



## THANKS FOR JOINING US TODAY!



Please take a moment to sign the Welcome Book, located in your pew. Members, please greet any guests seated near you.

If you're joining us virtually, sign easily at [mrcc.org/welcomebook](http://mrcc.org/welcomebook).



### Please join us for First Cup

First Cup is an opportunity for newcomers to learn more about MRCC. First Cup happens every Sunday at 9:35 a.m. in the Conference Room.

Visit [mrcc.org/firstcup](http://mrcc.org/firstcup) for more information.

## WELCOME MUGS AND BASKETS

These simple gifts are available at Information Central. Mugs are intended for first-time guests to MRCC, while Baskets are for newcomers to your neighborhood.

Deliver a mug or basket today!



## MINISTRY UPDATES

## HOLIDAY GIVING & SERVICE PROJECTS

Go to [mrcc.org/holiday](http://mrcc.org/holiday) for more details



### INTERNATIONAL THANKSGIVING DINNER

Today is the day of our 30th International Thanksgiving Dinner! Thank you to the many volunteers who have already helped and others who will be serving today to make this event possible. We have a unique opportunity this year to welcome new neighbors from Afghanistan. From 4:00 to 6:00, we're providing space for them to meet early for a cup of tea and to socialize with each other. There will also be some fun activities for the Afghan children. Dinner in the gym begins at 6:00 and will feature a fully halal menu in consideration of our guests. We'll serve traditional turkey and vegetables with pie for dessert. Please pray for God to help these families in this extraordinary time of transition and for us to be a source of light and hope.



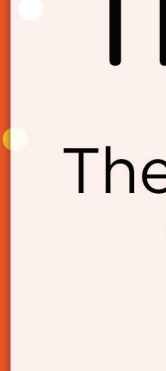
### THANKSGIVING DAY IN THE CITY

Do you know someone who could use a Thanksgiving meal box delivered this Wednesday, Nov. 24? We still have room for more recipients. Submit names at [mrcc.org/holiday](http://mrcc.org/holiday).



### CHRISTMAS GIFT PROJECTS

Every single packet for families at MRCC, Luther, and Second Chances was claimed! Thank you for your great response! If you want to be on the waiting list in case more needs arise, email **Marty Karguth** at [marty.karguth@mrcc.org](mailto:marty.karguth@mrcc.org).



### FUNDS FOR HYGIENE KITS

This project, started many years ago by JoAnne North, will provide hygiene kits for women incarcerated at two different local facilities. Give funds to **Jerry Way** or the church office by Sunday, Nov. 28.



### MAGI BOXES

Thanks for filling the stage with lots of boxes for children in Piedras Negras and Allende, Mexico! We've extended the deadline to noon on Nov. 24. Bring boxes to the church office. Instructions at [mrcc.org/MagiBox](http://mrcc.org/MagiBox).

## CONTRIBUTION TRAY-PASSERS NEEDED

Please go to the check-in area in the small hallway across from Information Central (next to the Conference Room) to see if you're needed. Thank you!

## TEACHERS NEEDED!

The new quarter begins Sunday, Dec. 5. We need teachers and helpers in Preschool and Journey Land!

### FOR PRESCHOOL

Sundays: Nine volunteers needed

2 Teachers for one-year-olds

2 Teachers for two-year-olds

2 Teachers for three-year-olds

1 Teacher for PreK

2 Helpers for PreK

Wednesdays: Eight volunteers needed

2 Teachers for 0-10-month-olds

2 Teachers for 11-14-month-olds

2 Teachers for two- and three-year-olds

1 Teacher for PreK

1 Helper for PreK

### FOR JOURNEY LAND

Sundays: Seven volunteers needed

1st grade Orange needs 1 Journeyman

2nd grade Blue needs 2 Journeymen

3rd grade Blue needs 2 Journeymen

1 Teacher for Studio Praise room

1 Teacher for the Game of Life room

To help in Preschool, contact

**Stephanie.Langley@mrcc.org**.

To help in Journey Land, contact

**Amy.Scott@mrcc.org**.

## New Elder Selection

For several years it has been the practice at Memorial Road to add elders at regular intervals. We are committed to providing spiritual oversight and shepherding to our members. As you know, in recent months some elders have passed away or stepped aside, and more men are needed to help provide spiritual oversight for our members.

