

Thanks for joining us today!

Whether you're worshipping with us in person or online today, please take a moment to fill out our digital Welcome Book at mrcc.org/WelcomeBook



Please join us for First Cup

Immediately following worship, in the Conference Room
First Cup is a chance for newcomers to learn more about MRCC
Visit mrcc.org/firstcup for more information

MINISTRY UPDATES

CHILDREN'S HOME CONTRIBUTION MONTH

We have long provided support to several Children's Homes through our weekly giving and via special contributions in our adult classes. With those classes not yet regularly meeting as they were pre-pandemic, our leadership has designated the month of October as a time when we can continue to donate and support those Homes. There are several ways you can give. Checks can be dropped off at MRCC or mailed, or you can give online by visiting <https://app.securegive.com/mrcc/memorial-road-church-of-christ> and clicking "Donate." Each of the Homes have voiced concerns of uncertainty about the present situation but also about the future. Our support does make a difference. Thank you for sharing your blessings with them.



DRIVE THROUGH TRUNK-OR-TREAT

Friday, Oct. 30 | 5-7:30pm

Unfortunately, we won't have the indoor, carnival-style activities this year, but we will have Trunk-or-Treat!

COVID safety is a priority, so please be flexible with these plans to keep everyone healthy.

Walk-Through Option:

Last names A-L attend from 5 – 5:40pm
Last names M-Z attend from 5:50 – 6:30pm

Drive-Through Option:

6:45 – 7:30pm, for anyone not comfortable with the walk-through option.

All treats will be commercially pre-packaged and distributed by the trunk owner. Children will not be allowed to put their hands into those treat buckets. Protective masks are not required (per COVID task committee).



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE UPCOMING YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

JR. HIGH HALLOWEEN HUDDLES
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 28
6:30-8PM
COSTUME CONTEST, GAMES, PRIZES, AND MORE!
STAY TUNED FOR MORE DETAILS

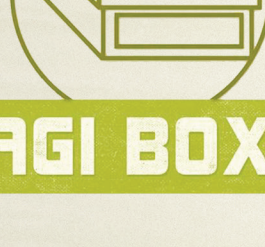
SURVIVE THE DAY
JUNIOR HIGH DAY RETREAT
NOVEMBER 14TH | 8AM-6PM
LOCATION: MRCC
COST: \$50
FOR ALL STUDENTS IN 6TH-8TH GRADES
REGISTER ONLINE BY NOVEMBER 8TH
JOIN US FOR A FULL DAY OF FUN AS WE SPLIT UP INTO FAMILIES TO COMPETE FOR THE ULTIMATE PRIZE!

SENIOR HIGH HALLOWEEN RIDE NIGHT
OCTOBER 28
5:30 - 8:00
\$10
Bring your bike, scooter, roller blades or hoverboard and join us for a fun twist on trick-or-treating that will end with dinner, s'mores and time together!
Drop off/park at Chisholm Elementary and pick up at the Mayes' Home
REGISTER ONLINE BY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25TH

SENIOR HIGH fall retreat
NOVEMBER 13-14
Join us at Lake Arcadia for our fall retreat campout! Everyone must bring their own tent, although siblings can share. \$50 fee includes a sweatshirt, three meals, activities and more!
REGISTER ONLINE BY NOVEMBER 8TH

SLEEPING BAG DONATIONS FOR SECOND CHANCES

Second Chances Thrift Store, a ministry run by our own **Delisa Herbert**, is looking for new or used (good condition) sleeping bag donations. The bags will not be sold, just given away to the homeless. The deadline for donations is November 1st. The bags can be dropped off at Second Chances (2605 N. Macarthur, OKC) or in the MRCC Prison Ministry office.



MAGI BOXES

Magi Box instruction sheets are available at Information Central, on the stage, at the auditorium entrances, as well as online at mrcc.org/MagiBox.

Magi Boxes are due November 8.

