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Packing Instructions:
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Midweek Series • Wednesdays • 6:30pm



God's Amazing Book
Journey Through the New Testament



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Baptist Church

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Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/23-6/30/24

As Of October 15

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$3,600,000
YTD Budgeted	\$916,389
YTD Receipts	\$1,136,173
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$61,854
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$66,943
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$219,784
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$345,000
YTD Budgeted	\$78,946
YTD Receipts	\$132,174
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$1,704
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$1,736
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$53,228

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Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

Wednesday, October 25 • 5:30p-6:30p

Salad, Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/gravy, Succotash, Country Style Green Beans, Rolls/Butter, Dessert
Gluten Free - Salad, Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/gravy, Country Style Green Beans, Dessert
Children's - Chicken Nuggets, 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 • 12p

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

Sunday Attendance (October 15)

521	9a Worship
348	10:30a Worship
198	Mount Vernon Kids
96	Mount Vernon Students
377	Adult Bible Fellowship

1,163 TOTAL On Campus Impact
(includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

331 TOTAL Online Impact

Sympathy

Family of Douglas Haden (brother of Anne Winston)

Prayers for This Week (October 13-19)

Betty Bingham (sister-in-law of Linda Miles)
Beverly Bollman
Karen Christensen's mom
Russell Dodd (father of Julia Mullens)
Luke Matthews

Continue praying for peace in Israel & Gaza
and for missionaries and believers ministering
to the hurting & grieving.

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

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2023 A Christmas Carol Production Volunteer Opportunities

Backstage Assistance
Concessions • Merch Sales • Parking Attendants
Security • Stage Hands (over 18 years only)
Tear Down of Set • Ushers/Greeters

Sign Up to Volunteer • mountvernon.church/worshiparts

COMMUNITY

10 Ways to Pray for Israel and the Middle East



As we continue to pray
for the Middle East:

Download a Prayer Resource
mountvernon.church/missions



Send Relief

Send Relief is working with partners to quickly
respond to needs of with vulnerable
& displaced people during the Israel- Gaza War.

GIVE Online • sendrelief.org

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

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Gifts in Memory & Honor

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

Calendar • October 22-28, 2023

mountvernon.church/events
Church Office Hours: 9a-4:30p M-F

Sunday, October 22

- 8a Bus Ministry
- 9a Contemporary Worship
Sunday School - all ages
- 10:30a Traditional Worship
Sunday School - all ages
- 2p Grief Share Class • Fellowship Hall
- 3p Handbell Rehearsal • Rehearsal Room
- 4p A Christmas Carol: A New Musical Rehearsal
• Choir Room/Sanctuary
- 4:15p Student Ministry Band • E213
- 5:45p Awana
- 6p Mentoring Men • Sanctuary
Women's Bible Study • E204
- 6p Student Small Groups • Student Worship Center

Monday, October 23

- 7p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

Tuesday, October 24

- 10a Young at Heart Choir Rehearsal • M116
- 12p Chat n Chew • E202
- 6p A Christmas Carol: A New Musical Rehearsal
• Choir Room/Rehearsal Room/Sanctuary-

Wednesday, October 25

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 10a Women's Bible Study • M131/M132
- 5:30p Fellowship Dinner • Fellowship Hall
- 5:45p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6:30p Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary
A Christmas Carol: A New Musical Rehearsal
• Choir Room

- 6:30p Mentoring Men • E204
Midweek Student Discipleship Groups
• Student Worship Center
KidJAM
- 7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room
- Thursday, October 26**
- 6:15p CWT Vocal Rehearsal • Choir Room
- 7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary
- Friday, October 27**
- 5p Fall Retreat-Camp Willow Run • Lobby
- Saturday, October 28**
- Fall Retreat • Camp Willow Run
- 7:30a Men's Study • E220
- 10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5

FEATURED EVENTS & RESOURCES

WOMEN'S STUDIES

Sign Up • mountvernon.church/women
Childcare available upon request



Living Free by Beth Moore

Sundays • 6pm • Oct 22, 29, Nov 5, 12, 19, Dec 10
Books \$16 • E204



Advent: The Weary World Rejoices

Wednesdays • 10am • Nov 1, 8, 15, Dec 6 & 13
Books \$17 • M131/132 (Nov 1 in E213)



The Wonder of Advent

Wednesdays • 6pm • November 1, 8, 15 & 29
Books \$18 • M131/132

WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS EVENT

Celebrating the Hope, Joy, Peace & Love of Christmas

Thursday, November 30 & Friday, December 1
Tickets \$14

Purchase Onsite on Sundays • starting October 22
Silent Auction, Dinner & Program
Silent Auction Beneficiary: East End Pregnancy Center
mountvernon.church/women

