

**Sunday Worship Services**  
**9am Contemporary & 10:30am Traditional**  
mountvernon.church • MVBC app • Facebook • YouTube  
**11:30am Broadcast** CW Richmond • mountvernon.church/tv

# HE VEN'S HELP **For The Home**



**MEMORIAL DAY**  
★★★★ REMEMBER AND HONOR

**TODAY: Memorial Day Appreciation Display in Lobby**



**MEN'S **  
**BREAKFAST**

SATURDAY, MAY 30, 8:30AM  
FELLOWSHIP HALL

**How To Win The Morning**  
Speaker: Pastor Josh



FREE Event; Register Online  
mountvernon.church/men

## Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/25-6/30/26  
As of May 17, 2026

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,750,000
YTD Budgeted	\$4,202,114
YTD Receipts	\$4,485,217
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$75,659
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$90,232
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$283,103
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$310,947
YTD Budgeted	\$259,888
YTD Receipts	\$236,493
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$3,811
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$11,616
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(23,395)

### Ministerial Staff Email

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Minister for Special Needs to Children & Students

## Sunday Attendance (May 17)

### Groups

**490** Adult Bible Fellowship  
**80** Mount Vernon Students  
**242** Mount Vernon Kids

### Worship

**710** 9am Contemporary Worship  
**485** 10:30am Traditional Worship

<b>1,195</b>	<b>TOTAL Worship</b>
<b>1,517</b>	<b>TOTAL On Campus Impact</b> (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

**541** TOTAL Online Impact  
**3,200** Average Weekly Television Audience homes

## New Members (May 17)



Michael & Krista Slagle  
Letter of Transfer

## Sympathy

Family of Eddie Collins (husband of Nancy Collins)

## Prayers From This Past Week (May 15-21)

Jean & John Grubbs

Rafael Parodi (husband of Nini Parodi-Lugo)

Melissa Safritt

Joey Wright (brother-in-law of Carol Brooks)

## 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

## Staff Openings

Job Description Online: [mountvernon.church/careers](http://mountvernon.church/careers)

**Ministry Assistant for Student Ministry**

**Children's Ministry Summer Intern**



In honor of Memorial Day, a group of Veteran church members honored fellow Veterans buried in our Memorial Park by placing a U.S. flag at each headstone. Almost 200 flags were placed.

Take a moment to drive through the cemetery when you leave today to see this special tribute.

[mvmemorialparkcemetery.org](http://mvmemorialparkcemetery.org)

## MOUNT VERNON by MISSION Prayer

**Wednesdays**  
4pm-5pm • M106

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

## 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



**Mount Vernon Today**  
**Radio Broadcast**  
**10:30am**  
**Monday-Friday**  
Truth Richmond (VA)  
Greater Metro Richmond Area  
**Radio Stations:**  
**AM 590 • FM 97.7**

**Wednesday**  
**Fellowship Dinners**  
Dinner Returns Wednesday, August 24

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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)

## May 24-30

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

### Sunday, May 24

- 8a Bus Ministry
- Deacon-led Prayer • E210
- 9a Contemporary Worship
- Sunday School - Children & Adults
- 10:30a Traditional Worship
- Sunday School - All Ages
- 2p Worship PC Mtg • E211

### Monday, May 25

**Church Buildings Closed**

### Tuesday, May 26

- 10a Young at Heart Choir Rehearsal • M116

### Wednesday, May 27

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 10a Women's Study • E213
- 5p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6:15p KidJAM
- 6:30p Midweek Study • Sanctuary
- PreJAM • 21/22
- KampJAM Drama Auditions • M111/112/116
- Student Discipleship Groups • E213
- 7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

### Thursday, May 28

- 10a Young at Heart Community Outing • M116
- 6:15p CWT Vocal Rehearsal • Choir Room
- 7p CWT Rehearsal • Sanctuary

### Friday, May 29

### Saturday, May 30

- 7:30a Men's Study • E210
- 8:30a Men's Breakfast • Fellowship Hall
- 10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5

calendar

# summer JAM

completed 1st-5th Grade Jesus • Arts • Music

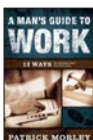
The fun & fellowship continues this summer!  
Bible study, missions, art, games & more!  
Parents of PreJAM kids, our PreJAM registration will rollover into the summer.

