

**"It is for freedom that  
Christ has set us free.  
Stand firm, then,  
and do not let yourselves  
be burdened again  
by a yoke of slavery."  
Galatians 5:1 (NIV)**



# Primetimers *Program*

Thursday, June 1, 2023 - Program at 11 a.m.

## Welcome

Yvonne Johnson, Mistress of Ceremonies

## Video

"Dad left alone with Baby"

## Greeting & Opening Prayer

Rev. Jerry Parker, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care- MVBC

## Devotional

Dr. John Sullivan, Associate Pastor for Worship Arts- MVBC

## Announcements

Yvonne Johnson

## Introduction & Welcome of First-Time Guests

Sharon Miles, Program Hostess

## Celebration of June Birthdays

Sharon Miles

## Recognition of June Wedding Anniversaries

Sharon Miles

## Travel Announcements

Nancy & Charles Hudson, Travel Coordinators

## Introduction of Guests

Dr. John Sullivan

## Guests

Young at Heart Choir- MVBC

## Closing Remarks & Blessing for the Food

Tommy Christian, Program Coordinator

## Dismissing Tables by Numbers for Luncheon

Overhead Screens

*Thanks* to all Primetimers & MVBC Staff who help make our  
Primetimers Programs a success!

## Prayer Requests

[mountvernon.church/prayer](http://mountvernon.church/prayer)

If you would like prayer for an illness,  
hospitalization, sympathy,  
please call the church office  
(804) 270-6600.

Jackie Bratton  
Emmett Conway (Brother of Mary Stinson)  
Judy Dunn  
Roy & Shirley Gay  
Joyce Good  
Wayne Kimble  
Joan Pietruzkiewicz  
Don & Anne Runion  
Ivan Shimp  
Bill & Libby Stennett  
Jim van den Berg  
Steve Wimmer  
(Son-In-Law of Dwight & Shelly Webb)  
Anne Winston

Sympathy to:  
The family of Preston Ladd (wife - Amy)  
The family of Carole Hylton  
(Barry Whitehead's sister)

### PERMANENT NAME TAGS

Permanent name tags can be purchased  
to wear for Primetimers' travel & events.

Name tags are \$5 each  
payable when ordered.

INFO: Charles & Nancy Hudson  
804-271-1421

## Welcome Guests - Young at Heart Choir



We welcome the Young at Heart Choir as they perform their annual spring concert for Primetimers. The choir has been practicing and performing for special events and for residents at assisted living and rehab facilities, nursing homes and senior adult gatherings at other churches. Dr. John Sullivan, Associate Pastor for Worship Arts, directs the group. Anne Winston, one of the originators of the choir, serves as pianist. The choir performs a number of concerts a year and welcomes new members, men and women, of the church and community. Rehearsals are held every Tuesday morning at 10:00 a.m. with holiday breaks and a summer hiatus. Rehearsals begin in September for the new season. For more information, contact Dr. Sullivan at 270-6600 x129.

# Primetimers' Senior Adults Travel Time

**Wednesday, July 26**

## Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts - "The Lion King"

Join the more than 100 million people around the world who have experienced the phenomenon of Disney's The Lion King as we journey to the Kennedy Center for a matinee performance! This landmark musical brings to life a story filled with hope and adventure set against an amazing backdrop of stunning visuals! Following the performance, we will enjoy dinner at the Ristorante Renato in Fredericksburg! Due at sign up: \$150 (includes theater ticket & dinner).

**Thursday, September 21**

## James Madison's Montpelier, Michie Tavern & Apples

Join us for a tour of Montpelier, the lifelong home of James Madison, fourth President of the US, father of the Constitution and architect of the Bill of Rights. We will explore the histories and legacies of James and Dolley Madison, the Enslaved Community, and the Constitution as we journey through the landscape and inside the Madison's home. Then it's on to Michie Tavern (ca. 1784) where servers in period attire will offer a bountiful Southern Midday Fare! A stop at a local apple orchard will complete the trip! Cost: \$100 due at sign up.

