



# The Weekly

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## Holiday Closings

Mars Hill Kids closed next Sunday, Mars Hill offices closed on Monday, July 5

## News + Events

### Next Week: Ed Dobson Is Teaching

Join us on Sunday, July 4, when Ed Dobson will be teaching at our morning Gatherings. A frequent guest teacher at Mars Hill, Ed is a blessing to our community, always delivering new insights in thought-provoking ways.

### Torah Club Special Event Tomorrow

Join the Torah Club as they host First Fruits of Zion President, Boaz Michael. He'll bless us with a presentation of a Messianic Jewish perspective on the Sermon on the Mount. All are welcome on Monday, June 28, from 7-9pm in Room 403.

### What's Your Story?

We'd love to hear about your journey. Email it to us at [stories@marshill.org](mailto:stories@marshill.org). Then, sign up to receive our bi-monthly *E-Sixty* newsletter at [marshill.org/esixty](http://marshill.org/esixty), and read about what God is doing in our community. The latest edition [featuring baptism stories] is now available.

### Man Vs. Wild

Men, awaken your inner adventurer and join us on July 16-19 for a Wilderness Retreat in Canada. Cost is \$200, which includes transportation, lodging, food, and a "Wild at Heart" field manual. For more info and to register, go to [marshill.org/groups/retreats](http://marshill.org/groups/retreats).

### Discuss Today's Teaching Online

Looking for a place to process the message? Visit [marshill.org](http://marshill.org) to download the teaching, view photos, listen to other perspectives, find hope in how God is speaking to others, and let us know what you're wrestling with. Your community is waiting for your voice.

### Overflow Room Closed - July/Aug

Room 403 will be closed during July and August. Please join us in the Shed this summer and let's celebrate the Sunday morning Gatherings together.

### Keep In Touch

Stay connected to Mars Hill when you change your address by updating your contact info at [marshill.org/account](http://marshill.org/account).

### Lose Your Cell, Coffee Mug, Bible...

If you've been wandering around aimlessly without your \_\_\_\_\_, check the cupboard in the narrow hallway just west of the Welcome Center. It's been known as the site of many happy reunions. If it's your high school sweetheart you're looking for, though, we hate to say it but you're on your own with that one.

### Need Prayer On Sunday Morning?

Care Team members are available around the stage after the Sunday Gatherings for anyone who needs someone to talk or pray with. [Just look for a nametag.]

## Kids + Students + Special Needs

### Kids

[marshill.org/kids](http://marshill.org/kids)

**9 + 11am** Baby Bay [Newborn - 2s]  
Preschool Pier [3s - Young 5s]  
Kids Kove [K - 4th grade]

### Students

[marshill.org/students](http://marshill.org/students)

**Fifty6** [5th + 6th grade]

**The.element** [7th + 8th grade]

**Anthem** [9th-12th grade]

### Special Needs

[marshill.org/kids/specialneeds](http://marshill.org/kids/specialneeds)

Classes for children, young adults, and adults at 9 + 11am. Pre-registration required.

### Moms Of Special Needs Bible Study

Moms of kids with special needs—we have a special Bible study and support group just for you. Join us on Tuesdays from 9:45-11am in Preschool Pier [Noah's pod] for a time of fun and fellowship. Childcare is provided for kids with special needs and their siblings. [Please preregister.] For more info, contact Emily at 616.406.3959 or [info@marshill.org](mailto:info@marshill.org).

### The.element Summer Bible Study

God made Michigan beautiful. Let's enjoy it. Join us Tuesday, July 6 and July 13 at Millennium Park from 6-8pm for The.element's Summer Bible Study. Bring a swimsuit, towel, and Bible. We'll learn about God and soak in the summer sun.

### FourSquare Camp Is This Wednesday

Anthem Students—FourSquare Camp is June 30. Bring your game face and \$15 to the Student Room at 9am. By 4pm you'll have mastered the art of FourSquare or at least have a t-shirt and ball for your effort. Sign up now at [marshill.org/students/anthem](http://marshill.org/students/anthem).

### Anthem Wedgwood Wednesdays

Join us at Wedgwood Park [on Wilson] on Wednesdays this summer [June 30, July 7, July 14, July 21, and July 28] from 7-9pm for Ultimate Frisbee, pizza [bring \$2], Bible study, and more.

### [RE]Look At Yourself

Ready for a rigorous backpacking, hiking, and camping adventure? 9th-12th graders are invited to join us on July 15-17 as we travel to Pictured Rocks in the Upper Peninsula for [RE]Image. Cost is \$149. Register online today.

**Sunday/Serveday**

Sunday could be your Serve Day with Summer Serve. If you have even one free Sunday this summer, we'd love your help. Test out your mad block-building skills in Baby Bay, or walk with Preschool Pier as they discover what it means to live like Jesus. Kids Summer Serve is the perfect opportunity to get a taste of serving, on your schedule. Pick any Sunday between now and the end of August or all of them. Volunteer as little or as often as you like. Have questions? Stop in the Welcome Center after the Gatherings or visit [marshill.org/kids](http://marshill.org/kids) for more info.

