

## OUR SERVICES

8:20 & 10:30 AM

Song Director - Craig Schuster

Song: The Love Of God ..... 133  
 Welcome  
 Song: I Stand Amazed ..... 147  
 Song: God Of Wonders ..... \*  
 Song: On Zion's Glorious Summit ..... 227  
 Prayer: ..... C. Lewis/J. Maddox  
 Song: Lord, Take Control ..... 790  
 Song: In Need ..... \*  
 Communion ..... B. Martin/ER Hamilton  
 Contribution ..... B. Martin/ER Hamilton  
 Song: Lord, Speak To Me ..... 771  
 Scripture: Deuteronomy 24:14-15 ..... L. Nicholas/C. Miller  
 Song: We'll Work Til Jesus Comes ..... \*  
 Sermon: "Go To Work" ..... D. Duncan  
 Song: Lord, I Give You My Heart ..... \*  
 Shepherd's Prayer: ..... Philip Bailey  
 Song: Never Gonna Let Me Go ..... \*

6:00 PM

Song Director - Craig Schuster

Song: We Have Heard The Joyful Sound ..... 652  
 Song: He Lives ..... 346  
 Song: Because He Lives ..... 464  
 Welcome  
 Prayer: ..... S. Patterson  
 Song: A Shield About Me ..... \*  
 Psalm 124  
 Song: Had It Not Been The Lord ..... \*  
 Scripture: 1 Peter 2:13-17 ..... J. Robertson  
 Sermon: "The Most Important Person In the World #2" .....  
 D. Duncan  
 Song: What The Lord Has Done In Me ..... \*  
 Prayer: ..... R. Thompson  
 Song: Ring Out The Message ..... 622  
 Communion will be served in Rm. 141 .

## FAMILY SHEPHERDS

CHAIRMAN (January-March)  
 Aaron Deister; 281.859.2093

Shepherds are distributed among the family by last name as seen below in parentheses.

Philip Bailey (A-Bie)    Aaron Deister (Coo-Fl)    Jerry Gerlich (Her-Kn)    Tom Messick (McN-Pen)    Alan Pence (Ry-Ta)  
 Danny Clancy (Bit-Col)    Frank Devine (Fo-Hen)    Greg Hughes (Kr-Mck)    Terry Montgomery (Per-Ro)    Robby Robinson, Jr. (Th-Z)

## SERMON NOTES

### "GO TO WORK"

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

Where does God want me \_\_\_\_\_?  
 Maybe He just wants me to be \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Colossians 3:22-24

God may be interested in \_\_\_\_\_ I work.

He's definitely interested in \_\_\_\_\_ I work.

The \_\_\_\_\_ goes to work with me.

1 Peter 3:15

His presence means \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

Treat people \_\_\_\_\_.

Colossians 4:1

Galatians 6:10

Be \_\_\_\_\_.

Work hard.

Talk about \_\_\_\_\_.

When wrong, \_\_\_\_\_.

Want to be the \_\_\_\_\_ employee?

Philippians 2:14-16a

What if I \_\_\_\_\_ my job?

Try to find another one.

Thank God for the \_\_\_\_\_ I am getting.

Thank Him for \_\_\_\_\_ I'm learning.

Appreciate \_\_\_\_\_ being grown.

Still, \_\_\_\_\_ God.

How does God \_\_\_\_\_ my work?

### "THE MOST IMPORTANT PERSON IN THE WORLD #2"

6:00 PM Service - David Duncan

Mark 5:1-10

He was \_\_\_\_\_ by all and \_\_\_\_\_ by none.

Jesus gave him \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus saw beyond the man and saw his \_\_\_\_\_.

Mark 5:11-14

There was a cost for being \_\_\_\_\_.

Mark 5:15-17

Just a few minutes with the man \_\_\_\_\_.

Mark 5:18-20

The man needed \_\_\_\_\_ about Jesus.

Jesus needed to \_\_\_\_\_ to others.

How can I give someone \_\_\_\_\_?



# Memorial Church of Christ

Seeking & Sharing God's Love, Truth & Grace

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January 19, 2020



David Duncan  
 Preaching  
 Minister

Friend Day for Memorial and Groundhog Day share the same place on the calendar this year, February 2.

You may remember the 1992 comedy, *Groundhog Day*. Bill Murray, who portrays a TV reporter, finds himself in an endless loop.

According to the plot, every day starts with him covering Groundhog Day events in Puxtuwaney, Pennsylvania.

What does a so called holiday and Friend Day have in common? Some of us may be in an endless loop. We wish friends and family came to church. We wish they would be interested in spiritual things. We hate that our country seems to have slipping morals and a lack of respect for God. And, we are going to let another year go by without inviting anyone to a church service. We are in a negative loop that seems to never stop.

This is the opportunity to get out of the loop and at least invite friends and neighbors to be with us on the morning of Sunday, February 2. They may decline but at least you will be trying. They also may accept and begin an eternal journey with Jesus.

