

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 Diane Kephart
 Sanctuary

Young Adult Mike and Tina Harrell
 Upstairs Sunday School Room

Youth Pastor Nevin Mast
 Fellowship Hall

Children Children’s Sunday School Team
 Fellowship Hall

Prelude

10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn Gospel Group

Welcome John Miller

Lighting of Fourth Advent Candle Mike and Tina Harrell

Announcements & Call to Worship John Miller

Ministry Update - Lezha, Albania Dini and Klementina Shahini

Congregational Sharing & Prayer John Miller

Worship Music Gospel Group

Message Pastor Keith Miller

"Christmas or Xmas"
 Matthew 1 & Luke 2

Giving Tree

Let’s help supply hot lunches to the Roma students at Lezha Academic Center. Take an ornament from the Christmas tree in the fellowship hall. Lunches for one student for one month are \$25. Please place your check in the offering made out to MPMC and earmarked “LAC”.

Do you need a Christmas treat? Trays of frozen apple dumplings are for sale for \$35 each_ (6 dumplings to a tray). Please see Christina Keffer or Christina Mast to buy a tray. Proceeds go towards the sanctuary upgrade.

Mt. Pleasant Men’s Fellowship (MPMF)**Study Series: The Revelation of Jesus Christ**

Join us each Monday evening at 6:30 pm in the Upper Room at Mt. Pleasant Christian School. We are currently taking a prophetic journey through the extraordinary book of Revelation which unveils the culmination of God’s plan for humanity and affirms that Jesus Christ is the fulfillment of every divine promise. Come ready to grow, be encouraged, and see Jesus more clearly than ever before. We look forward to seeing you there!

At Rosedale International (RI), December means our annual Christmas Brochure Project. This year, Rosedale Business Group (RBG) has selected seven projects for churches, families, and small groups to consider supporting in the Christmas season. Each project is led by a trusted ministry associated with RI’s workers or in relationship with RBG.

If you feel led to give, please visit give.rosedalebusinessgroup.org for information about each project. To receive a tax-deductible receipt, donations must be postmarked by December 31, 2025.

Ministry Team Sunday Schedule

Sunday, December 21, 2025

Greeters

Morgan and Parker Delagrangre

Usher

Kevin Pepper

Audio

Kurt Jarchow

Facebook

Mike Harrell

Nursery Attendant

Grace Mast

Sunday, December 28, 2025

Greeters

Mike and Joy Morris

Usher

Chris Slabaugh

Audio

Jerry Wood

Facebook

Colton Keffer

Nursery Attendant

Christina Mast

Leadership Committee

*Nevin Mast - Lead Pastor Keith Miller - Associate Pastor
Lynn Keffer - Administrative John Miller - Community Life
Inga Mast - Missions & Evangelism Neady Harris - 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.

Prayer and Praise

Alan Keffer was admitted to the hospital on Wednesday, December 17, after experiencing stroke-like symptoms and is currently undergoing medical testing at Sentara Princess Anne Hospital. He would deeply appreciate your prayers as the tests continue and as doctors consult to determine the best course of care for his health.

Randi Webb and Caia Mast underwent extensive knee surgeries last week. Praise the Lord! Both of their surgeries were successful. Let's remember them in prayer as they recover and begin physical therapy.

Frances Jean Tull peacefully went home to be with the Lord on Thursday, December 11. Let's remember **Jamie and Teresa Bradshaw and their family** in prayer as they grieve Frances Jean's passing.

Please pray for **Chuck McGarity, Laura Mast's father**. He is receiving hospice care after a battle with lung cancer. Please pray that he accepts Jesus as his Savior and knows comfort and peace in the coming days.

Let's continue to pray for **Crystal Christensen** and her family as she receives radiation treatment.

Let's cover **Paul and Doris Zook, Shirley Keffer, Sandy Lehman, Danny Strong, Herbert Wenger, Betty Vanderploeg, and Julie Cook's** health in prayer.

SAVE THE DATE:



Christmas Eve Service

December 24, 2025, at 6:30 p.m.

Christmas Eve Refreshments We'd appreciate contributions of finger foods and cookies for a light snack following the Christmas Eve service. Please bring generous helpings, so we may offer guests a snack after the service.