**Act Like A Kid + Don't Hear Grow Up**

In Students, we welcome kids of all ages. So if you're a big kid who'd be willing to share your life with a student—sign up for one of our volunteer roles. There are a variety of roles and time commitments to choose from. Fill out a purple card in the Welcome Center and drop it there or in a Joy Box. Or visit [marshill.org/students](http://marshill.org/students) for more info. You could change a student's life, even if you're not the most mature all the time.

**Room Leaders Needed For Baby Bay**

If you love people, and especially the new, little kind, we have just the role for you. Baby Bay is in need of Room Leaders for the 9am + 11am Gatherings every Sunday. This important role is great for people who are organized and like to manage the flow of the morning schedule, as they'll be "leading" and directing the other room volunteers in addition to interacting with lots of parents. But don't worry—training is given so we'll be with you all the way. Truly a way for you to make a difference, this key role is essential for us to accommodate as many kids as possible, as we can't open a room in Baby Bay without a room leader. Find more and apply at [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) by choosing the *Baby Bay* box.

**Your Garden Could Use A Cup Of Joe**

Did you know that used coffee grounds are great for composting or fertilizing? Bring your own pail and stop in the Kitchen [just West of our Welcome Center] after the Sunday Gatherings for free used grounds.

**Turn Paper In Dollar Bills, Y'all**

Have paper sitting around? Feed it to our Paper Gator. This unique fundraising program turns your paper into profit for Mars Hill. Please no paperboard [cereal boxes, etc.] or cardboard, though.

**Get Your Baby Fix**

Sign up to serve with Baby Bay at either morning Gathering, every week or every other week. You'll cuddle, read stories, play with blocks, talk and sing about Jesus, and more. To apply, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and choose the *Baby Bay* box.

## Community Life

**Births**

Taylor Donald - 5.31.10  
[Doug, Jessica, + Courtney Holtrop]

Morgan Joelle - 6.03.10  
[Kirk, Melissa, + McKenna Gates]

Snohsio Timothy - 6.11.10  
[Lincoln, Michelle, Jayden, + Nyanti Pupoh]

Moria Elayne - 6.20.10  
[Tom, Jody, Xander, + Jadelyn Novakoski]

*This space shares news of births, adoptions, weddings, and deaths of our immediate family members. If you've recently experienced one of these, contact 616.249.3337 or [info@marshill.org](mailto:info@marshill.org).*

**Nature Photography Scavenger Hunt**

Join us on Saturday morning July 10, from 10-12 as we capture glimpses of God's beautiful creation with a photography scavenger hunt. If you don't own a camera, bring a sketch pad. This won't be a typical scavenger hunt: no clues or riddles or running around—just your own photo interpretations. After the hunt, we'll upload our photos so everyone can enjoy each others' perspectives. All ages are welcome. Learn more online at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups) [the *Nature* block].

**Circle Up, Neighbors**

Summer Short Circles are starting in a neighborhood near you. If you're up for a few casual get-togethers with Mars Hill people around you, sign up today. We'll be hanging out, grilling out, playing yard games, and just getting to know other Mars Hill-ians. Open Short Circles include Allendale, Holland, GR, and Rockford. Sign up at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups).

**Have The Gift Of Intercession?**

Or need to receive prayer? Come to "W" on Wednesdays at 7pm in Room 403 for worship, testimony time, and small group intercession for individual needs.

**Dance Like You Mean It**

Do you love to dance, or have always wanted to learn? This new women's dance group takes all kinds, so come get your groove on in Room 503 on Monday nights from 7:30-8:30pm. Sign up at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups).

**Enter The Land of Plenty**

Single Moms—join us as we take time to turn toward God, stop, breathe, enjoy a meal, and discover together that life is good and that we actually do live in the land of plenty. See [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups).

**Bike-pool**

Cars schmars... Why carpool when you can bike-pool? Join the Bike to Church group and bike to Mars Hill's 11am Gathering each Sunday in community. Fun, friends, and bikes—what is better than that? Find more info and sign up at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups).

**Women Of The Word**

Looking for a great girls morning/night out? Join a community of women who study Scripture, pray, and serve together. Register now for this fall. WOW AM meets on Wednesday mornings from 9:30-11:15, and childcare is provided on a limited basis. WOW PM meets on Tuesday evenings, 7-9pm, and no childcare is offered. To register, visit [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups).

**Register For Moms InC This Fall**

This support, prayer, and study group for moms is now taking registrations. We meet on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Wednesdays each month from October to May. Childcare is available on a limited basis for a fee. To register, visit [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups) and click on the *Moms InC* box.