



# MARIEMONT CHURCH

We're a growing community of families in East Cincinnati **committed to following Jesus**, and we're glad you're here.

## OUR BELIEFS

**#3 The Bible**—Is God's authoritative letter to us, teaching us to live a life worth living now and forever.

## WHAT TO EXPECT

We all get together on Sundays to worship God. We **sing songs to God**, which is a lot like prayer set to music. **We share stories** or testimonies of God's love and power. **We teach** using the Bible as our authority, and from time to time, we remember the sacrifice Christ made for us through **Communion**.

For those of us who call Mariemont Church home, **we give generously**. Visiting? Just let the offering bag pass by. **Lite Bites** is a way to connect with others every Sunday. Please come and enjoy with us. **Body Life** highlights the most important things going on around here. There, comfortable yet? Oh wait, you don't have **coffee**! Go get some in the lobby and come back.

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Podcasts of Sunday messages are online:  
[www.mariemontchurch.org](http://www.mariemontchurch.org)  
Click on "Media"

If you're new here, pick up Volume 2 of the Isaiah Study Guide to get caught up on our series.

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## COMING ATTRACTIONS!

Oct. 2 Evening Joy Resumes  
Oct. 11 J.O.Y. Luncheon  
Oct. 22 Ofer Amitai  
Oct. 28 New Members' Class  
Nov. 4 Kids' Photo Shoot

**Mondays** Joy in the Evening Women's Bible Studies  
Resumes Monday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00-9:00PM  
**Tuesdays** Joy in the Morning Women's Bible Studies  
9:15-11:30AM  
**Wednesdays** Men's Bible Study 5:30-6:30AM  
J.O.Y. Women's Lunch and Study  
11:00AM-1:00PM (2<sup>nd</sup>)  
Prayer Meeting 7:00-8:00PM  
Jr. and Sr. High Youth 7:00-8:30PM  
**Fridays** Men's Bible Study 6:30-7:30AM  
**Saturdays** Family Shop Sale 9:00AM-12:00PM (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)



## WELCOME TO MARIEMONT CHURCH



**10/1/2017**

## THIS WEEKEND

### Today – Isaiah 48

Teacher – **Denis Beausejour** is the lead elder and teacher at Mariemont Church.

Worship Leader – **Paul Rasmussen**

Next Week – Isaiah 49:1-50:3

## GET CONNECTED

If you're new here–**WELCOME!** Stop by the Connect Desk in the lobby to say hello or pick up information about MCC. Here are 4 easy steps to get plugged in:

1. Pick up a copy of **The Way vision booklet** and information about MCC leadership.
2. Fill out a **Connect Card** so we know you were here.
3. Attend the next monthly **15-Minute Leader Meet Up** during Lite Bites **today**.
4. Visit a **Small Group**. Pick up card at Connect Desk.

Contact: Mark Simes [mark@mariemontchurch.org](mailto:mark@mariemontchurch.org)

## MCC KIDS

Classes are available for all children, ages 6 months to 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Find the list of class times and descriptions at the Connect Desk in the lobby.

- **Kids' Check-in** is on the Lower Level.

Contact: Leslie Seetin [leslie@mariemontchurch.org](mailto:leslie@mariemontchurch.org)

## STUDENT MINISTRIES

**Club 168** (High School) and **412** (Jr. High) meet on Wednesday nights. Bring a friend and be ready for food, fun, and honest discussion about things that matter to students.

- **Wednesdays, 7:00-8:30PM** in the Power House.

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## GROW

### PRAYER AND FASTING

For our third 40-day Prayer Covenant, which ends Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>, we have added fasting to our prayer and are asking God to make us **more effective** ambassadors for His Kingdom.

Fasting can be a difficult **discipline** to learn. There are many ways to fast in Scripture: one meal a day, one meal a week, or even start with a three-day fast. Daniel ate vegetables and water for 10 days. God will lead you!

Here is a link to a fasting **guide** written by Cru founder Bill Bright: <https://www.cru.org/train-and-grow/spiritual-growth/fasting/7-steps-to-fasting.html>

### NEIGHBOR LOVE TRAINING

Today Kent and Jill Schellhause will lead the **last session** designed to help train, coach, encourage, and mentor you as you seek to build relationships with and love your neighbors.

- Join us **today, 11:00AM** only
- Receive greater **personal equipping**.

### LIFE PRIVILEGE

**Parenting** is a lifetime assignment from God, but the assignment's nature changes over time. Are your children approaching adulthood or already there?

- Join "Life Privilege: Parenting **Adult Children**."
- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays, **9:00AM**
- Begins **October 8<sup>th</sup>**

Contact: Zeke Swift [zekeswift@gmail.com](mailto:zekeswift@gmail.com)

### JOURNEY TO BIBLICAL MANHOOD

#### Small Groups

Men will be meeting for the next 6 weeks to focus on growing in Biblical manhood.

- Options 1 and 2: **Sundays, 9:00 and 11:00AM**
- Option 3: **Fridays, 6:30-7:30PM**
- Other groups are currently forming.
- Get in on the front end of forming a group at a time that works for you. Visit the men's table in the lobby.
- Check website this week for Denis' and Tracy's talks.

Contact: Rob Seetin [Rjseetin@gmail.com](mailto:Rjseetin@gmail.com)

## NEW MEMBER CLASS

Visit the **Connect Desk** to register and pick up your required pre-work packet.

- **Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 8:30AM-12:30PM**
- Continental Breakfast provided at 8:00AM

## SERVE

### HOST AN EMI STUDENT

Host an EMI School of Service participant, **Oct. 20-27**. Bless one or two students with housing, meals (breakfast and dinner), and transportation to MCC.

Contact: Pam Ping [pping@equippingministries.org](mailto:pping@equippingministries.org)

## MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

### LITE BITES

Feed the body and facilitate **fellowship** between Sunday services. Does not need to be a big, fancy meal!

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## MISSION

### CITY LINK

#### Cincinnati, OH

Providing an integrated, holistic path to break free from poverty and get to a place of self-sustainability and hope.



#### Prayer Requests:

- That God will lead new clients to engage in services at the Center.
- For perseverance and courage for existing clients to continue on their bold path.
- For more clients to use our recently launched Health and Wellness Center offering dental and optical care for adults and their children. For guidance on how to best utilize volunteer support to provide excellent and loving care for every patient.
- For adequate funding support through the diverse resources of God's generous people.
- For increased provision of volunteers with valuable skills to support this kingdom-building work.