

Sunday Services
9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional
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Join Us Next Sunday!


Robert A. O'Neal, III
Senior Pastor at Shepherd's Way Christian Church

Join us in person or online!



Midweek Series • Wednesdays • 6:30pm

God's Amazing Book
Journey Through the New Testament



Speaker:
Rev. Jerry Parker
Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care

Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/23-6/30/24

As Of October 29

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$3,600,000
YTD Budgeted	\$1,019,479
YTD Receipts	\$1,274,782
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$48,350
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$81,279
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$255,303
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$345,000
YTD Budgeted	\$82,239
YTD Receipts	\$136,292
Weekly Receipts-Budgeted	\$2,111
Actual Receipts-Last Week	\$2,451
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$54,053

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Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

Wednesday, November 8 • 5:30p-6:30p

Breakfast For Dinner — Sausage/Bacon/Egg Casserole, Hash Brown Casserole, Cheese Grits, Blueberry French Toast Casserole, Ham, other breakfast favorites and Glazed Donut Bread Pudding
Gluten Free – GF variety of the above
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 • 12p

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

COMMUNITY

Sunday Attendance (October 29)

410	9a Worship
340	10:30a Worship
168	Mount Vernon Kids
99	Mount Vernon Students
381	Adult Bible Fellowship

1,017 TOTAL On Campus Impact
(includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

469 TOTAL Online Impact

Sympathy

Family of William Hoffer (husband of Carol Hoffer)

Prayers for This Week (November 3-9)

Garnett Binford (ex-husband of Toni R. Binford)

Hugh Conoly

Becky Davis

Joyce Good

Cecilia Hall

Gary & Jennifer McNutt

Sharon Miles

Mary Lynn Parker

Ann Powell

Rod Roberts

Dorothy Shaner (mother of Victoria Reese)

Jim van den Berg

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



Online Giving

mountvernon.church/give

Text "Give" to (833) 921-6485

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

Gifts in Memory & Honor • October 2023

All gifts are credited to the building fund unless otherwise noted.

In Memory of Anne Runion (Memorial Park)

Carol Brooks
Tommy & Gayle Christian
Hugh & Cindy Conoly
Jim & Jackie Dickerson
Mary Enscoe
Christophe & Randy Glaze
Conley & Jean Ann Grimes
Charles & Nancy Hudson
Barbara Jacobsen
Ken & Shirley Jenkins
Jean Jones
Deborah Kay
Ellen Kite
Joe & Betty Nash
Tommy & Phyllis Owens
Ken & Linda Radell
David Riberd & Nancy Betts
Lela Richmond
Ernest & Evelyn Toler
Jean Waters
Jeff & Madeline Wright

In Memory of Ronald Winston

Faith ABF Class (Bereavement)
Ellen Kite
Joe & Betty Nash
Lela Richmond (Missions)
Young at Heart Choir (Benevolence)

In Honor of Hilda Joseph

Joseph Samuel

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+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.

mountvernon.church/resources



Calendar • November 5-11, 2023

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

Sunday, November 5

- 8a Bus Ministry
- 9a Contemporary Worship
Sunday School - all ages
- 10:30a Traditional Worship
Sunday School - all ages
- 12p Missions Partnership Committee Mtg
• E206
- 2p Grief Share Class • Fellowship Hall
- 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
Student Small Groups • Student Worship Center

Monday, November 6

- 7p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

Tuesday, November 7

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

Wednesday, November 8

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 10a Women's Bible Study • M131/M132
- 5:30p Fellowship Dinner • Fellowship Hall
- 5:45p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6p Women's Bible Study M131/M132
- 6:30p Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary
CPC Mtg • E206
Mentoring Men • E204

- 6:30p Midweek Student Discipleship Groups
• Student Worship Center

KidJAM

- 7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

Thursday, November 9

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

Friday, November 10

- 7:45a Feeding the Hungry • M118

Saturday, November 11

- 7:30a Men's Study • E220
- 10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5
- 12p Restorative Justice • E202

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

The Wonder of Advent

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

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

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/Ages 55+/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

Christmas

AT MOUNT VERNON



Operation Christmas Child (OCC) Opportunities

Sign Up Online mountvernon.church/missions

Get A Box • 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

GRIEF SHARE SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS

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

Charles Dickens' A CHRISTMAS CAROL

A New Musical

Book & Lyrics by Keith Ferguson Music by Bruce Greer

Mount Vernon Baptist Church's Christmas Gift to the Community

FREE Admission
No tickets required.

Performances

Thursday, December 14 • 7pm

Friday, December 15 • 7pm

Saturday, December 16 • 2pm

Bring the whole family
& begin your holiday season by experiencing
the real meaning of Christmas.

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Christmas Eve Morning Worship • 10am

Special Music (Sanctuary Choir, Orchestra, & Children's Choir)
Available childcare for ages 3 & under • No Sunday School

Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship 3pm & 5pm

Available childcare for ages 3 & under

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WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS EVENT

Advent

Celebrating the Hope, Joy,
Peace & Love of Christmas

Thursday, November 30 & Friday, December 1
SOLD OUT

Waiting list is available

Silent Auction, Dinner & Program

Silent Auction Beneficiary: East End Pregnancy Center
mountvernon.church/women

FAMILY CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

with KidJAM special musical presentation

Sunday, December 3 • 6pm-8pm • Sanctuary

Celebration & snacks to follow in the Fellowship Hall.
All are invited to this special worship & fellowship event!

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



What Makes a Great Church

Ephesians 4:1-3

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

worship order

November 5, 2023

9am • Contemporary Service

- Welcome
- Songs of Praise
 - “Great Things”
 - “Behold The Lamb”
- Offertory Prayer
- Offertory “The Lord Is My Salvation”
- Sermon
 - Dr. Josh Franklin
 - What Makes a Great Church • Ephesians 4:1-3
- Invitation “Your Name”
- Lord’s Supper
- Benediction “Amazing Grace”

10:30am • Traditional Service

- Welcome
- Songs of Praise
 - “There Is Power In The Blood”
 - “Down at the Cross”
 - “Behold The Lamb”
- Offertory Prayer
- Offertory “At the Name of Jesus”
 - Sanctuary Choir
- Sermon
 - Dr. Josh Franklin
 - What Makes a Great Church • Ephesians 4:1-3
- Invitation “Have Thine Own Way”
- Lord’s Supper
- Benediction “Amazing Grace”

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