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September 1, 2024

**Sunday Worship Services**  
**9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional**  
mountvernon.church • MVBC app • Facebook • YouTube  
**11:30am Broadcast** CW Richmond • mountvernon.church/tv

# REVELATION

## OUR FINAL VICTORY

Sundays • 10:30am • Aug. 18, 25, Sept. 1, & 8

**Discover**   
Mount Vernon

Register [onlinemountvernon.church/discover](https://onlinemountvernon.church/discover)



 Mount Vernon  
Baptist Church

**mountvernon.church**

mountvernonva   

11220 Nuckols Road • Glen Allen, VA 23059  
(804) 270-6600



**Online Giving**

[mountvernon.church/give](https://mountvernon.church/give)

Text "Give" to (833) 921-6485

## Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/24-6/30/25

As of August 25, 2024

|                                  |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget | \$4,100,000 |
| YTD Budgeted                     | \$570,491   |
| YTD Receipts                     | \$629,973   |
| Weekly Receipts - Budgeted       | \$77,197    |
| Actual Receipts - Last Week      | \$78,039    |
| YTD Over (Shortfall)             | \$59,482    |
| Annual Building Fund Budget      | \$352,992   |
| YTD Budgeted                     | \$46,903    |
| YTD Receipts                     | \$35,614    |
| Weekly Receipts - Budgeted       | \$2,784     |
| Actual Receipts - Last Week      | \$11,594    |
| YTD Over (Shortfall)             | \$(11,289)  |

### Ministerial Staff

### Email

|  |                               |
|--|-------------------------------|
| <b>Dr. Josh Franklin</b><br>Senior Pastor                                | jfranklin@mountvernon.church  |
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## Weekly Enews

Sign Up: [mountvernon.church/resources](http://mountvernon.church/resources)

## Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

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

### Wednesday, September 4 • 5:30p-6:30p

Salad, Pork BBQ (NC Style), Scalloped Potatoes, Cowboy Baked Beans, Succotash, Country Style Green Beans, Rolls/Butter, Dessert  
Gluten Free – same as above, plus GF Dessert  
Children's – Hot Dog, Macaroni & Cheese, Tater Tots, 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 • 12p**

[mountvernon.church/dinner](http://mountvernon.church/dinner) or (804) 270-6600

# COMMUNITY

## Sunday Attendance (August 25)

### Groups

|     |                        |
|-----|------------------------|
| 464 | Adult Bible Fellowship |
| 113 | Mount Vernon Students  |
| 197 | Mount Vernon Kids      |

### Worship

|     |                |
|-----|----------------|
| 525 | 9a Worship     |
| 386 | 10:30a Worship |

**911 TOTAL Worship**

**1,221 TOTAL On Campus Impact**  
(includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

579 TOTAL Online Impact

## New Members (August 25)



William Jeffries  
Transfer of Letter



Sadie-Kate Jones  
Baptized

## Sympathy

Family of Dave Anderson  
Family of Betty Boyle  
Family of Shawn Wright (niece of Carol Brooks)

## Prayers From This Past Week (August 23-29)

Connie Alphin  
Mike DeMoss  
Doug Jones  
Betty Lowry  
Mike Murray  
Katherine Spencer

## Submit Your Prayer Request:

[mountvernon.church/prayer](http://mountvernon.church/prayer) • MVBC app  
email [pray@mountvernon.church](mailto:pray@mountvernon.church) • (804) 270-6600  
Looking for a previous week's list?  
Email [pray@mountvernon.church](mailto:pray@mountvernon.church)

## MOUNT VERNON MISSION Prayer

starting September 4

**Wednesdays • 4pm-5pm • M106**  
Praying for missions & ministries of the church.  
Everyone is welcome.

## Sunday, September 15

## BAPTISM SUNDAY

Take the next step in your faith journey  
**Interested in baptism?**  
Contact [discipleship@mountvernon.church](mailto:discipleship@mountvernon.church) • 270-6600

