

# January

- Sun, Jan. 7 – The Lord’s Table**  
The Gathering Worship Service, 9:00 AM  
Café Worship Service, 10:30 AM  
Sunday School & Pipeline resume, 9:00 AM  
Mission Trip ’24 Info. Meeting, 10:15 AM, LL #106  
Choir Practice, Noon, LL #106  
Iglesia Bíblica Worship Service, 2:00-4:00 PM, S  
Ignite, 4:00 PM, at MBC  
Fusion, 6:00 PM, at MBC
- Mon, Jan. 8 –** Prayer Meeting, 6:00 PM, LL #102  
Deacon Board Meeting, 6:00 PM, NC  
Elder Board Meeting, 6:00 PM, LL #106
- Wed, Jan. 10 –** Sr. Life Group, 1:00 PM, NC  
Awana: Journey/Trek at 5:30 PM, & Cubbies-T & T at 6:15 PM  
Women’s Study begins, 6:10 PM, LL Cry/Kitchenette room
- Thur, Jan. 11 –** Moms & Girls’ Study begins, 10:00 AM-Noon, LL #106  
Missions Ministry Meeting, 5:00 PM, LL #106  
Iglesia Bíblica Prayer, 6:00 PM, NC  
MBC Worship Team Practice, 7:00 PM, S
- Fri, Jan. 12 –** Fusion Youth leave for Districts (time TBD), Green Bay, WI  
Iglesia Bíblica Worship Practice, 5:30 PM, S  
What’s Up With Israel? A (brief) History of the Middle East Conflict, 6:30 PM, NC
- Sat, Jan. 13 –** Women’s Brunch, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM, NC/K  
Iglesia Bíblica Youth Group 6:00-7:30 PM, NC
- Sun, Jan. 14 –** The Gathering Worship Service, 9:00 AM  
Café Worship Service, 10:30 AM  
Sunday School & Pipeline, 9:00 AM  
Mission Trip ’24 Info. Meeting, Noon, NC  
Iglesia Bíblica Worship Service, 2:00-4:00 PM, S  
No Ignite or Fusion (returning from Districts)  
Baptism, 4:30 PM, 18 & 8<sup>th</sup> (1802 8<sup>th</sup> St.)
- Mon, Jan. 15 –** Prayer, 6:00 PM, LL #102
- Wed, Jan. 17–** Sr. Life Group, 1:00 PM, NC  
Awana: Journey/Trek at 5:30 PM, & Cubbies-T & T at 6:15 PM  
Women’s Study, 6:10 PM, LL Cry/Kitchenette room
- Thur, Jan. 18 –** Moms & Girls’ Study, 10:00 AM-Noon, LL #106  
Iglesia Bíblica Prayer, 6:00 PM, NC  
No MBC Worship Team Practice



## *New Arrival!*

*Congratulations to Ross & Chelsey Simler on the birth of their baby girl. Charlene Mae Simler was born Thursday, January 4<sup>th</sup>. She weighed 9 lbs. 14 oz. and was 20" long. May God bless your family!*

## New Pipeline Class Begins - Spiritual Warfare 102

Join us at 9:00 AM in the Nehemiah Center as we explore the wounded heart and how wounds can lead to strongholds; learn how to take thoughts captive to Christ and build joy; discover how Christians give ground to the devil and how we can take that ground back; see how the world, the flesh, and the devil conspire to push us off of our walk with God; and learn how to walk in victory.

## Women’s & Girls’ Studies

**Women’s Study** begins **Wednesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>**. “Keeping the Faith” by Lianna Davis will meet Wednesday evenings at 6:10 PM in the LL Cry/Kitchenette room during AWANA. **Moms & Girls’ Study** begins **Thursday, January 11<sup>th</sup>**. “Lies Girls Believe” and the “Mom’s Guide to Lies Girls Believe” by Dannah Gresh will meet Thursday mornings from 10 AM-Noon in the LL room #106.

## What’s Going On?!

With all that’s happening in the world today, you may be asking, “What’s going on?!” MBC will be having two informative evenings for our congregation.

“**What’s Up With Israel? A (brief) History of the Middle East Conflict**” will be on **Friday, January 12<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 PM in the Nehemiah Center. Come join us as we talk about what is going on in Israel. We will explore the roots of the problem with a short history beginning with the Ottoman Empire and moving to the present day. We will examine the roots of the conflict and ponder why peace has been so elusive in this holiest of lands. We will explore how to answer our friends when they ask if this is the “end of times”. Most importantly, we will learn what God would have us do as we represent Christ on this issue.

“**Islam: What You Need to Know**” will be on **Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>** at 6:30 PM in the Nehemiah Center. Unless we know Muslims, or have read the Koran, it’s hard to know what Islam is all about. As a result, we are confused by the mixed images and tag lines we witness across multiple media outlets. Jim Kampa has worked closely with Muslim immigrants, has studied the Koran and the Hadith, and has been watching Islam’s move into America. Come find out what it’s all about so you are ready to “give an answer” to the religion that is the second largest in the world, and third largest in America. Come join us as we “explore Islam”.



## Read Through the Bible in a Year

Pick up a 2024 Bible Reading Plan at the Welcome Center. The reading plan began January 1<sup>st</sup> – you can still follow the plan or catch up!

### Baptismal Service

We will have a Baptismal Service on **Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup>** at 4:30 PM at 18 & 8th (1802 8th St, Monroe). If you would like to be baptized, contact the office for a copy of the short study on baptism. Be sure to talk to either Pastor Dan or Pastor Troy and confirm your intention to be baptized.



### Marriage Ministry - Weekend to Remember

**Weekend to Remember** is a getaway with a goal: oneness! No marriage is static. Each day, each choice—you're either moving closer together, toward oneness...or coasting farther apart. Weekend to Remember helps couples choose oneness. Family Life is offering a 50% discount (only \$175/couple) for all couples who sign up **now through January 22nd**. The Madison Marriott West event dates are **April 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>**. Sign up using our group name: MonroeBibleChurch. Contact Jeff (214-3699) or Marie (214-7845) Wunschel or any of the Marriage Mentor Couples for more information. Registration and more information at: [Weekend To Remember - Madison](#)

### Child Protection Certification

We continually review our policies at MBC to make sure we are staying current and compliant with industry standards and recommendations. The current recommendation for background checks is every two years. If you are working with youth in any capacity at Monroe Bible Church, we will continue to require annual online video training, as well as the completion of a background check every two years on adults. This means that some of you will be receiving an email from MBC letting you know that are due to complete a new background check. Thank you!

Senior Pastor Dan Krahenbuhl  
Associate Pastor of Family Ministries Troy Watson  
Sunday Worship Services: 9:00 AM Gathering & 10:30 AM Café  
Radio Broadcast WEKZ – FM 95.5 & AM 1260 – 8:15 AM  
YouTube & Facebook  
Sunday YouVersion Available  
Wireless Network: MBCguest  
Password: worshipping



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# Welcome!

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