

# THE MT. COMFORT CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

1.12.2025

Order of Worship Worship Leader Mario Alvara<u>do</u>

Step by Step

Welcome Nathan Madrid

Hosana Great Are You <u>Lord</u>

Prayer Joseph Leonard

Praise the Lord Alas And Did My Savior Bleed

Communion/Offering
Jim Mears

God Is So Good (Children's Offering) I Stand Amazed

Message Nathan Jorgenson

Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

Shepherd's Blessing Mike Huddleston

Attended Nursery available in Room 106, intended for babies in the two year old class and younger. This is available during the entire worship service.

Children's Church available in Room 211, for ages 3 through kindergarten. Parents can take their children upstairs after the children's offering & pick them up immediately after worship service concludes.

#### **ELDER SPOTLIGHT: JOE FOSHE**

New year, New Vision, Resolutions, etc.!

As we begin a new year, we often start by planning to do things better or more efficiently than we did the past year. Nothing wrong with that as long as our purpose and focus is doing God's will and seeking his direction!

Let us ask ourselves, do our visions and resolutions focus on ourselves, or on honoring God? Please be in prayer for the future of all the efforts of Mt Comfort as we seek to do God's will!

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not to your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and he will make your paths straight.

Proverbs 3:5-6

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Jan 12	@ Robinson Ave 5:00pm
Jan 24	Single Seniors Game Day 1:00 pm — 4:00 pm
Jan 25	Men's Breakfast 8:00am — 9:30am
Feb 1	<b>Daddy Daughter Date Night</b> 5:00pm — 8:00pm

#### **PRAYER LIST**

Prayer Requests will be printed on this list for up to 3 weeks at a time, unless further updates are received by the church office. Requests can be submitted by email through Thursday mornings to office@mountcomfort.org. Thanks!

**Deena Costen** fell and broke her hip. She had hip replacement surgery Wednesday, January 8th. Please be in prayer for her recovery.

**John Hebard** had appt January 9th to discuss his MRI results. John requests our prayers as he deals with this issue.

**Johnnie Thibodaux's** hip replacement surgery was canceled due to high blood sugar. Please pray that this drops to a level allowing surgery in the near future.

Mary Batson is still weak and would like your prayers for healing and strength.

**Charlene Gretzmier**, David Gretzmier's mom, is out of the hospital and taking a new medication for fluid on her heart. Please continue to keep her in your prayers.

**Sister Mundita** in Honduras had cataract surgery on her first eye. Please pray for successful recovery and continued prayers for future surgery of the other eye.

We offer our deepest sympathy to **Lori Justice and family**, at the passing of her grandpa, **Willis Duncan** on December 29th. Please keep them in your prayers during this difficult time.

#### **CONTINUE TO REMEMBER...**

Eddie Kinzer Kyle Hunter Becky Tyree Glen "Pops" Wade Lila Campbell Lorene Adams Jessica Collins Kathy Walsh Harold Shook Wendi Super Janet Riegle Mary Bruce

#### THOSE SHUT IN...

Joe Conley Kathy Hayes Libby Laningham Jack & Brenda Richardson Margie Slasor Janice Umberger

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

01/13 Dwight Canfield Katherine Samuel 01/14 Lynda Mills 01/15 Brooke Bailey Orien Choate Maci Elkins 01/18 Scott Erks

01/15 Ken & Deena Coston

# **NEWS AND NOTES**

#### **PRAISE**

We rejoice with **Emma Elkins** in her decision to be baptized into Christ on Wednesday, **December 25th**. Please keep Emma, and her family, in your prayers as she begins her new life as a Christian. Welcome to the family, Emma!

#### **Building Loan Paid In Full!**

Great News! It's with thankful hearts to God that we can announce that the new Children's Classroom Addition has been paid in full as of the 1st of Jan. This is about 7 months sooner than expected and will allow us to complete some auditorium improvements in the near future. We give all praise and glory to God for the generosity of our church family and our hope is that this addition will help spread the Good News to many young children for years to come. "Thank You" to all who were able to participate by prayers and giving.

The Elders



#### **Ladies Tuesday Bible Class**

The Ladies Tuesday morning Bible class is on a break for the holidays. The class will resume on **January 14th at 9:30am** and will be studying 1 & 2 Timothy. All ladies are

welcome and encouraged to attend!

#### Pleasant Valley Ladies Day February 22, 2025 from 9am-2pm

Save the Date! The ladies of the Pleasant Valley congregation in Van Buren are hosting a Ladies Day on Feb 22 from 9am -2pm. The speaker will be Erynn Sprouse, co-creator of "Come Fill Your Cup" on the topic of "Riding the Fence."

#### Men's Breakfast

We are having a breakfast for all men who want to come. The last Saturday of each month we will meet at the building. Breakfast will start about 8:30. We will have time devoted to fellowship, a short devotional, and discuss our roles in serving and building up the church. Hope to see you there!

We can manage our emotions and thoughts. We have the power to control our feeling and can master our emotions.

Don't worry about anything but pray about everything, with thankful hearts offer up your prayers and requests to God. Then because you belong to Christ Jesus, God will bless you with peace that no one can completely understand. This peace will control the way you think and feel.

Phil 4:6-7

#### **OUR SHEPHERDS**

Joe Foshe	479-601-2122
Huston Givens	479-443-2702
Mike Huddleston	479-466-0634
Rick Hudgeons	479-799-6470
Rich Leonard	479-466-8921
Mark Mahaffey	479-263-6674
Allen Morningstar	616-638-1074
Matt Morningstar	479-790-8428
Anthony Spencer	479-238-5187
Kenneth Wilcox	479-422-0673
Keith Winn	406-591-5163

To email a shepherd, please send a message to elders@mountcomfort.org

#### **OUR MINISTERS**

Nathan Jorgenson - Pulpit Minister njorgenson@mountcomfort.org

Justus Bobo - Campus Minister jbobo@razorbacksforchrist.com

C.J. Grimes - Youth Minister cigrimes@mountcomfort.org

Matt Wilson - Involvement Minister mwilson@mountcomfort.org

Sara Chance - Children's Minister schance@mountcomfort.org

Glenda Davis LPC. LMFT - Christian Counselor www.mtcomfortcounseling.com

#### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:30am to 2:30pm

office@mountcomfort.org



479-316-4597

After school care until 5 pm.

## Community Food Pantry

3281 W Mount Comfort Rd Open Wednesdays, 9am - 11am Members anytime by appointment banford@mountcomfort.org



Bible Class 9:00am 'Seeing Jesus" Life Group 5:00pm

Monday Freshman Dinner & Bible Study 6:30pm



#### RAZORBACKS FOR CHRIST

608 N Storer Fayetteville AR 72701 www.razorbacksforchrist.com

Tuesday V-Ball/Ultimate & Devo @ Creekside Park 5:00-8:00pm Wednesday

Bible Class at MC 6:30pm Thursday
Girls and Guys Bible Study
7:00pm



If you would like to send your contribution electronically, please scan to be taken to our Give+ Portal.

### 2024 –25 BUDGET CONTRIBUTION RECORDS

Weekly Contribution	\$31,677.00	Building Expansion	on Project
Weekly Budget	\$20,667.00	Total Bldg Cost	\$1,649,637 +/-
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Weekly Average	\$21,406.75	Bldg Contributions	\$750,658.30
Weekly Children's	\$60.00	2024 Reco	ords
YTD Children's	\$2,389.36	Weekly Contribution	\$18,513.30
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#### **2024 ATTENDANCE RECORDS**

Sunday, January 5		Wednesday, January 9		
Bible Class	257	Devo & Bible	111	
Worship	428			