

a series through Joshua

COURAGEOUS Faith

ABF CONNECTION SUNDAY
TODAY during Morning Worship

ABF: Adult Bible Fellowship



Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/25-6/30/26
As of January 4, 2026

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,750,000
YTD Budgeted	\$2,397,058
YTD Receipts	\$2,521,591
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$140,944
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$152,301
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$124,533
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$310,947
YTD Budgeted	\$159,286
YTD Receipts	\$138,023
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$3,811
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$2,548
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(21,263)

Giving Statements will be emailed by Jan 31.
The email will come from pushpay.com
Questions? Contact dyarbrough@mountvernon.church

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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

January 11-17

mountvernon.church/events
Office Hours: 9am-4:30pm M-F

Sunday, January 11

- 8a Bus Ministry
- Deacon-led Prayer • E210
- 9a Contemporary Worship
- Sunday School - Children & Adults
- Discover Mount Vernon • Fellowship Hall
- 10:30a Traditional Worship
- Sunday School - all ages
- 12p Student PC Mtg • E213
- Missions PC Mtg • E211
- 2p Leadership Council • E210

Sunday Attendance (January 4)

Groups

494	Adult Bible Fellowship
109	Mount Vernon Students
192	Mount Vernon Kids

Worship

665	9am Contemporary Worship
521	10:30am Traditional Worship

1,186	TOTAL Worship
1,487	TOTAL On Campus Impact (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

436	TOTAL Online Impact
3,200	Average Weekly Television Audience homes

New Members (January 4)



Cindy & Clarence Gum
Transfer of Letter



Hank Harrington
Candidate Baptism

Sympathy

Family of Mary Penner (mother of Jeff Penner)

Prayers From This Past Week (January 2-8)

Don Evans
Helen Johnson
Cameron Smith (daughter of Shannon Baird)
Joanne Thomas
Elsie Turochy
Curtis Wigglesworth (relative of Joyce Browdy)

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.

COMMUNITY



Weekly Enews

Sign Up: mountvernon.church/resources

Gifts in Memory & Honor

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

Wednesday Fellowship Dinners

Wednesday, January 14 • 5:30pm-6:30pm

Salad, Italian Night: Lasagna, Baked Spaghetti, Fettucine Alfredo, Italian Green Beans, Rolls/Butter, Dessert

Gluten Free – GF version of above with GF Dessert

Children's – Mini Pizza, Macaroni & Cheese,
Fruit/Applesauce/Pudding 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

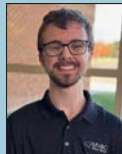
Welcome Our New Staff Members!



Bob McMichael
Facilities &
Grounds Assistant

Mount Vernon is excited to welcome
Bob McMichael,
Facilities & Grounds Assistant.

Bob brings 20+ years of experience
involving maintenance of facilities
& grounds. His experience includes
hotel, ski resort, and national park
maintenance.



Sam Scarlett
A/V Support
Technician

Mount Vernon is excited to welcome
Sam Scarlett,
A/V Support Technician.

Sam graduated from the University
of Lynchburg: Communications,
Electronic Media. He enjoys watching
movies, playing basketball and
hanging out with friends.

sscarlett@mountvernon.church

MOUNT VERNON MISSION Prayer

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

5:30p Fellowship Dinner • Fellowship Hall

6p Women's Bible Study • M131/132

6:15p KidJAM

6:30p Mid-Week Study • Sanctuary
Student Discipleship Groups • E213
MENToring • E204
PreJAM • 21/22

7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

Thursday, January 15

10a Primetimers Leadership Team Mtg • E204
5p Handbell Rehearsal • Rehearsal Room
6p Orchestra Rehearsal • Sanctuary
7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary

Saturday, January 17

7:30a Men's Study • E210
10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5

4:30p Student Choir Rehearsal • E215

5:45p Awana

6p Student Small Groups • E213

MENToring • Sanctuary
Women's Bible Study • E204

Monday, January 12

7p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

Tuesday, January 13

12p Chat n Chew • E210
2:15p Women of the Word • E210

Wednesday, January 14

8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
10a Women's Bible Study • E213
4p Mount Vernon on Mission Prayer • M106
5p Food Pantry Packing • M114

Discover Mount Vernon

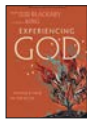
Join us to learn more about Mount Vernon.
Whether you're new or just visiting,
this is the class for you!

