ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ♦ Youth Committee Planning Meeting- January 9th at 2:00 PM. Parents are welcome to attend the meeting as we plan for the upcoming year!
- ♦ Mark your calendars for January 15th at 6 pm when Tonya Rose (a ENC native traveling from Nashville TN for a visit) will be at Mt. Pleasant to share her music. We are excited to have Tonja join us and we encourage everyone to make plans to be here & invite friends/family for a great night of Christian entertainment....for more info, check out our post on Mt. Pleasant's Facebook page.
- Our next Contemporary Worship Service will be Sunday, January 16th. Please join us & invite friends/family
- **♦** Art of Parenting Bible Study: The Bible Study will take place Tuesday evenings beginning on January 11th and ending on February 15th. Dinner will be provided at 5:30 pm and the study will begin at 6:15 pm. Childcare will be provided in the youth hall each week. If you didn't participate last time but would like to join this time, please join us! We will review our previous sessions for the first two weeks of our study. The study is perfect for parents, expecting parent, or those that desire to be parents in the future. There is a sign-up sheet in the fover for the study, for providing dinner and for childcare each week!
- Annual Congregational Meeting will be January 26th * at 7:00 pm. Please have all committee reports to Debra Staton by 1/14/22 to be able to include with the materials required to be put out prior to the meeting for review.

Special Announcement*

Starting January 3rd, the bridge near the church will be closed until September 2022. So be prepared to come to church using an alternate route.

SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School & Worship Services - Nursery

Wendy Stancill & Allison Swart 01/09 01/16 Allison Swart & Sherry Stancill

Communion Table Jan: A.J. Stancill & Tom LaBarbera Feb : Greg Spain & Dan Black

Preparing Communion Jan: Becky Ormond Feb: Need Volunteer

Unlock & Secure the Building

Jan: Buddy Teel

Feb: Bill Staton

Home Communion Jan: Johnny Pinner (714-4695) Feb: Dan Black (258-0897)

Opening **Prayer Request** 01/16 Greg Spain 01/16 Dan Black

Communion Med 01/16 Johnny Pinner 01/23 Jamie Swart 01/23 Johnny Pinner 01/23 Tom LaBarbera

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MT. PLEASANT CHRISTIAN CHURCH



UPCOMING AT MPCC

SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Service 4:00 PM Choir Practice (11/21) 5:00 PM Youth Play Practice 6:30 PM Evening Worship

Tonja Rose "Me, Jesus & The Highway" January 15th 6:00 PM

MONDAY

7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting (2nd Monday of each month)

Contemporary Worship Service January 16th 10:30 AM

TUESDAY

10:00 AM Bible Study 5:15 PM Youth Play Practice 7:00 PM Young Ladies Bible Study

Annual Congregational Meeting January 26th 7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY 7:00 PM Bible Study 6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship "Praise The Name of Jesus! Praise The Son Of God!"

WELCOME Johnny Pinne				
PRAISE & WORSHIP				
"O Worship The King" "How Majestic Is Your Name" "Grateful"	(v 1 & 2) (2x)	60 Screen Screen		
Communion Meditation	John	Ormond		
Communion Music				

Communion (if you wish to partake of the Lord's Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)					
Please place your offering in plates as you exit after the service					
Prayer Requests		Eugene Hyde	e		
Musical Offering	"We Will Remember	r" Choi	ir		
Morning Message John Or		John Ormono	b		
"Not All Subtraction Is Blessed" John 14:12-14					
*Hymn of Decision					
"Take My Life, Lead Me Lord" Sci		Screer	า		

*Closing Prayer

*Closing Hymn

"O Come Let Us Adore Him" (v 3) (tune of "O Come All Ye Faithful")

Screen

Choir

Screen

Depart to Serve

"What A Beautiful Name"

* Please Stand

SERMON OUTLINE

Sermon: Not All Subtraction Is Blessed

Text: John 14: 12 - 14

Thesis: Don't Subtract The Miracles.

