

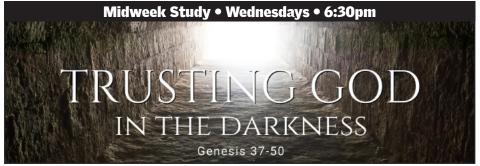
Sunday Services

9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional

MVBCnow.org • MVBC app • Facebook • YouTube









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Text "Give" to (833) 921-6485

MVBCnow.org/giving



Visitors Fill out the "connect card" MVBCnow.org or the Mount Vernon app

Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/22-6/30/23

As of March 12

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$3,300,000
YTD Budgeted	\$2,359,563
YTD Receipts	\$2,679,452
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$95,410
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$55,421
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$319,889
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$372,772
Annual Building Fund Budget YTD Budgeted	\$372,772 \$258,431
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YTD Budgeted	\$258,431
YTD Budgeted YTD Receipts	\$258,431 \$242,563

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Wednesdau **Fellowship Dinners** mvbcnow.org/dinner

Wednesday, March 22 • 5:30pm-6:30pm

Salad, Baked Tenderloin in gravy, Macaroni and Cheese, Country Style Green Beans, Rolls/Butter, Dessert Gluten Free - Salad, Baked Tenderloin, Macaroni & Cheese, Country Style Green Beans, Dessert Children's - Mini Pizza. Macaroni & Cheese. Fruit/Applesauce/Pudding Cups, Dessert

Prices: Regular meal: \$8; Child (2-11 years old): \$4; Infant (<2): Free Family Max (Discount): \$25 (immediate family up to 2 Regular & 5 Child) Reservation Deadline Monday • 12pm MVBCnow.org/dinner or (804) 270-6600

COMMUNITY

Sunday Attendance (March 12)

9am Worship 338 10:30am Worship

158 Mount Vernon Kids

Mount Vernon Students 76

Adult Bible Fellowship 358

TOTAL On Campus Impact (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students) 1.006

400 TOTAL Online Impact

Sympathy

To the family of Judy Traylor (friend of Anne Glaze) To the family of Melvin "Nat" Jones (cousin of Lucille Wrenn) To the family of Bob Payne (uncle of Craig Benson)

Prayers for This Week (March 10-16)

David Anderson

Debbie Alley (daughter of Gene & Beth Alley)

Steve Atkins

Janet Baedke

Matt Branson

Travis Brown (friend of Ken Stalls)

Barbara Cook

Judith Dodd (mother of Julia Mullens)

Wilburn & Joyce Doyle

Gabe Froschauer (nephew of Jennifer Robbins)

Jerry Gainous

Shirley Gay

Brenda Neal

Norma Proffitt

Patty Prout

Ethan Rutledge (Sandi McKinney's cousin's son-in-law)

Audrey Stalls, (granddaughter of Ken Stalls)

Sue Vallario

Pat Wilcox (neighbor of Sandi McKinney)

Susan Woodson

Submit Your Prayer Request:

MVBCnow.org/prayer • MVBC app email pray@mvbcnow.org • (804) 270-6600 Looking for a previous week's list? Email pray@mvbcnow.org

Online Giving

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Experience Preferred

More Info & To Apply: lcottrell@mvbcpreschool.org 804-935-0162 mvbcpreschool.org

Gifts in Memory & Honor

Posted on the 1st Sunday of every month. Email dyarbrough@mvbcnow.org for a previous month's list.

Calendar • March 19-25 MVBCnow.org/events • Church Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm M-F

Sunday, March 19

- 8a Bus Ministry
- 9a Sunday School (all ages) Contemporary Worship • Sanctuary
- 10:30a Sunday School (all ages)
 - Traditional Worship Sanctuary 2p GriefShare • Fellowship Hall
 - 3p OCC Mtg M116
 - 4p Deacon PC Mtg Lobby
 - Handbell Choir Rehearsal Room
 - Mentoring Men Sanctuary Awana • Multipurpose Building Student Small Groups • Student Worship Center Women's Study • E202

Monday, March 20

- 7:45a Feeding the Hungry Main Kitchen
- 7:30p College/Young Adult Bible Study E213

Tuesday, March 21

- 10a Young at Heart Choir Rehearsal M116
- 12p Chat n Chew E202
- 6:30p MomTime M131/132

Faithful Followers - High School Girls & Moms • E220/E213

Finance & Property PC Mtg • E210

Wednesday, March 22

- 8:45a Christian Yoga E213
- 10a Women's Study M116
- 5:30p Fellowship Dinner Fellowship Hall

- 6p Women's Study M131/132
- 6:30p KidJAM E202/24/26

PreJAM • 19/21

Student Bible Study • E213

The Story of Redemption Evangelism Training Class

7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

Thursday, March 23

6:15p CWT Rehearsal • Choir Room/Sanctuary

Friday, March 24

6:30p Corn Hole Social • Fellowship Hall

Saturday, March 25

7:30a Men's Study • E213

- 10a Food Pantry Distribution Entrance 5

FEATURED EVENTS & RESOURCES



How Can You Help? All boxes have been picked up. Add items & return the box unsealed to the collection bin at "the Point" by Sunday, March 19.

