



VISION: A Church “Growing by Grace.” 2 Peter 3:18

MISSION: “To grow a congregation of believers committed to the ministry of Worship, Evangelism, Missions, Discipleship, Service and Fellowship with a heart for Prayer, Bible Study and the Great Commission.” Matthew 28:19-20

THEME: “Revealing God’s Glory” Isaiah 40:3-5

ANNUAL USHER DAY | COMMUNION SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024

8:55 a.m.—Church School

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 829 9178 2989 | Passcode: 011473

Deaf and Hard of Hearing Class. Lesson 12: “A Song of Thanksgiving” Psalm 100
Teacher: Minister Jennifer Madison

Adult Class. Lesson 12: “A Song of Thanksgiving” Psalm 100
Teacher: Minister Penni Ford

High School Class. Lesson 12: “Setting Yourself Apart”
Isaiah 41:10; John 13:34, 35; 1 Corinthians 3; Philippians 4; 1 Peter 2
Teacher: Deacon Bryant Black

Preteen Class. Lesson 12: “Total Trust” Genesis 21:8-20
Teacher: Trustee Tyrone Bradley

Middlers Class. Lesson 12: “Elijah Obeys God” 1 Kings 17:1-16
Teacher: Deaconess La’Tonia White

Early Elementary Class. Lesson 12:
“Jehoshaphat and God’s People Pray and Worship God” 2 Chronicles 20:1-30
Teacher: Sister Wanda Evans

PreK-Kindergarten Class: Lesson 12: “The Fall of Jericho” Joshua 6:1-16, 20
Teachers: Sister Sheila Beckwith and Sister Jean Hogan

Young Adult Class. Topic: “No Shortcuts to Character”
Luke 6:43, 45, 46; 1 John 1:6, 2:15, 3:9, 15-17
Teacher: Brother Antonio Ford
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 860 2290 3469 | Passcode: 288112

10:00 a.m. Live Worship Service.

Immediately following Church School. “Live Streaming & YouTube”
Pastor Carl M. Johnson, preaching.

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Nursery Now Open—Welcome ages 2-5

Tithes & Offerings

1. Online giving at <https://mtpleasantbc.org/give/>
2. Text-to-Give: Text “GIVE” to 703-215-2545
3. Mail your tithes and offerings to the church address printed below.
4. Mobile Giving “Givelify” Download from the Play Store. Visit <https://www.givelify.com/> for instructions.

Pray for Bereaved Families

✝ Frank N. Boykin, nephew of Deaconess Mattie Charles and cousin of Tonya
For help and encouragement during time of bereavement, call the Grief Line at (571) 533-2963.
Contact: Denise Mackie-Smith, Denise.Mackie-Smith@mtpleasantbc.org

Pray for the Sick and Shut-In

Zoom conference ID's and passwords will be provided prior to virtual meetings via e-mail or view details on services and events by visiting: <https://www.mtpleasantbc.org>

ATTENTION! ATTENTION! YOUR SUPPORT IS GREATLY NEEDED FOR MPBC MISSION PROJECTS

Monday, November 18—5:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall).

Help pack items to transport to North Carolina.

Saturday, November 23—7:00 a.m. (MPBC Parking Lot). To help prepare Thanksgiving baskets for Community Food "Drive-Up Give Away". Food distribution is on a first come-first-serve basis and each basket includes a complete meal. If you know of a family in need, plan to pick up and deliver their basket. Contact: Yvette Collier at Yvette.Collier@mtpleasantbc.org or colliery@verizon.net

Emergency Preparedness To Support Hurricane Victims!

