

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES



The Ladies Aid is collecting items for the Carolina Pregnancy Center- a mission our church supports. We have bags, baskets, etc. that can be picked up

in the foyer and filled with baby items. Some things on the wish list are diapers of all sizes, wipes, new clothes up to 24 months- especially little girl's clothes, bath towels, lotions, body wash, shampoo, diaper rash cream, thermometers as well as any new baby products that you wish to donate! We will be collecting through April. Thank you for participating in this very special mission! God Bless you All!

☀️ Join us on Sunday afternoon, April 28th from 12:30- 3:30 PM at Hope Farms for a hot dog lunch and some kickball fun. It's fun for ALL ages. Kids and adults can join in the kickball tournament, and if you don't want to play, bring a chair and have fun watching, laughing, and cheering on family and friends. There will be a youth kickball game for the kids with adults mixed in to help the little ones, and an adult kickball game. You don't have to be a member of Mt. Pleasant Church to play so invite your friends and family. Sign up in the foyer or Scan the QR code to sign up online! If you aren't able to play, but you're joining in on the fun and will be there for lunch, there's a sign-up option for that too!



SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School & Worship Services- Nursery

4/14 **SS/Church:** Wendy Stancill & Allison Swart

4/21 **SS/Church:** Sheryl Scott & Wendy Tucker

Communion Table

Apr: AJ Stancill & Tom LaBarbera

May: Greg Spain & Dan Black

Preparing Communion

Apr: Mackenzie Elks

May: Debra Staton

Unlock & Secure the Building

Apr: Dewayne Woolard

May: NEED VOLUNTEER

Opening

4/21 Worship Leaders

4/28 Greg Spain

Prayer Request

4/21 Greg Spain

4/28 Dan Black

Communion Med

4/21 Jorge Bocanegra

4/28 Tom LaBarbera

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Music Director/Pianist: Jewell Whitehurst

Organist: Mary Coburn

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

Cancer Care Ministry: mtplesantcancercare@gmail.com

For updates for the bulletin, contact Debra Staton at 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.

As a reminder - Please check doors before you leave the church building and remember to turn the alarm on. Thank you



UPCOMING AT MPCC

SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School

10:30 AM Worship Service

5:15 PM Choir Practice

5:00 PM Children's Services

6:30 PM Evening Service

MONDAY

7:00 PM Ladies Aid Meeting

(2nd Monday of each month)

TUESDAY

10:00 AM Bible Study

7:00 PM Board Meeting

(2nd Tuesday of each month)

WEDNESDAY

4:30 PM Youth Group

6:00 PM Kid's Group

6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice

7:00 PM Bible Study

Youth Service Project at Brookdale- today 9:30 AM

Contemporary Sunday- 4/21

Kickball at Hope Farms 4/28

Busch Gardens Trip- 5/4

ORDER OF SERVICE

CALL TO WORSHIP

"God Is Good All The Time" 2x

WELCOME

Johnny Pinner

PRAISE & WORSHIP

"Who You Are To Me" Screen
"Still" Screen

Communion Meditation

A.J. Stancill

Communion Music

"My Tribute" 4

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

"It Took A Lamb" Debra Staton & Choir

Morning Message **James 1:7 & 8** John Ormond

"The Problem With Doubt"

Hymn of Decision

"Without Him" (v 1 & 2) 176

*Closing Prayer

*Closing Hymn *"God Love You"* Screen

Depart to Serve

* Please Stand

SERMON

The Problem With Doubt

James 1:7 & 8

Thesis: Doubt Only Adds Stress.

I. This Is Like Having Two Masters.

- A. No one can be faithful to both.
- B. Each of us make a decision as to whom our master will be.

II. This Is Like Saying Two Complete Opposite Things.

- A. One part says, "I believe."
- B. The other part says, "I doubt."

III. This Makes For An Unstable Person.

- A. James uses a very descriptive word here.
- B. Stability in one area could be evidence of instability in other things as well.

Conclusion: James wants us to see that doubt is no way to live. Trials will come to every person. The right thing to do when this happens is to choose the right master. Trust the Lord Jesus, even when our faith is not by sight. Doubt will cripple us and only add more stress to our lives. But Christ brings stability, not a lack of trials, but strength to endure faithfully. That was and still is the response which will honor and please God.

