

**Welcome to  
Maple Avenue Ministries!**

At Maple Ave., we believe that we are called to be "together, always together," meaning that we are with each other and for each other. We call ourselves the MAMily- Maple Avenue Ministries + family- and anyone who desires to be is welcome in the MAMily (you don't have to be a member or even a frequent attendee). We're glad you're here, and we hope you feel welcome.



**Notes of hospitality:** We practice an extended time of mutual greeting during the service. Feel free to stay in the pew or meander about, as you feel comfortable. We also welcome children to be themselves (which means they sometimes wander about or make noise- which we gladly embrace).

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**GIVING**

Aprils Giving to Date	\$2,647.00
<b>Total Giving to Date 2022</b>	<b>\$60,048.60</b>
<b>Annual Budget for 2022</b>	<b>\$192,284.95</b>

A more detailed look at church budget, giving and spending figures can be found both on the bulletin board outside the church office (coming soon) and online at [www.mapleave.org/church-finances](http://www.mapleave.org/church-finances).

**MAPLE  
AVENUE  
MINISTRIES**

**CENTERED. CALLED. COMMITTED.**

**April 17th, 2022**

**Easter Sunday**  
 John 20:1-18  
 Rev. Emily Holehan

# WORSHIP ORDER

Call to Worship  
Worship in Song  
Prayer of Confession  
Assurance of Pardon  
Passing of the Peace  
Announcements  
Congregational Prayer  
Prayer for Illumination  
Scripture  
Sermon  
Benediction

## UPCOMING MAMILY PREACHERS

April 24th - Dr. Michelle Loyd-Paige  
May 1st- Rev. Emily Holehan  
May 8th -Dr. Michelle Loyd-Paige  
May 15th- Greater Elder Keith Blystra

Would you like to... sing · dance · play with kiddos in the nursery · help with church decorations · do graphic design · greet people with hospitality as they enter church · lead in worship · make a meal for someone · visit or call someone who wants prayer · fix things around the church · fill in the blank! ?  
Let us know how you'd like to be involved!  
Email [427MAM@gmail.com](mailto:427MAM@gmail.com) or talk to a member of Consistory!

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## MAM's Teams:

MAM's Future Search Team assigned to continue looking for our next Lead Pastor includes:

Emily Baker, Viola Cleveland-Jackson, Maggie Hollis, Melissa Roessing, Shandra Stewart, Kristin Travers, AJ Westendorp, and Dawn Williams.

Our Future Action Team includes:

Emily Baker, Vanika Brandon, Viola Cleveland-Jackson, Annette Hall, Michelle Loyd-Paige, Oscar Mares, Leela Thomas Parrish, AJ Westendorp, and John Yelding.

If you are interested in joining this team as they start up our Mamily Programming, there will be a sign-up sheet in the back of church. Or email [MAMconsistory@gmail.com](mailto:MAMconsistory@gmail.com)

Teams include:

Prayer and Embracing Team, Worship Team, Youth Team (Teens, Kids, Nursery.) Together Team, Operations Team.

*Prayer and Embracing will be included in each of the four teams.*

## **The Search Team and the Four Action Teams will begin meeting the week after Easter Sunday.**

## **Better Cities Film Festival**

*May 21st, 2022 at Park Theatre from 1-5:30pm*

The goal of the festival is to address some of our challenges, inspire and stoke our imaginations for healthier and more vibrant neighborhoods. Tickets cost \$10.

This is going to be a really fun day of movie clips showing how neighbors in places all around the US have worked together to improve neighboring practices and bring beauty and safety to their neighborhoods. We are really excited about their capacity to awaken imaginations for healthier and stronger neighborhoods.

This is a concrete way to live out our "Call to the Core City".

## **I AM Academy**

The final count is in from our match giving opportunity for I AM Academy and we are thrilled to announce that you all helped us reach above our goal! With your gifts and the full \$1,000 match from the deacons we are able to give I AM Academy \$2395 in support of their ministry and education of our communities' youth. Thank you, Mamily, for continuing to be centered, called, and committed in this way.

## **Women's Bible Study**

The Wednesday Night Women's Bible Study will not be meeting for the next two weeks. It will resume again on Wednesday, April 27. Our next study will be on 1st, 2nd, and 3rd John.

# SERVING IN WORSHIP

## **THIS SUNDAY Easter**

in song: Vanika

liturgy: Elder David

In preaching: Pastor Emily Holehan

audio: Sam

streaming: Shandra

projection:

ushers: Javier & Eva

nursery: Allie & Joel Dozeman

## **NEXT WEEK (April 24th)**

in song: AJ

liturgy: John Cox

In preaching: Dr. Michelle Loyd-Paige

audio: Sam

streaming: Diane

projection: Gavin

ushers:

nursery: Heather & Sam Fox