FOOD Pantry Thanksgiving Needs

\$20 grocery store gift cards for a turkey • Stuffing
Gravy • Cranberry Sauce • Green Beans
Mashed Potatoes • Biscuit Mix • Pie Filling

**Drop Donations at Food Pantry
Collection Basket by November 12**
mountvernon.church/missions

International Gathering
Fun, Fellowship & Community
for everyone

Saturday, November 4
5 p.m.-7 p.m. • Fellowship Hall
Dinner • Music • Activities for Children
Devotional • Indian Choir

Bring your family & a large dish from your country.
You are welcome to wear your outfits from your country - if you like to.
Dinner is open to all internationals & MVBC church family.
RSVP Online • mountvernon.church/events

church businessMtg
Wednesday, November 1
6:30 p.m. • Sanctuary
No Midweek Study or Livestream
Regular business reports will be reviewed.
All church members are invited.



Operation Christmas Child (OCC) Opportunities

Sign Up Online mountvernon.church/missions

Get A Box • October 22 • The Point

Packing instructions • mountvernon.church/missions

Shoebbox Collection Sunday • November 12

Collection Week • Nov 12-20

Times & Volunteer Opportunities • mountvernon.church/missions

OCC Warehouse Trips

Take a mission trip to see how these boxes are prepared
for their journey around the globe.

Baltimore, MD • Dec 4-5

Charlotte, NC • Dec 7-9

Space is limited!

Sign up online • mountvernon.church/missions



**SURVIVING
HOLIDAYS**

Grieving? Know someone who is?
When you are grieving a loved one's death, the holiday
season can be especially painful. Our Surviving the Holidays
seminar helps participants discover:

How to deal with emotions • What to do about traditions
Helpful tips for surviving social events • How to find hope for the future

Sunday, Nov 12 • 11:45am-2pm • M116
FREE Seminar & Lunch
Register Online • mountvernon.church/events

Honoring Veterans • November 12

Submit a photo and a brief description of service
for immediate family members that are veterans
no matter the length of service.
Photos do not need to be a military photo.
Submit Online • mountvernon.church/events by October 29.

**Lottie Moon
Christmas Tea**

Speakers: Rev. Gary & Michelle
Robertson (an IMB Missionary Couple)

Saturday, December 2 • 2pm-4pm
Cool Spring Baptist Church
RSVP Online by Nov 1 • doverbaptist.org
Tickets \$5 (Space Limited)

Primetimers Senior Adult *Program*

Thursday, Nov 2 • 11am
Program & Lunch • Fellowship Hall
"4 the Lord Trio"

will provide a variety of songs
for enjoyable entertainment.
No reservation required.
mountvernon.church/seniors

CONNECT WITH A CLASS Adult Bible Fellowship (ABF)

Opportunities for Bible Study,
building relationships, prayer & service.
mountvernon.church/adults

9a

Christians in Action (CIA)/All Ages/E202

Teacher: John Jimison

Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Deborah/Ages 55+/Women/M133

Teacher: Jan Whitman, Nancy Crutcher,
Susan Lowery

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Disciples/All Ages/E210

Teacher: Tom Zimmerman

Study/Topic: Apocalypse Now?

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: James Estep

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

10:30a

Afterglow/All Ages/M131

Teacher: Tom Killian

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Bible Foundations/All Ages/E210

Teacher: Mark Sheets

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

Cornerstone/Ages 25-40/E202

Teacher: Jacob Forkey

Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

The Bridge/18-25/E220

Teacher: Daniel Gray, Dan Seedah,

Jeff & Sarah Randolph

Study/Topic: John

Journey/Ages 30s-60s/M111

Teacher: Tim & Teresa Boschen

Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

Lift/Ages 40s-60s/E203

Teacher: Ronnie Bingham, Carole 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 Renfroe

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

9a & 10:30a • Infants-Grade 5

mountvernon.church/kids

Mount Vernon Students

9a E220 & 10:30a E213 • Grades 6-12

mountvernon.church/students

ephesians

DESTINED TO CONQUER



The Power of Positive Living

Ephesians 3:1-13

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

worship order

October 22, 2023

9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

“This Is Our God”

“God Is Able”

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

“Trust In God”

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

The Power of Positive Living • Ephesians 3:1-13

Invitation

“Come Behold The Wonderous Mystery”

Benediction

10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Call To Worship

“Let the Song of Praise Be Heard”

Sanctuary Choir

Songs of Praise

“When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder”

“Faith Is The Victory”

“In Christ Alone”

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

“Here I Am, Lord”

Classical Guitar • Dr. John Sullivan

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

The Power of Positive Living • Ephesians 3:1-13

Invitation

“Be Still My Soul”

Benediction

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