connectingpoint **August 17, 2025**

Sunday Worship Services 9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional

mountvernon.church • MVBC app • Facebook • YouTube 11:30am Broadcast CW Richmond • mountvernon.church/tv



DiscoverMount Vernon

Join us to learn more about Mount Vernon. Whether you're new or just visiting, this is the class for you!

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

Register online • mountvernon.church/discover

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Ministry Fair Sunday, August 24 **Worship Center Lobby**

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Today We Welcome

Dr. Donald F. Rusion

Join us in person or online!



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Online Giving mountvernon.church/give Text "Give" to (833) 921-6485

Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/25-6/30/26 As of August 10, 2025

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,750,000
YTD Budgeted	\$548,076
YTD Receipts	\$516,332
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$91,346
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$79,401
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(31,744)
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$310,947
YTD Budgeted	\$22,866
YTD Receipts	\$22,144
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$3,811
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$2,224
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(722)

Ministerial Staff Email

Dr. Josh Franklin ifranklin@mountvernon.church Senior Pastor

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Adult Bible

Fellowsnip
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 (August 10)

Groups

411 Adult Bible Fellowship 90

Mount Vernon Students 189 Mount Vernon Kids

Worship

581 9am Contemporary Worship

450 10:30am Traditional Worship

1,031	TOTAL Worship
1,310	TOTAL On Campus Impact (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

454 TOTAL Online Impact

2,900 Average Weekly Television Audience homes

Sympathy

Family of Barbara Beasley (Sister of Susie Crenshaw)

Prayers From This Past Week (August 8-14)

Josie Ledford (daughter of Phillip & Mae) Betty Perry (friend of Jean Waters)

Reid Powers (grandson of Larry & Brenda Powers)

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

Wednesdau **Fellowship Dinners**

Wednesday, August 20 • 5:30pm-6:30pm

Salad, Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Squash Casserole, Country Style Green Beans, Rolls/Butter, Dessert

Gluten Free - Salad, Baked Chicken, Macaroni & Cheese, Squash Casserole, Country Style Green Beans, Dessert Children's - Chicken Nuggets, Macaroni & Cheese, 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 • 12pm mountvernon.church/dinner or (804) 270-6600

Gifts in Memory & Honor

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

Deacon-led

Sundays 8am-8:30am • E210

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

MOUNT VERNON MISSION Wednesdays 4pm-5pm • M106

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

Partnership with the



Cultural Worship Experience Sunday, September 14 • 6pm-7pm

You are invited to immerse yourself in a special Cultural Worship Experience with the IMB trainees. Worship looks different around the world, and this evening will provide a glimpse into how believers from other cultures express their devotion to God in ways that reflect their unique backgrounds. Come ready to participate & learn in a setting that mirrors real-life worship overseas! This is a chance for you to step out of the familiar and embrace new worship perspectives.

RSVP Online • mountvernon.church/missions

Note: Deadline to signup is Sept 10. For MV members & regular attendees. Women: Please bring a scarf to cover your heads. Location: International Learning Center (ILC) 16492 MLC Lane Rockville, VA 23146

New Missionaries Commissioning

Thursday, September 18 • 2pm-3:30pm

This time is a powerful send off as Missionary Training participants are being deployed to the field for His glory! MVBC is invited to attend the Commissioning Service as IMB guests with the missionaries.

RSVP Online • mountvernon.church/missions

Deadline to signup is Sept 15. Location: International Learning Center (ILC) 16492 MLC Lane Rockville, VA 23146



Sign Up: mountvernon.church/resources

Staff Openings

FULL TIME Position Job Description & Apply Online

mountvernon.church/careers

Associate Pastor for Adult Ministries

alendar August 17-23, 2025 mountvernon.church/events Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm M-F Sunday, August 17

8a Bus Ministry Deacon-led Prayer • E210

Contemporary Worship Sunday School - children & adults 10:30a Traditional Worship

Sunday School - all ages 11:45a Women's Ministry Leadership Team Mtg

• M110

12p Kids 1st Grade Bible Ceremony & Luncheon • Fellowship Hall Panama Mission Trip Meeting • E206 Students Worship Arts • E213/218/220