Rather than providing a lunch, we are asking you to take your guests to your house or go out to eat with them. You may even want to invite some other Memorial friends to go along with you in order to help your guests know more people. That night is the Super Bowl, so theoretically, you could spend the whole day with them. What is important is that we invite others.

Friend Day, February 2, will be great. Invite your friends and let's share our love for God and each other.



## Caregiver Seminar

Sunday, January 26

Lunch Provided

Chapel: 9:30-10:15 a.m.

Oak View Rm: 12:00-2:30 p.m.

Presenters: Joe & Beth Essner  
 Huntsville, AL

From time to time the caregiver needs to be able to refuel themselves to be able to continue to care for their loved one. Plan to attend to learn what you can do to also care for yourself.

Visit the QR code to register.



## MINISTRY STAFF

Mike Avery - Youth & Family  
 David Duncan - Preaching

Shawn Freeman - Youth & Bridge  
 Robert Heyen - Involvement

Jenni Langston - Children & Family  
 Larry D. Phillips - Congregational Care & Outreach

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### JANUARY 26

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### JANUARY 26; 12:00-3:00 PM; FAMILY CENTER

LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR CHRIST KICK-OFF

Come see what LTC is all about & help your 3rd-12th grade child sign up for events. You'll also have an opportunity to sign up to help coach.

### BEGINNING JANUARY 27

FRIENDSHIP SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR 2020-2021 OPENS

Friendship School enrollment is open to MCOC families and current school families beginning January 27<sup>th</sup>. Open enrollment to the public begins on February 10<sup>th</sup>. Classes will fill quickly, so please plan accordingly. Check out more information at [mcoc.org](http://mcoc.org) and/or contact Jessica Fuller at [friendshipschool@mcoc.org](mailto:friendshipschool@mcoc.org).



### FEBRUARY 2

FRIEND DAY - INVITE FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS, FAMILY!

### FEBRUARY 9; 4:00-5:30 PM

WEDDING SHOWER HONORING ANDREW STIVERS & LAURA EDWARDS  
Registered at Amazon, Crate & Barrel, Macy's, & Target

### FEBRUARY 16; 12:00-2:00 PM; OAK VIEW RM

WIDOWS & WIDOWERS LUNCHEON

### FEBRUARY 20; 11:30 AM

YOUNG AT HEART POTLUCK LUNCH & LEARN

### FEBRUARY 22; 6:00-8:00 PM; OAK VIEW RM

CROSS-GENERATIONAL DADS DINNER

### MARCH 28; 9:00 AM-6:00 PM

DADS/KIDS ADVENTURE DAY

Held at Bowers Ranch - Navasota, TX

### MARCH 29; 12:00-1:30 PM

EVENT COMMITTEE APPRECIATION LUNCHEON

### APRIL 26; 12:00-1:30 PM

TEACHER APPRECIATION BANQUET

### 2020 DAILY BIBLE READING SCHEDULE & STUDY QUESTIONS



## WEEKLY EVENTS

**LADIES' BIBLE CLASS** - TUESDAYS, 10:00 AM

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

**GRIEF SHARE** - WEDNESDAYS, 7:00 PM; RM. 141A

**PRAYER MEETING** - THURSDAYS, 6:00 AM; OAK VIEW RM

**FORGOTTEN SINNERS** - THURSDAYS, 6:30 PM; FAMILY CENTER

## YOUTH NEWS



### JANUARY 26; 12:00-3:00 PM; FAMILY CENTER

LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR CHRIST KICK-OFF FOR THOSE IN 3RD-12TH GRADES

### FEBRUARY 28-29

ALL YOUTH (6TH-12TH) SOUL LINK YOUTH CONFERENCE

Sign up by January 26!



### SUMMER SCHEDULE (MORE WILL BE ADDED)

**Mission McAllen**; June 6-12

(entering 7th-entering 9th grade). Cost \$100.

**Impact VBS**; June 14-18

(entering 6th-entering college freshman). Cost \$50.

**Memorial VBS**; June 22-25

(youth and bridge will serve). Free.

**Camp Bandina**; July 26-August 1

(entering 6th-entering college freshman). Cost \$200.

### ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**Valuable volunteers are needed for our summer events to happen!**

**We need you! -Contact Mike Avery ([mavery@mcoc.org](mailto:mavery@mcoc.org))**

**Mission McAllen** - 2 Cooks, 2 worksite volunteers

**Impact VBS** - 2 Van and bus drivers, 2 group leaders

**Camp Bandina** - 2 nurses, 4 cooks/dishwashers, 2 lifeguards, 2 licensed counselors (1 male/1 female), 2 group activity coordinators, 1-2 security patrol volunteers, 4 cabin counselors



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LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR CHRIST KICK-OFF FOR THOSE IN 3RD-12TH GRADES



FEBRUARY 7-8 - BRIDGE RETREAT AT THE PENCE CABIN IN ANDERSON, TX - VISIT THE QR CODE TO REGISTER!