Sermon Notes

Date:
Speaker:
Message Title:
Passage:

Notes:

Main Points:

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Verses Used:

PRAYER CONCERNS 4/14/24

- 1 Eugene Hyde – broke hip – requiring surgery
- 2 Sophia Harrison – pneumonia
- 3 Peggy Hyde – recovering from 2nd wrist surgery
- 4 Lynn Ross – hospice
- 5 Rhonda Oakes – cancer treatments
- 6 Sherry Maurice – emergency surgery for a blockage
- 7 Ben Davidson – COPD
- 8 Bobby Manning – home with cancer treatments
- 9 Dawn Smith – will require back surgery
- 10 Wayne Harrell – awaiting test results
- 11 Bailey Blount – surgery after horse accident
- 12 Lee Shackelford – started chemo
- 13 Malachi Banks – 15 yr old - needs kidney transplant
- 14 Hilda McLawhorn – hospital
- 15 Amy Moore – eye issues and shingles
- 16 Ashley Neilson – breast cancer
- 17 Buddy Teel – eye surgery 5/01
- 18 Billy Dunn Sr – throat procedure
- 19 Anna House – breast cancer
- 20 Darline Cole – major neurocognitive disorder – pray for wisdom about a path to take for treatment
- 21 Vickie Stalls – kidney & diabetic issues
- 22 Shirley Gladson – hospice
- 23 Doug Weber –home from treatments in Mexico
- 24 Betty Lou Williams – health issues
- 25 Martha & Ray Scott – Alzheimers-he’s in a facility
- 26 Lucille Forbes – report that cancer has NOT spread; tolerating radiation & chemo pills well
- 27 Ann Carraway – pancreatic cancer/meds & radiation
- 28 Sheryl Galin – vertigo issues
- 29 Katie Carr – going home; adjusting to a new normal
- 30 Leslie Jordan – back for another scan in October
- 31 Asa Wishall – awaiting results of brain scan & blood tests
- 32 Jeremiah Gerrard – using walker, chemo started

PRAYER CONCERNS *continued*

4/14/24

- 33 Janice Williamson – doing well with radiation
- 34 Mark James – completed treatment – having trouble eating
- 35 Aubrey Wayland – tumor removed / chemo
- 36 Bob Barbour – back in hospital, eating and improving
- 37 Susan Kellogg – back in the hospital
- 38 Mary Coburn – more tests completed; to Duke for consultation on 5/15
- 39 Eli Cook – July follow up
- 40 Isabella Holton- severe rash and other symptoms
- 41 James Gruber- hospital with congenital heart failure
- 42 Allen Joyner – stroke; @ home

LOVE & SUPPORT

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| 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 |
| Riley Koontz | Dr. Charles Pace | |

On-Going Prayers For

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| 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 or 252-717-3297) with any updates or additions to our prayer concerns.

Thank you!

Busch Gardens
WILLIAMSBURG, VA

Sign Up in the Foyer
or Scan QR

May 4th



On May 4th, we will be taking a trip to **Busch Gardens**. The cost is \$41 per adult and for any non MPCC youth. Tickets for the MPCC youth are covered.

Please sign up in

the foyer or by scanning the following QR code no later than April 14th. You can send payment via Venmo to Stephanie Mayo or pay with cash or check written to the church with Busch Gardens in the Memo line.



VBS is coming SOON, and WE NEED YOUR HELP! Yes, YOU! This year's

VBS is on July 29th though August 2nd. Dinner will be provided at 5:30 PM with VBS following from 6:00-8:30 PM. We have all kinds of jobs during the week, and we can find an area for you to serve! Please sign up in the foyer or scan the following QR code to choose your top preferences for areas to help! **THANK YOU IN ADVANCE** for helping with this outreach ministry!

We are doing some **Spring Cleaning & Renovating** in some of our youth classrooms in the back. Painting and updating has already begun, but we



are in need of some items to help update the classrooms. If you are interested in helping purchase items, you can scan the QR code below to access the Amazon Wishlist. If you'd like to contribute towards a larger item on the list or you

prefer to contribute monetarily and have us purchase needed items, please see Stephanie Mayo. Thank you for considering helping with this project as we continue to improve and update areas of the church to better accommodate the growing youth program.



*Top Item Requests on the List:
Rugs, Couches, & Chairs*