

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ❖ **With Homecoming only 1 week away**, sign-up sheets have been placed in the main foyer of the sanctuary as well as on the educational wing bulletin board denoting jobs that need to be done in order to have our building & grounds in top shape for **October 1st**. Please take time to sign up for one of the tasks. A special thank you to everyone for helping us with the cleaning & beautification of our building for Homecoming.
- ❖ A covered dish lunch will be served immediately following the morning worship service next Sunday, **October 1st for HOMECOMING**. Each family is asked to bring a main entrée, vegetable, dessert and tea/lemonade for their family, plus an additional person that may be visiting. Be sure to invite your family and friends for this wonderful time of fellowship.
- ❖ We will have a **ladies' paint night on Thursday, November 16th from 6 to 8 PM**. We will paint Christmas themed designs, & the cost is \$25 per person. The event is for ladies of all ages. Come enjoy a night of food, fellowship, & painting! To RSVP & to choose your design, please scan the QR code to complete the RSVP form or see Stephanie Mayo for help. You can pay via Venmo (Stephanie-Mayo-21) or cash or check to Stephanie Mayo.

### LADIES' PAINT NIGHT

NOVEMBER 16TH 6-8 PM  
\$25/PERSON



SCAN CODE

## SERVING SCHEDULES

### Sunday School & Worship Services - Nursery

9/24 Kristen Flynn & Anna Alvarez  
10/01 Tomora Woolard & Ty Woolard

### Communion Table

**Sept:** Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton  
**Oct:** A.J. Stancill & Tom LaBarbera

### Preparing Communion

**Sept:** Nancy Elks  
**Oct:** Mary/Tom LaBarbera

### Home Communion As Requested

### Unlock & Secure the Building

**Sept:** Bill Staton  
**Oct:** Dewayne Woolard

### Opening

10/01 A.J. Stancill  
10/08 Tom LaBarbera

### Prayer Request

10/01 Johnny Pinner  
10/08 Dan Black

### Communion Med

10/01 John Ormonda  
10/08 Jorge Bocanegra

## CONTACT US

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**Music Director/Pianist:** Jewell Whitehurst

**Organist:** Mary Coburn

**Sound System:** Dewayne Woolard, Mark Scott, David Tucker & Ian Garris

**Cancer Care Ministry:** [mtplesantcancercare@gmail.com](mailto:mtplesantcancercare@gmail.com)

**For updates for the bulletin,** contact Debra Staton at [statondp@embarqmail.com](mailto:statondp@embarqmail.com) or call/text 252-717-3297

**For announcement videos,** please call/text Stephanie Mayo at 919-427-1434 or contact Dewayne Woolard.



Welcome to  
**MT. PLEASANT  
CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
September 24, 2023

## UPCOMING AT MPCC

### SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School  
10:30 AM Worship Service  
5:00 PM Choir Practice  
6:30 PM Evening Worship

### MONDAY

7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month)

### TUESDAY

10:00 AM Bible Study  
7:00 PM Board Meeting  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month)

### WEDNESDAY

4:30-5:30pm 6<sup>th</sup> grade & up meet  
6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice  
7:00 PM Bible Study

### October 1<sup>st</sup> HOMECOMING

November 16<sup>th</sup> 6 to 8 pm  
Ladies' Paint Night

December 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Youth Christmas Play  
during morning worship

