

MOMENTUM

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Welcome to Momentum Family Church!

A Christ-centered, Biblically-based, Gospel-minded, Multi-generational, Elder-led, and Member-ran church.

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E-Bulletin for November 18, 2018

Important Upcoming Events

Lord's Day Service: Sunday, November 18

Children's Classes and Adult Fellowship Study Groups: 9 – 9:50 am

Corporate Worship: 10:00 am

Thanksgiving Church Dinner: Sunday, November 18th following the morning service

Thanksgiving Day: Thursday, November 22nd

Special Women's Event: Friday, December 7th

Happy Birthday!

Donna Goff – November 18th

Linda Hargrove – November 18th

Lilly White – November 22nd

Happy Anniversary!

Cathy and Dennis Ellerbrock – November 19th (19 years)

John and Mary Wilson – November 23rd (16 years)

Thanksgiving Dinner - Tomorrow!

We are hoping that every person who calls Momentum home will join us **tomorrow, November 18th**, as we share a meal together following the morning service. The church is providing the smoked turkey and ham and is asking each family to bring a side dish. For more information, please contact Jacque Menard at **(618-977-7139)** or jacque.menard@omnicare.com

No Midweek Service this Week!

No Music Practice This Week!

Women's Christmas Party!

Mark your calendar's for **Friday, December 7th @ 6:30 pm** for a Christmas party here at Momentum. Let's get in the spirit with some like minded women and spend an evening together enjoying food and fellowship. Joanna Duncan will be sharing a short devotion with us as well! We are asking everyone to bring a favorite snack, dessert, or dish to share. Feel free to bring a friend. The event is free but we will be collecting a donation for a special cause. We haven't had a woman's event here for quite a while so we hope everyone comes! There will be a sign-up sheet in the foyer. If you have any questions please call Debby Mueth @ 618-979-7491. if you are interested in helping with this event please let us know!

Upcoming Fellowship Group Passages

November 25 – Psalms 37

Fellowship Group Passage for November 18th

All of our adult fellowship groups will be discussing **Jude:1-23** If you get the chance, read over this passage before our groups meet Sunday morning at 9 am. Here it is:

1 Jude, a servant of Jesus Christ and brother of James, To those who are called, beloved in God the Father and kept for Jesus Christ: 2 May mercy, peace, and love be multiplied to you. 3 Beloved, although I was very eager to write to you about our common salvation, I found it necessary to write appealing to you to contend for the faith that was once for all delivered to the saints. 4 For certain people have crept in unnoticed who long ago were designated for this condemnation, ungodly people, who pervert the grace of our God into sensuality and deny our only Master and Lord, Jesus Christ.

5 Now I want to remind you, although you once fully knew it, that Jesus, who saved a people out of the land of Egypt, afterward destroyed those who did not believe. 6 And the angels who did not stay within their own position of authority, but left their proper dwelling, he has kept in eternal chains under gloomy darkness until the judgment of the great day— 7 just as Sodom and Gomorrah and the surrounding cities, which likewise indulged in sexual immorality and pursued unnatural desire, serve as an example by undergoing a punishment of eternal fire.

8 Yet in like manner these people also, relying on their dreams, defile the flesh, reject authority, and blaspheme the glorious ones. 9 But when the archangel Michael, contending with the devil, was disputing about the body of Moses, he did not presume to pronounce a blasphemous judgment, but said, "The Lord rebuke you." 10 But these people blaspheme all that they do not understand, and they are destroyed by all that they, like unreasoning animals, understand instinctively. 11 Woe to them! For they walked in the way of Cain and abandoned themselves for the sake of gain to Balaam's error and perished in Korah's rebellion. 12 These are hidden reefs at your love feasts, as they feast with you without fear, shepherds feeding themselves; waterless clouds, swept along by winds; fruitless trees in late autumn, twice dead, uprooted; 13 wild waves of the sea, casting up the foam of their own shame; wandering stars, for whom the gloom of utter darkness has been reserved forever.

14 It was also about these that Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied, saying, "Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of his holy ones, 15 to execute judgment on all and to convict all the ungodly of all their deeds of ungodliness that they have committed in such an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things that ungodly sinners have spoken against him." 16 These are grumblers, malcontents, following their own sinful desires; they are loud-mouthed boasters, showing favoritism to gain advantage.

17 But you must remember, beloved, the predictions of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ. 18 They said to you, "In the last time there will be scoffers, following their own ungodly passions." 19 It is these who cause divisions, worldly people, devoid of the Spirit. 20 But you, beloved, building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit, 21 keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to

eternal life. 22 And have mercy on those who doubt; 23 save others by snatching them out of the fire; to others show mercy with fear, hating even the garment stained by the flesh.

24 Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, 25 to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

Children's Weekly Catechism

Each week, our children are learning the core doctrines of Christianity through an easy to memorize and recall system called catechism. We will be using the New City Catechism Curriculum over the next 52 weeks. If you would like to order a devotional to be used in your family devotions, please visit your favorite online bookstore or Google "The New City Catechism Devotional". They can be purchased on Amazon for around \$15.

Week 11

Question: What does God require in the sixth, seventh, and eighth commandments?

Answer: That we do not hurt or hate our neighbor. That we live purely and faithfully. That we do not take without permission that which belongs to someone else.

