

MOUNT VERNON WORSHIP ARTS PRESENTS



Let Freedom Ring

CELEBRATING 250 YEARS
OF OUR NATION



Tithes & Offerings

for the Fiscal Year • 7/1/25-6/30/26

As of June 28, 2026

Annual Tithes & Offerings Budget	\$4,750,000
YTD Budgeted	\$4,750,000
YTD Receipts	\$5,069,630
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$131,660
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$99,824
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$319,630
Annual Building Fund Budget	\$310,947
YTD Budgeted	\$310,947
YTD Receipts	\$277,914
Weekly Receipts - Budgeted	\$32,004
Actual Receipts - Last Week	\$4,342
YTD Over (Shortfall)	\$(33,033)

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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

July 5-11

mountvernon.church/events

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

Sunday, July 5

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

Monday, July 6

- 7p College/Young Adult Bible Study • E213

Tuesday, July 7

- 10:30a Young at Heart Community Outing • M116
- 3:30p Mount Vernon on Mission Prayer • M106

Wednesday, July 8

- 8:45a Christian Yoga • E213
- 10a Women's Study • M131/132

COMMUNITY

Sunday Attendance (June 28)

Groups

- 497 Adult Bible Fellowship
- 86 Mount Vernon Students
- 217 Mount Vernon Kids

Worship

- 676 9am Contemporary Worship
- 537 10:30am Traditional Worship

1,213	TOTAL Worship
1,516	TOTAL On Campus Impact (includes Worship, MV Kids & MV Students)

- 591 TOTAL Online Impact
- 3,500 Average Weekly Television Audience homes

New Members (June 21)



Madelyn Randolph
Candidate for Baptism

Sympathy

Family of Jean Wyndham (mother of Cindy McKay)

Prayers for this Week (June 26-July 2)

Bob Boteler
Brittany Burns
Fran Chancellor
Kim Eskridge
Cecilia Hall
Margaret Moody (sister of Maxine Williams)
Terry Stalls (brother of Ken Stalls)

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

Dinner Returns Wednesday, August 26

- 3p Wacky Wednesday
• Student Worship Center/Fellowship Hall
- 5p Food Pantry Packing • M114
- 6:30p Midweek Study • Sanctuary
- PreJAM • 21/22
- SummerJAM • 24
- Student Discipleship Groups • E213
- Men's Study • E204
- 7:30p Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal • Choir Room

Thursday, July 9

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

Friday, July 10

- 7:45a Feeding the Hungry • M118

Saturday, July 11

- Saints Prison Ministry Softball Game
- 7:30a Men's Study • E210
- 9a Communion Preparation
- 10a Food Pantry Distribution • Door 5

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Gifts in Memory & Honor • June 2026

All gifts are credited to the building fund unless otherwise noted.

In Memory of Michael "Rick" Anderson

Mary Good

In Memory of Beverly Bollman

David & Debbie Stosch (Bereavement)

In Memory of Glynn Castle

Stephanie Castle (Musical Gifts)



Weekly Enews

Sign Up: mountvernon.church/resources

*Rising First Graders, are you excited
to explore God's word?*

You & your family are invited to:



Sunday, August 23

12pm-1:30pm • Fellowship Hall

Sign Up Online by Sunday, August 9
mountvernon.church/kids

Each participating first grader will be gifted a Bible,
and each family is invited to enjoy lunch
& fellowship following the ceremony.

Christmas Production Auditions

We're thrilled to begin preparations for our upcoming
Christmas production, **The Gift of Jesus** (Dec 10-12).

The Gift of Jesus is an all-new, original production
featuring stirring music, elaborate staging, costumes &
lighting, live animals, & the timeless story of the Nativity.
Journey back to first-century Israel and experience
the people, prophecies, & events that prepared
the way for the birth of Jesus Christ.

Audition Dates	Sunday, July 12 4pm • Choir Room Lead Roles	Sunday, July 19 • Choir Room 4pm • Ensemble Solos 5pm • Smaller Speaking Roles
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Interested in being part of the chorus but not
auditioning for a speaking role? Fill out the
Chorus Form online: mountvernon.church/worshiparts
We'd love for you to be part of this production!

NEW SERMON PODCAST



Listen anywhere...

