



Midweek Study • Wednesdays • 6:30pm



**Online Giving
Options**



Text "Give"
to (833) 921-6485

MVBCnow.org/giving

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
YTD Budgeted	\$258,431
YTD Receipts	\$242,563
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$3,417
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$2,979
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(15,868)

Ministerial Staff

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Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

mvmcnw.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

MVMCNW.org/dinner or (804) 270-6600

COMMUNITY

Sunday Attendance (March 12)

434	9am Worship
338	10:30am Worship
158	Mount Vernon Kids
76	Mount Vernon Students
358	Adult Bible Fellowship

1,006 TOTAL On Campus Impact
(includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

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:

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

Online Giving

mvmcnw.org/giving

rightnow MEDIA

FREE ACCESS TO +20,000 BIBLE STUDY VIDEOS

Every person at our church has free access to biblical video series for adults, youth, and kids—now streaming on your favorite device.

MVMCNW.org/rightnow



WE'RE HIRING!

Mount Vernon PRESCHOOL

Substitute Teachers

Positions Available Immediately
Must Love Jesus & Kids
Experience Preferred

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

Gifts in Memory & Honor

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

Calendar • March 19-25 MVMCNW.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
- 6p 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
• M116
- 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



MOM TIME Get-Together Tuesday, March 21 6:30pm
SPRING CRAFT PROJECT
Third Tuesday each month
Register online • MVBCnow.org/events

CORNHOLE Social

Friday, March 24 • 6:30pm • Fellowship Hall
A ministry of Mount Vernon Recreation Ministry

SAVE THE DATE
Registration Opens
MARCH 26
MVBCnow.org/kids

Mount Vernon Kids Summer Camps

VBS JULY 17-21
ages 5- completed 6th grade

KAMPJAM JULY 31-AUG 3
completed 1st-5th grade

MISSIONS Saturday

Saturday, April 29 • 8am-5pm
Participants: age 11 & up
Assist a homeowner with outdoor repairs & maintenance.

Register Online • MVBCnow.org/missions

Discover Mount Vernon

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
Bring your Easter basket to collect goodies as your family walks along, reading the interactive story, "Twas the Morning of Easter".
Don't miss the Easter petting zoo, too!
Please come dressed to enjoy this outdoor family event in any weather.

The POWER of the Cross

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE
Friday, April 7 • 6:30pm
Beginning with a Worship Service in the Sanctuary, that leads outside to the raising of the cross.
In Person & Online
MVBCnow.org

EASTER

Sunday, April 9 • 9am & 10:30am
Worship & Sunday School

CONNECT WITH A CLASS Adult Bible Fellowship (ABF)

Opportunities for Bible Study, building relationships, prayer & service.
Connect with an ABF • discipleship@mvcnnow.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 Renfro
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

worship order

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

