

# REVELATION

## OUR FINAL VICTORY



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



# Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/24-6/30/25

As of April 6, 2025

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,100,000
YTD Budgeted	\$3,170,312
YTD Receipts	\$3,582,123
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$78,743
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$109,911
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$411,811
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$352,992
YTD Budgeted	\$296,294
YTD Receipts	\$211,411
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$4,320
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$8,578
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(84,883)

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## Adult Bible Fellowship

9am & 10:30am • All Ages  
Opportunities for Bible Study,  
building relationships, prayer & service  
[mountvernon.church/adults](http://mountvernon.church/adults)

## Mount Vernon Kids

9am & 10:30am • Infants-Grade 5  
[mountvernon.church/kids](http://mountvernon.church/kids)

## Mount Vernon Students

10:30am • Grades 6-12  
[mountvernon.church/students](http://mountvernon.church/students)

# COMMUNITY

## Sunday Attendance (April 6)

### Groups

<b>478</b>	Adult Bible Fellowship
<b>98</b>	Mount Vernon Students
<b>178</b>	Mount Vernon Kids

### Worship

<b>603</b>	9am Contemporary Worship
<b>447</b>	10:30am Traditional Worship

<b>1050</b>	<b>TOTAL Worship</b>
<b>1,326</b>	<b>TOTAL On Campus Impact</b> (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)
<b>515</b>	TOTAL Online Impact
<b>2,900</b> homes	Average Weekly Television Audience

## New Members (April 6)



Claire Adams  
Letter of Transfer

## Sympathy

Family of Delores Atkins  
(mother of Steve, Paul & Randall Atkins)  
Family of Emerson Langborgh  
(granddaughter of Joe & Margie Benkovics)

## Prayers From This Past Week (April 4-10)

Margie Benkovics  
Mike DeMoss  
Jeff Weigle

## 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)



**Weekly Enews**

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

Annie  
Armstrong  
Easter  
Offering

## STEP INTO THE STORY



## OUR CHURCH'S OFFERING GOAL

**\$50,000** GIVE ONLINE  
[mountvernon.church/give](http://mountvernon.church/give)  
as of April 6: **\$13,455.10**

## PARENT & CHILD Dedications

The opportunity to present your child for dedication  
to Christ & the church.  
**Sunday, May 11**

Sign Up Online by May 4 • [mountvernon.church/events](http://mountvernon.church/events)



## NEW Monthly Mission Resource Mount Vernon on Mission Newsletter

Pick up the April edition  
at the Mission Point or online  
[mountvernon.church/missions](http://mountvernon.church/missions)

## Gifts in Memory & Honor

Posted on the first Sunday of every month.  
Email [dyarbrough@mountvernon.church](mailto:dyarbrough@mountvernon.church)  
for a previous month's list.

## Summer Internships

**Children's & Student Ministries**  
INFO: [mountvernon.church/careers](http://mountvernon.church/careers)

## Deacon-led Prayer

**Sundays**  
**8am-8:30am • E210**

Praying that the Lord would bless and be glorified during  
Sunday morning activities. Everyone is welcome.

## MOUNT VERNON MISSION Prayer

**Wednesdays**  
**4pm-5pm • M106**

Praying for missions & ministries of the church.  
Everyone is welcome.

## April 13-April 19

[mountvernon.church/events](http://mountvernon.church/events)  
Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm M-F

### Sunday, April 13

- 8a Bus Ministry  
Deacon-led Prayer • E210
- 9a Contemporary Worship  
Sunday School - children & adults
- 10:30a Traditional Worship  
Sunday School - all ages
- 12p Student PC Mtg • E213
- 2p Leadership Council • E210  
GriefShare • Fellowship Hall
- 3p Handbell Rehearsal • Rehearsal Room

- 3:45p Students Worship Arts  
• E213/218/220
- 5:45p Awana Club Mtgs
- 6p Student Small Groups  
• Student Worship Center  
Mentoring Men • Sanctuary  
Women's Bible Study • E204

### Monday, April 14

- 7p Personnel PC Mtg • E206  
College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

### Tuesday, April 15

- 10a Young at Heart Choir Rehearsal • M116
- 6:30p Finance and Property PC Mtg • E206

### Wednesday, April 16

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 10a Women's Bible Study • E213

- 11a All Staff Mtg • E220
- 5p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6:30p Hope of the Cross Production • Sanctuary

### Thursday, April 17

- 10a Primetimers Leadership Team Mtg
- 2p Women's Philippians Study • M133
- 6:15p CWT Vocal Rehearsal • Choir Room
- 7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary

### Friday, April 18

- 6:30p Good Friday Service • Sanctuary

### Saturday, April 19

- 9a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 7
- 10a Easter Story Walk & Petting Zoo  
• Fellowship Hall/Worship Center Lobby

# FEATURED EVENTS

## Mount Vernon Parenting Conference

Equipping Parents to Navigate

# CULTURE

with Hillary Morgan Ferrer

Founder & President of Mama Bear Apologetics

**Sat, April 26 • 8:30am-1pm • Fellowship Hall**

\$20 individual • \$30 couple

Includes: conference, breakfast, lunch & childcare\*  
(space is limited)

Topics, Schedule, & Registration Online (by April 23)

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



## MISSIONS Saturday, April 26

OFFSITE

**8am-5pm**



Help all day or part of the day

Participants: age 11 & up

Assist a homeowner with outdoor repairs & maintenance. Lunch Provided.

