

MARCH 1, 2026



For GOD
so loved
the world...

COLLEGE CHURCH MISSIONS SUNDAY

WORSHIP

FLAG PROCESSIONAL

The Church's One Foundation

WELCOME

PSALM 121

INVOCATION

My Savior's Love

I Speak Jesus

GENESIS 12:1-9

OFFERING

Revelation 19:1

Proclamation Gospel Choir

JOHN 3:1-21

PRAYER

MESSAGE: Called to become a blessing.
Rev. Dr. Matteo Ricciardi

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Take Up Your Cross

Dr. Marvin Jones & Proclamation Gospel Choir

BENEDICTION

...THAT *He gave*

HIS ONE AND ONLY SON,

THAT WHOEVER

believes in Him

SHALL NOT PERISH BUT HAVE

eternal life.

MISSIONS SUNDAY

SPECIAL GUEST

We welcome special guest Rev. Dr. Matteo Ricciardi, pastor of Moncalieri Church of the Nazarene in Italy and professor at European Nazarene University, who will be speaking to us in the worship service.

PRAYER WALK

We invite you to take some time at the Missions Prayer Walk in the main commons this morning. Displays have been set up and you will have an opportunity to learn how you can partner in prayer with global and local missions.

MISSIONS GIVING

We will also receive pledges towards our Missions Giving goal of \$125,000. Would you give prayerful consideration to pledging to world evangelization? Pledge cards are in the pews.

CONVERSATIONS WITH MATTEO

Join us TONIGHT at 5PM in the CLC for a relaxed time of fellowship where you'll have the opportunity to ask questions and hear firsthand from Rev. Ricciardi about what God is doing in Moncalieri, Italy.



LENT

FEB 18 - APR 3

READ

LENT DEVOTIONAL

Available at welcome desks and office.

PRAY

PRAYER IN THE SANCTUARY

Weekdays 7:30AM-5PM

LISTEN

SCRIPTURE IN THE SANCTUARY

Scripture read aloud weekdays 7:30AM & 12:30PM

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Men are invited to attend a prayer breakfast at Family House Restaurant on SAT, MAR 7 at 8AM. This will be a relaxed, welcoming time for men to connect, pray together, and encourage one another.

TIME CHANGE

Daylight Savings Time begins SUN, MAR 8. Don't forget to set your clocks forward one hour before going to bed!

BABY SHOWER

You are invited to a come-and-go baby shower for Cody & Hayley Erickson on SUN, MAR 8 from 2-4PM in the cafe. Hayley is expecting a baby girl and we are delighted to help her get ready! You can find her registry on Babylist.



CANDY NEEDED!

Would you be willing to purchase a bag of small, individually wrapped candy for a children's Easter event? No suckers or items with peanuts or peanut butter, please. Donations can be dropped off at the church office.

"EQUIPPED TO CARE" PANEL EVENT

The Parish Nurse Ministry is hosting an important evening of education and conversation on WED, MAR 25 at 6:30PM in the Choir Room. We will discuss how our church approaches care, safety, and community support. Our panel will address topics including mental health boundaries, recognizing dementia, children's ministry safety policies, emergency preparedness, and benevolence care.

SAVE THESE DATES!

MAR 15 | CONCERT SERIES

MAR 22 | WESLEY CELL

MAR 29 | BAPTISM CLASS *Note date change!*

JUN 16-19 | VACATION BIBLE PARTY

February Tithes & Offerings

Budgeted: \$108,294 // Received: \$90,410

2026 Missions Giving

Received: \$9,470

KIDS

MAR 4 | AWANA 6-7:30PM | Kidsland

MAR 12 | STAY & PLAY 10AM-12PM | CLC

MAR 21 | CLUB 456 GLOW NIGHT

MAR 21 | MOMS COFFEE & PAINTING 10AM-12PM

MAR 27 | TREASURELAND EGG HUNT 6PM

JUN 16-19 | VACATION BIBLE PARTY

TEENS

MAR 4 | YOUTH GROUP 5:30PM dinner, 6-7:30PM group

MAR 6-7 | DISTRICT CELEBRATE LIFE

COLLEGE

SUNDAYS - SUNDAY SCHOOL 9AM | CLC/gym

MIDWEEK - CONNECTION GROUPS

We have connection groups that meet in homes and at the church monthly and weekly. Scan code for info.

