

August

Sunday, August 4

Community Celebration Service ~ Single service at 10:30 am, Twining Park

Monday, Aug. 5

Food Pantry Packing ~ 1:30-4 pm, Green County Food Pantry

Prayer Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

Tuesday, August 6

Library Open ~ 10 am - Noon

Primetimers Lunch & Games ~ 10 am-1pm

Wednesday, August 7

Women's Study ~ 6:30-8:30 pm, NC

Thursday, August 8

Iglesia Biblica Prayer Meeting ~ 6 pm, LL #101

NA ~ 7 pm, LL #102

Friday, August 9

Team A ~ 7:30 pm, East

Team C Ump ~ 7:30 pm, West

Team A Ump ~ 8:30 pm, East

Team C ~ 8:30 pm, West

Team B Ump ~ 8:30 pm, West

Team B ~ 9:30 pm, West

Saturday, August 10

Iglesia Worship Practice ~ 5:30 pm, NC

Sunday, August 11

The Gathering 9 am & Caf  10:30 am

Guatemala Presentation ~ Noon, Sanctuary

Next Steps-Step 1 ~ Noon, LL #102

Fusion Youth leave for Chicago Urban

Mission Trip, through Friday, August 16

Iglesia Biblica Service ~ 2 pm – 4 pm, NC

Next Steps-Step 2 (1st s) ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

Friday, August 16

Fusion Youth return from Chicago trip

Saturday, August 17

Baptismal Service & Potluck at Clarno Forestry Center ~ 2 pm

Tim & Nicole Wilcox: YWAM – Madison

Although here in Madison summer has just arrived, we are mid-way through the season! Between the two of us, we are on trip #6 with 2 more trips coming up in the next month. Chloe's health is on the mend. Between medical doctors, naturopaths and assorted therapists, we are starting to see improvements! She is off four of her meds, though we are still working through food allergies and other health challenges, we have seen major strides. Thank you for your prayers!

I (Nicole) have just turned in my final project for my Masters Certificate in Social Justice. This course not only has been instrumental in Tim & my vision development season, but it has already opened many doors for our ministry in the city. God has brought just the right people of peace into our paths to connect with. There are so many opportunities to engage and serve in the city in the very coursework that I've completed, driven by a biblical and Christ-centered approach.

Tim will be leading a group of 22 youth and youth leaders to minister and do relief work in Puerto Rico in the aftermath of their recent natural disasters, July 19-31. They will be working in a community called Yabucoa, alongside local YWAM leaders who have organized the effort. They will be helping the church and other members of the community who were affected rebuild. Pray for the group's time there to be saturated with God's presence and Spirit and for His protection over the group as they work hard. Pray for Puerto Rico's recovery process, and for Nicole and Chloe as they remain stateside.

I (Nicole) have been collaborating between YWAM and another Madisonian non-profit to develop a Court Advocacy Navigation Program. Along with eight other ladies, we have been observing courtroom proceedings, meeting with judges, the Public Defender's office and community members to understand where there may be gaps to address systemic disparities and support the community through our developing program. We are currently developing how we can mobilize community members and the church to provide practical services and assistance as folks move through the criminal justice system.

Our YWAM Madison @Risk ministry department hosted a Trauma-Sensitive Care Workshop for our Madison community on July 13th. We had Madisonian professionals train those of us in attendance on how to meet the complex needs of children who have experienced trauma from a Christ-centered and trauma-informed approach. These ladies are heavily involved in the local school district and foster care systems and have influenced our public schools. They hope that in addition to education, this seminar could build bridges to greater networking and coordination to mobilize more believers and Christ-centered non-profits to serve in the school system where there are gaps. Please pray for the networks and relational connections that were made at the seminar as well as connections to be drawn between the information and practical application in the assorted works that were represented.

With all our love,
Tim, Nicole & Chloe

Annual Congregational Meeting ~ TODAY, July 28th at 12:15 pm in the Sanctuary. We will be voting on affiliation with the EFCA. You must be a member in good standing of Monroe Bible Church in order to vote. Everyone is welcome to attend. Pick up your copy of the meeting Agenda, Treasurer's Report, and Ministry Leader Annual Reports before the meeting.

Child Protection Training: All leaders and helpers must be certified annually in order to work with youth in any capacity at MBC. Plan ahead and get certified now by contacting the church office if you will be attending the Fusion mission trip to Chicago, or if you want to help with Nursery, Sunday School, Awana, or Youth Groups this fall.

