

love

beyond measure

Through 1 John

**SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION
& GREEK ISLES CRUISE**
with Dr. Josh & Lydia Franklin

APRIL 29-MAY 9, 2026

Information Meeting
Sunday, July 27
12pm • Fellowship Hall

We will explore all Seven Churches from the Book of Revelation, visit many of the sites around the Greek Isles, including Patmos, where John wrote the Book of Revelation, and then visit the historic city of Athens.

You don't have to wait
- you can secure your spot today!
mountvernon.church/events



Tithe & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/25-6/30/26

As of July 20, 2025

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,750,000
YTD Budgeted	\$274,038
YTD Receipts	\$273,316
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$91,346
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$80,845
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(722)
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$310,947
YTD Budgeted	\$11,433
YTD Receipts	\$11,652
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$3,811
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$5,150
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$219

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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 (July 20)

Groups

442	Adult Bible Fellowship
85	Mount Vernon Students
182	Mount Vernon Kids

Worship

616	9am Contemporary Worship
517	10:30am Traditional Worship

1,133	TOTAL Worship
1,400	TOTAL On Campus Impact (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

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

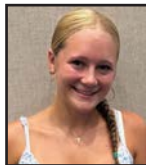
New Members (July 20)



Irene Howe
Statement of Faith



Harper Manton
Baptism



Cheyenne Nuckols
Baptism



Fenya Santoso
Baptism

Prayers From This Past Week (July 18-24)

Mike DeMoss
Peggy Fleming
Sharon Miles
Radford & Pat Moneymaker
Beverly Rudd

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

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

Psalms
GETTING HONEST WITH GOD

Midweek Study • Wednesday, July 30
Fully Known, Deeply Loved • Psalm 139
Rev. Jeff Randolph • Associate Pastor for Students

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.

August 17

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

July 27- August 2, 2025

mountvernon.church/events

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

Sunday, July 27

8a	Bus Ministry
	Deacon-led Prayer • E210
9a	Contemporary Worship
	Sunday School - children & adults
10:30a	Traditional Worship
	Sunday School - all ages
12p	7 Churches/Greek Isles Cruise Info Mtg • Fellowship Hall
2p	Worship PC Mtg • E206

3:45p	Student Worship Arts • E213/218/220
6p	Student CAF & Small Groups • E213

Monday, July 28

7p	College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213
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Tuesday, July 29

3:30p	Mount Vernon on Mission Prayer • M106
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Wednesday, July 30

8:45a	Christian Yoga • E213
5p	Food Pantry Packing • M114
6:30p	PreJAM • 21
	SummerJAM • 24
	Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary
	Student Discipleship Groups • E213
	Men's Summer Study • E204

Thursday, July 31

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

Friday, August 1

7:45a	Feeding the Hungry • M118
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Saturday, August 2

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

FEATURED EVENTS



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MISSIONS Saturday Saturday, August 2

OFFSITE



INTERNATIONAL
MISSION BOARD

1pm-3pm

Participants: Open to MVBC
members & attenders with
a special invitation to families

A Prayer Walk & tour at the ILC (Inter. Learning
Center) where we'll cover the campus in prayer for
Field Personnel Orientation. We'll also deliver
welcome bags prepared by our SummerJAM kids.

Register Online: mountvernon.church/missions

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.

LOSS OF A SPOUSE

Grieving the death
of a spouse?
Or do you know
someone who is?
Help is here
& hope is possible.

Sunday, August 24
11:45am-2pm

FREE Seminar & Lunch

Register Online

mountvernon.church/griefshare



STUDENT SUMMER

mountvernon.church/students



CAF Southern Summer Nights

Sunday, July 27 • 6pm • E213

Wacky Wednesday Laser Tag & Dinner

Wednesday, August 6 • 3pm • \$10

Register: mountvernon.church/students

Awana Clubs

A fun-filled, Bible-based
discipleship program for kids.

Sundays, August 31-May 17

5:45pm-7:30pm

Ages 3 years old-5th grade

Cost: \$25

Register Online

mountvernon.church/kids



Discover Mount Vernon

Been attending & want to know more about MVBC?

Recently joined MVBC?

Been a church member for years?

What does it mean to be a member of MVBC?

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

Meet church staff, learn about the programming
we offer, ask questions and find a place

to plug in here at Mount Vernon.

Sundays • 10:30am • Fellowship Hall
August 24, 31, September 7, & 14

Sign Up Online mountvernon.church/discover

JAM

Jesus • Arts • Music

Register Online

mountvernon.church/kids

KidJAM



Current 1st-5th Grade

Wed. • 6:15pm-7:30pm

August-May

2 Sessions & 2 Tracks

Session 1: Aug 20-Dec 17

Session 2: Jan 7-May 27

Performing Arts Track

- Production-based.
- Present 2 musicals during the year.
- Sing during worship throughout the year.
- Participate in other art modalities.
- Commit to 75% of Wed. night rehearsals & additional practices.

Art & Missions Track

- Activity-based.
- Enjoy art & have a passion for mission.
- Prefer not to be on stage
- Complete art & missions projects
- Do not appear on stage nor sing during worship services.

PreJAM

age 4-K; all year

Wed • 6:30pm-7:30pm

A fun, music
& missions program.

Connect
Grow
Serve

Ministry Fair

Sunday, August 24
Worship Center Lobby

mountvernon.church

GriefShare®

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

September 7
-November 16
2pm-3:30pm

13-week grief support group.

You can join at any time!

Register Online

mountvernon.church/griefshare



Primetimers Senior Adults Program & Luncheon

Thursday, August 7
11am • Fellowship Hall

Donald Cole

will present a blend of Southern gospel
& "songs from the past".



Program Theme:

Hawaiian so wear your
Hawaiian attire (optional).

No reservation required
mountvernon.church/seniors

MEN'S MINISTRY MEN'S STEAK NIGHT

Sunday, August 24 • 6pm

Ticket: \$15

Purchase Tickets Online

mountvernon.church/men

Order Tickets by Sunday, August 17



Guest Speaker: Dr. Brian Autry

Executive Director of the SBC of Virginia

mountvernon.church/events

[mountvernonva](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC...)





Living in the Light 1 John 1:5-7

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

worship

July 27, 2025

9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Praise

Your Name Is Holy

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Abide

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Living in the Light • 1 John 1:5-7

Invitation

Same God

Benediction

10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Heaven Came Down

Heavenly Sunlight

Responsive Reading

Shine Jesus Shine

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Amazing Grace, Amazing Love

Vocals: Laura Cox & Caren Cummings; Piano: Kim Gilbert

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Living in the Light • 1 John 1:5-7

Invitation

Nothing But The Blood

Benediction

Let's connect!

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