

Men's Day Celebration

Theme: "Dedicated Men—Transformed Relationships"
Scripture: Philippians 2:3-4

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2026 | 10:00 a.m.

Join Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>

Meeting ID: 864 5208 6122 | Passcode: 210784

Call to Worship and Invocation
Minister Carl Hollister

Opening Congregational Hymn

Scripture
Antoine "AJ" Bridges

Prayer
Brother William Cheek

Tribute
Brother Loucious Hires

Musical Selection

Welcome/Offering/Doxology
Minister Percell Spinner

Video Introduction of the Preacher

Sermonic Song

The Sermon
Rev. Dr. Albert Jackson
Pastor of Ebenezer Baptist Church, Alexandria, VA

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Benediction/Closing

WAYS TO GIVE

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



Pray for Bereaved Families
Member, Janette Gabriel

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

Rev. Dr. Albert P. Jackson has a heart for God and a heart for God's people"- a very accurate description of the dynamic and charismatic teacher, preacher, and pastor/shepherd.



He is a native of Baltimore, Maryland and the son of the late Rev. Albert E. Jackson and Florence L. Jackson.

Dr. Jackson graduated from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore with a Bachelor of Science degree in Interior Design in 1997. He furthered his studies by graduating from the Samuel DeWitt Proctor School of Theology at Virginia Union University in Richmond, Virginia with a Master of Divinity degree in 2004. Dr. Jackson received his Doctor of Ministry degree from United Theological Seminary in Dayton, Ohio in 2017.

Dr. Jackson was licensed to preach the Gospel of Jesus Christ on July 10, 2002, and was ordained on June 16, 2010 at the Galilee Baptist Church.

Dr. Jackson currently serves as the 11th Senior Pastor of the historic 142-year-old Ebenezer Baptist Church in Old Town Alexandria, Virginia. He is President of the Northern Virginia Baptist Association for Region 1. He holds membership with the Northern Virginia Ministers Conference, D. C. Ministers Conference and Vicinity, Lott Carey, National Baptist Convention, and the Baptist General Convention. He is also an active member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated.

Dr. Jackson published his first book in May 2022, "Pastoring In A Pandemic, Voices for the Ages."

Dr. Jackson is married to his college sweetheart and wife of 23 years-Lady Shawnetta Jackson. From their union, they are the proud parents of their three children, Albert Darnell, Gabrielle Michelle, and Joi Kyra.

In obedience to God and His word, Dr. Jackson firmly believes in Isaiah 4:10--*"Fear not; for I am with thee; Be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with my victorious right hand of my righteousness."*

MPBC EVENTS

21 Days of Prayer & Fasting

From Ash Wednesday, February 18 through March 10, 2026

Join Mount Pleasant for 21 Days of Prayer and Fasting that began on **Ash Wednesday, February 18 through March 10.**

Prayer calls will be daily at 6:30 a.m. and will last 15 minutes.

Journey with us toward the cross through prayer, reflection, and spiritual renewal. Please submit your prayer requests no later than 6:15 a.m. at prayer@mtpleasantbc.org

Dial-In: 1-848-220-3300 | Conference ID: 1571206#.

(This is a toll number. Charges may be incurred.)

Monday, March 9-May 18—6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

Virtual Grief Ministry Session. To register:

<https://find.griefshare.org/groups/286549>

Zoom ID and passcode will be forwarded after registration.

Contact: Denise.Mackie-Smith@mtpleasantbc.org.

Monday, March 9—6:45 p.m. Rehearsal. (Hi-Def Choir)

Tuesday, March 10—6:45 p.m. Rehearsal. (Sanctuary Choir).

Wednesday, March 11

12:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study.

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Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

Thursday, March 12

Join Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>

Meeting ID: 858 9656 8763 | Passcode: 508410

6:30 p.m. Virtual Prayer Service.

Led by Deacon Barry Newsome, Deaconess Amanda Brown, Deaconess Tasha Brown, and Deacon Glenn Blackwell.

Submit prayer requests at prayer@mtpleasantbc.org.

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

Saturday, March 14-April 25—7:00 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Virtual Conversational Sign Language for Everyone!

All invited to join and learn to sign! You'll learn alphabets, numbers, basic vocabulary, fingerspelling, grammar, conversational skills, deaf culture and more! Contact: Minister Jennifer Madison at jennifer.madison@mtpleasantbc.org

Meeting ID: 970 448 0154 | Passcode: NHYqr0

2026 Spring Messenger Newsletter. Theme: "Stepping Forward in Faith" Joshua 1:9 (NKJV). Submit articles, poems, and notices at mpbcnewsletter@mtpleasantbc.org by **March 15.**

2026 Scholarship applications are available for **MPBC members** attending institutions of higher learning (college/university) and savings bond awards for kindergarten through 11th grade. Electronic submissions only. Click on the link to view the criteria and forms. Visit: <https://mtpleasantbc.org/ministries/scholarship-career-development-ministry/> to download applications. **Deadline: April 12.**

ATTENTION MPBC MEMBERS!

"It's Time to Update the MPBC Pictorial Directory!"

Our congregation is growing, and it's the perfect time to create a refreshed pictorial directory—a keepsake you'll be proud to share with family and friends. The Pictorial Team is ready to begin scheduling photo sessions, and we're counting on everyone to take a part! Watch for upcoming announcements so you can reserve your spot!

2026 ONE-YEAR BIBLE READING PLANS

Pastor Johnson invites you to join this exciting spiritual challenge! It's a wonderful opportunity for individuals and families to grow together in faith. Explore the plan and follow the daily schedule as we journey through both the Old and New Testament chapters. Let's make this a season of renewal and discovery! To view the plan:

Click: [Bible reading schedule-2026.pdf](#)

Scan the QR code:



Request a printed copy, by contacting the Church Office at (703) 256-1268 or e-mail: secretary@mtpleasantbc.org.

Saturday, March 14—9:00 a.m. Evangelism Ministry.

Inviting persons to join an evangelism opportunity to share the Gospel and Christ's love. For more details contact Deacon James Watson or Minister Aleia Taylor-Ellington.

Sunday, March 15—12:00 p.m. Missionary Ministry

Visitation. All invited. Golden Living Rehabilitation Center, 6700 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA 22003. Accompanied by MPBC guest preacher Minister Jennifer Madison.

Wednesday, March 18—7:00 p.m. Elizabeth City State

University Concert Choir—Sirens Under the Direction of Walter R. Swan. All invited for a special evening of inspiring choral music featuring sacred, classical, spiritual selections and more!

Sunday, March 21—8:30 a.m. In-Person Mighty Men of

Valor Fellowship at IHOP. Location: 6254 Duke St., Alexandria, VA 22312. Inviting all men to join for food and fellowship. For details contact: Michael Tyree.

Saturday, March 21—3:00 p.m. "Glory Train" Play. Held at

Oak Grove Baptist Church, 22870 Dominion Lane, Sterling, VA. All invited. MPBC Deacons, Deaconess and members will present a side-splitting, soul-stirring play. A time of laughing, thinking, and praising all the way to the final destination. You don't want to miss this ride! For more information, please contact: MPBC Deacons or Deaconess.

Sunday, March 29—10:00 a.m. Missionary Day. Preacher:

Rev. Joyce Howard, MPBC Associate Minister.

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