February 3, 2024  
GAP Meal Packing  
Project

## ORDER OF SERVICE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*"I Will Call Upon The Lord"* Choir/WL

**WELCOME** Brandon Jenkins

### PRAISE & WORSHIP

*"His Way With Thee"* (v 1 & 2) Screen

*"Who You Are To Me"* Screen

**Communion Meditation** A.J. Stancill

**Communion Music** *"My Tribute"* Screen

### 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** Jorge Bocanegra

**Musical Offering** *"Tabernacle"* Choir

**Morning Message** **2 Corinthians 10:3-5** John Ormond

## **"Take Captive Rogue Voices"**

### Hymn of Decision

*"Wherever He Leads, I'll Go"* (v. 1 & 4) Screen

### \*Closing Prayer

**\*Closing Hymn** *"Unstoppable God"* Screen

*Depart to Serve*

*\* Please Stand*

## SERMON

**Sermon:** Take Captive Rogue Voices

**Text:** 2 Corinthians 10:3 - 5

**Thesis:** We Need To Listen Fully To God.

### I. Many Voices Encourage Us To Settle For "Should".

A. Should is playing it safe.

B. Should is not walking by faith.

### II. Many Voices Encourage Us To Settle For "Have To" Instead of "Want To."

A. Life isn't very fulfilling just to as you "have to."

B. Sometimes life is more fulfilling with some "want to" mixed in.

### III. We Could Be Listening To The Wrong Voices.

A. Everyday we're making choices about the voice we're going to hear.

B. Listen to the voice which wants to bring the joy of the Lord into your life.

**Conclusion:** The arguments and pretensions that have set themselves up against the knowledge of God are diverse and persuasive. These voices would slowly, step by step lead us away from God and His will. They would have you to exist and go through the motions. Making you think that following the lost and their ways is more fun and fulfilling. But stop a second and decide for yourself which voice you will listen to and follow. The difference is joy unsurpassed and fulfillment. Don't let others make your decision. Make it for yourself.

## Sermon Notes †

Date:

Speaker:

Message Title:

Passage:

Notes:

### Main Points:

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### Verses Used:

## PRAYER CONCERNS 9/24/23

- 1 Family of Jason Cyphers
- 2 Josephine Rowe – 9/20 bladder surgery
- 3 Gene Hathaway – spot on lungs
- 4 Doris Moore – Wilson Hospital with breathing issues
- 5 Rhonda Cooke – exploratory surgery
- 6 Butch Lewis – upcoming heart surgery in October
- 7 Rick Sherrod – home and doing better
- 8 Andy Harrison
- 9 Sara Deans – broken wrist
- 10 Eugene Hyde – awaiting doctor’s decision
- 11 Tomora Woolard – breast cancer surgery 10/18
- 12 Marilyn Whitley – heart attack/stroke & pneumonia
- 13 Mary Coburn – tests from now til 11/04
- 14 Tina Scott – chemo started 8/18
- 15 Vicky Sanders – car accident – major surgeries ahead
- 16 Paul Sanz – severe pancreatitis
- 17 Marvin Wiggins – at home – slow improvement
- 18 Nell Barnhill – auto immune disease
- 19 Butch Coe – dialysis
- 20 Anthony Cutler – hospice care
- 21 Betty Jo Hobbs – cancer
- 22 Billy Dunn – throat surgery
- 23 Janie Harris – started chemo
- 24 Deborah Swart – last chemo treatment was 9/19
- 25 Scott Murphy – brain tumor & now having heart issues
- 26 Shirley Uzzell – lung cancer
- 27 Iris Edwards – admitted to hospital
- 28 Allison Winter – weak, but finished chemo
- 29 Willie Wallace – finished treatments
- 30 Henry Tillet – cancer treatment
- 31 Betsy Allen – one clear scan; waiting on another 9/19
- 32 Sheila Dixon – infusion therapy for cancer
- 33 Jerry Peaden – colon cancer & spreading
- 34 Spencer Roberts – severe damage to spleen/diabetic
- 35 Tony Manning – liver cancer
- 36 Lloyd Slade – multiple bulging discs

## PRAYER CONCERNS cont’d 9/24/23

- 37 Seth Shoneman – stage 4 colon cancer
- 38 Kay Stallings – bone cancer
- 39 Eli Cooke – good report – goes back to Dr in October

### LOVE & SUPPORT

Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Andy McKinney	Dawn Johnson
Sarah Glasgow	Glynn Bright	Savanna Grace Bailey
Tina Nobles	Neal Carson	Jean Gurkin
Owen Robinson	Caleb Kittrell	Mildred Jenkins
Peggy Hoyst	Mike Hoyst	Terry Peaden
Larry Ormond	Riley Koontz	Caleb Kittrell
Dr. Charles Pace		

### On-Going Prayers For

Our Church Leaders	Our Church Family	Our Youth Ministry
Our Music Ministry	Our Country	Our Military Forces

**If there are any updates for the existing prayer concerns, please let us know so we can make sure we have the most accurate updates on each person listed.**

**You can email or text Debra Staton ([statondp@embarqmail.com](mailto:statondp@embarqmail.com) or **252-717-3297**) with any updates or additions to our prayer concerns.**

**Thank you**

## YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

📌 We are placing another order for MPCC youth ministry t-shirts. If you’d like to order or to order additional shirts, please order using the following QR code.



👥 The youth are **fully** funded in the \$10,000 goal to provide 40,000 GAP meals through IDES!! Our meal packing date is **February 3rd, 2024!!** Please sign up in the foyer or scan the QR code to sign up! We need people of ALL ages, and **we need at least 100 people to help make it a smooth packing process!**



🎄 If your child plans to participate in the youth Christmas play, please sign using the **Youth RSVP QR code**. The Christmas play is Sunday morning, December 3rd.

