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June 29, 2025

Sunday Worship Services

9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional

mountvernon.church • MVBC app • Facebook • YouTube

11:30am Broadcast CW Richmond • mountvernon.church/tv

RELENTLESS PURSUIT

Through the Book of Jonah



Mount Vernon
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Online Giving

mountvernon.church/give

Text "Give" to (833) 921-6485

Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/24-6/30/25

As of June 22, 2025

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,100,000
YTD Budgeted	\$4,015,490
YTD Receipts	\$4,470,900
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$72,138
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$73,534
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$455,410
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$352,992
YTD Budgeted	\$351,444
YTD Receipts	\$276,674
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$29,289
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$29,844
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(74,770)

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Adult Bible Fellowship

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

Mount Vernon Kids

9am & 10:30am • Infants-Grade 5
mountvernon.church/kids

Mount Vernon Students

10:30am • Grades 6-12
mountvernon.church/students

COMMUNITY

Sunday Attendance (June 22)

Groups

431	Adult Bible Fellowship
103	Mount Vernon Students
184	Mount Vernon Kids

Worship

677	9am Contemporary Worship
440	10:30am Traditional Worship

1,117	TOTAL Worship
1,404	TOTAL On Campus Impact (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

499	TOTAL Online Impact
2,900	Average Weekly Television Audience homes

New Members (June 22)



Gene & Paige Fletcher
Letter of Transfer



Jacob Marshall
Baptism Candidate

Sympathy

Family of David Minear (brother of Winnie Minear)

Prayers From This Past Week (June 20-26)

Perry & Betty Burrill
Mike & Kathy DeMoss
Judy Dunn
Thomas & Susan Kish
Audrey Lloyd
Tracy McNeal (sister of Shannon Baird)
Justin Polito (nephew of Jenny Morris)
Elsie Turochy

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

Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

Dinners return August 20 • mountvernon.church/dinner

Gifts in Memory & Honor

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

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

Tuesdays
3:30-4:30pm • M106

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



Weekly Enews

Sign Up: mountvernon.church/resources

FIRST RESPONDERS APPRECIATION

We would like to honor all First Responders
on **Sunday, July 6.**
(Police Officers, Firefighters, EMT Personnel)
Submit a photo & a brief description
of an immediate family member online
mountvernon.church/events by **June 29.**

June 29-July 5

mountvernon.church/events

Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm M-F

Sunday, June 29

8a	Bus Ministry
	Deacon-led Prayer • E210
9a	Contemporary Worship
	Sunday School - children & adults
10:30a	Traditional Worship
	Sunday School - all ages
12p	Missions PC Mtg • E206
2p	VBS Volunteer Training • Fellowship Hall

- 6p Student Small Groups
- Student Worship Center

Monday, June 30

- 7p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

Tuesday, July 1

- 3:30p Mount Vernon on Mission Prayer • M106
- 7p Choir Rehearsal for DC Trip • Choir Room

Wednesday, July 2

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 9:30a Women's Study • M131/132
- 5p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6:30p PreJAM • 21
- Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary

Student Discipleship Groups • E213

Men's Summer Study • E204

SummerJAM • 24

- 7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

Thursday, July 3

- 11a Primetimers • Fellowship Hall

Friday, July 4

Church Office Closed

Saturday, July 5

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

FEATURED EVENTS



mountvernon.church/resources

Primetimers Senior Adults Program & Luncheon

Thursday, July 3
11am • Fellowship Hall

Smokey Wilson

will present his ministry through song.
All senior adults invited



Lunch will be served.
Please park near door
entrance #5.

VBS

VBS Prayer Calendar
mountvernon.church/kids

Mon-Fri, July 14-18 • 9am-12pm
NEW Start Time
*Discovering the BIGNESS of God
in the SMALLEST of things.*

REGISTRATION IS FULL & CLOSED.
mountvernon.church/kids

STUDENT SUMMER

mountvernon.church/students

Parents & Students Summer Share Service
Sunday, June 29 • 6pm • E213

Wacky Wednesday Putt Putt & Dinner
Wednesday, July 9 • 3:30pm • \$10
Register: mountvernon.church/students

July 20

BAPTISM SUNDAY

Take the next step in your faith journey
Interested in baptism? Contact
discipleship@mountvernon.church • 270-6600

rightnow MEDIA

FREE ACCESS TO +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.

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Food parcels for those who are struggling to have enough food to eat are distributed every Saturday from 10am-11am. Recipients must live within a 15-mile radius & receive two nutritionally balanced bags of food. Bags include proteins, carbohydrates, vegetables, fruits, & breakfast items.

Recipient Guidelines & Sign Up
mountvernon.church/needs

Volunteer Options

Packing the Bags • Wednesdays • 5:45pm
Distribution • Saturdays • 10am
mountvernon.church/needs

First Grade Bible Presentation Ceremony

Rising First Graders, are you excited to explore God's word? You & your family are invited to join us for Mount Vernon Kids' First Grade Bible Presentation Ceremony!

Sunday, August 17
12pm-1:30pm • Fellowship Hall
Sign Up Online by Sunday, August 3
mountvernon.church/kids

Each participating first grader (as of the 25/26 school year) will be gifted a Bible, and each family is invited to enjoy lunch & fellowship following the ceremony.

Psalms

GETTING HONEST WITH GOD

Midweek Study
Wednesdays • 6:30pm

summer JAM

Jesus • Arts • Music

The fun & fellowship continues this summer!
Bible study, missions, art, games & more!
Wednesdays, June 4-August 13
6:30pm-7:30pm
Ages 4-completed 5th Grade
New to JAM? Register: mountvernon.church/kids
Currently enrolled PreJAM & KidJAM kids do not need to register.

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How to Look Up When You've Hit Bottom Jonah 2:1-10

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

worship

June 29, 2025

9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

The King Is In The Room

God Of Wonders

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

King of Kings

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

How to Look Up When You've Hit Bottom • Jonah 2:1-10

Invitation

Blessed Assurance

Benediction

10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Victory In Jesus

Down at the Cross

Glorify Thy Name

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Heal Our Land

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon

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Invitation

Abide With Me

Benediction

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