

MOUNT VERNON *on* MISSION

You'll be my witnesses...

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This month, we celebrate the many ways God is at work through the people of Mount Vernon. As our Brazil Mission Team prepares to serve and members answer God's call around the world, we also have the opportunity to impact lives here at home through our Elijah House Academy School Supply Collection. Thank you for faithfully praying, giving, and serving as we make Christ known-both here and to the ends of the earth.

MISSION *Emphasis*

School Supply Collection



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

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MISSIONS opportunity

Help us bless the students & teachers of Elijah House Academy as they prepare for a new school year! Throughout July, we'll be collecting much-needed school supplies, including backpacks, pens, pencils, tissue boxes, hand sanitizer, pizza gift cards, & other classroom essentials. Stop by the school bus display in the lobby, choose a supply card from the bus, purchase that item, and return it to help fill our pop-up school bus with donations. Every item is a tangible way to encourage students, support teachers, and share the love of Christ through practical acts of kindness.

Thank you for helping us make a difference - one school supply at a time!

MISSION *Reflections*



Brazil Mission Team • July 31-August 9

Please be in prayer for our Mount Vernon Mission Team traveling to serve in Porto Alegre, Brazil.

10 MVBC members will be working with an IMB missionary & First Baptist Church of Sapucaia do Sul to help start a new church in the Fortuna Neighborhood. They will be visiting homes & schools to share their testimony & the gospel. Please pray for spiritual & logistical preparations for the team.

MISSION *Partner Spotlight*



Sewing Ministry

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Come sew with us!

If you are 18 years old & older, a basic knowledge of sewing, own a sewing machine in good working order, we would LOVE to have you come join us!

First Saturday each month • 10am-2pm • M131

Most items we create are donated. We supply our MVBC expectant moms with a baby quilt, donate baby quilts to East End Pregnancy Center, lap quilts for MVBC shut-ins, make numerous items for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes, pot holders & lots more.

Interested in this ministry?

Check out mountvernon.church/women

MISSIONARY *of the Month*

Members on Mission • Summer 2026

This summer, several Mount Vernon members are answering God's call to serve "to the ends of the earth", sharing the hope of Christ through evangelism, discipleship, relationship-building and compassionate service.

As you see the names of those serving this summer, we invite you to intentionally pray for each one. Pray that God would open doors for meaningful gospel conversations, provide safety and good health throughout their travels, strengthen and encourage them each day, and produce lasting spiritual fruit through their ministry. May the Holy Spirit work powerfully through their willingness to go, and may lives be transformed for the glory of God. As a church family, let's faithfully support them through prayer while they serve as Christ's witnesses among the nations.

Kendan Hopkins- Thailand • Lisa Brown- Kazakhstan
Leslie Van den Berg-Thailand • Mark Davis-Asian Pacific
Micah Kim-Colombia • Tim Brown-Kazakhstan

"How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"- Romans 10:15

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Prayer

Porto Alegre Brazil Mission Team
July 31-August 9
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Tuesdays • 3:30PM-4:30PM • M106
Praying for missions & ministries of the church.
Everyone is welcome.



Activities Calendar

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Every Month

- Food Pantry
 - Every Saturday 10am-11am
- Feeding the Hungry
 - 1st & 2nd Friday and 3rd Monday

July

- 11 Virginia Saints Softball Prison Ministry – Petersburg
- 20-24 Vacation Bible School

August

- 31-9 Mission Trip – Porto Alegre, Brazil
- 15 Virginia Saints Softball Prison Ministry – Nottoway
- 26,27, & 29 IMB New Missionary Evangelism
- 23 Global Hunger Relief Day

September

- 6-20 Virginia Missions Offering
- 12 Virginia Saints Softball Prison Ministry – Deerfield
- 25-27 Virginia Saints Softball Prison Ministry – West Virginia Crusade – Beckley

October

- 10 Fall Festival
- 24 Mission Saturday

November

- 1 Day of Prayer for Persecuted Church
- 8 Diwali Prayer Emphasis
- TBD IMB New Missionary Evangelism
- 14 International Gathering

December

- Nov 29-6 Week of Prayer for IMB Missions
- Nov 29-Jan 10 IMB Lottie Moon Christmas Offering Emphasis
- TBD Charlotte OCC Warehouse Trip
- TBD Baltimore OCC Warehouse Trip