May 18, 2025 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 to become fully-functioning followers of Jesus who are rooted in hope and branching out to the world. 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:

"And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day."

Genesis 1:31

Ministry Highlight...

Janitorial Ministry Team

We are blessed to have such a hardworking and dedicated Janitorial Team. We currently have 5 teams that serve once a month preparing our building for our 10am Sunday Service. Some of the main duties are to vacuum the carpet, sweep and mop the floors, take out the garbage, dust and wipe down the surfaces, clean & sanitize the bathrooms and clean the windows.

We currently need a team member for the 4th Sunday weekend (preferably a female). Once the Elm Street property opens in a few months, we will also be responsible for keeping that facility clean. This will open some new opportunities to serve. We will be in need of a few more team members... about 2-4 more people.

If you are looking for a place to plug in and serve, we would love to bring you on board. Interested or have questions... talk with Deb Banker our Ministry Leader. info@orchardmchenry.org OR (815) 385-3410

"So, whether you eat or drink, or **whatever you do, do all to the glory of God.**"

1 Corinthians 10:31

You Won't Want To Miss....

Breeze Launch

We went live on Monday, May 12th. This user-friendly platform will allow you to:

- 1) Connect with Others (via the online directory)
- 2) Sign Up for Events
- 3) Manage Your Giving

You should have received an email on *May 9th* with a tutorial on how to activate your account. Plus received a Welcome Invite to the Breeze System on *May 12th*. Please take the time to get yourself set up and make sure all your information is up to date. If you did not receive these emails or have questions, please contact the church office.

Vintage Souls Monthly Meeting

May's meeting is this Wednesday, **May 21st** at 1030am. We extend the invitation to to all seniors and retirees. We will meet at the church for a time of fellowship, study God's Word, and pray. After the meeting we will go out to lunch.

Men's Breakfast

Event Registration Code: M

Come join us for breakfast and some fellowship on Saturday, **May 24th.** 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.

Alden Terrace Service

On Saturday, **May 24th**, at 10am: Interested in serving this senior living community? Talk to Jeff Knoll or Luis Ardon for more information on how to get involved.

Do You I ike Yardwork?

Event Registration Code: Y

Do you like yardwork? Please let us know. Looking for help in regular lawn mowing, basic gardening and brush removal. If interested circle "Y" on your communication card.

Baptism

Event Registration Code: B

If you've trusted Christ as Savior and Lord, the next step in your spiritual journey is baptism. We will have baptisms on Sunday, **June 8th & July 13th** during the worship service. Please circle "**B**" on your communication card if you'd like to be baptized.

This Week At The Orchard

SUNDAY - 18 Graduate Recognition Sunday Adult Sunday School 8:45am Worship Service 10am Sermon-based CG 6:30pm MONDAY - 19 Care Calling REAL Bible Study 7pm TUESDAY - 20 Elder Meeting 6pm Women's CG 7-9pm WEDNESDAY - 21 Vintage Souls mtg 10:30am The Chosen CG 6pm OYM EOY party 6:30pm Worship Practice 7pm THURSDAY - 22 CDV Food Pantry Men's CG 6:30pm FRIDAY - 23

SATURDAY - 24 Men's Breakfast 7am Alden Terrace Service 10am SUNDAY - 25 Adult Sunday School 8:45am Worship Service 10am Sermon-based CG 6:30pm

Communication Card May 18, 2025

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	
	_ Zip Code
Phone	
E-mail	
	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 ab	out 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)

B M

How many adults? _____ children? ____

Name_