



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.



Please join us for

First Cup!

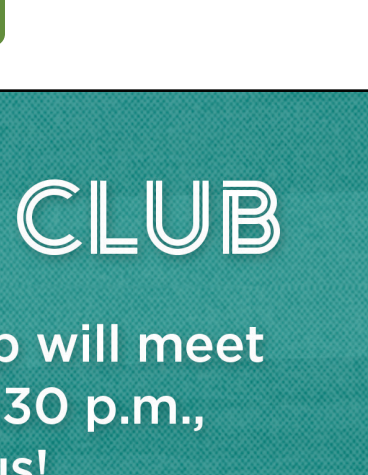
FIRST CUP IS A CHANCE FOR NEWCOMERS TO LEARN MORE ABOUT MEMORIAL ROAD

We meet at 9:35 in the Conference Room, which is located off the lobby near the rear entrances of the Auditorium

Visit mrcc.org/firstcup for more info

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!



FEATURED ITEMS



NEW DAY

THIS SATURDAY

We're looking forward to this fun day with our new Afghan neighbors! If you picked up a laundry basket from the stage last Sunday, please return the filled basket to the church office **BY WEDNESDAY**. You can still volunteer to help with tasks such as serving the meal, helping people navigate our facilities, assisting with kids' activities, and more. Visit mrcc.org/newday to sign up, or contact **Jo Harmon** (joharmon359@gmail.com) or **Terry Fischer** (terry.fischer@mrcc.org) with questions.

UPCOMING EVENTS

BUCKET LIST BOOK CLUB

Bucket List Book Club discussion group will meet this Wednesday, May 11, from 6:30-7:30 p.m., in the Parlor. Feel free to join us!

Questions?
Contact Natalie Nill at nnill@sbcglobal.net.



MEN'S MINISTRY

SPRING SHOTGUN SHOOT

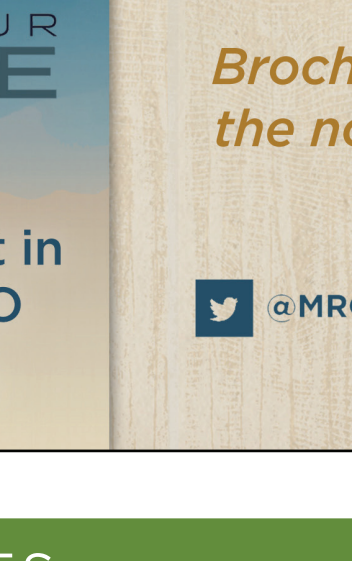
Saturday, May 21, at 10 a.m.
Silver Leaf Shooting Sports
Located 3 miles north of Waterloo on Douglas

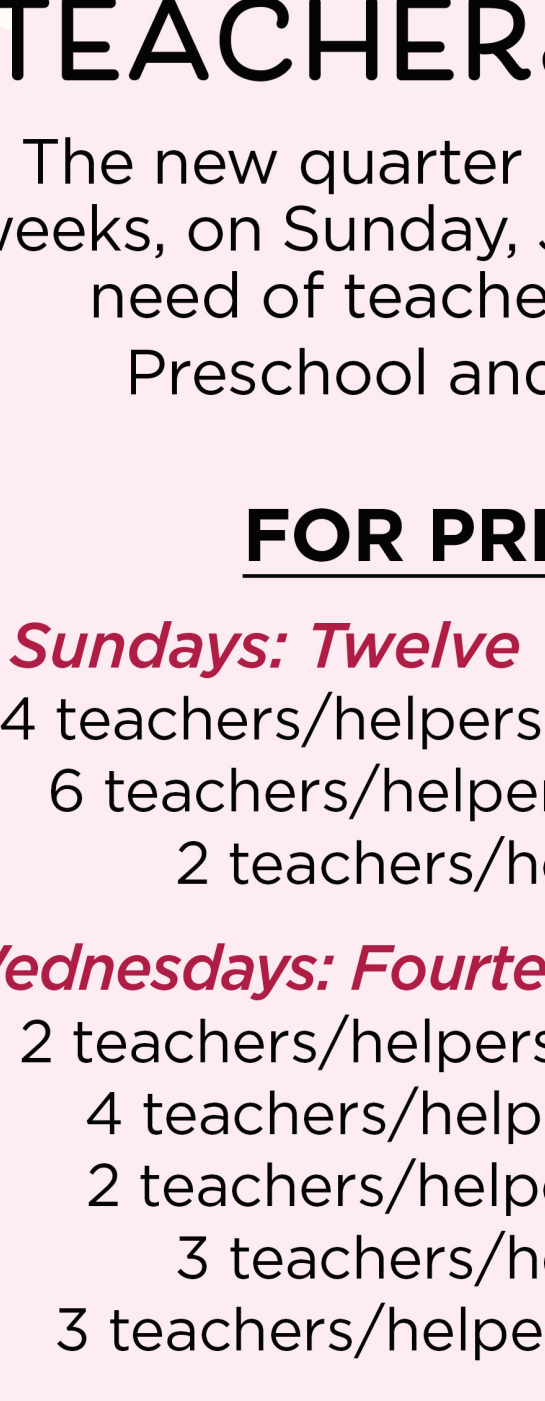
Cost is \$31.50/person for a 50-shot course

Teams are welcome or you can be put on a team once you're there.