We are in need of financial donations to aid persons who sustained damages due to the hurricanes. Donations will be collected Sundays, November 3-24, 2024. Ways to donate: [Givelify.com](https://givelify.com), checks mail to Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, 6477 Lincolnia Rd., Alexandria, VA 22312. Memo: Missions, Text to "GIVE" to 703-215-2545 or visit: <https://www.mtpleasantbc.org>

Monday, November 18

6:45 p.m. Rehearsal (Hi-Def)

7:00 p.m. Grief Ministry Virtual Video Presentation "Surviving the Holidays." The holidays can present challenges for those who are grieving. A special video to help encourage and comfort those during the season. Persons planning to attend are asked to register at <https://www.griefshare.org/events/248725>
Contact: Denise.Mackie-Smith@mtpleasantbc.org.

Tuesday, November 19

6:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

Dial-In: 1-848-220-3300 | Conference ID: 1571206#. (This is a toll number. Charges may be incurred.) Submit prayer requests at prayer@mtpleasantbc.org

6:45 p.m. Rehearsal (Combined)

7:00 p.m. Virtual Young Adult Bible Study. "Seasons: Navigating New Seasons of Change." Topics: Embracing Change, Growing through Transitions, Trusting God's Timing, and Finding Rest in God. Facilitator: Sister Stacey Bien-Aime.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 886 9340 7932 | Passcode: 824351

Wednesday, November 20—12:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study.

Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

Thursday, November 21

6:30 p.m. Virtual Youth Bible Study "TNT"

Led by Rev. Chris White. Ages 5-18.

6:30 p.m. Virtual Prayer Service. Led by Deacon Michael Wilson, Deaconess Marcia Gilbert-Gregory, and Deaconess Sherri Morgan. Submit prayer requests at prayer@mtpleasantbc.org.

7:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study. Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

Friday, November 22—6:30 a.m. Prayer Meeting.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, November 23—9:00 a.m. Community Food Drive Up Give-Away. (MPBC Parking Lot). Must be in car. One box per car. Contact: Yvette Collier at Yvette.Collier@mtpleasantbc.org.



**Student Academic & Special Recognition Awards
First Quarter of 2024-2025 School Year**



Youth Sunday, November 24, 2024

Students in grades kindergarten—high school will be recognized for their achievements during the first quarter of the 2024-2025 school year. Students submit first quarter academic reports, special athletic awards, school, and community recognition to the Church Office e-mail: secretary@mtpleasantbc.org by **November 19th**.

Sunday, November 24—4:00 p.m. Ecumenical Thanksgiving Community Worship Service—Host: Saint Albans

Episcopal Church, 6800 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA. All invited to this benefit event with area churches of ACCA (Annandale Christian Community for Action).

Sundays, December 1, 8, 15, and 22—10:00 a.m. Advent Celebration. A special time of celebration and candle lighting each week in preparing for the birth of Jesus Christ.

Wednesday, December 4—7:00 p.m. Virtual Women's Fellowship Meeting. Topic: "A Night of Women Encouraging Each Other Through Scripture & Testimony." Meeting ID: 839 1118 7880 | Passcode: 117457

Saturday, December 7—12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. Christmas Fellowship at Maggiano's Little Italy, 6500 Springfield Mall, Springfield, VA 22150. All invited. Cost: \$40 per person—includes tax and gratuity.
Deadline: November 17. Contact: Marlene Fields, mrf1020@yahoo.com. Submit your e-mail for reservations and obtain the payment information. Host: Golden Gem's Senior Ministry

Saturday, December 14—9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Ministry Leadership Training (on-site). All deacons, deaconesses, trustees, ministers, and ministry leaders, plan to attend.

Sunday, December 15—9:00 a.m.-9:45 a.m. Sunday School Mission Event at Leewood Nursing Center. Students in grades 1-12 will sing Christmas carols and distribute gifts to residents. Parental Permission forms will be required. Transportation provided. Location: 7120 Braddock Road, Annandale, VA 22003. Contact: Yvonne Bush at tusc341@gmail.com.

Download Our New Church App!

Register for events and worship services with the convenience of your phone. Scan the QR code or visit <https://e360.ministryone.com/landing/PL6P>