TAP OR CLICK HERE



MAR 20 - WORSHIP NIGHT 7PM | CLC/gym *Note date change!*

APR 10 - GAME NIGHT

YOUNG ADULTS

MAR 3 | BIBLE STUDY 6-7PM | Room 203

Post-graduate young adults in your 20's - come explore God's Word, ask real questions, and grow together as we study prayers of the Bible.

SENIORS

MAR 4 | SOUP, SALAD, SCRIPTURES 5:30PM | Cafe

MAR 9 | PUZZLE PALS, STITCH & CHAT 1-3 | Room 100

PRAY

PRAYER IN THE SANCTUARY

The sanctuary is open for prayer this MON-FRI from 7:30AM-5PM.

PRAYER INITIATIVE

The Prayer and Care Team will spend time this month praying for those in our congregation who are homebound and in care facilities. Would you join us in lifting them up?

READ

- 3-1** Ps 121 // Genesis 12:1-4a // Romans 4:1-5, 13-17 // John 3:1-17
- 3-2** Ps 128 // Numbers 21:4-9 // Hebrews 3:1-6
- 3-3** Ps 128 // Isaiah 65:17-25 // Romans 4:6-13
- 3-4** Ps 128 // Ezekiel 36:22-32 // John 7:53-8:11
- 3-5** Ps 95 // Exodus 16:1-8 // Colossians 1:15-23
- 3-6** Ps 95 // Exodus 16:9-21 // Ephesians 2:11-22
- 3-7** Ps 95 // Exodus 16:27-35 // John 4:1-6
- 3-8** Ps 95 // Exodus 17:1-7 // Romans 5:1-11 // John 4:5-42

GROW

MONDAY

Widowers' Connection (John Muhm) - 9AM, Room 100

TUESDAY

Bible Study: *JOB Just Older Boys* (John Hanson) - 9AM, Room 100
Support Group: Al-Anon (Vicki DeWees) - 9:30AM, Room 204
Prayer Group: Prayer Encounter (Lynn Metz) - 5PM, Room 200
Bible Study: Young Adults (Pastor Mark) - 6PM - Room 203

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Group: Ladies' Prayer Group (Mary Mercer) - 1:30PM, Room 200
Kids: Awana (Pastor Sherry) 6-7:30PM, Kidsland
Teens: Youth Group (Pastor Joel) - 5:30PM dinner, 6-7:30PM group
Reconnect Midweek Service (Pastor Mark) - 6:30PM, Choir Room

FRIDAY

Bible Study: Friday Friends (Joy Hertzberg) - 11:30AM, Room 200

Widows' Group: Lunch Bunch Connections - 11:30AM

We'll gather for lunch on MAR 6 at 11:30AM at Monical's Pizza in Bourbonnais. RSVP by calling Ellie 815-933-5332 or texting Marjorie 815-210-0133.

PRAYER PANEL

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

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Paula Adams
Arlene Allen
Jean Beatty
Sandy & Russ Benson
Dave Blomgren
Nelson & Norma Bradford
Cathy Breeck
Susan & Ben Bretveld
Bob & Keryl Carlton
Mel Case
Bonnie Champion
Jing Chen
Deanna Colclasure
Paul Cook
Justina Cooper
Donna Dark
Zach Davis
Marilyn De-Young Mancuso
Fouzia & Felix El-Daief
Naomi Falkenhan