Other ways to help: as an alternative to filling a box, you may donate online • MVBCnow.org/students



Tuesday, March 21 6:30pm

SPRING CRAFT PROJECT

Third Tuesday each month

Register online • MVBCnow.org/events







DiscoverMount Vernon

Register Online • MVBCnow.org/missions

Join us to learn more about Mount Vernon.
Whether you're new or just visiting, this is the class for you!

Sundays, April 16, 23, 30
10:30am-11:30am • Fellowship Hall
Register online • MVBCnow.org/events

NEW WOMEN'S STUDY

Sign Up • MVBCnow.org/women Childcare available upon request

CHAT & CHEW • Loving God and Others: The Heart of True Faith

by: Kay Arthur, David Lawson, B.J. Lawson Tuesdays • 12pm • starts April 4 Book \$6 • E202

The STORY of

REDEMPTION
Evangelism Training Class

Wednesdays, March 22-April 26 6:30pm-7:30pm • M116

Facilitator: Rev. Gary Robertson

MVBCnow.org/missions



Mount Vernon Kids, Families & Friends,

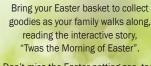
You are invited to help us gather edible (individually packaged)
& non-edible treats to hand out at the Mount Vernon Kids
Easter Story Walk and Petting Zoo. We will be collecting
small Easter goodies throughout the month of March.
Please drop off in the Mount Vernon Kids Lobby.
Thank you for your help in blessing our church family & community!

Easter at <

Mount Vernon Kids Easter Story Walk

& Petting Zoo

Saturday, April 1 • 12pm-2pm Rain or Shine



Don't miss the Easter petting zoo, too!

Please come dressed to enjoy this outdoor family event in any weather.





CONNECT WITH A CLASS

Adult Bible Fellowship (ABF) Opportunities for Bible Study,

building relationships, prayer & service.

Connect with an ABF • discipleship@mvbcnow.org

9am

Christians in Action (CIA)/All Ages/E202 Teacher: John Jimison Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Deborah/Ages 50+/Women/M133 Teacher: Jan Whitman, Susan Lowery Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Disciples/All Ages/E204 Teacher: Tom Zimmerman Study/Topic: Ephesians

Encouragers/Ages 55+/M111 Teachers: Bill Franklin, Judy Clarke, Walter Smith Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Faith/Ages 60+/M131

Teachers: Bob Boteler, Ashby Knight, Ken Stalls Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Fellowship/Ages 55+/E203 Teachers: Dwight Webb, Bill Stennet Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Studies in Discipleship/Ages 30-70/E205 Teacher: Gary Whitaker Study/Topic: Minor Prophets

10:30am =

Afterglow/Ages 55-70s/M111 Teacher: Tom Killian Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Bible Foundations/All Ages/E210 Teacher: Mark Sheets Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

ChristStrong/Ages 40+| Men/M109 Teacher: Geoff Chestnut Study/Topic: Romans

CONNECT/All Ages | Women/E211 Teacher: Arlene Mallet Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Cornerstone/Ages 25-40/E202 Teacher: Jacob Forkey Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

College & Young Adults/18+/E221 Teacher: Eric Killian, Ethan Lupinek, Matt Vick Study/Topic: John

Journey/Ages 35-55/M131 Teacher: Tim & Teresa Boschen Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Lift/Ages 40s-60s/E203 Teacher: Ron Bingham Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Parents of Children/Ages 20s-40s/E204 Teacher: Brad & Stephanie Jones Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Parents of Students/Ages 30s-50s/E205 Teacher: Mike Renfroe Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Rooted/Ages 45+/M133 Teacher: Doug Jones Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Verse Voyagers/Ages 45+/M116 Teacher: Joe Crenshaw, Vickie Duggins, Carl & LeeAnn Lecheler

Study/Topic: Exodus

Sunday School Classes

Mount Vernon Kids

9am & 10:30am • Infants-Grade 5 MVBCnow.org/kids

Mount Vernon Students

9am E220 & 10:30am E213 • Grades 6-12 MVBCnow.org/students





The Sabbath Principle: A Blessing Not a Burden

Exodus 20:8-11

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

March 19, 2023

9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Baptisms Rev. Clayton Carnall

Rune Sherrod • Will Palumbo • Kenzli Parrish

Miles Kalmes • Mark Kalmes

Songs of Praise "God Is For Us"

"Raise A Hallelujah"

Offertory Prayer

Offertory "Gratitude"

Duet: Rev. John Sullivan and Kelley Carnall

Sermon Dr. Josh Franklin

The Sabbath Principle: A Blessing Not a Burden

Exodus 20:8-11

Invitation "Behold Our God"

Benediction

10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Baptisms Rev. Clayton Carnall

Adelaide Hanes • Erin Hanes

Songs of Praise "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms"

"My Faith Has Found A Resting Place"

"It Is Well With My Soul"

Offertory Prayer

Offertory "Like a River Glorious

& O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

Handbell Choir

Sermon Dr. Josh Franklin

The Sabbath Principle: A Blessing Not a Burden

Exodus 20:8-11

Invitation "He Hideth My Soul"

Benediction

