



Purpose Statement:

To give everyone in Montmorency Community Church and its wider community the opportunity to know and follow Jesus.

Values:

The Bible

(Timothy 3:16-17)

Montmorency Community Church is committed to the Bible as the foundation and final authority for life and service to God. We encourage all in our church community to study it diligently, apply it daily, and teach its truth to others.

Worship

(Mark 12:30; Psalm 150:6; Romans 12:1-2)

Montmorency Community Church is committed to individual and corporate worship. Through worship we believe we will be drawn into a deeper relationship with God, have a greater awareness of His love and grace, a heightened sensitivity of His presence and a greater capacity to bring glory to God.

Prayer

(1 Thessalonians 5:16-18; Matthew 6:7-12; Colossians 4:2-4)

Montmorency Community Church is committed to prayer as the means by which we communicate with God and He communicates with us. We view prayer as the 'powerhouse' of the Church and essential to effective ministry and mission. We are dedicated to pray for the salvation of the lost, the advancement of God's Kingdom in the world, and the empowerment of God's Holy Spirit of all in our church community.

People/Community

(Mark 12:30-31; John 13:34, 35; Hebrews 10:24-25)

Montmorency Community Church believes our faith is authenticated and expressed in our relationships with each other in the Church and in how we relate to those outside of the Church. We are committed to loving and serving others unconditionally and sacrificially and to meeting together regularly for mutual encouragement, accountability, worship, teaching and prayer.

Marriage & Family

(Ephesians 5:25, 31-33; Psalm 127:3)

Montmorency Community Church believes that marriage, between a man and a woman, and family is foundational to human society and an expression of the relationship between Jesus and His people. We are committed to supporting marriages so they last for a lifetime. We are also committed to family, to nurturing and protecting children, and to teaching them the gospel and give them the opportunity to know Jesus as Saviour and Lord.

Evangelism

(Matthew 28:19-20; Matthew 9:37-38; Romans 1:16; 2 Timothy 4:5)

We are commanded by Jesus to share His Gospel and Kingdom with all people in the world.

Montmorency Community Church is committed to introducing all in our wider community to Jesus and helping those who choose to follow Him to grow in their relationship with Him.

Priesthood of all believers

Montmorency Community Church celebrates and practices the priesthood of all believers,

(1 Peter 2:4, 5,9; Revelation 1:6, 5:10).

We believe that through Christ we have been given direct access to God (1 Timothy 2:5), God is equally accessible to all the believers, and every follower of Christ has the responsibility to be used by God in the church, according to the gifts God has given them (Romans 12:3-8; 1 Corinthians 12:7-13).



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Strategic Priorities

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Bless

To intentionally serve and practically bless all in Montmorency Community Church and its wider community.

Belong

To maintain a culture and environment that provides a sense of belonging in God's Kingdom and in the church community for all who connect with Montmorency Community Church.

Believe

That all people in the wider community of Montmorency Community Church will have an opportunity to believe in Jesus as Saviour and Lord.

Become

That everyone in Montmorency Community Church will become more Christ-like; exercising their God-given gifts to bless and serve others and to grow the Kingdom of God.