**Wednesday, October 18-Saturday, October 28**

## Canada & New England Cruise Aboard the "Liberty of the Seas"

Join us for a 10-day cruise from Cape Liberty, NJ on RCCL's newly revitalized Liberty of the Seas! The ship will be calling on the ports of Boston, MA, Portland, ME, Bar Harbor, ME, Halifax, NS, Canada, and Saint John (Bay of Fundy), NB, Canada. Sheri Layne with Covington Travel (747-4130) will handle the cruise bookings. Optional insurance is available and encouraged! The cruise final payment is due July 10. See brochure at [mountvernon.church/adults/seniors](http://mountvernon.church/adults/seniors)

**Sunday, April 14-Sunday, April 21, 2024**

## AMAWaterways "Tulip Time" Riverboat Cruise

Celebrate spring in the Netherlands & Belgium aboard the AMA Lucia when the Keukenhof Gardens & Floralia come alive. Experience Amsterdam's colorful canals, the whimsical Kinderdijk windmills and the art of Rubens & Michelangelo. Discover the timeless traditions of Delft porcelain and revel in the medieval architectural treasures of Bruges, Middelburg & Ghent. Throughout your journey indulge in Belgian chocolates, warm waffles and delicious cheeses—all while savoring the storybook atmosphere of the region. Staterooms start at \$3,399 per person double. Air fare and optional insurance are additional. Barbi Partlow (Covington Travel; 804.343.2268) will handle cruise bookings. A 2-night pre-cruise extension in Amsterdam is also available. See brochure at [mountvernon.church/adults/seniors](http://mountvernon.church/adults/seniors)

All trip information - destination, date & price - is subject to change.  
[mountvernon.church/adults/seniors](http://mountvernon.church/adults/seniors)  
Travel Time Info Contact: Charles & Nancy Hudson:  
(804) 271-1421 or [nancycharles.hudson@gmail.com](mailto:nancycharles.hudson@gmail.com)

## JOKE OF THE DAY

Q. What is the most musical part of the chicken?

A. The drumstick

# Opportunities for all Senior Adults

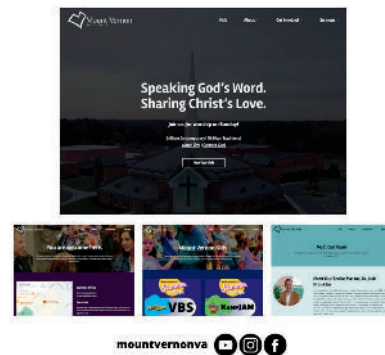
**Mount Vernon Kids Summer Camps**  
Info & Volunteer Signup Online  
[mountvernon.church/kids](http://mountvernon.church/kids)

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

**VBS JULY 17-21**

**KAMPJAM JULY 31-AUG 3**

**NEW website!**  
[mountvernon.church](http://mountvernon.church)



The **Connecting Point** contains all MVBC opportunities for worship, prayer, outreach, learning, serving and fellowship. Online:  
[mountvernon.church/connectingpoint](http://mountvernon.church/connectingpoint)

## June Birthdays

3	18
Marilyn Collins	Roy Hauser
4	19
Dale Mise	Brenda Boatwright
5	Glynn Castle
Bob McMichael	20
Janet Freeman	Jim Martin
7	Janet Arnold
Celia Nitchman	Yvonne Johnson
8	21
Bob Bratton	Betty Jennings
Bruce Clarke	Lou Thomas
Sue Seay	Jean Austin
Lois Thatcher	22
Jane Talley	Lily Li
9	Anne Jones
Gail Harris	Pat Dawson
10	23
Frances Noel	Ann Voorhis
11	Thomas Hurley
Betty Young	24
Gene Smith	Betty Miller
Joann Verdi	25
Beverly Stephenson	Conley Grimes
12	26
Linda Armstrong	Robert Clark
Barbara Cross	Debbie Fitzkee-Lane
Lucille Wrenn	Carolyn Hagae
13	28
Dwight Webb	Louise Maxwell
14	Beverly Hudson
Lillie Lewis	Judy Clarke
Ed James	Deloris Mills
Joe Nash	Pam Scott
15	29
Kathy Keller	Betty Vida
George Barth	30
17	June Landrum
Jean Blankenship	Diane Iannuccilli
Nancy Vaughan	
Marcia Franklin	

