WELCOME TO MURDOCK CHRISTIAN CHURCH

October 8, 2023

Worship with us! You are encouraged to participate in worship today. Remember that God is the audience and we are the participants. The worship service is designed to help you to do just that—worship. So sing! Meditate! Pray! Give! Study! Respond!

At the end of the service we will sing an invitation song if you want to make a decision for Christ, you can come forward during the singing of the invitation song and make your decision known to all. We can baptize you into Christ if that is your need—you can place your membership we can pray with you—we can share in your praise! Whatever your need may be, we are here to help. The minister will stick around after the service, so if you want to discuss anything, or have questions about Murdock Christian Church or what you need to do to become a Christian—just ask!



October 13—Murder Mystery Dinner

October 14—Men's prayer breakfast

October 21—Trunk sale for Missions

October 29—Get to Know Us luncheon

November 5—Homecoming

December 16—Memorial Service for Myrna C



This Week's Events at a Glance:

HAPPENING TODAY

Sunday School—9:30 am Worship—10:30am

COMING UP THIS WEEK...

Wednesday - Worship Team, 5:15 pm

- Meal, 6 pm
- Bible Study, 7 pm

Thursday—Lawn Maintenance, 9 am Friday—Murder Mystery Dinner, 6 pm

Saturday—Men's Breakfast and workday, 9 am

PRAYER LIST

If you have a praise or need to share, please write it on the list in the fover.

For urgent needs and to start the prayer chain, call one of the following:

Kelli Yost (941-457-4457); Melissa Rodman (260-705-0261) Nancy White (863-444-0601); or Jean Snider (941-518-4918)

Church growth and young families Our military—esp. Clinton, Luc, Mirl Brown—surgery 16th Nathan, and Mason Elaine O'Brien—health

Jim Duncan—(Misty Duncan) John Wright—recovering from

heart surgery

Kami's mom—surgery Marissa Millanari friend

Jim Williams—health

Anthony—brain surgery (Chuck

& Nancy)

Lataillo family—travel

Alyscia—expecting, Oct 17 Aaron & Laura Tyree—

expecting

Kari & Jeff Hassaw—health & special needs

(Kenny Brown)

Steve & Nancy Hazeltine recovery and strength

Manny—hernia

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MURDER MYSTERY DINNER FRIDAY

This year's theme: Alice in Wonderland! Oct 13. Cost is \$10. (If you cannot afford it, come anyway! Admission will be waived). Everything starts at 6 pm, but you are encouraged to be here by 5:45pm.

⇒ **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TODAY @ 4 PM TO **HELP SET UP TABLES.****

MEN'S BREAKFAST AND WORKDAY



This Saturday all men are encouraged to come and enjoy a breakfast at 9 am. There are some projects around the building and grounds that we will be working on following the breakfast.

TRUNK SALE TO SUPPORT MISSIONS

The missions ministry is holding a "trunk sale" here in the parking lot on Saturday, Oct 21. The proceeds will go to support missions. You can reserve a spot for \$10. See Pat Karafa for more details.

"GET TO KNOW US" LUNCHEON

Have you been visiting the church for awhile and want to get to know us better? Once a quarter, (on the fifth Sunday), we will be hosting a "get to know us" luncheon. The next meeting will be October 29, after the morning worship service. This will be an informal Q&A time with our minister, along with a brief history presentation of Murdock Christian Church.

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR EMERGENCIES:

Larry Rickett—Elder—765-569-3294

Mark Tyree—Minister / Elder—941-204-9805

Burton Rodman—Elder—260-705-0185

INFORMATION FOR OUR GUESTS

Welcome to our services!

We ask you to sign our guest book today, and fill out a silent fellowship card and place it in the offering plate.

We share communion each Sunday here at Murdock Christian Church. The unleavened bread reminds us of Jesus' body and the grape juice reminds us of the blood Jesus shed for our sins. All believers are invited to partake. All are invited to come to the front and serve yourself during the communion time.

There are offering trays at the front and back of the auditorium. You can place your offering in the tray before leaving church. Thanks and God bless!

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Here's the location of our classes — everyone is welcome![©] Nursery & Youth — Classrooms 1 & 2

Adult Sunday School — "Journey Through the Bible" meets in the 1st portable. Romans class meets in the Auditorium.

MENU FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Soup and Salad





TODAY'S GREETERS:

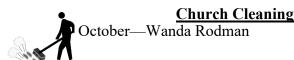
Sharon & volunteers

COMMUNION PREPARATION

October—Sharon & Ron

COMMUNION MEDITATION

October—Lou P



Close Encounters with Jesus

In this study we are going to travel through the gospel of John and take a closer look at the people who encountered Jesus one on one – and see what difference that can make in our lives!

"INVALID AT POOL – ARE YOU HANDICAPPED?"

Today's text: John 5:1-15

II. JESUS

INTRODUCTION – By the end of this message we may change our mind about what constitutes a handicap.

While the main focus of today's text involves the invalid at the pool, his story actually includes two encounters with Jesus. Let's consider them and their implications for us today. We notice...

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Sunday Services:

Bible School — 9:30 AM Worship Service — 10:30 AM

Wednesday:

Dinner— 6 PM Bible Study / Prayer meeting — 7:00 PM

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