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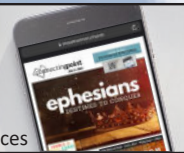
August 20, 2023

## Sunday Services

9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional  
mountvernon.church • MVBC app • Facebook • YouTube



mountvernon.church/resources



## NEW Sermon Series starts August 27

# FROM ME TO WE

TOGETHER AS THE FAMILY OF GOD

We were never meant to live the Christian life on our own.  
The idea of the church is one that brings us together as the family of God.  
We stand together on God's Word. Our worship together is for Jesus, not us.  
We want to serve others and grow in community with one another.  
In Pastor Josh's new sermon series **"From Me to We"** find out how we can go from simply coming to church to becoming a vital part of the church.

## Today's Guest Speaker

REV. DR. WAYNE D. FAISON  
Executive Director, Baptist General Association of Virginia/Ascent  
Pastor of East End Baptist Church in Suffolk, Virginia

Join us in person or online!



## Midweek Study • Wednesdays • 6:30pm



# KINGDOM POWER

A Series on Spiritual Warfare



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## Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/23-6/30/24

As Of August 13

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$3,600,000
YTD Budgeted	\$ 371,910
YTD Receipts	\$ 479,654
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$ 51,605
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$ 73,993
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$ 107,744
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$345,000
YTD Budgeted	\$ 23,044
YTD Receipts	\$ 22,717
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$ 1,925
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$ 3,136
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$ (327)

### Ministerial Staff

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## Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

mountvernon.church/dinner

### Wednesday, August 23 • 5:30pm-6:30pm

Salad, Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Squash Casserole, Country Style Green Beans, Rolls/Butter, Dessert  
Gluten Free – Salad, Baked Chicken, Macaroni and Cheese, Squash Casserole, Country Style Green Beans, Dessert  
Children's – Chicken Nuggets, Macaroni & Cheese, Fruit/Applesauce 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**

mountvernon.church/dinner or (804) 270-6600

# COMMUNITY

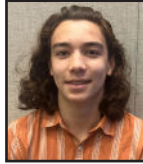
## Sunday Attendance (August 13)

518	9am Worship
391	10:30am Worship
176	Mount Vernon Kids
100	Mount Vernon Students
357	Adult Bible Fellowship

**1,185 TOTAL On Campus Impact**  
(includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

**431 TOTAL Online Impact**

### New Members (August 13)



Ryan Galapon  
Candidate for Baptism

### Prayers for This Week (August 11-17)

Connie Garrett  
Bob McEachern (Primetimers)  
Jim Spain

### Submit Your Prayer Request:

mountvernon.church/prayer • MVBC app

email pray@mountvernon.church • (804) 270-6600

Looking for a previous week's list?

Email pray@mountvernon.church

## MISSIONS Spotlight

August 2023

mountvernon.church/missions

### New IMB Missionaries were blown away by:

- Amazing treats baked by KampJAM kids
- 90 Welcome Bags  
packed by 27 church members on July 29

### Elijah House Academy was overwhelmed & thankful for:

- Generosity of church bus full of school supplies collected by MVBC
- Landscaping done by around 25 church members on August 12

## JUNE 4-14, 2024 FOOTSTEPS OF PAUL TOUR

### Interest Mtg Sunday, August 20 12pm • Sanctuary

Including Athens, Ephesus, Corinth & Rome



Trip led by:  
Dr. Josh  
& Lydia  
Franklin



### Gifts in Memory & Honor

Posted on the 1st Sunday of every month.

Email dyarbrough@mountvernon.church  
for a previous month's list.



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## Calendar • August 20-26

mountvernon.church/events • Church Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm M-F

### Sunday, August 20

- 8a Bus Ministry
- 9a Sunday School (all ages)  
Contemporary Worship • Sanctuary
- 10:30a Sunday School (all ages)  
Traditional Worship • Sanctuary
- 11:45a Student Leader Lunch • Student Worship Center  
Pastor Josh & Lydia Franklin Footsteps of Paul Trip  
Interest Mtg • Sanctuary
- 3:15p Student Ministry Drama and Band  
• Student Worship Center
- 4p Deacon PC Mtg  
• Lobby

- 4p Awana Volunteer Training • 21/22/24/26  
A Christmas Carol: A New Musical Rehearsal  
• Choir Room/Rehearsal Room
- 5p Deacon Mtg • Sanctuary
- 6p Student Small Groups • Student Worship Center  
Men's Summer Small Groups • E202

### Monday, August 21

- 7:45a Feeding the Hungry
- 5:30p KapJAM Follow-Up Dinner • M131/132
- 7:30p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

### Tuesday, August 22

- 12p Chat n Chew Class • E202
- 6p A Christmas Carol: A New Musical Rehearsal  
• Choir Room/Rehearsal Room/Sanctuary

### Wednesday, August 23

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • Student Worship Center
- 5:30p Fellowship Dinner • Fellowship Hall
- 5:45p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6p Men's Summer Small Groups • E202/203
- 6:30p Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary  
KidJAM • 24

### Thursday, August 24

- 6:15p CWT Vocal Rehearsal • Choir Room
- 7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary

### Friday, August 25

### Saturday, August 26

- 7:30a Men's Study • E213
- 10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5

## FEATURED EVENTS & RESOURCES

### LOSS OF A SPOUSE

Help is here  
& hope is possible.

