



MOUNT PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

September 25, 2022 • 11:00 AM
Sixteenth Sunday After Pentecost

**Please stand as you are able.
Please turn off your cell phones or place them on "vibrate."*

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Circle of Welcome • Bruce McAdams

PRELUDE

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise
Jo Hethcox, Guest Organist

Arr. Harald Rohling

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 14

One: The Lord looks down from heaven to see if there are any who are wise, who seek after God.

All: They have all gone astray, there is no one who is good, no, not one.

One: Have they no knowledge, those who devour God's people and do not call upon the Lord?

All: O that our deliverer would come! Lord, restore our lives and make us glad.

*HYMN #12

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

*CALL TO CONFESSION

*SILENT CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*One: O Lord, forgive your foolish people. We are skilled in doing evil, but we do not know how to do good.
Create in us a clean heart, O God;*

All: put a new and right spirit within us.

One: In the folly of our hearts, we live as though there is no God. Create in us a clean heart, O God;

All: put a new and right spirit within us.

One: We forget all you have done for us, and make false idols to be our gods. Create in us a clean heart, O God;

All: put a new and right spirit within us.

One: We act faithlessly, violently, and scorn your name. Create in us a clean heart, O God;

All: put a new and right spirit within us. Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI #581

Glory Be to the Father

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM

Grace Elizabeth Wolf, Child of Laurel & Jacob Wolf

BAPTISM HYMN #486

*Child of blessing, child of promise, baptized with the Spirit's sign,
with this water God has sealed you unto love and grace divine.*

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Courtney Kraus

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION AND OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 14
Gregg Miller

NEW TESTAMENT READING AND SERMON

Re: Boot Pt. 2 - RE: imagine Regret

1 Timothy 1:12-17
Rev. Bart Edwards

ANTHEM

Amazing Grace • Arr. Brian L. Hanson

*Amazing grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now I'm found was blind but now I see.*

*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear and grace my fears relieved.
How precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed.*

*Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come.
'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far and grace will lead me home.*

*When we've been here ten thousand years bright, shining as the sun.
We've no less days to sing God's praise than when we first begun.
Amazing grace, amen.*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING

We are grateful for your gifts that support the mission and ministry of the Body of Christ. Please visit onrealm.org/mppc/give/now to give online.

OFFERTORY

Toccata in C major

Frescobaldi

*DOXOLOGY #609

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word and Spirit one, Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

LORD'S PRAYER/PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*HYMN #39

Great is Thy Faithfulness

*BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

John Rutter

POSTLUDE

Fugue in C major

Dietrich

OUR PASTORS

Rev. Dr. Danie DeBeer
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Rev. Bart Edwards
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SESSION & DIACONATE

A list of our session members and deacons can be found at mppc.net/about. Find session documents and more information at mppc.net/our-session.

CHILDCARE

Childcare for children (infant through pre-K) is available for all worship and education times. Wiggle Bags are available for children who remain in worship in the Narthex during the 11 a.m. service.

WHERE TO GO:

Nursery (Nursery Room)
2/3s (SB 102)

4s (SB 103)

K-1st Grade (GH 220)

2nd-3rd Grade (GH 220)

4th-5th Grade (GH 220)

PASTOR ON CALL

After hours: 843-901-9977.

FIRST AID

In case of an emergency, please call 911. AEDs (defibrillators) are located around MPPC in the narthex, in the front office, outside Fellowship Hall 2, and in the lobby of Grace Hall.

HEARING DEVICES

Available in the narthex.

FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary are given by **Ellen Gower**, to the glory of God and in honor and celebration of the baptism of Grace Elizabeth Wolf.

ADOPT A DAY AT HOPE HOUSE

SEPTEMBER 2

In Honor of Linda Stout who graciously donated a kidney to Alan 12 years ago; Given by Alan and Connie McNeel

SEPTEMBER 3

In Memory of Marion Jones for her 12th Birthday; Given by Dean Rowell

SEPTEMBER 3

In Memory of Linda's Husband, Rusty Stout; Given by Alan and Connie McNeel

SEPTEMBER 4

In Memory of David Gavin; Given by Ron and Katie Gavin

SEPTEMBER 8

In Memory of our children, William and Christina Marsh, on the anniversary of their birthday; Given by Pamela and Bill Marsh

