# Welcome To Morningside Bible Church

Sunday January 5, 2025

### To Our Guests:

Within these walls we worship regularly with liars, thieves, gossips, backbiters, people with troubled marriages, alcoholics, and drug users. We welcome hypocrites and jealous, envious, coveting materialistic sinners, of all types, shapes, and colors. The good news is we all have something in common—we have all learned that the Church, the Body of Christ, is a hospital for sinners, not a museum for saints. We have all learned that the Lord is our rest, that he reaches out to save us, and that we are the redeemed community of the saints. We come here to worship and praise Him, and to continually plan how we might be better agents of change, salt and light in a darkened world that needs the good news: that Jesus saves. You are *welcome*, but be forewarned: We take Jesus seriously!

## Our Purpose Statement:

We exist to glorify God by: Communicating the gospel, Maturing believers, and Equipping them for Christ-like service.

# Social Media:

Check out our website: www.morningsidebiblechurch.org Like us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/morningsidebiblechurch/ App Store: Free "Morningside Bible Church" App & <u>Online Giving</u> Read Pastor Terry's Blog: www.verticallyfocused.com WI-FI: MBC-guest Password: mbcjn316

# Welcome Desk:

Make sure to stop by our *Welcome Desk* and see what's new...

# This Week



Children's Sunday School Adult Bible Study Nursery 3 years and younger Worship Service -Sermon by: Pastor Terry -Title: "An Under The Sun World" -Text: Ecclesiastes 4:1-8 C Mastbergen Small Group 712/898-3015 Taylor Small Group 630/815-2978 Tackett Small Group 712/898-2382

Ehlers Small Group 507/220-0265

Men's "Group Meeting" 6:15-7:15am All Church Prayer Group **712/258-3578** 

AWANA This Week Worship Team Practice Youth Group This Week

#### WINTER "SERVANT EQUIPPED" CLASS

<u>THIS</u> Wednesday, January 8<sup>th</sup>, in the Cameroon Room, 6:15-7:30 PM. Designed for <u>everyone</u> desiring to be obedient to Jesus' command to "...make disciples..." This will be a very practical, how-to class that will provide you some of the best resources available to help you become a faithful disciple-maker. (<u>NOTE</u>: Please SIGN-UP (2) the Welcome Desk so we know how many books to order!)

# Thursday

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

9:30-10:30am

10:40-12:00pm

6:30-8:00pm

7:00-8:30pm

6:30-8:00pm

6:15am

6:30pm

6:15-7:30pm

6:00-8:15pm

6:15-7:30pm

Wednesday

Following the Service

7:00-8:30pm

D Mastbergen Small Group 712/389-5253

# Guest Information Card

We're glad you're here! (Please detach this card and place it in the offering or drop off at the Welcome Desk)

Name

Today's Date

Address/Apt#

City/State/Zip

Phone

Email

□ First Time Attender □ Returning Guest

> How did you hear about Morningside Bible Church?

□ Sign □ Yellow Pages □ A Friend □ Website □ Other

> Please share your impression of our service today

What questions do you have about our ministries

# Saturday

7:30-9:00am

"Old Men's" Basketball

If you have a special need or prayer request you would like us to pray for this week please write it below and place in the offering.

**Regular Attenders** 

Communication What information would you like to pass on to the Elders or Church

Office?

#### **HAVE YOU BEEN BAPTIZED?**

If you've not been baptized SINCE you believed, why not offer a public testimony of your willingness to follow Jesus? We would like to schedule a baptism for Sunday, February 16<sup>th</sup>. If you've placed your faith in Christ and desire to be included please see Pastor Terry or another one of the Elders TODAY!



Jan 8 New "Servant Equipped" Class Begins |an 19 Communion Sunday lan 20 Elder Monthly Meeting 6:15pm Jan 26 Church Potluck Feb 16 **Baptism Celebration** 

#### **MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:**

We are presently seeking to fill the following volunteer ministry positions:

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- "Social Media Coordinator"—someone to post, review & update MBC social media applications like Facebook, etc. Please see Randy Ehlers for a Job Description & guestions you may have.
- "Children's Church Director"—someone to oversee staffing & provide direction as the Elders have determined. See Lucas Sullivan for a Ministry Job Description & questions you may have.

#### Serving the Body Of Christ (Opportunities...) Children's Church— See Lucas Sullivan



Prayer Needs: Zephaniah Taylor—Healing from surgery

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### Missionary Spotlight:

For the month of January, please pray for our missionaries, Louis and Sonita Sonkey, who have served with the Navigators of Cameroon for some 10+ years. They have been called to engage in pioneering ministry in Sierra Leone; so pray fervently that God would bless this relatively new work!

## General Giving (July-June)

Weekly Budget: \$4.837.19 YTD Budget: N/A Last Week's Income: N/A YTD Income: N/A

Expenses: N/A

### Missions Giving:



\$601.62 Last Week's Giving: N/A

YTD Need: N/A YTD Giving: N/A

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## **Elders**

Terry Embke, **Teaching Pastor Curt Mastbergen David McCord Randy Ehlers Justin Taylor Mike Rodgers** 

Deacons

Fitz Grant **Doug Harrison Mike Oliver David Mastbergen** 

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