Youth & Teens



YOUTH GROUP

will be NOT be meeting today.

TEEN FELLOWSHIP

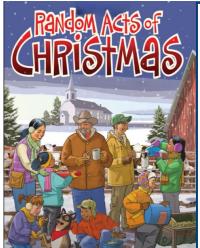
will be have their first gathering this afternoon at 4:00 in the Teen Room to plan their activities for the upcoming year.



Bible study with Pastor Rob Watkins

The Letters of Paul

- Wednesdays 6:00-7:00pm Garrison-Martin Classroom
- Sundays 6:30-7:30pm Via Zoom



YOUR EYES ARE NOT DECEIVING YOU!

It's hard to believe, but the holiday season is just around the corner, and that means it's time to prepare for the MCPC Christmas Program!

This year, we're excited to present Random Acts of Christmas—a joyful and funny show with a meaningful message. We'd love for your child to be a part of it!

WE NEED KIDS OF ALL AGES! We hope you will consider joining us!!

REHEARSALS BEGIN TODAY from 10:30-11:30 in the Sanctuary.

Please reach out to David Barnaba, our Music Director, with any questions.

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

is called for Sunday, October 12 at 10:20am to hear a report from the Nominating Committee.

They will nominate four individuals for the Deacon class of 2028, and nominations from the floor will be accepted for the three remaining positions that have not been filled yet.

Nominations from the floor must have the nominee's approval before being made.

If only seven are nominated, they will be elected by acclamation. If more than seven persons are nominated, congregational meetings will be called each Sunday at 10:20am until seven are elected.

Welcome Newcomers! We are glad you're here.

We would love to follow up to answer any questions you might have about the programs and ministries of Mallard Creek Presbyterian Church. Thanks for visiting!



Visit the Welcome Table in the Gathering Space or scan the code above to provide your contact information and communication preferences.



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The Lord's Day, October 5, 2025 10:30 Service



A Service of Worship

PRELUDE All Creatures of Our God and King Arr by Chris Rice

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION Presbyterian Women

CHORAL INTROIT Lift Up Your Voice John Goss

†CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather with saints across the ages to sit at the table with the Lord. Leader

We come to share the gifts of God, giving praise to God for all that God does. People

We come to be empowered for the life and work of faith. Leader

God is good and grace abounds! People

Praise the Lord! Let us worship the Living God! Leader

†PRAYER OF INVOCATION

†HYMN # 43 Great Is Thy Faithfulness

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God

Before we can sit at your table, we need to be cleansed of all that would keep us from being able to sit with you. Cleanse our hearts of all unrighteousness. Cleanse our minds of all fixations that lead us away from you. Cleanse our spirits from the stain of sin. Prepare us for this feast set before us. Prepare us for meeting with you. May we be fully present and fully aware of your redeeming grace this hour. Come, Lord Jesus, be with us. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Perry Deaton

Paul Baloche **OFFERING** Offering

†DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE LESSON 2 Timothy 1:1-14

SERMON Never Forget Who You Are Rev. Rob Watkins

You Are Mine MUSICAL MEDITATION David Haas

MCPC Choir

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

The Words of Institution

The Sharing of Bread and Cup

Prayer

HYMN # 562 Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart

BENEDICTION

Traditional CHORAL BENEDICTION Beautiful Savior

POSTLUDE Redeemer Nicole Mullen

†All who are able are invited to stand

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Office Administrator

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Sunday School Classes & Locations

Age 0-4 – Nursery

K-4th grade - Youth Club room 7th-12th grade – Teen room

Younger Adults – Garrison Martin room Older Adults – Morrison room Confirmation Class- Upstairs, Activity Bldg

This week at Mallard Creek

Sunday, October 5

8:30 am Worship Service in Chapel

9:00 am Coffee Fellowship (Dining Hall)

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30am Worship Service in Sanctuary

11:30 am Christmas Play Practice (Sanctuary)

3:00 pm NO Youth Group Today

4:00 pm Teen Fellowship (Teen Room) 6:30 pm Bible Study (via Zoom)

Monday, October 6

6:00 pm Circle of Rebekah (Gathering Space)

Tuesday, October 7

10:30 am Circle of Mary Anna (G. Martin) 5:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 285 (Dining Hall)

Wednesday, October 8

6:00 pm Bible Study (Garrison Martin Rm)

6:00 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal

6:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 248 (Dining Hall)

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 9

9:00 am Preschool Book Fair (Bus Garage)

5:30 pm Public Meeting (Dining Hall)

6:30 pm Finance Committee Mtg (Parlor)

6:30 pm BSA Crew 148 (Comm. House)

Friday, October 10

Church Office Closed

Saturday, October 11

9am- Wasko Family Event

5:30pm (Kitchen/Dining Hall/Gym)

Please remember to sign the attendance book with all the names of your family that are attending church today.

Thank you!

OFFICERS ON DUTY

ELDERS:

Nancy Busch, Bob Oehler, Jamie Garrison

DEACONS:

Kelly Jones, Jane Geracimos, Jordan Maddux, Tom Baker, Brian Jones

A Note For Parents With Small Children:

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me." We celebrate these words as we welcome ALL ages in worship with us. Our desire is to help you make the most

of this worship experience. Here are a few reminders:

1. There are Children's Worship Bags

and Bibles available in the back of the church.

2. There is a cry room in the Gathering Space, if you need to take a quick "time out" during the service.

3. There is a nursery for infants through age 4 downstairs from 9:30 am

Please let a Deacon know if you have any questions.

PRAYER LIST

Jean Helms Avonda Albright **Marlene Alexander Barry Hinson** David Alder (Bobbi Lisi's cousin) **Blanche and Johnny Hodges Benjamin Baker** Janet Hunter

Clyde and Linda Benfield **Shirley Hunter** Ann & Jimmy Brown

Bobby Brown The Christenbury Family

Bill Cochran

Carl Hatton

Margaret Hatton

Sheila DeArmon Guy Eberhart Brenda Garrison Jane Geracimos **Ben Hatton**

Phyllis Jones Betsy Killian

Karen Koerth Lana Lamkin (friend of Doris DeArmon)

Sheila Letica **Elaine Lord Cecil Massey Tamara Massey Debbie McCrary Bobbie Misenheimer**

Brian Mitchell (Tommy's brother)

Penny Muschett Donnie Oehler Tommy Oehler

Jenny Parker **John Pipes**

Bryan Pouliot (friend of the Alexander's)

Teddy Preslar

Donna Seaford & Lane Seaford

Lois Spradley

Linda Taylor (Nancy Busch's SisterInLaw) Pete Taylor (Garrison's Brother-In-Law)

Earl Thomas Lois Treadway

Michelle & Lane Winter

Dave York (Nancy Busch's BrotherInLaw)