JUNE 29, 2025

Welcome to Mountain Brook Baptist Church

If this is your first time at MBBC, please take a moment to fill out the "For Guests" card on the opposite page and drop it in the Narthex on your way out. We're thankful you have chosen to worship the Lord with us this morning.

CALL TO WORSHIP

MBBC PRAISE BAND

*WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

CONGREGATION

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Papa | Boswell | Getty | Merker

What is our hope in life and death? Christ alone, Christ alone. What is our only confidence? That our souls to him belong. Who holds our days within his hand? What comes, apart from his command? And what will keep us to the end? The love of Christ, in which we stand.

Chorus: O sing hallelujah! Our hope springs eternal. O sing hallelujah! Now and ever we confess, Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul? God is good, God is good. Where is his grace and goodness known? In our great Redeemer's blood. Who holds our faith when fears arise? Who stands above the stormy trial? Who sends the waves that bring us nigh, unto the shore? The rock of Christ.

Repeat Chorus

Unto the grave, what will we sing? "Christ, he lives; Christ, he lives!" And what reward will heaven bring? Everlasting life with him. Then we will rise to meet the Lord, then sin and death will be destroyed. And we will feast in endless joy when Christ is ours forevermore.

CCLI Song #7147502

WELCOME JOEL BURKS

MISSION PARTNER OF THE WEEK & PRAYER

JOEL BURKS

Lita and Rick Sample

Lita and Rick Sample are Cooperative Baptist Fellowship missionaries serving the international and refugee communities in the San Francisco Bay Area. The Bay Area is a diverse region where more than 100 languages are spoken. Lita and Rick seek to minister holistically to the international community, including immigrants and refugees from Afghanistan, Iran, Pakistan, Yemen, India, and Turkey. Teaching English language classes, partnering with ethnic churches, and hosting Bible camps for children are some of the ways the Samples strive to be effective communicators of the Gospel and God's message of love, hope and salvation. For more information about their ministry, contact Mark Rector (mark@mbbc.org).

Romans 6:1-11

*WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

CONGREGATION

Abide Dwell Song

For my waking breath, for my daily bread, I depend on you. I depend on you. For the sun to rise, for my sleep at night, I depend on you. I depend on you!

Chorus: You're the way, the truth, and the life. You're the well that never runs dry. I'm the branch, and you are the vine. Draw me close, and teach me to abide.

Where the Spirit leads, as I'm following, I depend on you. I depend on you. For the victories still in front of me, I depend on you. Yes, I depend on you!

Repeat Chorus

Be my strength, my song in the night. Be my all, my treasure, my prize. I am yours forever. You're mine. Draw me close and teach me to abide.

When I pass through death, as I enter rest, I depend on you. I depend on you. For eternal life, to be raised with Christ, I depend on you.

CCLI Song #7070345

Take My Life

Havergal | Norton Hall Band

Take my life and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of thy love; at the impulse of thy love.

Take my feet and let them be swift and beautiful for thee. Take my voice and let me sing, always, only, for my King; always, only, for my King.

Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold; take my moments and my days, let them flow with ceaseless praise; let them flow with ceaseless praise.

Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart; it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne; it shall be thy royal throne.

DOXOLOGY CONGREGATION

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here below. Praise him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

(All children are invited to meet Mrs. Amy at the pulpit during The Doxology for the Children's Message. Children 3K-5K will go to Preschool Worship following the Children's Message. If you are a guest and would like for your preschooler to go to Preschool Worship, please meet Mrs. Amy in the Narthex to be sure your child has a check-in label for security purposes.)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

AMY HIRSCH

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

WAYNE SPLAWN

MESSAGE WAYNE SPLAWN

"Whoever Loses His Life Will Find It"

Matthew 10:34-42

pg. 688 (pew Bible)

*WORSHIP THROUGH SONG

CONGREGATION

Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross Audrey Assad

Jesus, keep me near the cross: there a precious fountain, free to all, a healing stream, flows from Calv'ry's mountain.