Wednesdays, June 3-August 19  
6:30pm-7:30pm

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

## NEW MEN'S STUDY

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



**A Man's Guide to Work** by Patrick Morley  
Wednesdays • 6:30pm  
June 3-August 19 • E204  
Participants purchase their own books


## church business Mtg

Wednesday, June 24  
6:30 p.m. • Sanctuary  
No Midweek Study or Livestream

**Budget & Nominating Committee Review and Approval**  
Proposed Budget Handouts (2026-27 Fiscal Year) will be available onsite at the Point June 17.

## NEW WOMEN'S STUDY

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




**1 John, verse by verse**  
Wednesdays • 10am • June 10-July 15  
No Book Needed • M131/132  
Led by Nancy Crutcher

## A Free Gift from Our Church

Free Access to 25,000+ Bible Study Videos—  
Anytime, Anywhere, from Any Device

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



*What is the Church?* Derwin Gray  
*The Book of 2 Corinthians* Rich Vilodas  
*The Good Shepherd* Heather Thompson Day

## Primitimers Program & Luncheon

Thursday, June 4  
11am • Fellowship Hall



### The Liberty Dolls

These sisters will serenade you with their 40's, 50's, & 60's tunes

No reservation required.  
A new travel opportunity will be introduced.  
[mountvernon.church/seniors](http://mountvernon.church/seniors)

## June 21



### BAPTISM SUNDAY

Take the next step in your faith journey  
**Interested in baptism?** Contact  
[discipleship@mountvernon.church](mailto:discipleship@mountvernon.church) • 270-6600



### Monthly Mission Resource

**Mount Vernon on Mission Newsletter**  
Pick up the **May** edition at the Mission Point or online  
[mountvernon.church/missions](http://mountvernon.church/missions)

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

## Music & Arts Camp KAMP JAM

Monday-Friday, June 22-26 • 9am-12:15pm  
Final Production: Friday, June 26 • 6:30pm  
A fun week of music & arts immersion. Campers learn a musical in a week and perform it on Friday night.  
2 Tracks: Performing Arts or Fine Arts

**CAMPER REGISTRATION CLOSED**

**Volunteers Needed**  
Sign Up Online [mountvernon.church/kids](http://mountvernon.church/kids)



## Walking With God Through THE PSALMS

Midweek Series • Wednesdays • 6:30pm



## VBS 2026

Monday-Friday, July 20-24  
9am-12pm

Ages: 5 years old-completed 6th grade (as of 7/20/26)

**Participants & Volunteers**  
Register Online [mountvernon.church/kids](http://mountvernon.church/kids)

Registration is limited! Space currently available for: completed 5th grade, completed 6th grade only.

COMPASSION LIVE presents the

# HOPE OF HEAVEN

ON SALE NOW!

## Tour

JENNIFER ROTHSCHILD  
with special guest: KELLY MINTER



Friday, October 16, 2026  
Glen Allen, VA (Richmond)

[HOPEOFHEAVENTOUR.COM](http://HOPEOFHEAVENTOUR.COM)

Compassion Lifeway FRESH GROUNDED FATHERS Palm Beach Atlantic University

Order Tickets Online • [mountvernon.church/women](http://mountvernon.church/women)  
Hosted by Mount Vernon Baptist Church



# HEAVEN'S HELP For The Home

## The Invisible War on the Home

Luke 11:14-26; Matthew 12:29; Mark 3:27

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

# worship

May 24, 2026

## 9am • Contemporary Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

*The King Is In The Room*

*Abide*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Meet Me At Arlington*

Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

The Invisible War on the Home

Luke 11:14-26; Matthew 12:29; Mark 3:27

Invitation

*He Will Keep You (Psalm 121)*

Benediction

## 10:30am • Traditional Service

Welcome

Songs of Praise

*Rejoice The Lord Is King*

*Jesus Shall Reign*

*I'd Rather Have Jesus*

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

*Meet Me At Arlington*

Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

The Invisible War on the Home

Luke 11:14-26; Matthew 12:29; Mark 3:27

Invitation

*Abide With Me*

Benediction

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