pentecost Sunday, I had the incredible honor to baptize Asher in the ocean in California. It was truly an unforgettable life experience. A new life and a long awaited birth brought forth from the testimony of a dead father. I could feel the cloud of witnesses. Beauty for ashes. To witness the answer to mine, as well as hundreds of others long enduring prayers, left me immensely humbled.

Never, never, never stop praying for people. God, in His perfect timing, may just answer your prayers in the most beautiful way.

Jimmy Houston attends Memorial with his wife, Kendra, and their young son, Ezra.

June 23, 2024

Upcoming:

TODAY SABC Mission Report

June 26 Food Distribution

July 11 Young At Heart Lunch 'n Learn

July 15-17 Vacation Bible School

July 15-17 VBXtreme For those entering 5th-6th grades

July 20 Workday

July 28 Central Texas Children's Home Shower

WiFi: MCoC Guest Password: mcoc1234

Members: Check in via your Elexio app

We are so glad that you are here.

We'd love to stay in touch with you.

Check in here.



UPCOMING EVENTS TODAY

Gift Card Shower honoring Elliot & Julia McHugh

Julia & Elliot, the son of Alex & Lori McHugh, were married last year and will have a celebration soon at which time Alex & Lori will deliver gift cards to them. Wal-Mart, Amazon, & Visa gift cards are appreciated by TODAY. You may place gift cards in the gray box located at the Welcome Desk. Contact: Barbara Duncan

Following PM service; Chapel; Mission Report on

the trip to South Africa; Our youth & adults will be speaking about their experience serving in South Africa.

JUNE

June 26; 5:45 pm; Food Distribution

Valencia Apartments; Serve your community and share the love of Jesus. Volunteers of all ages are welcome. Meet in the Oak View Room to pack meals and then travel to the apartments. Contact: Melissa Ramon

JULY

July 4; 7:45 am; Villages Independence Day

Parade; Meet at 7:45 to greet those from the community who are riding in the parade and help distribute coffee and donuts. Contact: Wayne Roberts



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL; July 15-17
Moses, Leaving Egypt; Open to children ages
3 years old-completed 3rd grade. Visit the QR
code for all information & to register!

Contact: Spencer Prather/Laura Norwood

NEW DATE - July 11; 11:30 am; Oak View Room; Young At Heart Potluck Lunch 'n' Learn

Speaker: Larry & Lou Ann Phillips on their South America trip; Contact: Andrew LaMore

July 20; 9:00 am-Noon; WORKDAY

Jump in and help our facilities team take care of a few small maintenance items. Contact: Scott Sawyer

July 28

Central Texas Children's Home Shower Watch for more information. Contact: Beth Watkins

AUGUST



August 10; Memorial Family Night at Space Cowboys; \$45/person - includes a \$20 food voucher. Contact: Spencer Prather

NEW! August 11; 8:00 am-Noon; Family Center Blood Drive Contact: Daniel Allen

August 24; 5:00-9:00 pm; Family Center You Had Me At Aloha - Marriage Seminar Watch for more info! Contact: Jon & Emily Ufer

August 25; 5:00 pm

Memorial Remembrance Muster We will remember and celebrate the lives of members of our Memorial family who have preceded us in receiving the eternal reward. All are invited. Contact: Wayne Roberts



BIBLE CLASSES

Sunday - 9:30 am Wednesday - 7:00 pm

June 27; 9:30 am; Little Beaker's Science Lab; 7620 Katy Freeway, **Suite 301, Houston 77024** \$10/child; Registration has closed.

Contact Spencer with questions.

 July 3; 10:00 am-Noon; Front Lawn Kidpendence Day; Join us for an early July 4th celebration for our kiddos who have completed 3rd grade and under! We will have sprinklers, kiddie pools, bubbles, sidewalk chalk, hotdogs and cupcakes! Keep in mind that this is not a drop off event and that your child requires your supervision. RSVP is only needed as a head count for food; there is no charge!