OFFSITE



**9am-12pm**

Projects to benefit Kenyan orphans

Sign Up is FULL for this option.

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

Women's Spring Gathering

# SOARING IN FAITH

Matthew 6:26

**Saturday, May 3**

12pm-2pm • Fellowship Hall

Program & Lunch

Ticket: \$7 • Limit 4 tickets/person

On Sale Onsite In The Lobby & Online

Guest Speaker: Michelle Ives; Minister for Children & Families

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

# SPRING JAM PRESENTATION

Jesus • Arts • Music



**Wed, April 30 • 6:30pm • Sanctuary**

A time of light snacks & fellowship immediately following.

GO EXPERIENCE



## Panama City, Panama Mission Trip Interest Meeting

April 27 • 12pm-12:30pm • E202

Trip Dates: Aug 30-Sept 6

Prayer Walking • Gospel Distribution

Working with Local School Ministries • Community Events

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

**April 20**

# BAPTISM SUNDAY

Take the next step in your faith journey

**Interested in baptism?**

Contact [discipleship@mountvernon.church](mailto:discipleship@mountvernon.church) • 270-6600

# Discover Mount Vernon

Been attending & want to know more?

Recently joined?

Been a church member for years?

Wondering what does it mean to be a MVBC member?

We have the next step for you...Discover Mount Vernon.

Meet staff, learn about programming, ask questions

& find a place to plug in here at Mount Vernon.

**Sundays • 10:30am • April 27-May 18**

Register online • [mountvernon.church/discover](http://mountvernon.church/discover)

# KAMPJAM

Music & Arts Camp

**Mon-Fri, June 16-20 • 9am-12pm**

Fun week of music & arts immersion.

Campers learn a musical & perform it Friday night.

Track Options: Performing Arts or Fine Arts

Ages: completed 1st-5th grade

\$50 per camper Register Online

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

Musical



# VBS



**Mon-Fri, July 14-18 • 9am-12pm**

NEW Start Time

Discovering the BIGNESS of God

in the SMALLEST of things.

Ages: 5 years old (as of 7/14/25)-completed 6th grade

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

Mount Vernon STUDENTS

# Faithful

**June 22-27 • Crossroads Summer Camp**

Anderson University, Anderson, SC

TOTAL Cost \$400 • Ages: 6th-12th Grade

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

# International Gathering

Fun, Fellowship & Community

**Saturday, May 10 • 5:30pm-8pm • Fellowship Hall**

Bring & Share Meal • Music by Grace Notes

Wear clothes representing your home country.

Theme: The Church as the Body of Christ.

Everyone is invited.

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

# NEW WOMEN'S STUDIES

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

Childcare available upon request



**1st Peter** by Jen Wilkin

**Tuesdays • 12pm • April 22-June 10**

Books \$25 • E210 • led by Caren Cummings



**When Sinners Say I Do** by David Harvey

**Tuesdays • 2:15pm • April 22-June 10**

Books \$18 • E210 • led by Caren Cummings

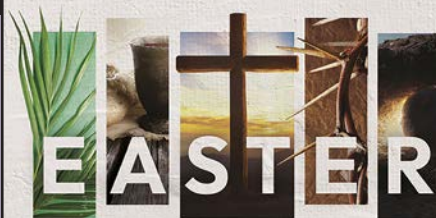


**Jesus & Women** by Kristi Mclelland

**Wednesdays • 10am • April 16-May 28**

Books \$23 • E213

led by Dee Yarbrough & Kathy Parker



# Holy Week at Mount Vernon

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



# The Hope of the Cross

An Easter Worship Experience

**Wednesday, April 16**

**6:30pm • Sanctuary**

A dramatic reading of passages from the book of Mark woven through new & familiar Easter music.

Featuring the Sanctuary Choir, Orchestra

& Drama Team.



# Journey to the Cross

# GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

**Friday, April 18**

**6:30pm • Sanctuary**

Beginning with a worship service in the Sanctuary, that leads outside to the raising of the cross.

# Mount Vernon Kids Easter Story Walk & Petting Zoo

**Saturday, April 19 • 10am-1pm**

**Beginning in Worship Center Lobby**

Your whole family is invited to experience this immersive, interactive story walk, featuring "Twas the Morning of Easter". Don't miss the Easter petting zoo, too!



G.R.O.W. Special Needs Ministry is offering priority entry to children with special needs & their families who may be unable to wait in line for extended periods of time.

Pre-register Online • [mountvernon.church/kids](http://mountvernon.church/kids)



# EASTER SUNDAY

**Sunday, April 20**

9am & 10:30am

Worship & Sunday School

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

# REVELATION

## OUR FINAL VICTORY

### Heaven on Earth Revelation 20:1-15

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

# worship

April 13, 2025

## 9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

*The King Is In The Room*

*Shout Hosanna*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Is He Worthy*

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Heaven on Earth • Revelation 20:1-15

Invitation

*Jesus Messiah*

Benediction

## 10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

*He Is Exalted*

*Majesty*

*All Glory Laud And Honor*

*Worthy of Worship*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Psalms 150 (Praise The Lord)*

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Heaven on Earth • Revelation 20:1-15

Invitation

*Living For Jesus*

Benediction

### Looking for further notes from today's Sermon?

Pick up a copy at each Sanctuary Door,  
The Point desk or download online:  
[mountvernon.church/resources](http://mountvernon.church/resources)




Let's connect!

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