Near the cross, a trembling soul, love and mercy found me; there the Bright and Morning Star shed his beams around me.

In the cross, in the cross be my glory ever, till my ransomed soul shall find rest beyond the river.

Near the cross! O Lamb of God, bring its scenes before me; help me walk from day to day with its shadow o'er me.

Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hoping, trusting ever, till I reach the golden strand, just beyond the river.

*BENEDICTION WAYNE SPLAWN

Colossians 3:16-17 (NIV)

¹⁶ Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.

¹⁷ And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Amplified-hearing devices are available in the Narthex. Please see a greeter for assistance.

Are you interested in attending one of our Sunday School Classes on July 13? Scan the QR code below or visit *mbbc.org/smbs* to view class options and locations.



^{*}Congregation standing

Prayer List

DEATHS

Lawrence Edwards (brother-in-law of Edna Israel)

MBBC MEMBERS/REGULAR ATTENDERS

Bill Austin, Claudette Bearden, Charlene & Milton Berryhill, Dani Berryhill, Chris Burch, Krisalyn Crye, Kay Davidson, Joyce Dawkins, Greg Dobbins, Sandy Eichelberger, Chad Fooshee, Grady Gibbons, Wayne Gowens, Betty Jo Gwin, Chuck Hardwick, Martha Isom, Karen Johnson, June Matsos, Eddie Mae McDanal, Billy McDonald, Caroline Mears, Martha Miklic, Phyllis Mitchell, Carolyn Nowlin, Jennie Pickett, Walter Pittman, Joyce Ratliff, Mary Douglas Ray, Christy Rogers, Ann Sanders, Irene Stutts, Judy Taylor, Wayne Thorn, Mark Tucker Jr., Terry Wall, Doris Wayman, Laura Zaremba

HEALTH CARE CENTERS/INDEPENDENT LIVING

Peggy Abbott, Eugenia Anderson, Betty Bowen, Bob Compher, Mary Kate Dyer, Bill Johnson, Louise Martin, Sarah Moler, Glaydell Pinson, Roger Pugh, Gailya Sargent, Juanelle Strain, Helen Thrasher-Long, Harryette Turner

Weekly Information

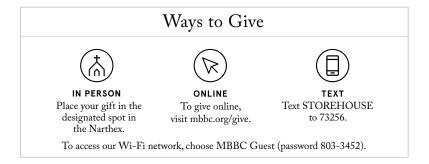
MINISTER ON CALL: JULY 4-6 Micaiah Kelly – (912) 675-4969

PROJECT 119 BIBLE READING PLAN Sunday, June 29- Saturday, July 5

Please visit mbbc.org/project119 for this week's readings.

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE Matthew 10:39 (NIV)

³⁹ Whoever finds their life will lose it, and whoever loses their life for my sake will find it.



This Week

Offices are open Monday - Thursday from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Sanctuary

10 a.m. Sunday School

Contemporary Worship | Sanctuary 11 a.m.

TUESDAY, JULY 1

ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 354 2A

WEDNESDAY, JULY 2

Adult Choir Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite 7 p.m.

THURSDAY, JULY 3

ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 354 2A 9:30 a.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 4

The church offices and CLC will be closed in observance of the Fourth of July.

SUNDAY, JULY 6

No Sunday School

Churchwide Fellowship | Hudson Hall

Combined Worship | Sanctuary

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Dr. Wayne Splawn, Senior Minister

Dr. John Piede, Deacon Chair

Mr. Vince Blackerby, Director of Operations

Mr. Joel Burks, Minister to Students

Dr. Kely Hatley, Minister of Music and ACTIVE Christian Living

Mrs. Amy Hirsch, Associate Minister for Membership and Pastoral Care

Mrs. Sharon Howard, Minister to Children and Families

Mrs. Micaiah Kelly, Associate Minister of Music

Mr. Ethan McVay, Minister to Preteen and Junior High Students

Mr. Mark Rector, Associate Minister

Mrs. Mary Splawn, Minister of Connections

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