



MOUNT PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*A community of faith where all are welcomed and encouraged to
actively live out God's love with energy, compassion, and joy*

May 5, 2024 • 8:30 AM
Sixth Sunday of Easter

Please turn off your cell phones or place them on "vibrate."

CALL TO WORSHIP #626

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WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SONG #627

I Love You, Lord

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of mercy, we confess that we do not always bear the fruit of the Spirit. We do not love others as you love us. We deny the promises of baptism and cut ourselves off from you. Restore us that we may abide in your love and live out your mercy, for the sake of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Glenna Durbin

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION & OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 23 • Taylor Wendell

NEW TESTAMENT READING & SERMON

"The Church At Work"

*John 10:11-18
Rev. Dr. Danie DeBeer*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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.

Apostles' Creed

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

*The Lone Wild Bird
Kirk Choir*

David N. Johnson

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

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.

CLOSING SONG #549

May the Love of the Lord

BENEDICTION

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 5, after 11am service
Confirmation Sunday
Potluck
(Fellowship Hall)

May 10, 5:30PM
**Pacesetters: Anton and
the Umaluts**
(Fellowship Hall)

May 20, 12:00pm
**Third Act: Mount
Pleasant Waterworks**
(Fellowship Hall)

See more online at
mppc.net/events!

CHILDCARE

Childcare for children (infant through Pre-K) is available for all worship and education times. (SB 110); older children will be divided into appropriate rooms). Wiggle Bags are available for children who remain in worship.

9:45AM SUNDAY SCHOOL

All classes meet from 9:45-10:45 unless otherwise noted. The following are the adult studies being offered along with their time and locations:
The Middle (GH 226) - On Purpose: Finding God's Voice in Your Passion; Connect 3 (Parlor) - Loving Fully, Dying Well (MEETS AT 9:30 A.M.); Youngish Adults (GH 221-225) - Parenting Study; The Academy of St. John (SB 206) - Painting the Stars: Science, Religion, and an Evolving. (BEGINS AT 9:15 A.M.)

FIRST AID

In case of an emergency, please call 911. AEDs (defibrillators) are located outside Fellowship Hall 2.

PASTOR ON CALL

After hours: 843-901-9977.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Help us celebrate our confirmands! **Confirmation Sunday** is THIS Sunday, May 5th at the 11 a.m. service. After welcoming all twenty-six of our newest members into the congregation, EVERYONE is invited to a potluck immediately following in the Fellowship Hall.

• The **May Pacesetters event** is **Friday, May 10** in the Fellowship Hall. We will enjoy German food and music provided by Anton and the Umlauts! Please join us! The cost is \$15 at the door. Fellowship and appetizers will take place at 5:30pm, dinner will be at 6:00pm and then the performance will begin at 7:00pm. RSVP: Susan Mellichamp by May 6, 2024 at SusanMell@mac.com or cell: 843-697-2111.

• What do you know about the water you drink? Come meet the General Manager, Allan Clum, who can answer all your questions. Mr. Clum will be

our guest speaker at our **Third Act luncheon on Monday, May 20th at 12 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a covered dish of your choice. Meat will be provided.

• Do you enjoy taking photos and looking for a way to volunteer at MPPC? Well, look no further! We are looking for **a few people to take photos as special services and events throughout the year.** You don't have to be a photographer, or even have a fancy camera (smartphones are just a good nowadays). Please **reach out to Logan**, our Communications Director, at lprochaska@mppc.net and let her know you may be interested. This is an easy way to get involved at MPPC and help us capture all our fun memories!

ADOPT A DAY AT HOPE HOUSE

MAY 1

In Honor of Hope House; Given by the Magrath family

MAY 7

In Honor of Hope House; Given by the Griffith Family

MAY 11

In Honor of all Hope House volunteers and supporters; Given by Beth Moore

MAY 12

In Honor of Hope House; Given by Kathryn and Barre Deleot

MAY 12

In Honor of Katie Cone on her first Mother's Day; Given by Karl and Miff Cone

MAY 14

In Honor of Trey Lucy on his birthday; Given by Sarah, Kate, Hayes and Leighton

MAY 15

In Honor of our Son and Daughter-in-law, Chase and Katie Cone, on the birth of their first child, Charles Harrison Cone, on 4/12/24; Given by Karl and Miff Cone

MAY 19

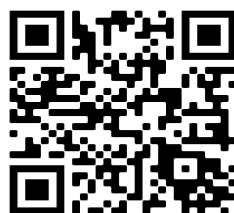
In Loving Memory of Tim Limbert; Given by Holly, Carter, and Whitney Limbert

MAY 30

In Honor of Milly Buganski on her 6th birthday; Given by David & Melissa Buganski

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 4/28/24 |
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| Total Giving & Other Revenue | \$ 710,681 | \$ 24,934 |
| Total Expenses | \$ 751,258 | \$ 32,995 |
| Operating Cash Balance at 4/28/24 | | \$96,350 |
| Thank you for your generous support of God's Kingdom work & the mission of MPPC. | | |