## Staff Openings

### Student Ministry

- Special Needs Ministry Assistant
- Mount Vernon Preschool**
- Lead & Assistant Teachers

INFO: [mountvernon.church/careers](http://mountvernon.church/careers)

## Gifts in Memory & Honor • August 2024

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

### In Memory of Glynn Castle

Joseph & Trudy Arias  
(Musical Gifts)

RuthAnn Searls (Musical Gifts)

### In Memory of Ken Mears

Ron & Julie Kuykendall  
Jerry & Valerie Martin  
(Bereavement)

### In Memory of Betty Nash

Jerry & Valerie Martin  
(Bereavement)

Joe Nash

### In Memory of Joan Stalls

Ken & Linda Radell  
Ken Stalls (General Fund)

**In Memory of Fred & Mildred Wright**  
Jeff & Madeline Wright

## A Gift for You

We've purchased unlimited access to thousands of Christian videos and are giving free access to everyone in our church.



**Rightnow Media:**

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

# Calendar • September 1-7

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

Church Office Hours: 9am-4:30p M-F

### Sunday, September 1

- 8a Bus Ministry
- 9a Contemporary Worship  
Sunday School - children & adults
- 10:30a Traditional Worship  
Sunday School - all ages  
Discover Mount Vernon • Fellowship Hall
- 4:15p Student Ministry Band • E213
- 5:45p Awana Club Mtgs
- 6p Mentoring Men • Sanctuary  
Student Small Groups • Student Worship Center

### Monday, September 2

Offices Closed

### Tuesday, September 3

12p Chat n Chew • E202

### Wednesday, September 4

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 10a Women's Bible Study • M131/M132
- 4p Mount Vernon on Mission Prayer • M106
- 5p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 5:30p Fellowship Dinner • Fellowship Hall
- 6p Women's Bible Study • M131/132
- 6:15p KidJAM
- 6:30p Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary  
PreJAM • 21  
Midweek Student Discipleship Groups  
• Student Worship Center  
Mentoring Men • E204
- 7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

### Thursday, September 5

- 11a Primetimers • Fellowship Hall
- 6:15p CWT Vocal Rehearsal • Choir Room
- 7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary

### Saturday, September 7

- 7:30a Men's Study • E210
- 9a Communion Preparation • Rehearsal Room 2
- 10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5



# FEATURED EVENTS & RESOURCES

## Grief Share

Grieving the loss of someone close to you?  
Find comfort & support at Griefshare.

**September 8-November 17**  
**2pm-4pm • Fellowship Hall**

13-week grief support group. You can join at any time!  
**Register Online** [mountvernon.church/griefshare](http://mountvernon.church/griefshare)

## MEN'S GOLF OUTING

**Friday, September 27 • 1pm**

Hunting Hawk Golf Club • \$85 per player  
(includes green fees, cart fee, prizes & dinner following the round)  
**Register Online** [mountvernon.church/men](http://mountvernon.church/men)

Partnership with the



## IMB Commissioning Service

**Thursday, September 12 • 2pm • Sanctuary**

This time is a powerful send off as Missionary Training participants are being deployed to the field for His glory!  
MVBC community members are invited to attend.

## Primetimers Program & Luncheon



**Thursday, September 5**

**11am • Fellowship Hall**  
**Chip & Nikki Headley**  
will present a program that spreads God's word one song at a time.  
No reservation required  
[mountvernon.church/seniors](http://mountvernon.church/seniors)

## PARENT & CHILD

# Dedications

The opportunity to present your child for dedication to Christ and the church.

**Sunday, October 13**

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

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## Women's Workshops

Online Registration Required  
[mountvernon.church/women](http://mountvernon.church/women)

Learn to...