Apple Podcasts

YouTube

Spotify

amazon music

mountvernon.church/podcast

MOUNT VERNON MISSION Prayer

**Tuesdays
3:30pm-4:30pm • M106**

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

FEATURED EVENTS

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REFLECTIONS ON SEVEN CHURCHES OF REVELATION & GREEK ISLES CRUISE

with Dr. Josh Franklin
& Rev. Jeff Randolph



Wednesday, July 29 • 6:30pm • Sanctuary

Followed by Interest Meeting for:

JOURNEY TO THE HOLY LAND

with Dr. Josh Franklin



MARCH 29-APRIL 7, 2027

Join Pastor Josh on this unforgettable 10-day trip to Israel! Walk in the footsteps of Jesus and discover the Bible in new & exciting ways!
signaturetours.com/JFranklin27

Discover Mount Vernon

- Been attending & want to know more about MVBC?
- Recently joined MVBC?
- Been a church member for years?
- Or just wondered 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.

**Sundays • 3 Week Session: July 12, 19 & 26
9am • Fellowship Hall**

Register online
mountvernon.church/discover

MEN'S STEAK NIGHT

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 30
6PM-7:30PM**



Speaker: Dr. Randall Hahn
Senior Pastor,
Heights Baptist Church (Chesterfield)

Order \$15 Tickets: mountvernon.church/men
Order Tickets by Sunday, August 23

COMPASSION LIVE presents the

HOPE OF HEAVEN Tour

**ON SALE
NOW!**

**JENNIFER
ROTHSCHILD**

with special guest:
**KELLY
MINTER**

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

HOPEOFHEAVENTOUR.COM

Compassion Lifeway



Order Tickets: mountvernon.church/women
Hosted by Mount Vernon Baptist Church

School Supply Collection

for



Supplies Needed:

**Pick an item(s) from the Bus
Display in the Lobby to donate.**

Drop off supplies at the bus display
by Sunday, August 2

mountvernon.church/missions



MISSIONS opportunity



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CHOIR

Soprano:

Debora Beaubrun
Judy Britt
Carol Brooks
Joyce Browdy
Shirley Cheek
Laura Cox
Caren Cummings
Joy Delovieres-Crabtree
Kelley Gordon
Cassandra Gregory
Victoria Jimison
Marie Joseph
Jane Narro
Carol Norman
Emma Phifer
Gayle Sharpe
Deborah Williams

Alto:

Loretta Burton
Ginny Crenshaw
Joanne Davis
Patsy Drumheller
Shirley Holmes
Chrystal Jones
Sonja Kees
Faith King
Julie Lantz
Libby McCluan
Dare Nicholas
Ariane Raines
Mary Randolph
Barbara Roberts
Joanne Thomas

Bass:

Stephen Cook
Jeff Crenshaw
Dave Cummings
Lewis Daniel
Randy Davis
Dwight Gordon
John Jimison
Ken Proffitt

Tenor:

John Austin
Stephen Baker
Brysen Bowers
Jackson Furr

ORCHESTRA

Piano

Beth Sullivan

Flute

Mandy Renfro

Heidi Thurmond

Barbara Wiltshire

Clarinet

Kim Gilbert

Oboe

Jane Kiser

Alto Sax

Ronald Jones

Trumpet

Tim Brown

Matt Bruins

Trombone

Vincent Guzman

Rod Murchie

French Horn

Amanda Burton

Violin

Geunyoung Chung

Treesa Gold

Jinsee Hernandez

Ben Luger

David Stenberg

Viola

Kimberly Ryan

Cello

Claire Adams

Micah Kim

Percussion

Lee Sykes

Narrator: Randy Davis

Director: Dr. John Sullivan

VBS **Registration is FULL!**
Volunteer Sign Up FULL!
**Monday-Friday, July 20-24
9am-12pm**
VBS Prayer Calendar
mountvernon.church/kids

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

**Deacon-led
Prayer**
**Sundays
8am-8:30am • E210**
Praying that the Lord would bless and be glorified during Sunday morning activities. Everyone is welcome.



Let Freedom Ring

Galatians 5:1-6

Dr. Josh Franklin • Senior Pastor

worship

July 5, 2026

9am & 10:30am • Service

Welcome

Offertory Prayer

Dr. Josh Franklin

Let Freedom Ring Presentation

Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra

Let Freedom Ring Medley

The Star Spangled Banner
Soloist: Caren Cummings

America, the Beautiful with Freedom's Song
Soloist: Emma Phiher

Armed Forces Medley

Battle Hymn of the Republic

God Bless the USA
Soloist: Dr. John Sullivan
Conductor: Jeff Crenshaw

Sermon

Dr. Josh Franklin

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Invitation

In Christ Alone (With The Solid Rock)/Medley

Benediction

Let's connect!

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