Sundays, January 4, 11, 18, & 25
9am • Fellowship Hall

Register online mountvernon.church/discover

NEW WOMEN'S STUDIES

Sign Up • mountvernon.church/women



Experiencing God by Henry Blackaby
Sundays • 6pm-7:30pm • started Jan 4
Books \$18 • E204
Led by Michelle Robertson



Colossians: Fullness of Life in Christ
by Lydia Brownback
Tuesdays • 12pm & 2:15pm • Jan 6-March 10
Books \$9 • E210
Led by Caren Cummings



Revelation by Jen Wilkin
Wednesdays • Jan 7-March 11
10am-12pm (E213) & 6pm-7:30pm (M131)
Books \$22
10am Led by Dee Yarbrough & Kathy Parker
6pm Led by Angela Howerton



The High Calling of the Christian,
1 Corinthians, verse by verse
Thursdays • 2pm • Jan 8-April 30
No Book Needed • M131/132
Led by Nancy Crutcher

Women's Workshops

Learn to...



Sourdough Bread Making Class

Thursday, January 29 • 6pm-9pm • M131

Cost: \$10 per person • Participants: 18+ women

Supply List Emailed After Registration

Register Online • mountvernon.church/women

TOGETHER

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering
Mount Vernon Goal \$175,000
GIVE ONLINE mountvernon.church/give
As of January 4 • \$147,461

MENTORING

NEW Study starts Jan 11 & 14

Sundays • Live 6pm
Wednesdays • Video 6:30pm

Register Online
mountvernon.church/men
Men 18+ • Book \$10



PRESCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN
REGISTRATION
2 years old - Kindergarten

Registration Opens:

- January 15 Current Students
- January 29 Former & New Students

As one of the ministries of MVBC, Mount Vernon Preschool serves the community by providing the best in preschool education and by witnessing how Jesus Christ can change lives. Our main purpose is to provide Christian care and to nurture your child cognitively, physically, spiritually, socially and emotionally.

Register Online mvbcpreschool.org
(804) 935-0162 • Director: Laura Cottrell

Mount Vernon STUDENTS

DNOW 2026

February 27-March 1

6th-12th Grade

\$40 per student

Register Online

mountvernon.church/students



GriefShare®

Receive valuable guidance & tips,
leading you to relief, comfort
& peace of mind.

Sundays, Feb 8-April 26; 2pm-4pm
Materials: \$20

Register Online
mountvernon.church/griefshare

January 18

BAPTISM SUNDAY

Take the next step in your faith journey

Interested in baptism? Contact
discipleship@mountvernon.church • 270-6600

Bible Reading Plans

Pick up at the Point desk or

Download Online: mountvernon.church/adults

Monthly Mission Resource

Mount Vernon on Mission Newsletter

Pick up the **JANUARY** edition
at the Mission Point or online
mountvernon.church/missions



MOUNT VERNON
MARRIAGE CONFERENCE

Protect & Strengthen
the Joy of Your Marriage
Refresh your connection.
Discover God's design—together.



with **Steve & Debbie Wilson**
Co-Owners of Marriage Matters Now Ministry

Saturday, March 14 • 9am-1:30pm

Tickets Online \$35/couple • \$20/individual
Includes Breakfast & Lunch Limited Childcare.

mountvernon.church/events

Women's Fellowship Café

Galentine's Gathering

Friday, February 6
6:30pm • Fellowship Hall

RSVP Online
mountvernon.church/women

PARENT & CHILD Dedications

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

Sunday, February 8

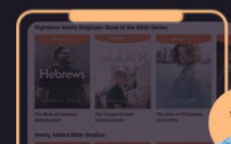
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a series through Joshua

COURAGEOUS faith

Moving Forward Joshua 1:1-18

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

worship

January 11, 2026

9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Battle Belongs

See A Victory

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Jesus Paid It All

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Moving Forward • Joshua 1:1-18

Invitation

All Sufficient Merit

Benediction

10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Onward Christian Soldiers

Lead On O King Eternal

Be Strong In The Lord

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Speak O Lord

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

Moving Forward • Joshua 1:1-18

Invitation

Wherever He Leads I'll Go

Benediction

Let's connect!

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