



VISION: “Building a vibrant, engaged faith community serving, growing, and transforming Lives.” 1 Peter 4:10-11

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: “Changing Lives One Soul At a Time” 2 Corinthians 5:17 (NKJV)

SUNDAY, JANUARY 12, 2025

8:55 a.m.—Church School

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 864 0223 5840 | Passcode: 739434

Deaf and Hard of Hearing and Adult Classes.

Lesson 7: “The Lord is Majestic” Scripture: Psalm 93
Teacher: Minister Bonita Easter

High School Class. Lesson 7: “Finding Peace When I’m Anxious”
Scripture: Luke 12:22-31; Philippians 4:6, 7; 1 Peter 5:7
Teacher: Sister Latrice Betz

Preteen Class. Lesson 7: “Speak Out for Jesus” Scripture: Acts: 8:26-40
Teacher: Sister Bernice Hudson

Middlers Class. Lesson 7: “Jesus Clears the Temple” Scripture: John 2:13-22
Teacher: Sis. Tefera Baker-Warrick

Early Elementary Class. Lesson 7: “Satan Tempts Jesus” Scripture: Matthew 4:1-11
Teacher: Sister Wanda Evans

PreK-Kindergarten Class. Lesson 7: “Jesus Teaches About Praying”
Scripture: Matthew 6:6; Luke 11:1-4
Teachers: Sister Jean Hogan and Sister Linda Lovelace

Young Adults Growing In Grace. Topic: “Values Keeping You on Track”
Scripture: Matthew 6:21, 33, 26:6-9; Luke 18:18-24
Teacher: Deaconess Tasha Brown
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.
Pastor Carl M. Johnson, preaching.
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YouTube & “Live Streaming” at www.mtpleasantbc.org

Nursery 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.
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Pray for Bereaved Families

✝ Jeanette Lewis, wife of Theodore “Ted” Lewis, mother of Carla Moore (Robert “BJ”), Toshiko Pernell (Eric), Candace Settle, Sherrell Williams (Clarence III) and grandmother of Nyle, Nygel, Nya, Jesse, Malcolm, and Maxwell.

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>

Children's Worship Hour —Every 2nd Sunday!

January 12—10:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall)

Inviting youth ages 5-12. For details contact:
Rev. Chris White at Chris.White@mtpleasantbc.org

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday, January 13-March 31—6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Virtual Grief Ministry Session. To register:
<https://www.griefshare.org/groups/254760> Zoom ID and passcode will be forwarded after registration.
Contact: Denise.Mackie-Smith@mtpleasantbc.org.

Tuesday, January 14

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 Choir)

7:00 p.m. In-Person Information Meeting for South Africa & Cultural Tour (February 27—March 7). (MPBC Fellowship Hall). View a video presentation on insights and information of what you will experience on the tour. Plan to travel with Mount Pleasant and First Baptist Church of Merrifield. For trip details visit: <https://ktt.managedmissions.com/ourtrips>.
Contact: Japera Rahming: japera@kttministries.org, 703-382-8181 or Rev. Gerald Robinson: revgerald@kttministries.org, 703-425-3838.

Wednesday, January 15—12:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study.
Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

Thursday, January 16

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 Carlton Brown and Deaconess Karen White.
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7:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study. Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

Friday, January 17—6:30 a.m. Prayer Meeting.

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**PASTOR'S BIBLE CHALLENGE
READ THE ENTIRE BIBLE IN 2025.**



Pastor Johnson encourages everyone to participate in the challenge. This is an individual and family activity. View the plan and follow the daily schedule of reading the Old and New Testament chapters. Visit: www.mtpleasantbc.org and download the schedule. To request a printed copy, contact the Church Office at (703) 256-1268 or e-mail:

secretary@mtpleasantbc.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, January 18—8:30 a.m. Virtual Men of Valor Meeting. Inviting all men and youth males.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 872 6530 5882 | Passcode: 179951

Saturday, January 18 and January 25—9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Virtual Basic Christian Principles. Inviting all new members, as well as anyone who wants to refresh their Christian knowledge, to attend. We look forward to seeing you. If you have questions, e-mail: newmembers@mtpleasantbc.org.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>.
Meeting ID: 879 5509 8764 | Passcode: 516742

Sunday, January 19—10:00 a.m. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Commemoration Service. "We remember and celebrate the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr." Preacher, Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

Saturday, January 25—5:00 p.m. Virtual Quarterly Church Conference. Members Only. Request minutes from the October 26, 2024 church conference by contacting the church clerk at clerk@mtpleasantbc.org (preferred) or call the Church Office at 703-256-1268 extension 16.

Sunday, February 2—10:00 a.m. 2025 Officers and Ministry Leaders Installation for all deacons, deaconesses, trustees, ministers, ministry leaders, and members serving in a ministry position.

Sunday, February 9—10:00 a.m. Jersey Day. Wear your favorite team's jersey and worship with us! Preaching: Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

A Special Reminder to MPBC Members! If you need additional contribution envelopes, or have questions concerning your envelopes, contact Church Clerk Anita Johnson at clerk@mtpleasantbc.org (preferred) or call the church office at (703) 256-1268. We want to keep in touch, so please notify the church clerk with any recent updates, (i.e. cell phone, email, or address). Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

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>

