



## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



### "So Send I You"

DR. DORTCH | SENIOR MINISTER | MAY 17, 2018

You'll remember that back during our Vision 2020 conversations, our church felt led to consider Missions as one of our six core priorities. As we committed "to serve others," we set as forth as a strategic objective "to emphasize the importance of every member's involvement in some area of ministry beyond ...

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### Update from MBBC Security Committee

Over the past two years MBBC's Security Committee has been at work evaluating church security and implementing certain security enhancements. Our Sunday security team for worship services has been a success with the addition of officers from the Mountain Brook Police Department. There will also be some other changes taking place, primarily in the ELC area. This area will undergo further security scrutiny and new procedures are being developed that may cause some minor rerouting to your Sunday Morning Bible Study classes. We have tried to minimize inconveniences it may pose; however, the improved security of our children's area will have greater benefits. The new system will feature door scanners, video cameras, and a FOB or card scanner system for entry into secured areas. All church members who are affected by the new secured area will be given a FOB or card. Visitors will be provided a FOB to enter the secured area. The FOBs are controlled by church administration

and can be modified or denied access if lost or stolen. Over the next few weeks a member of the Security Committee will be visiting certain Sunday Morning Bible Study classes to review the changes and answer any questions you may have.

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## **Summer Mission Team Commissioning**

SUNDAY, MAY 20

This Sunday, we will be commissioning our summer mission teams (Builders for Christ, Youth & College South Africa Team, and Family Mission Team). Please be praying for these teams as they prepare to serve on mission this summer.

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## **Women's Ministry M&M Summer Discipleship Program**

SIGN UP BY MAY 23

We are looking for women for the pilot program of our mutual mentoring/discipleship groups that we will call M&M groups. This group will meet for 10 weeks in the summer to grow in relationship with one another, to study Scripture together, and to evaluate the M&M process. We will offer two meeting times for the summer: Wednesday mornings from 10-11 a.m. and Wednesday evenings from 5:45-7 p.m., both starting June 6 and ending August 15. Childcare will be available for the Wednesday evening sessions. Members need to be able to commit to 7 of the 10 meetings. We would love for the women in this pilot group to prayerfully consider replicating the discipleship process and leading their own M&M group of 3-5 people in the fall. Contact Mary Splawn ([mary@mbbc.org](mailto:mary@mbbc.org)) for more information or to sign up by May 23.

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## **Memorial Day Weekend Schedule**

SUNDAY, MAY 27

We will have a combined service on Sunday, May 27 at 10 a.m. in the sanctuary. Sunday Morning Bible Study will take place at 9 a.m. The church office and the Christian Life Center will be closed on Monday, May 28 in observance of Memorial Day.

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## **Builders for Christ Baked Goods**

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6

Our Builders for Christ ministry team is gearing up for their week in Eau Claire, Wisconsin, to work with Jacob's Well Church on June 9-16. This group works hard and always enjoys the delicious snacks our church members provide. If you would like to contribute cookies, cakes, or other snacks for the trip, please drop them off in the church office by **Wednesday, June 6** so they can be packed up with the other gear. Prayers and well wishes are, of course, appreciated as well!

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## More Upcoming Events

To view a full listing of upcoming events, visit our [website](#) or download a copy of our [May Monthly Guide](#).

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## Generosity Scorecard

As of Sunday, May 13, 2018

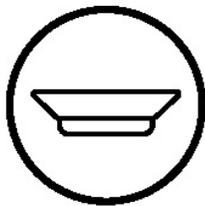
2018 Ministries Budget: \$3,347,719.00

Weekly Receipts	\$66,037.77
Average Weekly Budget	<u>\$64,379.21</u>
Weekly Net	\$1,658.56
YTD Receipts	\$1,342,526.87
YTD Budget	<u>\$1,223,204.99</u>
YTD Net	\$119,321.88

Remaining receipts required to achieve annual budget: \$2,005,192.13

Generosity Sunday Total to Date: \$71,073.34

### Ways to Give



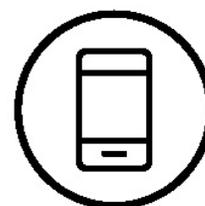
#### PLATES

Place your tithes and offerings in the offering plates during a worship service.



#### ONLINE

To give online, visit [mbbc.org/give](http://mbbc.org/give).



#### TEXT

To give by text, text STOREHOUSE to 73256.



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