



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)

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT "JOY" | DECEMBER 14, 2025

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2025

8:55 a.m.—Church School 

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87214482752>
Meeting ID: 872 1448 2752 | Passcode: 693430

Adult, Deaf and Hard of Hearing Class.

Lesson 2: "Our Heavenly Father"

Matthew 6:24-34

Teacher: Minister Aleia Taylor-Ellington

**Sunday School Students PreK-12th Grade
Mission Event at Leewood Nursing Home
Annandale, VA**

Young Adults Growing In Grace.

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86022903469>
Meeting ID: 860 2290 3469 | Passcode: 288112

Topic: "Jesus Example"

Matthew 26:36-46

Teacher: Sister Breanna Jones

10:00 a.m. Live Worship Service.

YouTube & "Live Streaming" at www.mtpleasantbc.org

Preacher: Pastor Carl M. Johnson

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Sunday, December 14—10:00 a.m. Children's Worship Hour.

(Fellowship Hall) Inviting ages 5-12. For details contact: Rev. Chris White at Chris.White@mtpleasantbc.org



Youth Ministry Christmas Toys & Pajama Drive Sunday, November 30—Sunday, December 14.



We're partnering with the Mason District Police Department to collect toys and pajamas for children in need throughout our community and local hospitals. Donation boxes will be located in the vestibule or near the main entrance. For details, contact Deaconess La'Tonia White at latonia.white@mtpleasantbc.org

Pray for Bereaved Families

For help and encouragement during time of bereavement, call the Grief Line at 571-533-2963. Contact: Denise.Mackie-Smith@mtpleasantbc.org

Pray for the Sick and Shut-In

MORNING WORSHIP

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2025

10:00 a.m.—Live Worship Service. 

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Call to Worship & Invocation

Minister Penni Ford

Congregational Hymn of Worship

Advent Moment

Sister Tameka Tyree

Brother Calvin Wesley

Welcome/Offering

Minister Antonio Rafael

Sermonic Selection

Choir

Sermon

Pastor Carl M. Johnson

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Benediction

WAYS TO GIVE

1. Visit <https://www.mtpleasantbc.org> and click on GIVE Use the QR Code.
2. Visit <https://www.Givelify.com> and Sign in to Use the QR Code.
3. Mail to MPBC to the address listed below.
4. Text "GIVE" to 703-215-2545 to use Text-To-Give.



THIS WEEK EVENTS

Monday, December 15—6:15 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

Tuesday, December 16—6:45 p.m. Rehearsal (Christmas Cantata)

Wednesday, December 17

12:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study. Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 861 7511 8821 | Passcode: 668194

Thursday, December 18

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 Robert Brooks, Deaconess Sherry Allen, and Deaconess Marilyn McPherson.
Submit prayer requests at prayer@mtpleasantbc.org.

7:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study. Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 896 8162 8714 | Passcode: 000394

PWSSC&L Congregational Care Ministry Special Events:

Friday, December 19—6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Virtual Friday Night Bible Study. Inviting all MPBC members and friends. Facilitator: Sister Tefera Warrick.
Meeting ID: 821 8739 3500 | Passcode: 990434

Saturday, December 20—10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. Outreach Project at Hilda Barg Homeless Prevention Center, 14945 Richmond Hwy, Woodbridge. Donated items will be delivered to the center.

Saturday, December 20—8:30 a.m. Virtual Men of Valor Meeting. Inviting all men and youth males.
Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>
Meeting ID: 847 7334 1077 | Passcode: 742294

UPCOMING EVENTS CELEBRATING THE BIRTH OF JESUS CHRIST



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 21—10:00 A.M.

Advent Celebration. A special time of celebration and candle lighting in preparing for the birth of Jesus Christ.

Christmas Cantata. Theme: "The Gift Still Gives!" Join us as we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. The service will feature Church School presentations, the Music & Fine Arts Ministry, and the preached Word from Pastor Carl M. Johnson.



NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION

Schedule of Services

Wednesday, December 31, 2025

6:00 p.m. (In-Person). A time of praying, praising, singing, and receiving the preached Word by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

10:00 p.m. Virtual (*Re-broadcast of 6:00 p.m. service*)
2025 moments of reflection, and testimonies. An inspirational word and prayer by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.



MPBC Federal Credit Union Holiday Loan Special
Available Now—December 31, 2025

Rates start as low as 4.00%* for up to \$10,000.

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Apply today for the best special of the season!

Visit the Credit Union office on Sundays from 8:45 a.m.-
10:00 a.m. Contact: mpbcfcu@mtpleasantbc.org or
call (703) 256-4802

Thursday, January 8, 2026—7:00 p.m. An Evening of Prayer. First virtual Prayer Service in 2026. Encouraging all MPBC Officers, Ministers, Ministry Leaders, and church members to share in this special time of prayer in the New Year.

MPBC & FRIENDS! SPECIAL TRAVEL EVENT!
February 26, 2026—March 7, 2026. South Africa

Mission Tour. Join Mount Pleasant (Pastor Carl Johnson) and First Baptist Church of Merrifield (Pastor Paul Sheppard) in partnership with Know the Truth International Ministries. For details visit: <https://ktt.managedmissions.com/ourtrips>.
Contact: Japera Rahming: japera@kttministries.org, 703-382-8181 or Rev. Dr. Gerald Robinson: revgerald@kttministries.org, 703-425-3838.

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