

Welcome to Maranatha Bible Church!

We are so glad you are here!

Please fill out a "Visitor Card" located in the attendance pad holder and, after the service, go to our Hospitality Table to receive a free gift!

• *In Need of Prayer?*

If you desire prayer for a personal concern, please come forward after today's service, where someone will be available to pray with you. We would consider it an honor to go before the Lord on your behalf.

• *What About the Kids?*

Children's Church is offered during the worship service for ages 5 through 2nd grade.

Nursery is also provided during the worship service for newborns through 4 years.

There is also a **video feed** available downstairs in the Fellowship Hall.

• *A Word About Giving*

The ministries of MBC are supported entirely by the voluntary, faithful giving of our people. We have offering boxes on the back walls of the Sanctuary for your tithes and offerings. For electronic giving, Mobile phone text: MBCCR to 77977, Online giving: Maranathabible.org/giving. Get our Mobile Church APP text: MBCCR APP to 77977

• *MBC's Online Ministry*

- Sermons available online at www.maranathabible.org.
- Sermon notes available on the YouVersion app on your digital device.
- WiFi available at "MBC-Guest" (password: [areyouready](#)).
- CD's are available for \$1.00 upon request.
- Finally, be sure to "LIKE" us on Facebook!

• *MBC's Adult Small Group Ministry*

At Maranatha, we believe that small group involvement is a key part of **moving toward maturity in Christ**. Most groups meet on Sundays for study, fellowship, and prayer. To join a group or get more information contact Greg Forseen.

Moving toward Maturity at Maranatha

The Bible teaches that God wants each of us to "move toward maturity in Christ." It begins the moment you trust Jesus as Savior, and continues for the rest of your life. It's a process called discipleship, and at Maranatha, we believe discipleship requires 4 enduring commitments:



to Worship God together each week.

to Love Others within the framework of a small group.

to Serve Joyfully in a ministry that strengthens the church family.

to Share Christ with others everywhere we go.

Pastor Aaron's Post

Over the past few weeks, a small army of *volunteers* has prepped the Commons for Kickoff Sunday. Along with a new **Branch Library, Kids' Prayer Room** and renovated **Women's Bible Study Room** spearheaded by **Helen Hunter, Diane Ryan** and **Mary Ellen Waite**, respectively; a cleaning team including **Ron & Gloria Telecky, Breanna Messer, Stephanie Wolfe, Jean Junk, Jane Schoff, Adrianna Tuohino, Sue Graham, Phyllis Zalenski, Susan Spang, Ryan Legge** and **John Hamilton** washed windows, scrubbed floors and more to ensure that the building looks great. And they succeeded! So, let's all thank them for their excellent work – it looks amazing!

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2018
10:30AM

Call to Worship

Announcements

Worship in Scripture & Song

Message

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Pastor Aaron

"Ready to Quit?"
Mark 10:17-31

Closing Worship

Giving & Attendance

Weekly Budget Need (excluding Expansion).....\$	9,775 .00
General Fund Giving Last Week.....\$	8,783.00
Year-to-Date Budget Need.....\$	342,125.00
General Fund Giving Year-to-Date.....\$	303,413.49
Last Week's Expansion Pledges.....\$	2,650.00

Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

Luke 6:38

Worship.....	165
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Pastoral Staff

Aaron Telecky	365-4296	Pastor
Thad Joyce	294-0038	Youth Pastor
Greg Forseen	329-6755	Church Administrator

Ministry Department Leaders

Heidi Moore	390-4560	Secretary
Jay Coppess	377-2972	Custodian
Maggie Noll	350-1796	Sunday School Director
Amy DeLay	210-3547	Community Outreach
Amber Bricker	350-9889	Nursery Coordinator
Deane Watters	329-7093	Women's Ministries
Ted Biderman	377-0510	Men's Ministries
Greg Forseen	329-6755	Small Groups
Helen Hunter	362-4777	Librarian
Perry Schoff	362-2467	Missions

Elders

Gerry Barker	462-4528	Tim Countryman	210-2099
Marv Junk	360-5166	Rick Long	363-8676
Mike Moore	491-5681		

Deacons

Ted Biderman	377-0510	Chris Gates	360-9765
Neil Happel	654-7703	Ryan Legge	329-1686
Wayne Meyer	536-1080	Daniel Pearce	640-6616
Jeff Spicer	366-1613	Fred Strutton	365-7368

Ministries and Opportunities at MBC

Tuesday	6:30pm	Elder-Deacon Meeting @ MBC
	6:30pm	Women's Study @ Commons
Wednesday	6:30am	Men's Study @ Commons
	9:30am	Women's Study @ Commons
	6:30pm	OneEighty @ MBC
	7:00pm	Men's Fraternity @ Commons
Friday	6:30am	Men's Study @ 32nd St Hy-Vee
	7:00am	Men's Prayer @ MBC
Saturday	8:00am	Men's Study @ Johnson Ave Hy-Vee
Sunday	9:00am	Sunday School
	10:30am	Worship Service/Children's Church

Next Week's Sermon

Mark 10:32-45

Announcements

FAMILY BBQ-FOLLOWING SERVICE-SEPTEMBER 9 –
MAIN DISH & DRINK PROVIDED.
A-M BRING SALAD OR VEGGIE
N-Z BRING A DESSERT



FAMILY LEADERSHIP SUMMIT—Friday, Sep 14, in Des Moines, Iowa.

WOMEN'S RETREAT—September 21-22, at East Iowa Bible Camp. Mark your calendar!

Youth Ministry

OneEighty meets on Wednesday nights from 6:30—8:30pm, and is for 7-12th grade students. At 180, you'll meet a lot of great people, learn about the one true God, play the most incredible games, eat the sweetest food, and have the opportunity to worship our awesome God! Come and visit us, and feel free to invite your friends, too!

See You At The Pole On Wednesday, Sept. 26 beginning at 7:00am. All around the globe in every time zone students will be gathering around their flagpoles, praying for their school, friends, families, churches, and communities. 180 will meet that night.

Bring Your Friends Night On Wednesday, Oct. 17, from 6:30—8:30pm, we'll be having our first BYFN of the school year. Free pizza, lots of crazy games, worship, and we'll be sharing the Gospel! Invite your friends!

The Equipping Hour On Sunday mornings from 9-10 am, our 7-8th graders will be encouraged through the book of Daniel to live out their faith in Christ under pressure. They will meet in the Youth Room of the Commons. And our 9-12th graders will be encouraged to have a Forensic Faith so they can know why they believe what they believe and stand firm in today's shifting culture. They will meet in the Conference Room of the Annex.

Children's Ministry

CHILDREN'S CHURCH—Our current series is **Entourage**. Lights! Camera! Action! Join Julie and the cast and crew of Treasure Hunters 7 to learn how to be the right kind of friend and how to choose good friends. For kids 5 years through 2nd grade.