

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.**9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL**Adult Keith Miller
SanctuaryYoung Adult Mike and Tina Harrell
Upstairs RoomYouth Christina Mast
Fellowship HallChildren Children’s Sunday School Team
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Prelude Jamie Bradshaw

10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome & Opening Prayer Pastor Nevin

Opening Hymn Hosanna Team

Announcements & Scripture John Miller
Sharing & Congregational PrayerPrayer of Blessing for Spiritual Oversight Council Elders Pastor Nevin
Bob Walker and John Miller

Worship Music Hosanna Team

Message Pastor Nevin

“The Realities of Heaven: Heaven is a Place”
Colossians 3:1-4, John 14:1-3**There is a baby shower for Josh and Kathryn Tabor on March 2nd in Kansas.** Tina Harrell, Nina Troyer and several other women from their family will be flying there on March 1st to attend this celebration. If you would like to bless this sweet family with a baby gift, they are registered on Amazon. You can select a gift from the baby registry, and it will be shipped directly to their address. Be sure to fill out the gift message so they know who sent it. A second option is a gift card. Gift cards may be given to Tina or Nina to take with them. Please do not give them a gift to take as luggage space is limited. *Call Kelly Keffer at 757-630-0163 if you have any questions or need help getting a card to Tina or Nina.***SAVE THE DATES:****February 21** - Everyone is invited to a **Fellowship Potluck Dinner** at church. Please bring a main dish and a side or dessert to share.**MPCS Yard Sale - February 24**Proceeds support the 8th grade mission trip to Puerto Rico. Donations are being accepted and may be dropped off on the table outside the school gym. For larger donations, please contact Christina Keffer (ckeffer@mtpleasantchristian.org)**February 25, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.** - The youth will meet at the church. *The Mt. Pleasant Mennonite Church Youth Group is for youth in grades 6-12.*

Ministry Team Sunday Schedule

Sunday, February 11, 2024

Greeters

Ed and Cathy Yoder

Usher

Chris Slabaugh

Audio

Jerry Wood

Video

Ryan Keffer

Facebook

Colton Keffer

Nursery Attendant

Grace Mast

Sunday, February 18, 2024

Greeters

Ronnie and Christina Keffer

Usher

Ricky Keffer

Audio

Kurt Jarchow

Facebook

Steven McVicker

Nursery Attendant

Anne McVicker

Leadership Committee

Nevin Mast - Lead 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.

Colossians 3:1-4 (NLT)

1 Since you have been raised to new life with Christ, set your sights on **the realities of heaven**, where Christ sits in the place of honor at God's right hand. 2 Think about the things of heaven, not the things of earth. 3 For you died to this life, and your real life is hidden with Christ in God. 4 And when Christ, who is your life, is revealed to the whole world, you will share in all his glory.

Prayer and Praise

Lynn Keffer had a shoulder replacement surgery on February 6. Let's join with him and Debbie in giving the Lord praise for a successful surgery, and let's continue to pray Lynn's road to recovery will stay on track.

Let's cover **Betty Vanderploeg** in prayer. She has colon and liver cancer and will begin chemotherapy on Monday, February 12.

Anne McVicker's cousin, Bernie, was in remission after fighting glioblastoma, but the malignant brain tumor has returned. Let's lift Bernie to the Lord in prayer; may He renew her strength and restore her health.

Doris Zook is receiving inpatient rehab. care to regain strength. Let's remember Doris and Paul in prayer during this time of health challenges.

Sandy Lehman had wrist surgery. Let's remember Sandy in prayer; may the Lord bless her with a swift recovery.

Let's continue to lift **Jim Leader, LaVerne Weaver, Opie Besso, and Ken Kurtz** to the Lord in prayer as they battle cancer.

Let's remember **Stanley Rhodes** in prayer as he recovers from a kidney stone.

As the conflict in **Israel** continues, let's not become weary in praying for peace in Jerusalem.

We ask for continued prayer for the Lord's provision of a Young Adult Sunday School Teacher.