SEPTEMBER 9

In Memory of Tim Limbert; Given by Al and Alice Jenkins

SEPTEMBER 13

In Honor of Holly, Carter and Whitney; Given by Al and Alice Jenkins

SEPTEMBER 16

In Honor of Anne's birthday; Given by Bob Ostrom

SEPTEMBER 17

In Memory of Jerry Hogan; Given by John and Kathy Wilkerson

SEPTEMBER 19

In Memory of Paul Patrillo "Pop Pop"; Given by Karl and Miff Cone

SEPTEMBER 21

In Honor of Victor Lance; Given by Juliette Lance

SEPTEMBER 23

In Honor of Antwon Long; Given by Rosalyn Mitchell and the Mitchell Family

SEPTEMBER 24-27

In Honor of my thriving husband, Chick; Given by Nancy Dykeman

SEPTEMBER 26

In memory of Douglas Mellichamp on our wedding anniversary; Given by Susan Mellichamp

Hope House is funded by member donations, guest contributions, and community grants. It costs approximately \$50/day to operate Hope House. You can support our mission by "adopting" a day at Hope House; visit mppc.net/hope-house to make a donation.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 25, 5:30 PM

**Meal Packing With
Rise Against Hunger**
(Fellowship Hall)

October 2

**World Communion
Sunday**
(MPPC)

October 9, 3:00 PM

Blessing of the Animals
(Fellowship Hall Porch)

October 14, 3:00 PM

Pacesetters
(Fellowship Hall)

See more online at
mppc.net/events!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- This is the second Sunday of the Fall Sermon Series titled **RE:Boot**, by Pastor Bart. The full list is as follows:
Part 2 - RE:imagine Regret - Sept. 25
Part 3 - RE:frame Prayer - Oct. 9
Part 4 - RE:think Happiness - Oct. 30

- Please come and enjoy a fun evening of music, fellowship and good BBQ and all the fixins'. Robbie Royall and friends will be entertaining **the Pacesetters** with county, bluegrass and gospel songs on **Friday, October 14**. The dinner menu includes tender pulled pork, juicy shredded chicken, choice of barbecue sauce, mac and cheese, creamy coleslaw and sandwich buns. RSVP to Susan Mellichamp by Monday, October 10th at 843-697-2111 or susanmell@mac.com. Cost is \$15/person paid at the door. Doors to the Fellowship Hall open: 5:45 pm; Dinner 6 pm; Program, 7 pm.

- If you or someone you know is unable

to attend worship and would like to **receive communion from MPPC Deacons in your home** on Sunday afternoon, October 2, please contact Alanna Barrett at abarrett@mppc.net by Wednesday, September 28.

- Join us for a **Blessing of the Animals** Worship Service as we express our thanks for God's creative power and sustaining care and acknowledge God's call to us to be stewards of creation and especially the animals that are placed in our care. This service will take place at 3 p.m. on **Sunday, Oct. 9th** on the Fellowship Hall porch. Please bring your animal companions - leashed or caged, real or stuffed or represented by a photograph - as well as a chair for sitting, if desired, and a voluntary offering of pet food for ECCO.

GIVING & FINANCIALS

Visit onrealm.org/mppc/give/ now to give online or scan the QR code below. Please reach out to Finance Director Glenn Hair with any questions.



	YTD	WE 9/18/22
Total Giving & Other Revenue	\$ 1,205,805.83	\$ 19,270.95
Total Expenses	\$ 1,531,518.83	\$ 55,144.73
Operating Cash Balance at 9/18/22	\$ 43,516.39	
Restricted Funds Borrowed for Operations at 9/18/22		\$ -

I'M NEW!

Thank you for your presence today, worship is such a special time and we are glad you chose to spend that time with us! If you would like to learn more about MPPC, join our community or get involved outside of worship, here are a few suggested next steps:

- Visit mppc.net/new to find the answers to your most frequently asked questions. (You can find information about our new member classes there as well).
- Read our monthly newsletter, *The Pelican*, at mppc.net/newsletter or subscribe to our weekly enewsletter at mppc.net/sign-up-for-updates.
- Follow our Facebook and Instagram (@mtpleasantpres).
- Check out some of our upcoming events and volunteer opportunities at mppc.net/events or mppc.net/volunteer.
- Stop by and say hi! Whether its during the week or after worship, our pastors, staff and members would love to meet you and show you around MPPC. Our office is open Monday-Thursday from 9-5 and on Fridays from 9-1.
- Call us at **843-884-4612**.