We believe the biblical role of elders is to provide spiritual leadership, safeguard doctrine, and conduct the affairs of the church. The scriptures set forth qualifications that identify men who are devoted to God, their families, and the church. Also remember to not overlook well-qualified men who may be younger or from diverse backgrounds.

Every member is urged to participate in this selection process by studying the scriptures, praying, and recommending the names of those you believe should receive careful consideration. Recommendation forms will be available Dec. 5 and must be turned in by Dec. 19 at 6 p.m. All of this is to be done in faithfulness to God's word and with sensitivity and concern for all members.



— HAPPY —  
*thanksgiving*

THE CHURCH OFFICES AND BUILDINGS WILL CLOSE AT NOON ON WEDNESDAY, AND REMAIN CLOSED THURSDAY-SATURDAY

## holiday schedule

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 24 | 6:30PM  
THANKSGIVING DEVO IN THE AUDITORIUM  
WITH SPEAKER WILL MUKES

DEC. 1 | LAST DAY OF FALL QUARTER CLASSES

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8 & 15 | 6:30PM  
CHRISTMAS WOW IN THE AUDITORIUM

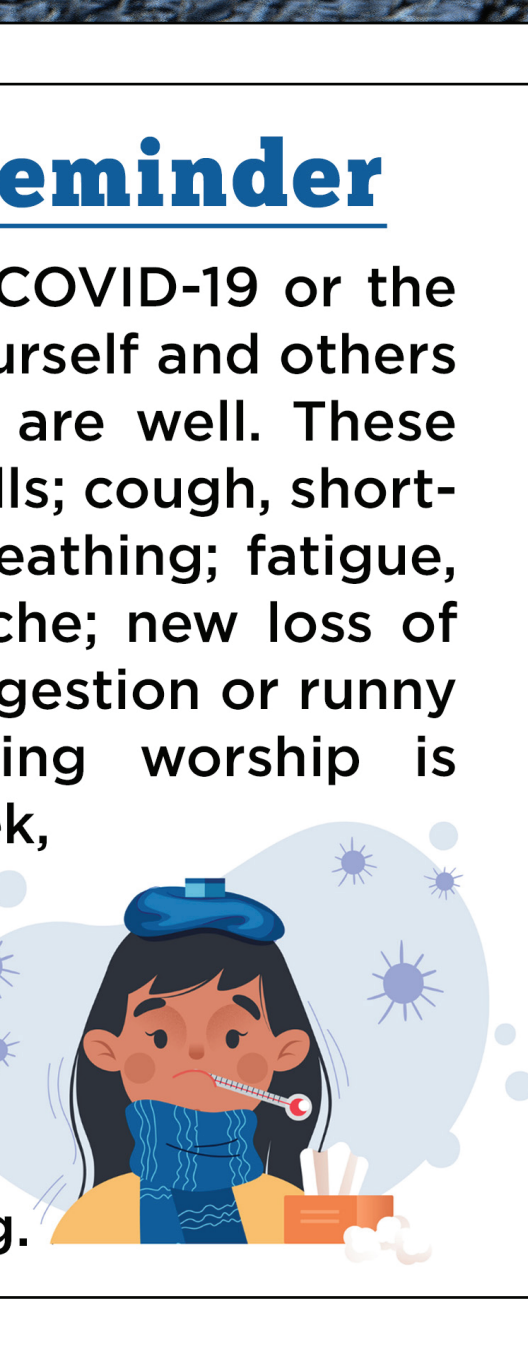
VIEW THE ENTIRE HOLIDAY LINEUP AT  
[MRCC.ORG/HOLIDAYSCHEDULE](http://MRCC.ORG/HOLIDAYSCHEDULE)

MRCC Children's Ministry  
**THE POLAR EXPRESS**  
movie night!