I. Without The Miracles, We Have A Jesus Who's Kind And Compassionate, But Has No Power.

A. The kindness and compassion of Jesus is important.

B. There was great power within Jesus.

II. Without The Miracles We Can Follow Jesus' Teachings And Never Experience His Work.

A. Jesus was amazing teacher.

B. His miracles identified Him as the One promised.

III. Without The Miracles We Fall Short Of The Standard And Miss The Point Entirely.

A. The miracles were setting a standard.

B. I want to see greater things done.

Conclusion: Not all subtraction is blessed. Removing the miracle of Jesus and the Father from life is not a blessed thing. It did not increase the faith of Thomas Jefferson and neither will it for anyone else. We need a Jesus at full strength. We need the power of God at work in our world. Let's not be ashamed of the gospel, nor all its power. Let's believe and look for the "greater things."

Sermon Notes+				
Nate: Speaker: Message Itle: Passage:	Notes:			
Main Points: 1. 2. 3. 4. 5.				
Verses Used:				

PRAYER CONCERNS

- 1 Family of Alex Clukey
- 2 Family of Harry Thomas Phelps
- 3 Rickey Sexton recovering from back surgery; blood pressure issues
- 4 Aden Duncan ongoing health issues
- 5 Greg Spain Covid
- 6 Edna Webb recovering from hip replacement
- 7 Eli Cooke doing well but returning to Duke in a few months for another heart procedure
- 8 Amy Taylor stage 4 cancer
- 9 Myrtle Teel mobility issues
- 10 Sandra Brown in Vidant health concerns
- 11 Aaron Warnick chemo treatments
- 12 Debra Staton kidney stone removal moved to 1/11
- 13 Betty Kinney lung issues
- 14 David Giles leukemia
- 15 Dewey Woolard starting 10 radiation treatments
- 16 Kim Wallace follow up at Duke recovering well
- 17 Mary LaBarbera follow up at Duke 1/26; eye surgery 2/03
- 18 Dean Everett cancer
- 19 Grace Bronson out of ICU; slowly improving as she waits for bone marrow transplant
- 20 Michael Wood recovering from heart surgery
- 21 Becky Piner chemo for throat cancer
- 22 Mary Lou McLawhorn moved back to Lodge Rehab Center
- 23 Sherry Maurice released from hospital
- 24 Ty Woolard tests in 6 months
- 25 Sylvia Gentile in Cancer Center
- 26 Toni Mayfield surgery delivered baby at 28 wks
- 27 Dan Breeding injuries from car accident
- 28 Mike Hoyst home under hospice care
- 29 Peggy Hoyst Parkinsons
- 30 Maria Garcia needs lung & possible kidney transplant
 - covid complications @ home on oxygen

PRAYER CONCERNS cont'd

- 31 Judy Johnson back issues better; cyst on eye
- 32 Ellis Powell mass in intestines treating w/chemo so they can operate battling stage 4 ovarian cancer
- 33 Ann Carraway 3 more immunotherapy treatments
- 34 Graham Tunstall lung cancer
- 35 Joseph Fowler awaiting defibulator
- 36 Doris Kastanek breast cancer
- 37 Dennis Kleen internal bleeding
- 38 Brandy Edward Duke scan not good, new meds
- 39 Tim Miles liver cancer
- 40 Elaine O'Neal Parkinson's Disease
- 41 David Matthews pancreatic cancer; surgery then will plan therapy
- 42 Sheila Monroe Duke for a month
- 43 Sahana Chapman shoulder surgery recovery
- 44 Tom Dainty continues infusions & chemo; tolerance is good; very tired
- 45 Mary Peaks continuing chemo treatments
- 46 Student of Trudy Garris bone demineralization
- 47 Tony Redemdi pancreatic cancer surgery
- 48 Doug Griffin- bone cancer; another round of chemo
- 49 Kourtney Stallings
- 50 Lisa Manning bone cancer

(LOVE & SUPPORT	·
Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Andy McKinney	Dawn Johnson
Connie Herring	Sarah Glasgow	Glynn Bright
Savanna Grace Bailey	Tina Nobles	LB Garris
Louise Cowell	Charles Cowell	Jean Gurkin
Unspoken Request	Lucille Mayo	

On-Going Prayers For

Our Church Leaders Our Music Ministry Our Church Family Our Country

Our Youth Ministry Our Military Forces