**Training and certification must be completed in order to help with VBS this week!*

Community Celebration Service ~ **Single service only on Sunday, August 4th* at 10:30 am at Twining Park, West Shelter (behind the Bandshell). Hotdogs and Brats will be provided. Please bring two additional generous dishes to share. This is a potluck – MBC provides the lunch for those in the community attending. Invite others and join us for food, inflatables, snow-cones, and cotton candy – All are Welcome!

The Guatemala Mission Team will be giving a presentation in the Sanctuary **August 11th** at noon, following the second service. Come and see how God worked in Guatemala!

Outdoor Worship & Baptismal Service ~ **Saturday, August 17th** at 2:00 pm we are going to have a worship service, the baptism in Richland Creek, and a picnic potluck with our friends of Iglesia Biblica at the Clarno Forestry Center. **Sign up at the Welcome Center if you would like to be baptized.** Drinks will be provided, please bring 2 cold dishes to share. *Keep in mind that there is no refrigeration and minimal electricity at the Center for food. Bring coolers with ice to keep your food adequately chilled, and bring your lawn chairs or blankets to sit on. Everyone is invited to attend!

Green County Food Pantry ~ MBC needs packers for the month of **August** at the food pantry. We need 2 people every Monday afternoon, starting at 1:30 pm and going until 4 pm or earlier. The job consists of reading food off a pre-made list and putting it in a tote. If you'd like to help, sign up at the Welcome Center or contact Carol Larson, 608-558-1475.

The Library would like to thank all those who participated in the Read Aloud time these past two months; our last session was this past Tuesday and it went well. For the months of August and September the library will only have morning hours from 10-12. Come in and check out our new selection of fiction and non-fiction books; historical to suspense fiction, discipling to biographies, and personal growth non-fiction. Our reading challenge will be starting this week and continue through October!

Week of July 28-Aug. 3

Today, Sunday, July 28

The Gathering 9 am & Café 10:30 am
Annual Congregational Mtg. ~ 12:15 pm,
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Iglesia Biblica Service ~ 2 pm – 4 pm,
NC
VBS Decorating ~ 3 pm until done

Monday, July 29

VBS ~ 9 am – Noon, all church
Prayer Meeting ~ 6:30 pm, LL #102

Tuesday, July 30

VBS ~ 9 am – Noon, all church
Library Open ~ 10 am – Noon, & 1-3 pm
Worship Leader Mtg. ~ 6:30 pm, LL
#102

Wednesday, July 31

VBS ~ 9 am – Noon, all church
Women's Study ~ 6:30-8:30 pm, S

Thursday, August 1

VBS ~ 9 am – Noon, all church
Iglesia Biblica Prayer Meeting ~ 6 pm,
LL #101
NA ~ 7 pm, LL #102

Friday, August 2

VBS ~ 9 am – Noon, all church
*Softball Schedule Change:
Team B – 7:30 pm, East
Team A – 7:30 pm, West
Team C Ump – 7:30 pm, East
Team C – 8:30 pm, East
Team A Ump – 8:30 pm, East
Team A – 9:30 pm, East

Saturday, August 3

No Men's Breakfast
Kitchen in Use
Iglesia Worship Practice ~ 5:30 pm, NC

Prayer Focus – Marriage Ministry
Ministry Leader: Jeff & Marie Wunschel
Please Pray:

1. That couples would be intentional to date their spouse during their busy summer schedules.
 2. That recently married couples are building their marriages on the rock of Jesus Christ.
 3. That all couples are being renewed and encouraged through the reading of God's Word and living out their God given roles in marriage.
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| Entire Bible | Family Plan |
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| Zechariah 1-5, John 4 | 2 Chronicles 1 |
| Zechariah 6-9, Psalm 119:97-112 | Proverbs 1:1-19 |
| Zechariah 10-14, Haggai | Proverbs 3:1-26 |
| Ezra 1-2, John 5 | Proverbs 6 |
| Ezra 3, John 6 | Proverbs 10 |
| Ezra 4-5, Psalm 119:113-128 | |



This Week
New City Catechism:
Part 2, Question 45

Ignite:
Governor Dodge Campout
Sunday, August 18th –
Tuesday, August 20th.
Pick up a permission slip at the
Welcome Center.

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July 28, 2019

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Sunday YouVersion Available
Wireless Network: MBCguest
Password: worshipping