SEE ABOVE FOR SOUL LINK & SUMMER INFO!



### JANUARY 24; 9:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

MOMMY & ME PLAYDATE

Meet at the MCOC indoor playground.

Bring snacks or lunch, and come play!

### JANUARY 26; DURING BIBLE CLASS TIME

2ND GRADE PARENT MEETING

Come meet with Jenni!

### JANUARY 26; 12:00-3:00 PM; FAMILY CENTER

LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR CHRIST KICK-OFF FOR THOSE IN 3RD-12TH GRADES

### MARCH 6; 6:30-8:30 PM; FAMILY CENTER

JOURNEYLAND FELLOWSHIP NIGHT

### APRIL 26

TEACHER APPRECIATION BANQUET

### MAY 17

4 YEAR OLD & 4TH GRADE PROMOTION LUNCHEONS

### MAY 29

JOURNEYLAND FELLOWSHIP NIGHT

### JUNE 5-7

JOURNEYLAND CAMP

### JUNE 21-24

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



## FAMILY NEWS

### PRAISE

**Wes Alvarez**-was baptized

Wednesday, January 15.

Your prayers on this new journey would be appreciated.



**Melanie Boyd**-was baptized

Sunday, January 12.

We rejoice with your decision to put Christ first in your life.



### PRAYER REQUESTS

**Joe Burton**-father of **Jennifer Baxter**, is responding well to treatment and will be returning to his home Sunday, February 2.

**Nick Bush**-grandson of **Suzanne Adams**, is scheduled for ACL surgery Monday, January 20.

**Marcus Gabriel**-the cousin of **Dinah Gabriel**, was placed in hospice care.

**Joe Guidry**-father of **Jill Biernat**, is in MD Anderson.

**Carl Greer**-is recuperating at home following surgery.

**Royce Humphrey**-has an appointment to meet with a surgeon Monday, February 3.

**Lowell Kirkbride**-father of **Lisa Peace**, is hospitalized in Cleveland, MS.

**Ryan Scott**, son-in-law of **Philip & Gaye Bailey**, has a severe knee/bone infection and is hospitalized pending ongoing treatment.

## Houston City-Wide Lectureship

February 2-6, 7:00 each night

Hosted by the Shady Acres Church of Christ

Meeting in the Hidden Valley Church of Christ building

9521 Sunnywood

Monday, February 3 is designated

Memorial Church of Christ Night with David Duncan as MC

You are encouraged to attend

## Notes Of Appreciation

We have received notes of appreciation from

Beth Cole & Diana Humphrey.

## Volunteers

### Nursery

8:20: E. Hiner, L. Gordon, M. Avery, M. Avery, M. Avery, M. Boyd

10:30: A. Sawyer, M. Odom, M. Reynolds, S. Caridi, L. Messick, H. Frazier

### Toddler Time & Bible Hour

8:20: N. Castaneda, M. Carlile (TT) J. Brensing, J. Nowell (BH)

10:30: **NEED 2 HELPERS** (TT) S. Prather, **NEED 1 HELPER** (BH)

### Special Blessings

10:30: The Langstons

## FAMILY RECORDS

### ATTENDANCE - 1/12/20

BIBLE CLASS	8:20 AM	10:30 AM	AM TOTAL
463	346	507	853
PM	SMALL GROUPS		AM/PM SATELLITE
n/a	85		31/18

CONTRIBUTION

\$55,502 WEEKLY BUDGET: \$57,544

YEAR-TO-DATE CONTRIBUTION

\$118,223

YEAR-TO-DATE BUDGET

\$115,088

2020 BAPTISMS - 2

Local: 2 Prison Ministry:

### NEW BUILDING

OUTSTANDING DEBT:

\$552,200

**HELP US WIPE OUT OUR DEBT!**

## Want to connect?

WIFI Info: User: Guest Password: mcoc1234

Stay informed and engaged with our online resources



WATCH OUR LIVE STREAM



DOWNLOAD OUR APP, 'ELEXIO COMMUNITY' IN YOUR APP STORE

Choose how you give



1. MCOC.ORG
2. OUR APP
3. TEXT AMOUNT TO 832.626.2410

## Connect with us!

Please follow us on the following social media sites:

- Facebook - Memorial Church of Christ, Houston
- Instagram - mcochouston
- Twitter - @MCOChouston

Like and share our posts to spread God's love with your friends and family.

## MEETING SCHEDULE

### SUNDAY

WORSHIP SERVICES  
8:20 AM, 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM

### BIBLE CLASS

9:30 AM

### SMALL GROUPS

6:00 PM

### WEDNESDAY

BIBLE CLASS FOR ALL AGES  
7:00 PM

### WOW

7:00 PM - CHAPEL

### YOUTH SMALL GROUP

7:00 PM - FAMILY CENTER