Ammo can be purchased at the event or you can bring your own (no duck shot).

Visit mrcc.org/springshoot to register, or tap on this image.





BEYOND THE BUILDING

Sunday, May 29

8:45AM WORSHIP | 10AM BIBLE CLASS
BRING LAWN CHAIRS | BRING COMMUNION



BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday, May 29

7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

in the Summit Gym

If you are planning to donate, please reserve a donation time at OBI.org

Oklahoma Blood Institute



24 SUMMIT

CHANGE YOUR ALTITUDE

AUGUST 1-3

Beaver Run Resort in Breckenridge, CO

beaverrun.com

Join us for Summit!

For more information, visit mrcc.org/Summit or contact Debbie Carter in the office to sign up.

Brochures available at all the normal pickup spots.

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MINISTRY UPDATES

TEACHERS NEEDED!

The new quarter begins in just a few weeks, on Sunday, June 5, and we are in need of teachers and helpers in Preschool and Journey Land!

FOR PRESCHOOL

Sundays: Twelve Volunteers Needed
4 teachers/helpers for 10-16 month olds
6 teachers/helpers for two year olds
2 teachers/helpers for PreK

Wednesdays: Fourteen Volunteers Needed
2 teachers/helpers for 0-11 month olds
4 teachers/helpers for 2 year olds
2 teachers/helpers for 3 year olds
3 teachers/helpers for PreK
3 teachers/helpers for Kindergarten

FOR JOURNEY LAND

Sundays: Eight Volunteers Needed
Four Journeymen for 2nd grade
Four Journeymen for 4th grade

Wednesdays: Eight Volunteers Needed
Two Journeymen for 1st grade
Two Journeymen for 2nd grade
One Journeyman for 3rd grade
Three Journeymen for 4th grade

To help in Preschool, contact **Stephanie.Langley@mrcc.org**.

To help in Journey Land, contact **Delise.Williams@mrcc.org**.

CHILDCARE

WORKERS NEEDED

Celebrate Recovery has openings for childcare workers. Those interested should be available to work Friday evenings, especially through the summer months. Contact **Lauryn Corbelli** (lauryn.corbelli@gmail.com) to apply.

Buddies Needed in the Children's and Youth Ministries

The Children's and Youth Ministries need adult helpers who have an interest and passion for being a buddy to one of our special needs students. Help is needed for Sunday mornings and/or Wednesday evenings during class, or during overnight trips.

If you are interested in serving in this way, please contact **Jill Jones** to serve the Children's Ministry students and **Kurtis Dobbs** to serve the Youth Ministry students. A background check, interview, and questionnaire must be completed, along with a training session which will take place on Sunday, May 22.

We hope and pray you will consider this opportunity for ministry with our students who have special needs and their families. Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you!

