

**MT. PLEASANT MENNONITE CHURCH****“Reaching Up, Together, Out!”**

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**If you are visiting with us today, please fill out a visitor card and place it in the offering box at the back of the sanctuary. Please join us again next Sunday.**

Childcare is provided during the Worship Service in the Nursery (at the back of the sanctuary) for infants and toddlers up to 3 years old.

**9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Adult Richard Kephart  
 Sanctuary

Young Adult Mike and Tina Harrell  
 Upstairs Sunday School Room

Youth Christina Mast  
 Fellowship Hall

Children Children's Sunday School Team  
 Fellowship Hall

Prelude

**10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn Led by Neady Harris

Announcements, Call to Worship, John Miller  
 Sharing Time, Congregational Prayer

Worship Music - Hymns Led by Neady Harris

Message Pastor Nevin Mast

“Are We Ready?”- The Ten Bridesmaids  
 Matthew 25:1-13

**Announcements**

**Sunday, October 5, we will be having communion.**

**Women's Bible Study**

**Join us for a 7-session study through the Book of Ephesians.** Together, we'll not only explore the richness of this powerful letter, but also learn how to study the Bible and listen for God's voice speaking personally through His Word.

**Mon., September 22 - November 3, from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m., at the church**

**Tues., September 23 - November 4, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., at MPCS in the Upper Room**

**Please sign up by letting Kelly Keffer know at [kellyskeffer@outlook.com](mailto:kellyskeffer@outlook.com) or call/text 757-630-0163. Also, contact Kelly if you need childcare.**

**Youth!** Join us at Mt. Pleasant Christian School in the Upper Room on Sunday, September 28, from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. for a devotion with Pastor Nevin followed by indoor/outdoor games and snacks. - The Mt. Pleasant Mennonite Church Youth Group is for youth in grades 6-12.

**Senior Youth Bible Study on Friday, October 17, from 6:30-8:30 p.m., at Ricky and Samantha Keffer's house for dinner/ snacks, games, and a devotional. (ages 16-19)**  
 Keffer address: 115 Birchview Court, Moyock, NC 27958

**Mt. Pleasant Men's Fellowship**

We don't have to look far to see division in our world. And in many ways, we are confused, angry, and disillusioned by all the chaos we're experiencing. How should Christians respond to the chaos? What does it look like to live faithfully in these strange and challenging times? **Join with us as we engage with bestselling author Bob Goff in a video series called *Love In Chaos*** as he helps us answer these questions. Learn what it looks like to follow Jesus and obey his commands even in a time of chaos. **Monday, September 29, at 6:30 p.m., in the Upper Room at Mt. Pleasant Christian School.**

**You're Invited!** Join us for a Baby Shower honoring Madison & Cameron Mullineaux. On **Saturday, October 11, at 11:00 a.m.**, Church Fellowship Hall. **Let's come together to celebrate the sweet baby boy who will soon be joining their family! The couple is registered on Amazon. Please RSVP to Kelly Keffer at 757-630-0163. All are welcome—we hope to see you there!**

## **Ministry Team Sunday Schedule**

### **Sunday, September 28, 2025**

#### **Greeters**

Morgan and Parker Delagrange

#### **Usher**

Michael Miller

#### **Audio**

Jerry Wood

#### **Facebook**

Mike Harrell

#### **Nursery Attendant**

Ashley Yoder

### **Sunday, October 5, 2025**

#### **Greeters**

John and Anita Miller

#### **Usher**

Kevin Pepper

#### **Audio**

Jason Zook

#### **Facebook**

Colton Keffer

#### **Nursery Attendants**

Morgan and Parker Delagrange

### **Leadership Committee**

*Nevin Mast - Lead Pastor   Keith Miller - Associate Pastor  
Lynn Keffer - Administrative   John Miller - Community Life  
Inga Mast - Missions & Evangelism   Nancy Deal - Worship  
Bob Walker - Spiritual Growth*

*Leadership Committee meets the second Thursday of each month. Please contact Pastor Nevin if you have any agenda items you wish to have heard.*

**We need two more ushers.** Usher duties include: seating incoming people, operating the passenger lift, receiving offerings, counting and reporting attendance of Sunday morning worship services, and monitoring the worship services from the back of the church. If you would be willing to serve as an usher, please get in touch with Ricky Keffer (757-777-4211) or Christina Mast (757-482-2215). ~ Thank you!

### **Prayer and Praise**

**Merv Troyer** has ongoing sciatic nerve pain and is facing congestive heart failure; however, praise the Lord, it is not in the end stage. He is being treated for pneumonia and working towards being able to walk again. Let's remember Merv and Nina in prayer as the Lord leads.

**Crystal Christensen** wrote, "Thank you for the beautiful flowers from the Good Cheer Committee, the cards, the meals, and the prayers from the congregation." Let's continue to cover Crystal and her family in prayer as Crystal recovers from her double mastectomy surgery.

**Shirley Keffer** has been diagnosed with colon and liver cancer. Let's cover Shirley in prayer as she waits for her chemotherapy to begin. Also, let's hold Dale up in prayer; may the Lord bless him with a peace that surpasses understanding as he stands with Shirley at this difficult time.

**James and Carol Wenger** wrote conveying their thanks to the Mt. Pleasant congregation for our support, cards, and prayers during James' illness. James wrote, "I have a heart full of gratitude towards everyone at Mt. Pleasant. May God continue to bless you, the leadership team, and each person at Mt. Pleasant."

**Dwight Morris**, Sharyn Brown's landlord, had surgery on his elbow in hopes of locating the source of his pain. Please pray for wisdom regarding his care.

**Opie Besso** continues to receive chemotherapy treatment for his liver tumors. Please pray for wisdom, strength, and healing.

**Doris Zook** is recovering from broken ribs and significant facial wounds; may the Lord continue to bless her with His healing touch.

**Julie Cook** continues to face health struggles. Let's remember her in prayer.

Let's remember **our nation** in prayer. Also, as the conflict in **Israel** continues, let's not become weary in praying for peace in the Middle East.

Let's cover **Easton Hoppe** in prayer. He has been diagnosed with a brain tumor. Easton is a first grader at MPCS and the son of Santana Hoppe, MPCS secretary/nurse. At this time, they do not know if the tumor is cancerous.

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**October 5, 2025 - Communion Sunday**

**MPCS Indoor Yard Sale** - October 18, from 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**Harvest Festival at Mt. Pleasant Mennonite Church** - October 25, 4 - 7 p.m.