TEMPORARY VEHICLE & EMPLOYMENT NEED

One of our former HIM workers, Jaycie Hutcherson, is looking for a vehicle to use temporarily while she prepares to move to France in early 2021 to do mission work. She is also on the lookout for short-term job opportunities in this interim time period. If you can help with either need, please contact Jaycie at jlhdrum10@gmail.com. Thanks!

Stay connected & informed



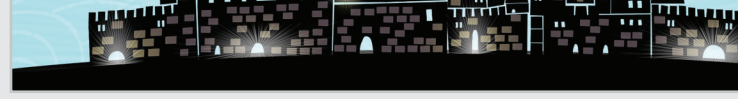
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YouTube.com/memorialroad



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SERMON INFO

Today Phil continues our **City on a Hill** series, focusing on the passage from which this phrase originates. In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus describes His followers as the "light of the world" and illustrates their function by declaring that a city on a hill cannot be hidden. Phil will talk about the gravity, ambiguity, and opportunity of this powerful statement.



CITY ON A HILL

Questions for Reflection & Discussion

- Who is someone you know that brings a negative effect upon a group? What about a positive effect?
- Some people seem to be very aware of how others experience their presence. Others not so much. What factors make someone self-aware v. not self-aware?
- Who is someone whose presence has fundamentally shaped the kind of person you are for the better? How did they do that?
- What is a title you achieved as a young person that you are proud of?
- Phil talked about defining your "world" in four categories. What were those? In which of these arenas do you think you do the best job of being a light, and which one needs the most improvement?
- Who most needs your light right now?
- What is a headline you've seen in someone else's life that you wish could make national news?
- What headline do you want to write this week?

FAMILY UPDATES

10.18.20

Hospitalized

Max Dobson is in Mercy ICU, following surgery last week.
Jay Jones is in Texoma Medical Center in Denison, Texas.
Jay Tunnell is in OU Med, #6121, with Covid.
Judy Warnick is in Bradford Village for rehab from hip surgery.

Prayer Requests

Patrick Akerman's mother, Tina Akerman, is battling several serious health issues.
Dave Morton is scheduled for knee replacement surgery tomorrow.

Our Sympathy is extended to...

Bob & Judi Lashley, the **Andy Lashley** family, and the **Lucas Ross** family on the death of their mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, Joyce Williams, Sunday, Oct. 11.
Steve & Gail Brookman and the **Phil Brookman** family on the death of Gail's stepfather, Dick Pearson, Wednesday, Oct. 14, in North Carolina. A family graveside service will be this week at Memorial Park Cemetery in Oklahoma City.

Showers

Drive-By Wedding Shower for **Leah (Sikes) Fryslie**, daughter of **Dan & Jeannie Sikes**, is this afternoon from 2-3:30 on the portico outside of Fellowship Central. Leah & Micah were married in August. They are registered at Target, Bed Bath & Beyond, and Amazon.
Co-Ed Bridal Shower for Hannah Durham, fiancée of **Nathaniel Garner** (son of **Jason & Heidi Garner**), is this Saturday, Oct. 24, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at **Jeff & Misty Floyd's** (address available on the Online Community). They are registered at Target & Amazon. This will be an outdoor shower, so feel free to stay awhile, or just drop off your gift.

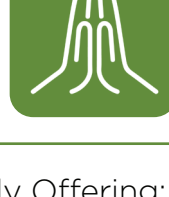
Thank You

Dear Church Family – Thank you for giving us a safe place to say the words we needed to say, ask the questions with no answers we needed to ask, and process the thoughts we needed to process. Your calls, texts, emails, and cards have meant so much. You have reminded us that God is trustworthy and near to the broken-hearted.
Love, **The Pattons (Randy, Tonya, & Ashley)**

Ways to give



mrcc.org
[mrcc app](https://mrcc.org/app)
text amount to:
884.311.2333



Prayer Requests

We would love to pray for you. Submit your prayer requests at mrcc.org/prayer, or on the MRCC App.

Weekly Budget: \$108,697 | Avg Weekly Offering: \$97,019 | YTD Budget Deficit: \$478,790