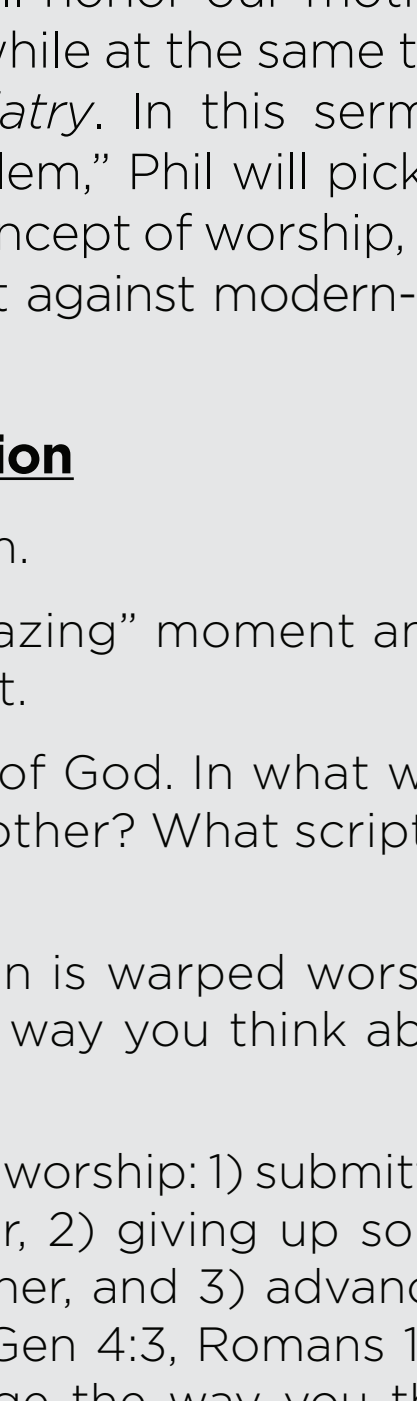


A BUCK-SNORTING GOOD TIME HAD BY ALL

Lane Frost said, "True cowboys are the ones who aren't afraid to get dirty." If this is true, then ALL little boys are true cowboys! My son, Travis, and I had a wonderful time at last week's Mother/Son Cowboy BBQ. We made so many memories. This is an event that he has looked forward to eagerly, and attending made him feel so special. We made spurs and vests to complete his costume. He was grinning from ear to ear the whole night, especially while enjoying his horseback ride!! He loved practicing roping, shooting water guns, herding cows, and of course comparing his fake mustache with all of his friends'. Getting to eat BBQ on camp plates and drink root beer from a bootshaped cup was the perfect finish to such a fun evening.

It was so sweet for my son to witness servant leadership from the elders of the church and other MRCC men taking time to serve food and help with the event. I appreciate the example they set for my son. We want to thank the Children's Ministry for putting on an amazing event and all the volunteers who worked hard to make it happen!! Mark your calendars for next year. It's an event you don't want to miss!


-Hannah Overman



Girls' Retreat 2022 is in the books!

We had a great time with our 7th-12th grade girls out at Jacob's Ladder Camp & Retreat Center this past weekend. The theme for the weekend was **Refuge**, and everything centered around the idea that God seters our feet in spacious places (Psalm 31). The group enjoyed spending time together doing fun activities, as well as having the opportunity to rest in the presence of God. I'm excited to build on these relationships and form deeper connections with the girls!

-Emily Kaissling



CELEBRATE RECOVERY

A CHRISTIAN SUPPORT GROUP

EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT

A place of hope for every hurt, habit, and hang-up

Dinner at 6
Program at 7
Small Groups at 8

mrcc.org/CR

Change is possible.

women's ministry


N.E.S.T FOR WIDOWS

NEST for Widows will meet tomorrow evening from 6:30-8 in A105-106, with optional dinner at Johnnie's at 5:00. Guests are welcome! Details are at mrcc.org/nest.


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!

STAY CONNECTED & INFORMED



Watch live or previous broadcasts of worship, sermons, or WOW at YouTube.com/memorialroad.




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

SERMON INFO

EVERYDAY IDOLATRY

when good things become god things



On this Mother's Day Sunday, Phil will honor our mothers with various illustrations and stories while at the same time continuing our series, *Everyday Idolatry*. In this sermon, titled "The Problem Behind The Problem," Phil will pick up where he left off last week with the concept of worship, and how this practice is critical in our fight against modern-day idolatry.

Questions for Reflection & Discussion

- Tell a favorite story about your mom.
- Moms, share a "being a mom is amazing" moment and a "being a mom is miserable" moment.
- Motherhood comes from the heart of God. In what ways does God display the nature of a mother? What scripture comes to mind to illustrate this?
- In Romans 1, the root problem of sin is warped worship. How does this inform or shape the way you think about sin?
- Phil talked about three dimensions of worship: 1) submitting one's life to the authority of another, 2) giving up something you care about to honor another, and 3) advancing the purposes of another (Gen 18:2, Gen 4:3, Romans 12:1). How do these ideas shape or change the way you think about worship?
- Based on these definitions, what would you say are some of the primary objects of worship in our world today?
- Based on these definitions, what do you worship?
- What is currently your favorite worship song?

FAMILY UPDATES

Hospitalized

Joyce Gully, mother of **Jay Gully**, is in Mercy #363 recovering from hip replacement surgery. No visitors, please.

Margaret Olmstead, mother of **Tina Winn**, is in Epworth Villa recovering from a fall.


New Baby

Congratulations to **Clark & Traci McClay** on the birth of their daughter, **Sophia Marie**, born Wednesday, April 20.

Shower


Baby Boy Shower for **Kristen Barrientez** will be next Sunday, May 15, 3 - 4 p.m., in the Parlor. She is registered at Babylist.com.

Ways to give



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, or on the MRCC App.

Weekly Budget: \$102,065 | Avg Weekly Offering: \$108,570 | YTD Budget Surplus: \$117,104

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