



**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:** "Stepping Forward in Faith" Joshua 1:9 (NKJV)

**MORNING WORSHIP**

**YOUTH SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026**

**8:55 a.m.—CHURCH SCHOOL** 

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 841 0983 0839 | Passcode: 330438

**Adult, Deaf and Hard of Hearing Class.** Lesson 3:  
"Welcome Others in Christ" Acts 10:9-15, 30-35;  
Galatians 3:28-29

Teacher: Rev. Brian Morgan

**High School & Preteen Class.** Lesson 3:

"Helping the Persecuted" Matthew 13:20-21, 24:9-14;  
Romans 12:4-5, 13-15; Hebrews 13:1-3

Teacher: Sister Mirenda Hall

**Middlers Class.** Lesson 3:

"Jesus Begins His Ministry" Matthew 3:13-17;  
Luke 4:1-13

Teacher: Sister Sherrell Williams

**Early Elementary Class.** Lesson 3:

"Jesus Heals a Man Who Can't See"  
John 9:1-11, 24-25, 35-38

Teacher: Sister Mary Gleaton

**Pre-K-Kindergarten Class.** Lesson 3:

"Jesus Heals a Man Who Could Not Walk"  
Mark 2:1-12, Luke 5:17-26

Teachers: Sister Jean Hogan and Sister Linda Lovelace

**Young Adults Growing In Grace.**

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 860 2290 3469 | Passcode: 288112  
Topic: "Fellowship in Gathering" Matthew 18:18-19  
Teacher: Minister Khadeejah Honesty

**Pray for Bereaved Families**

Member, Janette Gabriel

Marion Scott and Stanley Collier, sister and brother  
of James Collier (Yvette).

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

**Pray for the Sick and Shut-In**

**MORNING WORSHIP**

**YOUTH SUNDAY, MARCH 22, 2026**

**10:00 a.m.—Worship Service.** 

YouTube & "Live Streaming" at  
[www.mtpleasantbc.org](http://www.mtpleasantbc.org)

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 841 0983 0839 | Passcode: 330438

Invocation

Minister Khadeejah Honesty

Congregational Hymn

Special Scholarship Announcement  
Deaconess Tawanna Tillman

Welcome/Offering/Doxology  
Minister Jennifer Madison

Sermonic Song

Sermon  
Pastor Carl M. Johnson

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Benediction

**Nursery Open—Welcome ages 2-5**

**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 Text-To-Give.



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

### MPBC EVENTS

**Monday, March 23—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@mtplesantbc.org](mailto:prayer@mtplesantbc.org).

**Monday, March 23-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@mtplesantbc.org](mailto:Denise.Mackie-Smith@mtplesantbc.org).

**Tuesday, March 24—6:45 p.m. Rehearsal.** (Praise Team)

**Wednesday, March 25**  
**12:00 p.m. Virtual Bible Study.**  
Join Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 823 8343 8920 | Passcode: 841649  
Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

**Thursday, March 26**  
Join Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 813 8286 9831 | Passcode: 679996  
Led by Pastor Carl M. Johnson.

**6:30 p.m. Virtual Prayer Service.**  
Led by Deacon James Watson and Deaconess Jean Watson.  
Submit prayer requests at [prayer@mtplesantbc.org](mailto:prayer@mtplesantbc.org).

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

**Saturday, March 28—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@mtplesantbc.org](mailto:jennifer.madison@mtplesantbc.org)  
Meeting ID: 970 448 0154 | Passcode: NHYqrO

**Sunday, March 29—8:30 a.m.-9:45 a.m. Young Adults "Chat & Chew" (Fellowship Hall).** Inviting all young adults to join a special time of bible study, food, and fellowship.

**Sunday, March 29—10:00 a.m. Missionary/Evangelism Day.**  
Preacher: Rev. Joyce Howard, MPBC Associate Minister.

### Download Our 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>



### 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! Explore the plan and follow the daily schedule as we journey through both the Old and New Testament chapters. 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@mtplesantbc.org](mailto:secretary@mtplesantbc.org).

#### **Saturday, April 4—8:00 a.m. Virtual Hour of Prayer.**

All invited. Join Zoom: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 886 2878 0518 | Passcode: 398046

#### **Wednesday, April 8—7:00 p.m. Women's Fellowship Meeting.**

Inviting all ladies. Topic: "A Peace the World Can't Give." Guest facilitator: Rev. Tish Thomas Cokely, Pastor of Embry A.M.E. Church, College Park, MD.  
Join Zoom: <https://us06web.zoom.us/>  
Meeting ID: 814 9068 7442 | Passcode: 640546

#### **Saturday, April 18—4:00 p.m. Saturday Night Talent.**

**Host: MPBC.** All invited. MPBC and youth talent from participating churches. Special guests: Macedonia Baptist Church Men's Choir of Arlington, VA. Sponsored by the Fairfax Central Baptist Sunday School Union (FCBSSU) to benefit the Aaronita Brown Scholarship Fund.

**Monday, April 20—7:00 p.m. Pastor Carl Johnson, guest preacher** at Little Union Baptist Church, 17150 Batestown Road, Dumfries. Accompanied by the Music Ministry/choir, Usher Ministry, and MPBC family. All invited.

### EASTER CELEBRATION SERVICES

#### **Friday, April 3—7:00 p.m. Good Friday.** Seven Last

Words presented by MPBC Deacons.  
First Saying: Deacon Maurice Evans  
Second Saying: Deacon John White  
Third Saying: Deacon Michael Hardy  
Fourth Saying: Deacon Barry Newsome  
Fifth Saying: Deacon Glenn Blackwell  
Sixth Saying: Deacon Jerald Stark  
Seventh Saying: Deacon Michael Wilson



#### **Resurrection Sunday, April 5—10:00 a.m.**

Theme: "The Road to Calvary". Preacher: Pastor Carl M. Johnson. Special presentations by the Music & Fine Arts Ministry.