**Sunday, August 27  
11:45am-2pm**

**Fellowship Hall**

FREE Seminar & Lunch

Register Online

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

GRIEF SHARE

### GriefShare

Receive valuable guidance  
and tips, leading you to relief,  
comfort & peace of mind.

**Fall Session • Sundays**

**Sept 10-Dec 10**

**2pm-3:30pm**

**Materials: \$20**

Register Online

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

## ministry fair

**Sunday, August 27 • 8:30a-12p**

Check out all the ministry opportunities.

## CONTAGIOUS FAITH

Discover your Natural Style for Sharing Jesus with Others.

### Evangelism Training Class

**Wednesdays, August 30-October 4**

6:30pm-7:30pm • E210

Facilitator: Pastor Gary Robertson

Register Online • Book \$14

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



## MENTORING MEN

**Sundays • 6pm • starts August 27**

a discipleship group for men

Led by Pastor Josh Franklin & Pastor Clayton Carnall

**12 weeks • \$10 Mentoring Men for the Master Book**

Any man 18+ is welcome throughout this fall semester.

Register Online • [mountvernon.church/events](http://mountvernon.church/events)

## WOMEN'S STUDIES

Sign Up • [mountvernon.church/women](http://mountvernon.church/women)  
Childcare available upon request



**When You Pray**

**Sundays • 6pm • Aug 27-Oct 8**

**Book \$25 • E202**



**Missing Pieces by Jennifer Rothschild**

**Tuesdays • 12pm • Sept 5-Dec 12**

**Book \$16 • E202**



**Amos by Jennifer Rothschild**

**Wednesdays • 10am • Sept 6-Oct 25**

**Book \$20 • M131/132**



**Horizontal Jesus by Tony Evans**

**Wednesdays • 6pm • Sept 6-Oct 11**

**Book \$21 • M131/132**

Men's Ministry

## GOLF OUTING

**Monday, Sept 18 • shotgun start at 1pm**

Scramble - captains choice

The Hollows Golf Course

\$60 per player

(includes green fees, carts, prizes & dinner following the round)

Sign Up Online • [mountvernon.church/events](http://mountvernon.church/events)



A fun-filled, Bible-based discipleship program for kids.

**Sundays, August 27-May 19 • 5:45pm-7:30pm**

Ages 3 years old-5th grade • Cost: \$25

Register Online • [mountvernon.church/kids](http://mountvernon.church/kids)

## CONNECT WITH A CLASS

### Adult Bible Fellowship (ABF)

Opportunities for Bible Study,

building relationships, prayer & service.

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

### 9am

**Christians in Action (CIA)/All Ages/E202**

Teacher: John Jimison

Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

**Deborah/Ages 55+/Women/M133**

Teacher: Jan Whitman

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Disciples/All Ages/E204**

Teacher: Tom Zimmerman

Study/Topic: "How We Got Our Bible"

**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**

Teacher: Dwight Webb

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Studies in Discipleship/Ages 30-60/E205**

Teacher: Clayton Carnall

Study/Topic: Minor Prophets

### 10:30am

**Afterglow/All Ages/M111**

Teacher: Tom Killian

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Bible Foundations/Ages 50-60/E210**

Teacher: Mark Sheets

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Cornerstone/Ages 25-40/E202**

Teacher: Jacob Forkey

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**College & Young Adults/18+/E221**

Teacher: Daniel Gray, Dan Seedah,

Jeff & Sarah Randolph

Study/Topic: John

**Journey/Ages 30s-60s/M131**

Teacher: Tim & Teresa Boschen

Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

**Lift/Ages 40s-60s/E203**

Teacher: Ronnie Bingham, Carol Forkey

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 50+/M116**

Teacher: Joe Crenshaw, Vickie Duggins,

Carl & LeeAnn Lecheler

Study/Topic: Hebrews

## Sunday School Classes

**Mount Vernon Kids**

9am & 10:30am • Infants-Grade 5

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

**Mount Vernon Students**

9am E220 & 10:30am E213 • Grades 6-12

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



## Christ's Kingdom Calling

Luke 4:16-21

### Rev. Dr. Wayne D. Faison

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## worship order

**August 20, 2023**

### 9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Baptisms

Rev. Jeff Randolph

Kortlyn Dildine • Sawyer Renfroe • Ryan Galapon

Songs of Praise

"I Believe"

"Raise A Hallelujah"

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

"Gratitude"

Introduction of Guest Speaker

Dr. Josh Franklin

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Wayne D. Faison

Christ's Kingdom Calling • Luke 4:16-21

Invitation

"Turn Your Eyes"

Benediction

### 10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Baptism

Rev. Jeff Randolph

Gabriella Pfister

Songs of Praise

"Revive Us Again"

"Jesus Saves"

"Because He Lives"

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

"Forevermore"

Dr. John Sullivan

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Invitation

"I Surrender All"

Benediction

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