

March 22, 2026

Welcome to The Orchard!

We're glad you're here, and we're excited about the journey we're on together at the Orchard. Our mission is **experiencing and sharing the life-changing love of Jesus**. We are a group of people from all sorts of backgrounds seeking to sink our lives deep into Jesus Christ, our Everlasting Hope... to experience that hope with a growing desire to express it to the world around us. Questions/Contact us: info@orchardmchenry.org

This Month's Memory Verse:

"Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven."
Matthew 7:21

Ministry Highlight...

Janitorial Team

We have a dedicated group of people who clean our buildings each week. Our teams work behind the scenes and are scheduled one weekend each month cleaning on Friday/Saturday. Some of the duties consist of dusting, wiping down surfaces, sweeping/mopping floors, vacuuming, trash removal, etc.

Our current opportunities to serve:

#1 - a team to clean the church on the 3rd Sunday weekend, #2 - clean Elm Street on the 1st Sunday weekend, and #3 - clean Elm Street on the 3rd Sunday weekend. The church takes a team about 2-3 hours to clean, and Elm Street takes about an hour. All cleaning supplies are provided by the church. We will give you training, showing you the supplies and the tasks to complete.

Are you looking for a place to serve at The Orchard? We would love to add you to our team!

If you are interested, please talk with Deb Banker (team lead), circle "J" on your communication card, or reach her at info@orchardmchenry.org or (815)385-3410.

This Week At The Orchard

SUNDAY - 22 REAL Connect Grp 8:30am Adult Sunday School 8:45am Worship Service 10am Palms & Praises rehearsal 11:45am Sermon Based CG (ZOOM) 6:30pm	MONDAY - 23 REAL CG 6:30pm Care Calling	TUESDAY - 24 Elder Meeting 6pm (Elm St) Women's Connect Grp 7pm	WEDNESDAY - 25 OYM meeting 6:30pm Worship Practice 7pm
THURSDAY - 26 CDV Food Pantry Men's Connect Grp 6:30pm	FRIDAY - 27 OYM Ignite Retreat leave 3pm	SATURDAY - 28 Men's Breakfast 7am OYM Ignite Retreat return 8pm	SUNDAY - 29 Palm Sunday REAL Connect Grp 8:30am Adult Sunday School 8:45am Palms & Praises 9:15am Worship Service 10am Sermon Based CG (ZOOM) 6:30pm

You Won't Want To Miss....

Easter Celebrations:

Palm Sunday Service..... Sunday, **March 29th**, 10am
Good Friday Service.....Friday, **April 3rd**, 7pm
Easter Sunday Service..... Sunday, **April 5th**, 10am

Men's Breakfast

Come join us for breakfast and some fellowship this Saturday, **March 28th**. We will meet at Green Street Café, 1219 N Green Street, McHenry, at 7am. Please sign-up by circling "M" on your communication card. Invite a friend, neighbor, co-worker. Questions? See John Helmich.

Event Registration Code: M

Church Softball Team

McHenry Christian Fellowship Softball League consists of over 30 teams from area churches. Games are played on **Monday nights, May - August**, and the cost to play will be \$40 per player. The team is open to the first 18 players to sign up, 17 and older. Please circle "S" on your communication card if you are interested in playing for our team this season. Questions? See or text John Helmich @ (847)971-9915. *Sign-up ends Sunday, March 29th or once 18 players have signed up.*

Event Registration Code: S

REAL Serving Event

REAL Women's Ministry invites you to serve together at **Feed My Starving Children**. This is an opportunity to share Christ's love by packing meals for undernourished children around the world. Join us Monday evening, **March 30th**. We will meet at the church at 5:45pm and carpool there. Plan to return home around 10pm as we stop at Culver's for some fellowship afterwards. This event is for ages 18+. Please sign up using the QR code.



Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, **April 4th**, 9-11am: This is a free event with games, snacks, face painting, balloon artist, giveaways and more. **Volunteers and candy donations needed**... We are looking for volunteers to run/work this event. We are also collecting wrapped candy donations. There is a donation bin in the back of the sanctuary by the AV booth. If interested in serving, circle "E" on your communication card.

Event Registration Code: E

Clothing Drive for Crum

Just in time for spring cleaning...The mission team going to Crum, WV this June is currently collecting gently used clothing and shoes to bless the community they serve down there. Please bring your donations before Sunday, **April 12th** and place them in the Family Ministry Center by the wooden wall. This is a great way to share the love of Jesus!

Communications Team

Leadership is looking to put together a team to focus on digital and printed materials for our church. If this is something you are interested in (have the skill set or enjoy doing), please circle "C" on your communication card. We will reach out with more information.

Event Registration Code: C

Communication Card

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We're glad you're here!

Please fill this out & place it in one of the baskets in the back of the sanctuary after the service. Thank you.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Total attending today's service: _____

I have children, ages:

0-5 Elementary

Jr High High School

Are you a...

1st Time Guest? 2nd Time Guest?

3rd Time Guest? Regular Attender?

How did you hear about us?

Mailing Family/Friend

Friend/Family: _____

Website Facebook

Other: _____

EVENT REGISTRATION CODES

I would like to sign up for the following events:

(Circle the appropriate letter)

C E J M S

How many adults? _____ children? _____

Name _____