Deacon PC Mtg • Lobby 4p

Deacon Mtg • Sanctuary 5р

Student Small Groups 6р

Student Worship Center

Monday, August 18

7:45a Feeding the Hungry • M118 9:30a Minister Meeting • E213

7p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

Tuesday, August 19

8a Women's Bible Study • E213

IMB FPO 25.3 Evangelism Training • M133

6:30p Finance & Property PC Mtg • E206

Wednesday, August 20

8:45a Christian Yoga • E213

9a CPR/First Aid/AED Training • 24

10a Women's Bible Study • E213 11am All Staff Meeting • E220

2:p IMB FPO 25.3 Evangelism Training • M133

Mount Vernon on Mission Prayer • M106 4p

Food Pantry Packing • M114 5р

5:30p Fellowship Dinner • Fellowship Hall

6:15p KidJAM • 24/26

6:30p Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary Student Discipleship Groups • E213 Men's Summer Study • E204 JAM & PreJAM - 21/22

Thursday, August 21

6p Orchestra Rehearsal

7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary

Friday, August 22

Saturday, August 23

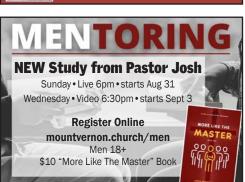
7:30am Men's Study • E210

10a Food Pantry Distribution • M114

4p Parents of Children Fellowship • Playground

FEATURED EVENTS





NEW WOMEN'S STUDIES

Sign Up • mountvernon.church/women



Hope for my Hurting Heart

by Linda Dillow Sun • 6pm • starts Sept 7 Books \$14 • E204 Led by Michelle Robertson



Titus

by Courtney Doctor & Hunter Beless Tues • 12pm & 2:15pm; starts Sept 2 Books \$22 • E210 Led by Caren Cummings



Wed • 10am • E213 • starts Aug 20 Wed • 6pm • M131/132 • starts Sept 3 Books \$20

Esther by Kelly Minter

10am Led by Dee Yarbrough & Kathy Parker 6pm Led by Angela Howerton



Ephesians, verse by verse

Thurs • 2pm • starts Sept 18 No Book Needed • M131/132 Led by Nancy Crutcher



Production Informational Meeting

Wednesday, August 20 • 7:30pm • Choir Room Learn important dates, times & audition info.

Production Dates

December 4 & 5 • 7pm & December 6 • 2pm.



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

Sundays, Aug 31-May 17 5:45pm-7:30pm Ages 3 years old-5th grade

Cost: \$25 **Register Online** mountvernon.church/kids













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 & Art & Missions Track Track Info Online • mountvernon.church/kids

PreJAM

age 4-K; all year Wed • 6:30pm-7:30pm A fun, music & missions program.





Saturday, Sept 20 & 27 • 10am-1pm • M131 Cost: \$5/person (supply list emailed after registering) Beginner Sewing Project: Baby Blankets that will go to East End Pregnancy Center **Online Registration Required** mountvernon.church/women



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LOSS OF A SPOUSE

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







USING QUESTIONS TO ANSWER CHRISTIANITY'S TOUGHEST CHALLENGES

Wednesdays, **Sept 17-Nov 19**

6:30pm-7:30pm E210 • Book \$15 Facilitator: Pastor Gary Robertson

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Encouragement for Believers 1 John 2:12-14

Dr. Don Runion • Pastor Emeritus

worship

August 17, 2025

9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Baptism Rev. Jeff Randolph

Everett Clay

Songs of Praise This Is Our God

Behold Our God

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Abide

Sermon Dr. Don Runion

Encouragement for Believers • 1 John 2:12-14

Invitation His Glory And My Good

Benediction

10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Baptism Rev. Jeff Randolph

Mark Potts • Patty Walls • Ernie Walls

Emily Preas • Harper Nunnally • Jaxson Strack

Emma Strack • Amelia Herrador

Songs of Praise Come Christians Join To Sing

How Firm A Foundation

Because He Lives

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Shepherd of My Heart

Annette Miller, solo • Beth Sullivan, piano

Sermon Dr. Don Runion

Encouragement for Believers • 1 John 2:12-14

Invitation Living For Jesus

Benediction





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