Scripture: "You shall not murder. - **Exodus 20:13**

You shall not commit adultery. - **Exodus 20:14**

You shall not steal. - **Exodus 20:15**

Investing in the Next Generation

We are looking to add more teachers to our weekly Kidmo JV and Kidmo Varsity classes. We have great curriculum and a great group of young people, eager to learn more about God! If you would like to be part of the teaching rotation or simply get more information, please see or contact Deron Duncan. You can reach him at dduncan@momentumstl.org or **618-709-6476**

Current Message Series

For the rest of the year, Pastor Jeff will be sharing some really cool Old Testament stories and helping us apply what we learn from those stories to our everyday lives. Last week Pastor Jeff taught more on the life of Abraham. We learned how Abraham and Sarah tried to assist God in His plans by having Abraham take a second wife in order to produce offspring. As we learned, this was not what God had intended and that the promised son would come through Sarah, not another woman. If you were not here, feel free to go to our website and watch the teaching. You can find last week's message as well as others at <https://vimeo.com/momentumstl>.

Songs

A Mighty Fortress is Our God

In Christ Alone

Man of Sorrows

Blessed Redeemer

Quote of the Week

"God has promised to supply all our needs. What we don't have now, we don't need now." – **Elizabeth Elliot**

Communion

Leader: Tyler Cates

Momentum practices open communion each week. This means one does not have to be an official member of Momentum to participate. We allow any person who has repented of their sins and trusted in Jesus to save them to share in this special part of the service with us.

For those who try to avoid Gluten in their diet, we offer Gluten free communion bread. This bread is offered in the golden tray. Please let the communion attendant serving from that tray know you would to be served that bread.

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
Eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
Begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:
By the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
And was made man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
He suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
And his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
Who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
He has spoken through the Prophets.
We believe in one holy universal and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.
Amen.

Are You Musical?

Momentum's Music Team is always looking to add to our crew. If you have musical ability and the desire to help lead the congregation during the Lord's Day service, please feel free to speak to one of our team members or simply show up at one of our weekly practices. We are currently holding practices on **Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:45 pm**. We are also looking for individuals who would like to serve on the camera, projection and sound team. For more information, please contact Deron Duncan at dduncan@momentumstl.org.

Quick Connect Cards

One of the best ways to sign up for classes, make a prayer request, update your personal information or get more information on church ministries and events is to fill out a **Quick Connect Card**. These cards are conveniently located in each seat pocket in the auditorium. You can drop your card in the offering basket during the service or simply lay it on the Communion Table at the front of the stage after the service.

Giving Options

Thank you for your faithful support of Momentum Church. This church would not be here without the financial gifts of it's members. Below are the various ways you can give to the ministries of Momentum.

Online Giving

When you use the giving option on our website (www.momentumstl.org/give), 97.75% of your donation goes to Momentum. (2.25% goes to Paypal fees.)

Cash & Checks

1) Give with cash or a check by using a giving envelop and dropping your gift in the offering baskets that are passed during the Sunday morning service. (100% of your donation goes to Momentum.)

2) Use your bank's automatic bill pay feature to set up recurring payments to Momentum Church at the address below. (100% of your donation goes to Momentum.)

3) Mail a check, payable to Momentum Church. (100% of your donation goes to Momentum.)

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Prayer List

Each week, we provide a list of those in our church seeking special prayer. If you would like to be added to this list, please email Deron Duncan at dduncan@momentumstl.org. If you are on the list and are ready to be removed, please let Deron know as well. Thanks.

Member Prayer List

The following is a list of Momentum's members who are dealing with various sicknesses, tests and treatments:

- Cynthia Barnes – received a good report from second round of Chemotherapy – will continue with light dose.
- Melinda Cates – complications from bone marrow transplant and continued recovery.
- Mikayla Duncan – ongoing issues with Endometriosis and IC/IBS.
- Cathy Ellerbrock – complications of congestive heart failure.
- Shirley Grayson – dealing with issues caused by Lupus.
- Linda Hargrove- recovering from recent hip surgery
- Alexis Hurm – dealing with amplified musculoskeletal pain, complex regional pain syndrome and chronic fatigue.
- Evertin Lovell – complications due to Craniosynostosis. Recovering from surgery.
- Brittany Manning – pancreatic issues.
- Eugene Martinusen – upcoming ankle surgery
- Dillan Roberson – chemotherapy treatments for cancer.
- Joanne Ulrich – knee surgery was successful. Continued prayer for a speedy recovery.
- Mary Wilson – ongoing tests and treatments.

If you would like your name added to the weekly prayer list, please send an email to our prayer team at prayerchain@momentumstl.org

Momentum's Prayer Team

If you would like to be aware of the various prayer requests we receive each week, let us know by taking a moment to fill out a Connection's Card and drop it in the offering or by going to our website and completing our General Contact form. Our prayer team is committed to praying faithfully for the many needs of this body and would love to have other believers join us!

Momentum's Senior Ministry

All those 60 and over are invited to join our Platinum Phone Prayer Group. We meet after church services on the 2nd Sunday of each month to share scripture, testimonies, prayer needs and fellowship. You may bring your own sandwich, etc. We will be done no later than 1:30 PM. If needed, we will move to the 3rd Sunday of each month. Please [email Carlene Baumheuter](mailto:Carlene.Baumheuter) for more information.

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