## June Wedding Anniversaries

1
Gail & Frank Harris - 44 years
2
Hugh & Cynthia Conoly - 44 years
Conley & Jean Ann Grimes - 44 years
3
Carl & Ann Evans - 17 years
6
Cecil & Shirley Painter - 36 years
8
Glenn & Judy Palmer - 55 years
Tommy & Gayle Christian - 53 years
9
Ed & Jean Anderson - 61 years
Tony & Kay Walker - 49 years
10
George & Jodie Drudge - 45 years
11
John & Clara Epperly - 46 years
12
Gene & Marge Smith - 58 years
Teresa & Gus McCracken - 41 years
14
Ben & Kay Wilkerson - 54 years
15
Jim & Carol Deitrick - 76 years
16
Walter & Lorraine Powers - 61 years
Bill & Marcia Franklin - 50 years
17
Bob & Jean Wildbore - 56 years
22
Bill & Carol Parsons - 47 years
Chet & Stella Trzaski - 44 years
24
Jim & June Mayo - 62 years
Ron & Kakki Aydlotte - 53 years
25
John & Nancy Grigg - 18 years

If you and your spouse want your anniversary to be in our newsletter, leave a note at the registration table. Give the names of the couple & the anniversary date & number of years married. This information will be in our newsletter the month of the anniversary.

# Primetimers *Programs*

## Monthly Program & Lunch

(All monthly entertainers are subject to change)

## 2023

### **Smokey Wilson**

**Thursday, July 6**

Will present his ministry through song.



### **Paul Muller as "The Tune Wrangler"**

**Thursday, August 3**

Will present a program of cowboy gospel music.  
Come dressed in western attire if you like.



### **Michael Wayne Smith**

**Thursday, September 7**

Will present a program of songs that make it easy to enjoy.



### **Damian & Paul Muller**

**Thursday, October 5**

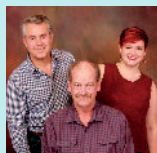
Will present uplifting songs of faith, family, fun.



### **"4 the Lord Trio"**

**Thursday, November 2**

Will provide a variety of songs for enjoyable entertainment.



### **Annual Christmas Celebration**

**Tuesday, December 5**

**Susan Greenbaum**

Will present a program that will put you in the Christmas spirit  
with many happy, joyful songs.



## 2024

### **Donald Coles**

**Thursday, January 4**

Will present a blend of southern gospel and 'songs from the past'.



### **Amy Ladd**

**Thursday, February 1**

Will share a little country and a lot of gospel.

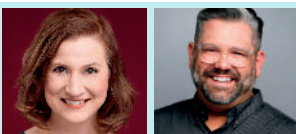


### **Shannon Gibson Brown**

**& Joshua Wortham**

**Thursday, March 7**

Will provide a variety of happy, uplifting songs.



### **The Liberty Dolls**

**Thursday, April 4**

Three sisters who serenade audience with their 40's, 50's  
and 60's tunes.



Primetimers Senior Adults (ages 55 & over)  
meet the first Thursday of each month  
(11am • Program)

Various speakers & entertainment make this a time  
filled with grace, laughter & friendship.

Registration is not necessary.  
All senior adults are welcome.



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### **Primetimers Leadership Team**

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PRIMETIMERS Senior Adults  
through monthly programs and travel  
is an outreach ministry to all senior adults.

PRIMETIMERS programs are canceled  
if Henrico County Schools are closed or  
open late because of weather conditions.