Friday, Dec. 3  
Beacon Drive-In in Guthrie  
Parking opens at 5:45  
Movie begins at 6:30

Hot chocolate and cookies provided

Bring cash if you wish to visit the Beacon concession stand



Are you thirsty for more?  
Come visit

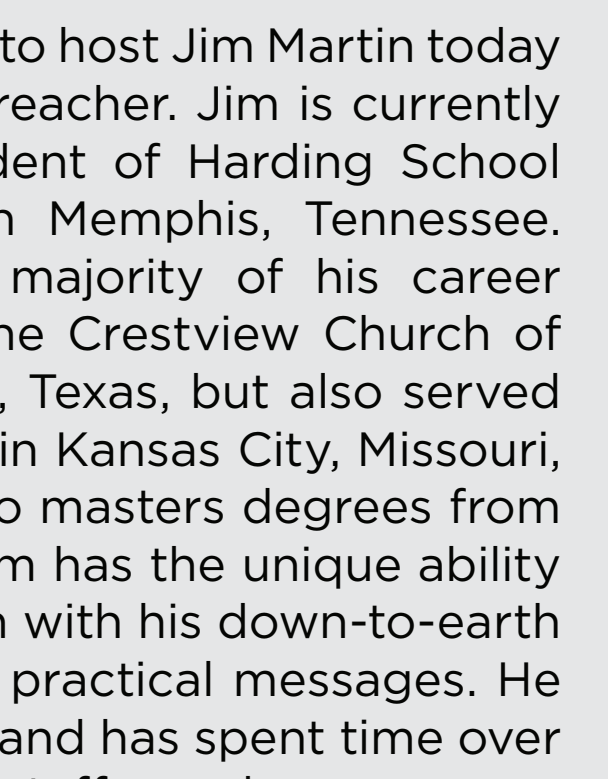
THE WELL

at [mrcc.org/thewell](http://mrcc.org/thewell)

a variety of classes are available, and you can learn at your own pace

## COVID and Flu Reminder

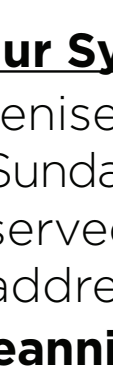
If you have any symptoms of COVID-19 or the flu, we ask that you protect yourself and others by staying at home until you are well. These symptoms include: fever or chills; cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing; fatigue, muscle or body aches; headache; new loss of taste or smell; sore throat; congestion or runny nose; nausea. Sunday morning worship is broadcast live at 8:15 each week, with archives available, at [YouTube.com/memorialroad](http://YouTube.com/memorialroad). Studies are also available at [mrcc.org/TheWell](http://mrcc.org/TheWell). We truly appreciate your cooperation and understanding.



### STAY CONNECTED & INFORMED



Watch live or previous broadcasts of worship, sermons, or WOW at [YouTube.com/memorialroad](http://YouTube.com/memorialroad).



Download the MRCC App (for iOS and Android) for easy access to all our resources. Check it out today!

## SERMON INFO



We are excited to host Jim Martin today as our guest preacher. Jim is currently the vice president of Harding School of Theology in Memphis, Tennessee. He spent the majority of his career preaching at the Crestview Church of Christ in Waco, Texas, but also served congregations in Kansas City, Missouri, and Florence, Alabama. He has two masters degrees from ACU and a D.Min. from Harding. Jim has the unique ability to combine his extensive education with his down-to-earth people skills to deliver thoughtful, practical messages. He has multiple connections to MRCC and has spent time over the years mentoring several of our staff members.

## FAMILY UPDATES

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### Hospitalized

**Donna Satterlee** is in Mercy Hospital in Guthrie.

### Prayer Request

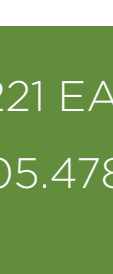
Please remember **Aidan Laxson**, 15-year-old son of **Brett & Kari Laxson**, as he continues to recover from a serious accident. Aidan is scheduled to be released from the hospital today.

### Our Sympathy is extended to...

Denise Cutbirth and family, on the death of her husband, Jim, Sunday, Nov. 14. Jim & Denise are former MRCC members, and Jim served as one of our elders before they moved to Texas. Their address is 123 Avenidia de Baca, Abilene, TX 79602.

**Jeannine Bennett** on the death of her husband, **Rance**, Tuesday, Nov. 16.

### Ways to give



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

### Prayer Requests



We would love to pray for you. Submit your prayer requests at [mrcc.org/prayer](http://mrcc.org/prayer), or on the MRCC App.

Weekly Budget: \$102,065 | Avg Weekly Offering: \$95,766 | YTD Budget Deficit: \$289,755

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