UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- Budget request Information needs to be submitted to the finance committee no later than December 1st. Can be given to AJ Stancill, Robert Pinner, or Jamie Swart
- Mark your calendars for a few important upcoming events happening during our morning worship service, you won't want to miss:
 - Sunday, 12/01 Youth Christmas Program
 - Sunday, 12/08 Christmas Cantata
- The Board is currently accepting nominations for elders and deacons for the upcoming year. These can be submitted to a current elder or Bro John.
- The Sound Committee has been and are still in the process of upgrading the church's sound system. If you would like to contribute to these improvements please make your check out to Mt Pleasant Christian Church and write Sound System in the memo line or see Mark Scott for more details.
- In the past, we have given everyone the opportunity to provide a Christmas ornament of your choice with your name & date on it for the Christmas Tree that will be placed in the foyer. If you would like, please bring a Christmas Ornament to place on the tree with your name & date on it so it can be a part of our Mt. Pleasant Family.
- Also, time to sign up for Poinsettias for the Sanctuary in honor of or memory of a loved one. The Poinsettias would need to be in the church by Saturday, 12/07/24. See sign-up sheets in the foyer and in the educational wing.

SERVING SCHEDULES

Sunday School & Worship Services- Nursery 11/17 SS/Church: Wendy Stancill & Allison Swart 11/24 SS/Church: Sheryl Scott & Wendy Tucker

Communion Table Nov: Greg Spain & Dan Black **Dec :** Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton Preparing Communion Nov: Robin Suggs Dec: Becky Ormond

Unlock & Secure the Building**November: Buddy TeelDecember: Need Volunteer

OpeningPrayer RequestCommunion Med11/24 Eugene Hyde11/24 Robert Pinner11/24 Dan Black12/01 Robert Pinner12/01 Eugene Hyde12/01 Brandon Jenkins

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Music Director/Pianist: Jewell Whitehurst

Organist: Mary Coburn

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

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For updates for the bulletin, contact Debra Staton at statondp53@gmail.com or call/text 252-717-3297 (Please begin using my Gmail address)

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



UPCOMING AT MPCC

SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship Service 4:00 PM Choir Practice 5:00 PM Children's Services 5:30 PM Evening Service

Choir Practice @ 4:00 pm

Youth Christmas Play Practices Sundays @ 5:00 pm

Sunday night service

Sunday, 12/01 - Youth

Christmas Program –

BBQ Chicken fundraiser

@5:30 pm

following

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

TUESDAY 10:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Board Meeting

WEDNESDAY

(2nd Tuesday of each month)

4:30 PM Youth Group 6:00 PM Kid's Group 6:00 PM Worship Leader Practice 7:00 PM Bible Study

Sunday morning service, 12/08 - Christmas Cantata

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME TO OUR CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

CALL TO WORSHIP				
"Thanks And Praise"	Worship Leaders			
WELCOME				
PRAISE & WORSHIP				
"Goodness Of God"	Screen			
"Sing Wherever I Go"	Screen			
Children's Moment	Dewayne Woolard			
Communion Meditation	Tom LaBarbera			
Communion Music				
"Gratitude"	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		Dan Black		
Musical Offering	"What He's Done"	WL		
Morning Message	James 5:7-11 J	ohn Ormond		
JUST LOOK BACK AS YOU WAIT				

Hymn of Decision	"Evidence"		Screen
	*Closing Prayer		
*Closing Hymn	"Sing Wherever I Go"	(ch)	Screen
Depart to Serve		* Ple	ase Stand

SERMON

Just Look Back As You Wait James 5:7-11		
Thesis: Waiting For The Lord's Return Is Hard.		
I. Look Back At Hosea.		
A. Hosea had a unique experience in life.		
B. Being faithful is not always easy.		
II. Look Back At Daniel.		
A. Daniel is a special man of God.		
B. The struggles of Daniel were all related to his		
faithfulness to God.		
III. Look Back At Jeremiah.		
A. His message was not popular.		
B. Jeremiah was persecuted for being truthful about the		
will of God.		
IV. Look Back At Jonah.		
A. James will mention Job by name.		
B. Here's a man who refused to quit.		
Conclusion: Jesus never sugar coated the truth about how		
His followers and disciples would be seen and viewed by the		
world. In Matthew 10:22 He said, "All men will hate you		
because of me, but he who stands firm to the end will be		
saved." The prophets believed God for this. The Twelves		
did too. The first century saints did as well.		
And since this time many others have trusted God with their		
everything. We have nothing to fear. God is good and He is		
faithful. Let's make this a vital part of our testimony.		

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

PRAYER CONCERNS 11/17/24

- 1 Family of Hoyt Haddock, Sr.
- 2 Tommy Stuart hit by a car
- 3 Daniel Vincek brain tumor; surgery in January
- 4 Oliver Sweazy eye surgery 1/09
- 5 Bobby Jones recovering from surgery
- 6 Jim Lamphere in hospice
- 7 Laura Jones in cancer center recovering from surgery
- 8 Eli Cook surgery still scheduled for 12/03; O2 levels have dropped to 80%
- 9 Amy Moore scan revealed mass on uterus
- 10 Richard Quinn lung cancer
- 11 Tina Scott scan revealed something in lining of abdomen
- 12 Dupree Barnhill finished radiation treatments
- 13 Jewell Whitehurst broken bone in foot
- 14 Johnnie Herring
- 15 Mary LaBarbera swollen retina; on eye drops; follow up in January
- 16 Raymond McKinzey dementia
- 17 Wayne Harrell completed chemo, good scans
- 18 Sue Ellen Mosley cancer has returned
- 19 Mission Team to Nicaragua in Feb (Renee Spain)
- 20 Rita Mahaffey pancreas inflamed & other complications
- 21 Stacy Frazier ICU, infection/fluid in lungs
- 22 Gretchen Beasley double mastectomy
- 23 Glenn Tyndall improving
- 24 Libby Gwennapp not started new chemo; per scans, chemo not working; on strong pain killers
- 25 Shelby Brown palliative care
- 26 Doug Weber cancer; extensive treatments
- 27 Christy Carringer being fitted for prosthetic leg
- 28 Elise Goddard newborn with Aperts Syndrome
- 29 Brent Hamilton stage 4 colon cancer
- 30 Bobby Manning blood cancer

PRAYER CONCERNS continued 11/10/24

- 31 Malachi Banks 15 yr old needs kidney transplant
- 32 Ashley Neilson breast cancer
- 33 Darline Cole experiencing early dementia
- 34 Leslie Jordan taking pulmonary rehab & getting MRI

	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	Owen Robinson
Caleb Kittrell	Peggy Hoyst	Mike Hoyst
Terry Peaden	Riley Koontz	Dr. Charles Pace
Bob Barbour	Michael Hyde	

On-Going Prayers For

Our Church Leaders Our Church Family Our Music Ministry Our Country

nily Our Youth Ministry 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 - statondp53@gmail.com or <u>252-717-3297</u> - with any updates or additions to our prayer concerns. Thank you!

"Praise the LORD for His goodness,

and for HIS wonderful works"

Psalm 107:8

YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHICKEN LUNCH FUNDRAISER to help

raise more money for their Winter Trip in January! We have a goal of raising at least another \$3,500 to help off set the remaining costs of the trip for each family. There are OVER 30 kids going on the trip this time in addition to another 30+ adults— That's right!! Over 60 of us will take on the Massanutten Ski Resort in a couple of months, and we are looking forward to an awesome trip! I Come out and enjoy the Christmas Play and then stay after for a delicious chicken lunch to help them raise more money for the trip! Thank you!

