

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, showing us how to live.

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 Click on "Media"

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



COMING ATTRACTIONS!

Feb. 11 Early Preschool Registration for MCC Members Feb. 18 Baby Dedications

Mar. 2-3 Women's Retreat

Mondays Joy in the Evening Women's Bible Studies

7:00-9:00PM (1st &3rd)

Tuesdays Joy in the Morning Women's Bible Studies

9:15-11:30ам

Wednesdays Men's Bible Study 5:30-6:30AM

J.O.Y. Women's Monthly Lunch and Study

11:00AM-1:00PM (2nd)

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^{nd} & 4^{th})



WELCOME TO MARIEMONT CHURCH





1/21/2018

THIS WEEKEND

Today-Isaiah 58:1-59:13

Teacher – **Zeke Swift** is an elder and the overseer of the missions ministry at Mariemont Church.

Worship Leader - Anna Moderwell

Next Week — Isaiah 59:14-60:22

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.
- Fill out a Connect Card or prayer request and sign up for Denis' weekly devotional e-mails.
- **3.** Attend the next monthly **15-Minute Leader Meet Up** on **Feb. 4**th during Lite Bites.
- **4.** Visit a **Small Group**. Pick up card at Connect Desk.

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MCC KIDS

Classes are available today:

- 9:00AM ages 6 months to 3 years.
- 11:00AM ages 6 months to 6th grade.

Find today's class times and descriptions at the Connect Desk in the lobby.

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

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PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

Sunday, February 11th early enrollment begins for MCC families. General enrollment opens to the community Feb. 20th.

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DISCIPLESHIP SURVEY

MCC would like **everyone** to participate. Find the **"Take Survey"** orange hot spot button on the **mariemontchurch. org** home page. Most can complete the survey in 20-30 minutes. The survey will be open until **January 31**st.

2018 INITIATIVES

January 29 - Small Group Leaders Learning

Community (every 3-4 months)

March 2-3 - Women's Retreat

March - Complete Isaiah Study

April 1 - Easter

April, May, June - 1/2 Thessalonians

International Missions Fair

May 6 - Flying Pig Sunday

June 3 - Summer Vision Sunday

Long Term Planning Committee Report

June 18-22 - Haiti Trip and Bright Star Mission Trip

July 6-7 - Family Camp at Higher Ground (first 20 families)

August 19 - Fall Series: Sermon on the Mount **September/October** - Local Missions Fair

October 5-6 - Men's Retreat

December - Tree Lighting, Advent, Christmas Eve

JOY IN THE MORNING

New studies beginning Tuesday, January 23rd.

- Changes That Heal by Dr. Henry Cloud. A step-bystep study through four basic tasks of becoming mature.
- The Forgotten Jesus by Robby Gallaty. Rediscover who Jesus really is by seeing Him in the cultural and religious context in which He ministered.
- Ray VanderLaan Video Series. No homework involved.

SERVE

SOLES 4 SOULS

Support the Boy Scouts by **donating new or used shoes**! Soles4Souls aims to fight poverty by collecting and distributing shoes. #giveshoesgivelove

• Bring shoes to MCC by **Feb.11**th.

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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

WOMEN'S **RETREAT Cultivating a Spiritual Garden**

Speaker, Kim Knight, will focus on how we can cultivate a **life of worship** and how we can **sow seeds of grace** with our words, our works, and our daily walks.

- March 2nd-3rd
- Jesuit Spiritual Retreat Center in Milford, Ohio
- Early Bird deadline is Feb. 4th. Save \$20!
- Pick up registration forms at the Connect Desk.

Contact: Beth Swift swiftclan@gmail.com

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

UPPER ROOM PRAYER

Expand your personal prayer life by taking a 30-minute shift in the Prayer Room each week to pray for our congregation, our city, our nation, Israel, our missionaries, and personal requests.

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MISSION

MARTHA Navigators-Duvaristan

Discipling Jesus-followers who worship in their own context and pass on the gospel through their natural relationship networks.



Prayer Requests:

- That God will bless my presence among the Duvaristanis with His favor and pour out His Spirit on me and the people around me.
- The Lord will continue to do His will and lead
 Duvaristanis to Himself through dreams, Bible stories, seeds planted, answered prayers, and any other means He chooses to glorify Himself.
- That He will reap his harvest among these people, especially in my home!
- That I will be faithful to seek Him and sensitive to His leading all the time.