Elizabeth Gushlaw
Esther Hanson
Marlene Hayes
Emma & Elizabeth Hourihan
Sharon & Bill Hudson
Sharon James
Oscar Jones
Wilda Kleen
Fran Koerner
Mary Kondourajian
Anita Kronst
Karen Lambert
Maurice & Joy Long
Sandra Lutz
Larry McDaniel
Cheryl & Larry Meier
Linda Miller
Wayne & Maribel Miller
Julie Mitchell-Wood

Pat & Keith O'Dell
Ken Oppenhuis
Dale & Ellie Owen
Denzle Painter
Garry Pate
Mike Partyka
Paula Phillips
Bob Potter
Jon Rix
Ryland Schriefer
Lee Schrock
Ray Scott
Brad Stonebraker
Connie Stonebraker
Lowell Thill
Debbie Tutt
Betty Walker
Linda Wallen
Jean Warburton
Brian Weber

OUR EXTENDED FAMILY

Alison | Donna (Betty Ann Osenga)
Alicia & Adam (Lynn Metz)
Amanda | Judy (Esther & John Hansen)
Amy & family (Brad Stonebraker)
Amy | Rose (M & J Thomson)
Amy & Joshua (Bob & Louise Potter)
Andrew (Kent & Beth Olney)
Anne (Russ Lovett)
Audrey Jo (Lori Owen)
Ashley (Freda Wolfe)
Bonnie | Judy (Pat & Keith O'Dell)
Brenda (Brad Stonebraker)
Brenda (Harriet Hopkins)
Carol & Stephen (Susan Bretveld)
Christian (Jen & Chris Shride)
Cory (Dave Johnson)
Dakota & family (Chloe Miller)
Debbie (Marylon Wright)
Don | Martha (Sylvia Diekman)
Efton & Betty (Marylon Wright)
George (Bob Potter)
Gladys (Delores Krause)
Glenn (Marla Abdallah)
Grant (Deborah & Richard Reedy)
Greg & Retta (Sandy Lackey)
Harry | Rose (Bob & Louise Potter)
Isabella (Oscar Jones)
Jan | Jim (Pat & Keith O'Dell)
Janet (Paula Phillips)
Janice | Liz (Rhonda Przewoznik)
Jeff | Linda (Tami & Rodney Spiezio)
Jennie (Lee Schrock)
John & Foulks Family (Marva Taylor)
John | Phillip | Ron | Ric (Linda Miller)
Johnny (Mertle Cleare)
Justin (Jessica Falkenhan)

Kaski Family | Sherri (Linda Miller)
Katherine (Sandra Lutz)
Kathy | David (Larry Moslener)
Kathy & Richard (Marylon Wright)
Kevin (Herschel & Jeanette Wix)
Kevin (Melanie DeMarchi)
Kris | Cody (Bonnie Champion)
Lauren & David (Sharon & Bill Hudson)
Linda (Patti Manuel)
Lois (Mary Mercer)
Lydia | Marilyn (Julie Mitchell-Wood)
Lyla (Charlene Hess)
Maddison (Lynn Metz)
Marilyn Myers
Marvin (Cherri Saindon)
Mary (LaVerne Jordan)
Maxine (Jeni Ragan)
Melissa (Floyd & Arlene Hoffman)
Melissa (Sue Haag)
Melissa & Paula (Tami Spiezio)
Melody (Amy Meyer)
Mike & Pam (Becky Farrar)
Owen | Brandon | Travis (Jesse Spencer)
Pat (Larry McDaniel)
Piersen (Pat Case)
Rachel & Justin | Loye (Lynn Metz)
Ryan (Mathilda Dobbins)
Seema (Chuck & Norma Classen)
Taylor (Barb Hartness)
Tiffany (Worship at the Center)
Traci (Fran Koerner)
Tracy (Sylvia Diekman)
Tristin, Danny, Rick (Sue Shipp)
Twyla (Floyd & Arlene Hoffman)
Wayne (Kevin & Judy Sims)