July 25; Movie In The Pews



Sunday - 9:30 a.m. **Wednesday -** 7:00 pm

Register for summer camps & events!

UPCOMING EVENTS

THIS WEEK! 9th-12th Girls' Retreat - June 24-26 5th-6th grade Study & Hangout - June 25

5th-12th Friends & Fun - June 26, July 10, 24, 31 Bring \$ for dinner!

Camp Bandina - June 30-July 6

VBS - July 15-17

VBXtreme - July 15-17; entering 5th-6th grades

Impact VBS - July 21-July 25

Intern Party - July 28

7th-12th Back To School Bash - August 11

5th-6th Back To School Bash - August 18



FOCAS

College Age; Sundays - Room 213 Jonathan – Characteristics of A Life of Purpose and Adventure

Single Adults (20's/30's) Sundays - Room 211/212 A Savior For All People - the Gospel of Luke

回當於回 Elevate U, High school seniors, college students, young adults in early 20's, and adult volunteers. August 2-5; Cost: \$60

FAMILY NEWS

Need something included in the bulletin? Email jshanks@mcoc.org by Wednesdays at noon.

PRAISE

We are thrilled that Noah Bayles, son of Ben & Paula, was baptized June 19!

WELCOME

We are thrilled to welcome **Charlie & Taylor Layton** to Memorial and are happy they will be worshiping with us!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Kaylee Flowers requests prayers for her journey in her personal relationship with God and Church in tough times.

Gwen Gerlich's pain has improved greatly. She expresses her appreciation for all of the prayers.

Debbie Hill, daughter of Barbara & John Arnett, is scheduled for shoulder replacement surgery tomorrow.

Chris Jones, son-in-law of Jim & Darlene Welborne, is home and will be undergoing chemo.

Larry & Lou Ann Phillips planned to return last week from preaching the gospel out of the country for the past month.

Albert Turner is recovering from a stroke.

SYMPATHY

Tommy Blalock, father of Lissa Adkins, passed away June 7. A private memorial service was held June 15. We express our deep sympathy to Lissa and her mother. They are appreciative of the prayers that have been offered the last couple of years.

THANK YOU

Thanks to the generosity of our Memorial family, we were able to provide scholarships for almost 70 campers and adult volunteers to attend Camp Bandina!

NEW! MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Memorial's Annual Family Retreat will take place September 6-8. Watch for registration information!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

All are invited to find their place at Memorial as we seek to share the love of Jesus and serve others.



Help needed with coffee & donuts.
Scan the QR code to volunteer!
Contact: Justin Robertson

VOLUNTEER REFUGEE RELIEF EFFORTS



Diaper Drive for Ukrainian Families We are collecting diapers, size 6 and 7, as well as wipes, for Ukrainian and Russian families. People are also needed to deliver diapers. Contact: Judy Haley



Drivers Needed Drivers are needed to transport our
Ukrainian friends to & from Sunday worship/Bible class
using the church van (no special license required.)
Contact: Catherine Simmons



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Kathy Garner

Since 2018, Kathy has welcomed the community and our church family to our building during the week as parents, nannies, and children arrive to play on our indoor playground. She greets them with a smile and is present to answer any questions and to help monitor the area.

Beyond this, she weekly fills 120 busy bags for Sunday worship services so our children are well supplied with items that help them stay focused during worship.

Kathy also distributes our bulletins to the appropriate places for each Sunday so they are ready when our members arrive, and she places the kids' contribution boxes at the front of the auditorium so they are ready when the kids joyfully run down to give their offerings.

Thank you, Kathy, for serving the Lord!

Prayer Requests

Public - jshanks@mcoc.org Private - prayer@mcoc.org

FAMILY RECORDS

CONTRIBUTION

6/16/24 Offering - \$64,332 Weekly Budget - \$62,503 YTD Budget Deficit - (\$137,826) Kids' Contribution - \$124.88



ATTENDANCE - 6/16/24

8:20 am - 213 10:30 am - 510 AM Total - 723 6:00 pm - 90

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