



# MAPLE AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

## CONNECT GROW SERVE SHARE

*Transforming people  
to Christ-likeness*

February 23, 2020



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# UPWORDS

**current sermon series**

Welcome to MACC! We are so excited that you chose to worship with us today! Please take a moment and fill out our Connection Card and place it in the offering plate. We also want to invite you to stop by our Hospitality Room to meet our Senior Minister immediately following the service you attend.

## THIS WEEK AT MACC

### PRECEPTS - 2 PETER

Join us as we begin our study of 2 Peter:

How to be Kept From Falling

*Fellowship Hall*

*February 26, 9:00 am*

### MAPLE AVENUE STUDENTS

6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Students

"Doctrine" by Frances Chan, see you there!

*MACC*

*February 23 6:00 - 8:00 pm*

### WORSHIP NIGHT OF SHARING

An exciting evening of worship is in store as our Church family shares their talents! Everyone is welcome to attend, even if you aren't sharing a song.

*MACC*

*February 26, 6:30 pm*

### PRAYER MEETING

Please join us to pray for our leaders, community and church. A praying church is a growing church.

*Hospitality Room*

*February 25, 6:30 pm*

**Prayer Focus: LaMoine Christian Service Camp (LCSC)**

**Maple Avenue Christian Church**

**1300 Maple Avenue Macomb, IL 61455**

**Phone 309.837.9318 [www.mapleavenue.org](http://www.mapleavenue.org)**

**Kids Konnection (Birth - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade) Sunday Worship 8:00 and 10:45 am**

## EDUCATION March 1 - May 24 at 9:30 am

### **BASIC: Jesus: "Who Do You Say I Am?"**

Jesus asked His disciples this important question and He asks each of us the same... who do you say He is? Come and discover the answer to this life changing question!

*Location: TBD*

*Teachers: Devin and Abigail Otten*

### **BIBLE: I, II, III John**

Three small books at the end of the New Testament packed full of prophecy, Gospel, and instruction on Christian love for one another. This course will challenge you in your faith walk and knowledge of the end times coming.

*Location: TBD*

*Teacher: Bruce Eidson*

### **TOPICAL: Walking As Jesus Walked and Walking Through the Desert**

Have lies been told about you? Have you been rejected? Maybe the victim of abuse? Or someone betrayed your confidence? Sometimes when we are wronged, we struggle to overcome the anger and bitterness that come with unforgiveness.

*Location: TBD*

*Teacher: Daniel and Gary Hammond*

### **MAPLE AVENUE STUDENTS**

**(6<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> Grade)**

**Gospel Project**

**Room: 201**

*Teacher: Brian Thomson*

**KIDS KONNECTION** (Birth - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade) *Children's Wing, Check in for age specific classes.*

## LOOKING AHEAD

### **FOUR SEASONS SENIOR LUNCHEON**

Prepare to board flight 3:16 to the Holy Land! Let the office know if you plan to attend. Lunch provided.

**MACC**

*March 10, 12 noon*

### **AREA MEN'S FELLOWSHIP**

Featured Speaker Jason Triplett of Rushville Church of Christ

Menu: Pulled Pork, Cheesy Hash Browns, Green Beans, Apple Sauce, Pie

*Bushnell Christian Church, 285 S. Jackson  
February 24, 6:30 pm*

**You're Invited!!**



Join a **LiFE Group** and do life together! **LiFE Groups** meet weekly in host homes, sharing life experiences and growing together in God's love and grace.

## MACC STAFF

Senior Minister  
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## OFFICE INFORMATION

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Office Hours 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Mon - Thu

## EMERGENCY CALLS

If you have an emergency after office hours (Mon - Thu 8 - 4 pm) please call MACC and you will be re-directed to the on-call staff or elder.

## STATISTICS FROM FEBRUARY 16, 2020

Worship	210
Education Hour	67
General Fund (\$10,181.26 needed weekly)	\$8,197.42
New Building Fund	\$504.00



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# REMOVING SELF

Spirit's Wisdom  
1 Corinthians 3:1-9

- Philippians 3:12-14
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- **FIRST, WE ARE TO LIVE BY THE \_\_\_\_\_.**

- James 4:8
- 2 Corinthians 5:17
- Colossians 3:9-10

- **WE MUST BE IN THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF GOD.**

- 2 Timothy 3:16
- Romans 1:16
- Ephesians 6:17
- Joshua 1:8

- **WE PRAY WITHOUT \_\_\_\_\_.**

“Prayer catapults us onto the frontier of the spiritual life. Of all the Spiritual Disciplines prayer is the most central because it ushers us into perpetual communion with the Father. Prayer is the central avenue God uses to transform us. If we are unwilling to change, we will abandon prayer as a noticeable characteristic of our lives.” *Celebration of Discipline* — Richard Foster

- Philippians 2:12-13
- Galatians 5:22-23

- **CHANGE OUR \_\_\_\_\_.**

- 2 Peter 1:3

