



Momentum is Building ... The Wave is Here

Dear Church Family,

While God is always moving, there are times when He moves in a way that's undeniable—you see it, you feel it. You either catch the wave or miss it. That's what's happening at MPC: **a wave of momentum, a movement of the Holy Spirit and an invitation to follow where He's leading us.**

Two years ago, in a sermon series on the book of Matthew, we asked: *What does momentum look like in a church?* Our answer: If every person at MPC takes one step toward Jesus each week, we will have incredible momentum as a church.

Since then, that momentum has stretched our literal footprint. The numbers tell the story:

- Our church family has grown by 261 new members.
- People are hungry for God's word—over 600 have read the Bible cover to cover.
- More than 700 have deepened their faith through *Get a Grip on the Bible*.
- Sunday morning adult classes continue to thrive, our nursery is crawling with little ones, and student ministries are overflowing.
- The lobby and courtyard are alive with connection and conversation, while our staff and ministries are expanding—occupying every inch of space.
- Our outreach, through the Daily Bread Food Pantry, Meals on Wheels, Serve Days, and community and global partnerships, is touching more lives than ever.

We've stretched our facilities far beyond their original design, and God continues to bless us with more opportunities to reach more people. He is moving—and the wave is building. He's calling us to ride it, to trust Him, and to lean into what He's doing. When we do, we'll be part of something extraordinary.

This is our time to make room for more people to move toward Jesus.

That's the heart behind the **Momentum Campaign**—not just for us, but for our children, neighbors and community—and those who haven't yet walked through our doors.

I invite you to be a part of our *Momentum* ... creating space for lives to be transformed by the Gospel. We ask that you pray about your part in this exciting journey and trust what God is doing through our church.

Let's ride this wave together. In doing so, we can change lives, deepen faith and step boldly into God's plan. I'm filled with anticipation for what lies ahead and so thankful to have you with us.



In His service,

Andrew Stepp

Senior Pastor



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Catch the Wave. Ride the Wave.

THE PURPOSE OF THE MOMENTUM INITIATIVE:

Make room for more people
to move toward Jesus.

LAUNCH GOAL
\$7_M

GOD GOAL
\$15_M

How much will it cost?

Together we'll be able to:

Create
a hospitality
space adjacent
to our church
lobby

Expand
our Next Gen
Ministry

Provide
more room for
adult classes
and groups

Enhance
safety for all
buildings

Grow
our community
impact

Establish
a peaceful
riverfront
retreat

Restore
and renew
existing
space

Key Momentum Campaign dates:

OCTOBER

12

Momentum Initiative Launch

16, 19 & 21

Vision Gatherings

NOVEMBER

14

Day of Prayer

16

Commitment Sunday

30

Celebration Sunday

Your part in the journey:



We're inviting every household at MPC to step into this 25-month journey with prayer, generosity and trust.



Pray – for our church, our leaders and your own role in this movement.



Give Courageously – Make your largest one-time gift on Commitment Sunday (Nov. 16) to launch our initiative.



Give Consistently – Pledge a recurring monthly gift above your regular giving for the next 25 months.



Give Creatively – Consider non-cash gifts like real estate, investments, vehicles, jewelry and other valuable assets.

Let's not miss the wave. Let's ride it—together.

What's your next step? Come hear more at one of our Vision Gatherings.
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