### Card Making Class

**Saturday, Sept. 14 • 10am-12pm • Fellowship Hall**  
Learn tips. Fall design cards. • Cost: \$5/person

### Quilting Class

**Saturday, Sept. 21 • 10am-1pm • M131/132**  
For ladies who already know how to sew & are ready to learn to quilt. • Cost: \$5/person

## NEW WOMEN'S STUDIES

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



**Tuesdays • 12pm • Sept 3-Dec 10**  
**Experiencing God**

by Henry Blackaby • E202 • Book \$18  
Led by Mary Stinson/rotating leaders



**Wednesdays • 6pm • Sept 4-Oct 16**  
**Jesus & Women**

by Kristi McLelland • M131/132 • Book \$25  
Led by Angela Howerton



**Thursdays • 2pm • Sept 19-Nov 21**  
**Daniel, verse by verse**

M133 • No book required  
Led by Nancy Crutcher

## THE COLLINGSWORTH FAMILY



## CLASSICS & HYMNS

**Monday, September 30 • 7pm**

3 Tiers of Open Seating:

\$55 Artist Circle • \$45 Gold Circle • \$25 General Admission

**Order Tickets Online • [mountvernon.church/worship-arts](http://mountvernon.church/worship-arts)**

Mount Vernon \$5 Discount Code: CFAM (off for General Admission & Gold Circle)

All KIDS AGES 14 & UNDER enter for FREE with their paid/ticketed parents - ONLY for the GOLD CIRCLE & GENERAL ADMISSION seating

## 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: Nancy Crutcher, Susan Lowery  
Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Disciples/All Ages/E210**

Teacher: Tom Zimmerman  
Study/Topic: James

**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, Jerry LeFever  
Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Fellowship/Ages 55+/E203**

Teacher: Dwight Webb  
Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

**Studies in Discipleship/Ages 30-80/E205**

Teacher: James Estep  
Study/Topic: Explore the Bible

### 10:30am

**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 20s-40s/E202**

Teacher: Ethan Lupinek  
Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

**The Bridge/18-25/E220**

Teacher: Daniel Gray, Dan Seedah,  
Jeff & Sarah Randolph  
Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

**Journey/Ages 30s-60s/M111**

Teacher: Tim & Teresa Boschen  
Study/Topic: Philippians

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

Teacher: Ronnie Bingham, Carole Forkey  
Study/Topic: Bible Studies for Life

**Parents of Children/Ages 20s-40s/E204**

Teacher: Isaac Herrador;  
Brad & Stephanie Jones Chris Sutton  
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: Michael Buchanan, Joe Crenshaw,  
Lee Ann Lecheler  
Study/Topic: 2 Peter

## Sunday School Classes

### Mount Vernon Kids

9am & 10:30am • Infants-Grade 5

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

### Mount Vernon Students

10:30am E213 • Grades 6-12

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

# Virginia Baptist MISSIONS Offering

**Mount Vernon**  
**Total Goal:**

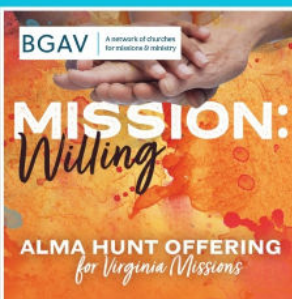
**\$14,000**

### Giving Options:

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

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

Offering Envelopes at The Point Desk



# REVELATION

## OUR FINAL VICTORY

### Jesus Gets the Last Word

Revelation 1:4-8

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

Notes Archive Online

[mountvernon.church/sermon-series](http://mountvernon.church/sermon-series) • Revelation Series

## worship order

September 1, 2024

### 9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

*Lion and the Lamb*

*You've Already Won*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)*

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Jesus Gets the Last Word • Revelation 1:4-8

Invitation

*At The Cross (Love Ran Red)*

Lord's Supper

Dr. Josh Franklin & Rev. Jeff Randolph

Benediction

*Amazing Grace*

### 10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

*When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder*

*How Great Thou Art*

*Responsive Reading - The Greatness of God*

*How Great Is Our God*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Speak O Lord*

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

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Invitation

*Shall We Gather At The River*

Lord's Supper

Dr. Josh Franklin & Rev. Jeff Randolph

Benediction

*Amazing Grace*

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