

**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 - Matthew 11:1-19  
 March 9- Matthew 11:20-30

Bob Walker  
 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

Neady Harris

**10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Opening Hymn

Gospel Group

Announcements, Scripture,  
 Sharing Time, & Congregational Prayer

Mike Morris

Worship Music

Gospel Group

Message

Pastor Keith

“Renewing Your Mind”  
 Romans 12:1-2

**Announcements****Mt. Pleasant Men's Fellowship (MPMF)**

The Monday night bible study will be meeting on **March 3, at 6:30 p.m.** The Dr. David Jeremiah audio series, *The Book of Signs*, has been shedding light weekly on the end time events and cultural attitudes we see around us in our day. Come join us! The men meet at Mt. Pleasant Christian School in the “Upper Room”.

**Drive In Movie at MPCS on Saturday, March 8, parking at 6:00 p.m., movie at 6:30 p.m.** All proceeds go to the MPCS 8th grade mission trip to Puerto Rico.

**Monthly small group for young adults/couples/families.** Join James, Robin, Grayson and Rachel on **March 2, at 6:00 p.m.**, at James and Robin's home for a time of fellowship. At our first gathering, we will discuss a few resources that will help structure future meetings. Please reach out to Robin (757) 646-1611 or Rachel (540) 236-8542 if you are interested or have any questions!

**Pastor Nevin will be leading a Faith Formation Class for youth who are considering baptism.** The class will begin on **Sunday, March 2, at 6:00 p.m.**, at the church. The class will meet every Sunday through April 13. Those who complete the class and desire baptism, may be baptized on Easter Sunday, April 20. **Please let Pastor Nevin know if you would like to be part of the class.** If any adult desires baptism, please speak with Pastor Nevin, and other baptism preparation arrangements will be made.

**On Mother's Day, May 11, we will be having a child dedication** during the Worship Service. If you would like to have your child dedicated or if you have questions about child dedication, please speak with Pastor Nevin or Pastor Keith.

**BOOST Retreat**

Rosedale Network's annual **BOOST Retreat for business owners** will be held at Eden Resort in Lancaster, PA, **March 20-22, 2025.** Guest speakers Peter Greer, Dave Musser, and Lyn Byler will focus on the theme of Navigating Change in Your Business. Special features will include tours of local businesses and a Sight & Sound showing of Noah. For more info and to register for this event, please visit <https://rosedalenetwork.org/rosedale-network-events/boost-retreat/>

## Ministry Team Sunday Schedule

### Sunday, March 2, 2025

#### **Greeters**

Ricky and Samantha Keffer

#### **Usher**

Michael Miller

#### **Audio**

Kurt Jarchow

#### **Facebook**

Colton Keffer

#### **Nursery Attendant**

Robin Booth

### Sunday, March 9, 2025

#### **Greeters**

Ronnie and Christina Keffer

#### **Usher**

Chris Slabaugh

#### **Audio**

Kurt Jarchow

#### **Video**

John Miller

#### **Facebook**

Steven McVicker

#### **Nursery Attendant**

Ashley Yoder

### 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.*

## Prayer and Praise

**Richard Tull** went home to be with the Lord on February 17. Let's cover Frances Jean, Jamie and Teresa, and the Tull and Bradshaw families in prayer as they grieve Richard's passing.

Let's cover **Crystal Christensen and her family** in prayer as she discerns with her physician a plan to treat her diagnosis of breast cancer. We ask that the Lord would touch her body and prevent the cancer from spreading and that she may experience complete healing.

Olivia Rhodes' daughter, **Amanda**, has had a second back surgery. Let's remember her in prayer as she recovers.

Debbie Bergey wrote, "Thank you all so much for on-going prayer for our Dad, **Herbert Wenger**, over the last months. He was recently diagnosed with oral cancer and has been cleared for surgery by his cardiologist; we were grateful to receive that report recently. We'll get more direction from CT scan results and consultations with surgeons this coming week. We ask for continued prayer as Dad's story continues to unfold."

**Sandy Lehman** has an infection in the area where she recently had shoulder surgery which required additional surgery. Let's remember Sandy in prayer; may the Lord heal her shoulder without any additional complications.

Let's cover the families of the two **Virginia Beach officers** who were killed in the line of duty. May their families experience you, Lord, as they grieve.

**Carole Butler's** health has improved some along with her eating. She will need to move to a nursing home or long term care facility soon. The family is requesting prayer for guidance on finding the right living situation for her.

Let's remember **Elsie Miller** in prayer as she receives hospice care. Also, let's remember Elsie's family in prayer; may the Lord be close to each one of them.

Please pray for **Oy Troyer** as she goes through the steps to become a U.S. citizen especially on March 13, when she has her interview.

Let's continue to lift **Betty Vanderploeg** to the Lord in prayer.

**Judy Turner** has been hospitalized. Let's remember her in prayer.

Let us remember to pray for peace in Israel. Psalm 122:6-7 AMP "Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: 'May they prosper who love you [holy city].' 'May peace be within your walls and prosperity within your palaces.'" In addition to our petitions for peace, we pray for the hostages' release.

## **YOUTH SCHEDULE:**

*The Mt. Pleasant Mennonite Church Youth Group is for youth in grades 6-12.*

**Thursday, March 6 - Rollerskating at Greenbrier Family Skating Center**

We'll be meeting outside the entrance of the Skating Center at **5:50 p.m.**

Please bring \$5 to put towards your ticket (skates & pizza included). Please bring money for any additional snacks you may want to purchase. **RSVP** to Christina Mast via the church email [mpmcoffice@gmail.com](mailto:mpmcoffice@gmail.com) or Christina Keffer [ckeffer@mtpleasantchristian.org](mailto:ckeffer@mtpleasantchristian.org) The skating will end at **8:30 p.m.**

**A completed Registration Form for Minors is needed and will be emailed when an RSVP is received.**

## *Women's Bible Study!*

**The Women's Ministry Team** (WMT) has chosen *When You Pray* by Kelly Minter for a 7-session Women's Bible study starting on **Monday, March 10, from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.,** at the church **OR Tuesday, March 11, from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** Choose the date that works best for you. The study will run through April 28 and 29 respectively. (They will not meet the week of April 14 and 15.)



*When You Pray* includes six beloved Bible teachers who will help you study prayers in the Bible that can inspire your own.

Sign up is **not** required; however, if you would like a book to be ordered for you and/or you will want childcare, please let Kelly Keffer know at [kellyskeffer@outlook.com](mailto:kellyskeffer@outlook.com) or call/text 757-630-0163.

The cost of the book is \$25 on Amazon. Scholarships for books are available. (Contact Kelly for a scholarship.)

**We look forward to learning more about prayer with you!**

