

Maranatha Bible Church

April 26, 2020

Stay @ Home Edition

All In-Church gatherings have been cancelled through April 30th.

This Week's Opportunities to Worship

Sunday:

- **Worship Service 10:00 – Live Stream Only**

Song Service: bit.ly/MBCMUSICApril26

The Purpose of Proverbs

Proverbs 1:2-7

- **Equipping Hour 11:15 – Live Stream Only:** Advanced Biblical Counseling: The Importance of Change
- **Impact:** Sunday, April 19 at 6 pm – Impact Facebook Live
- **SURGE:** Sunday, April 19 at 7 pm – SURGE Facebook Live

Tuesday: April 28 **Noon** - Facebook Live on the MBC FB page with Pastors Joe, Bob, and Todd

Wednesday: April 29 **7:00 pm** - Pastor Todd speaking Live Stream

Thursday: April 30 **Noon** - Facebook Live on the MBC FB page with Pastors Joe, Bob, and Todd

7:00 pm – MBC Zoom Family Check-In. This will be an opportunity to catch up informally with the saints at MBC over Zoom. Join us for some sweet “virtual” fellowship!

To join the Zoom call, please follow the instructions below:

Option 1: Go to Zoom.us and click "Join a Meeting" in the upper right corner. Enter **506-721-7292** in the Meeting I.D. field and click 'Join'. Please enter your full name. For those who wish to remain anonymous, you can enter your name as "Anonymous."

Option 2: Go to Zoom.us/download and sign up for a free account. Download the free client for Windows or Mac. Set up your mic and camera in the settings. When the call is about to begin, click 'Join' and enter **506-721-7292**.

Option 3: Click on this link: <https://zoom.us/j/5067217292>

Offering Report General Fund

	Last Week	Year-to-date
04/19/2020	\$4,882.10	\$335,372.29
Weekly Need	\$8,211.54	\$279,192.36
Difference		
(\$3,329.44)	\$56,179.93	

Only because of the faithfulness of God's people!

Prayer Requests/Praise

Kent Woolston

Ted Spangenberg: kidney

Julie Haag - Lyme's Disease

MBC Seniors that are home-bound

COVID-19

Our military members & those currently deployed:

Russ Papke & Zachary Reed

Missionaries – George's in Mozambique

Announcements

Baby Shower: MBC Ladies, You are invited to a "[Stay-at-Home Baby Shower](#)" on May 9.

Dan & Stephanie Brunsink are expecting their first child, due May 24. We are asking that you would either deliver a gift to their home or order a gift to be delivered. The couple has registered on Amazon. For the gifts that arrive by May 9 (FYI: [some Amazon orders are being held for 2 weeks, if deemed non-essential. So, you may need to order prior to April 24.](#)) Dan & Stephanie will take photos &/or video of them opening the gifts & post it to the MBC Facebook page. The Brunsinks' address is 2114 Houseman Ave. NE., Grand Rapids, MI 49505

https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/stephanie-brunsink-may-2020-grandrapids/JZLBOSNTBWIZ?ref=cm_sw_sm_r_px_MOBILE_IF77fKJEpiaGs

Day Camp: Staff applications are now being accepted. Camper registration has begun as well. You can sign-up on-line, get applications at the church (there is a box on the wall outside the main entry) or I'd be happy to mail one out to you. Just email me or leave a voice message: office@mbcmi.org or 616-784-5905.

Adult Equipping Class: Classes are currently held on Sunday by Live Stream at 11:15 am.

Pastor Bob: Biblical Counseling II: The Importance of Change

The Membership/Baptism class will resume upon our return to our normal routine.

A class for parents wishing to have their child/children dedicated will be scheduled. If you are planning to have your child dedicated, please contact the church office: office@mbcmi.org.

Graduates: May 17, we hope to recognize our graduates. We may not be able to recognize them publicly, but thought you might like to have a list of our graduates so you can remember them individually: High School – Andrew Dykstra, College & continuing education: TBD

Men's Bible Fellowship: We are going through *Disciplines of a Godly Man* by R. Kent Hughes together. If you are interested, please contact Bob Scott by email bobs@mbcmi.org or call 616.207.9005. Meetings are bi-weekly on Sat mornings at 9:00 am here at the church. The next scheduled meeting is TBA.

Men's Training: The next class is scheduled for May 24. This class meets from 1-3:30 pm in the TES classroom, UL1. This class is livestreamed if you are unable to attend in person. Please ask Pastor Bob for additional information.

Women's Training Class: Now scheduled to meet May 9 at 9:00-11:00 am in UL1 & 2. This final class for the season will combine material that was to be covered on April 4. This class will meet just a bit longer. Please note the time change. If meeting together isn't an option on the 9th, the plan is to go ahead with the class LiveStream, so we can end this session.

Workday: An all church/all property workday is scheduled for May 16. We start at 8 am and work until all of the projects and necessary work is completed. Lunch will be served, so a count is needed. Please email Brian Carpenter @ NapaCarp@sbcglobal.net that you are willing to serve where needed. . Work day is an annual 1 day event to allow us to get our church grounds cleaned up for the season. Food is provided at noon. Please text 616-460-0899 or email napacarp@sbcglobal.net if you're able to come help this year. I will keep you posted of what will happen for that day.

MBC Military That are Deployed: This is the address you will need to encourage both Russ Papke as well as Zachary Reed while they are deployed.

Mailing Address while at FBTX:

SOLDIERS NAME
3-126 INF BN
1011 Chaffee Rd
Fort Bliss, TX 79916

Church Calendar

Weekly Activities:

Sunday:

10:00 am Service Livestream only

11:15 am Adult Equipping Class Livestream only

6:00 pm SURGE: Facebook Live

7:00 pm Impact: Facebook Live

6:00 pm College & Careers - Alternate weeks

Tuesday: April 28 at noon – Facebook Live on the MBC FB page with Pastors Joe, Bob, and Todd

Wednesday: 4/29 at 7:00 pm - Pastor Todd speaking Live Stream

7:00 pm - AWANA - **Postponed**

Thursday: 4/30 at noon - Facebook Live on the MBC FB page with Pastors Joe, Bob, and Todd

7:00 pm - Zoom with your MBC family

Upcoming Activities – We look forward to meeting again soon, when possible

5/9 Women's Training Class

5/9 Stay-at-Home Baby Shower for the Brunsinks'

5/16 MBC All-Church Workday

5/23 Men's Training

TBD Men's Bible Fellowship

TBD Class for Parents wishing to have their child/children dedicated

TBD Parent/Child Dedication Service