



Marion Road
CHURCH
of **CHRIST**
Growing in Faith Together

September 7, 2025

THE WAY THINGS OUGHT TO BE! The angels above rejoice, and so do we, that **Mike Siegel** was baptized into Christ last Sunday morning! Each week, we are blessed with visitors from our community! There is a spirit of enthusiasm and excitement that fills our assemblies together! There is a desire and belief that God has great plans for our church family in the future! To God be the glory in all we do!

FAMILY NEWS. Please remember the following in your prayers: **Josh Taylor, Melissa Ruhe, Jack Long, Kim Ponziani, Annabelle and Toby Goulding, Tim Snyder, Arnold White, Jeff White, Ray and Ron Bloomfield** (Helen White's brothers), **Linda Siegel, and Cindy Dyer.**

YOU ARE INVITED TO EMMA'S BIRTHDAY PARTY! The whole congregation is invited to Emma Long's 11th Birthday party on **September 13** from **3:00 to 5:00 PM.** Emma is the daughter of Jay and Sara Long.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR SEPTEMBER 21. We want to encourage everyone to plan on staying after morning Worship services on **September 21** for our **monthly fellowship meal!** It is such a joy to spend time with our church family! We ask each family to bring a main dish, a side dish, or a dessert. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the foyer. Additionally, immediately after the meal, we will hold a congregational meeting to discuss our future plans as a congregation. The more we are together, the more we grow together!

OUR NEW DIRECTORY WILL BE AVAILABLE ON SEPTEMBER 28. In our effort to put out an up-to-date church directory, we ask everyone who has not yet filled out a family profile to please do so. These can be found in the foyer. We are very grateful to those who have already completed the profiles. We are waiting an extra week to give everyone time to complete the profile.

DID YOU MISS SOMEBODY TODAY? Did you look around and see that someone wasn't here in worship where they usually are? How about making a special effort this week to give them a call or drop them a note? Who knows? Maybe someone is sick? Maybe they need a word of encouragement? Maybe they are just out of town, but it means a great deal to know that people miss us when we are not present. Maybe they were just down or discouraged? Either way, what will you do to offer words of encouragement to them? "But encourage one another daily, as long as it is called Today, so that none of you may be hardened by sin's deceitfulness." (Hebrews 3:13)

PUT PEAK IN YOUR WEEK! Let me share with you one of the most encouraging hours of the week – it is our Wednesday Night Bible Study at 7:00 PM. It is a great time of learning, sharing, caring, and is filled with a spirit of love and laughter! If you would like to put a peak in your week, let me encourage you to start attending our Wednesday evening Bible Study. This Wednesday, we will kick off a new study on **"Everything I Needed to Learn About Life I Learned from Romans 12"**. Romans 12 helps us answer five of the most important questions in life:

- How do you give God what He wants the most?
- How do you get God's best for your life?
- How do you come to grips with your spiritual gifts?
- How can you experience authentic community?
- How do you deal with difficult people?

Join us this Wednesday at 7:00 PM
We have a seat for you at the table!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mike Purcell to preach—Today
Emma Long's Birthday Party—September 13
Congregational Fellowship Meal—September 21
Fall Festival—October

BY THE NUMBERS—WEEK OF AUGUST 31

Sunday Morning Worship—78
Sunday Morning Bible School—23
Wednesday Night Bible Study—22
Contribution—\$1,276

Worship: Sunday Morning—10:30 AM ~ Bible Study: Sunday—9:30 AM, Wednesday—7:00 PM ~ Marionroadcofc.org

“The Importance of faith in God”

Luke 17:1-6

Increase our _____ .

- Luke 17:4-6

Don't _____ Temptations.

- Luke 17:2-3

_____ and _____ .

- Luke 17:3-4

Tempting _____ to _____ .

- Luke 17:1

Terrible _____ for _____ .

- Luke 17:1-3

Forgiving _____ who do not _____ .

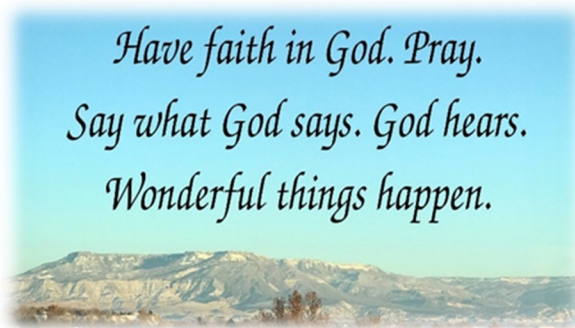
- Matthew 5:43-48

Listeners will be _____ to place their _____ in _____ .

- 1 Peter 3-12

The _____ of _____ .

- Galatians 3:1-25



2 Corinthians 5:7 - For we walk by faith, not by sight.

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