

3.24.2024

# THE MT. COMFORT CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

CONNECTING PEOPLE TO JESUS AND ONE ANOTHER, WHILE SERVING GOD TOGETHER.

#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Worship Leader Andrew Chance

Doxology Shout Hallelujah!

Welcome Michael York

Prayer Paul Kimbrough

Praise the Lord I Need Thee Every Hour Why Did My Savior Come to Earth

Communion/Offering Horace Shipp

Jesus Never Fails (Children's Offering) Take My Life and Let It Be Jesus Is All the World to Me

Message Nathan Jorgenson

I Love to Tell the Story

Shepherd's Blessing Kenneth Wilcox

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.

# MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT: LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR CHRIST. BY MICHAEL YORK

People love the saying that "children are the future of the church". In fact, I think I said that exact statement during the LTC showcase last year. I read an article this week that reset my understanding of the LTC program though... "children aren't just the future of the church, they are the present!"

The LTC program provides an avenue for our younger friends (3rd – 12th grade) to expand their servant heart and engagement in the church. Every Sunday afternoon since January, these kids have been creating, studying, performing, and engaging with one another around a common theme of "Be Still" in the book of Exodus.

The season culminates with a convention next weekend in Kansas City. These kids are the energy and heartbeat of the present and future of our church! Pray for them, encourage them, and support them as they grow in their faith!

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

TODAY Easter Egg Hunt
After Morning Worship

Mar 27 LTC Showcase @ 6:30pm

Apr 6 RFC Campus Minister Meet & Greet with Justus & Bailey Bobo @ 6:00pm

Apr 13 - Mount Comfort Spring Ladies Day - Bulky Waste Clean-Up

- Baby & Child Blessing
- LTC Celebration Lunch

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#### **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!

**Valerie Poage** is struggling through several different health concerns right now. She and Larry hope to be able to worship in-person with us soon, but in the meantime, they appreciate all of the cards that have ben sent and the prayers on her behalf.

**Ann Yates** has been taken back to WRMC with elevated blood pressure and low oxygen. Trella believes it is hemoglobin problems associated with the colon cancer.

#### SYMPATHY

We are sad to announce the passing of our brother, **Lewis Laningham**, on Sunday March 10th. Please keep his family in your prayers as they go through this season of loss.

#### **PRAISE**

**Bill and Kathy Walsh** are the proud great grandparents of **Wells Thomas Hanna**. He was born on Feb 7th, weighing 8lbs 3oz and measuring 22in long. Congratulations!

**Bill Hartwig's** sister, **Janet Riegle**, had a PET scan last week—the treatment is working! Janet has no new cancer growth, and the current cancer is healing.

# **CONTINUE TO REMEMBER...**

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

### THOSE SHUT IN...

Joe Conley Idella Courtright Kathy Hayes Libby Laningham Jack & Brenda Richardson

Margie Slasor Janice Umberger

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

3/24 Hannah Basinger 3/28 Sarah Argo
Asher Johnson
Jamie Loftin
Derek Oliver
3/26 Tina Leonard
3/28 Sarah Argo
Avery Grimes
Peyton Scroggins
Marvin Higginbottom
3/29 Gena Horne

3/27 Indie Cooper Gary Jorgensen Stetson Mahaffey

Ethan Shipp

Brooke Scott Dana Scott

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

3/24 Paul & Tina Kimbrough
Dean & Tanya Lacy
3/26 Eddie & Lorraine Kinzer
3/27 Kenneth & Claudette Wilcox
3/29 Mario & Shirley Alvarado
3/31 Anthony & Yvonne Spencer

# **NEWS AND NOTES**

#### **Mission Sunday Contributions**

Because of your generosity, we collected \$41,587.50 on Mission Sunday! These funds will be allocated to Mount Comfort's various mission efforts coming this summer. Thank you for partnering in the Lord's work with us!

#### **Spring Picture Dates**

Members, if you have not previously had your picture taken (or your family has grown or changed), you may do so on either **April 7th or April 14th** before Bible class and after the morning worship service.

#### **Upcoming Ladies Day Opportunities**

- Mount Comfort's Ladies Day will be **Saturday, April 13th, from 9:00am-1:00pm**. The topic is "All in God's Time" and will be presented by Anna Wiles, Rebecca Vinzant's daughter. Please pre-register at mountcomfort.org/women.
- Robinson & Center (<u>in Conway</u>) is hosting a Ladies Day on **Saturday, April 13th, from 8:30am-noon**. Lori Boyd will be speaking on the topic of "Filled."

Baby/Child Blessing - Sunday Apr 14
Our Baby/Child Blessing will be at the beginning of worship on Sun., April 14. We would love to include your little one and family, if you haven't been a part of this before! Any age child is welcome to participate. If you want your child included, please contact Sara Chance at 479-445-8129. Thank you!

#### **Bulky Waste Cleanup**

Save the date - April 13 from 7:00 - 1:00pm The parking lot will be set up with waste and recycling containers to allow Fayetteville residents access to bring bulky waste items for disposal.

#### **RFC Campus Minister Interview Weekend**

Over the last six months the RFC Campus Minister Search Team has been meeting, praying and working to get to the point where we have a lead candidate for the RFC Campus Minister position. Justus Bobo has emerged as our lead candidate and will have a formal interview weekend on April 6th & 7th.

Please make plans to attend the finger food potluck and open Q&A by Justus & Bailey directly after in the auditorium on Saturday, April 6, starting at 6pm.

If you would like to hear him teach on Sunday, April 7th, you will have two options. The first is the regular RFC Bible Class in the RFC room at 9am. The second will be that evening at 5pm at the RFC House at 608 N. Storer Ave. where they have their weekly small group. There will be extra chairs set out for guests at both of these events.

After these three public events, Please make time to talk to one of the elders or one of the members of the search team (David Gretzmier, Michael Scott, & Clayton Williams) prior to **Friday, April 12**. Thank you so much for being at one of the events!

#### **Thank You Card**

Thank you, our dear church family, for your love, prayers, and support during this time of our loss. Don so loved and appreciated you all, our church family! God bless you all—thank you for blessing us.

- Sandra Keifer & Family

# **OUR SHEPHERDS**

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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** - Interim Campus Minister jbobo@razorbacksforchrist.com

**C.J. Grimes -** Youth Minister cjgrimes@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



479-316-4597 After school care until 5 pm.

# **Banford House**

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



#### RAZORBACKS FOR CHRIST

608 N Storer

Life Group @ RFC Sundays @ 5pm
Freshman Eat & Study @ RFC
Devo @ RFC House Tuesdays @ 7pm
Free Lunch @ RFC Wednesday 11am - 1pm
Guys & Gals Study @ RFC Thursdays @ 7pm



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

## 2024 CONTRIBUTION RECORDS

weekly Contribution	\$17,385.22	Building Expansion Project	
Weekly Budget	\$18,855.00	Total Bldg Cost	\$1,649,637 +/-
		Remaining Principal	\$700,392.34
Weekly Average	\$20,847.12	Bldg Contributions	\$341,410.84
Weekly Children's	\$31.05	2023 Records	
YTD Children's	\$550.56	Weekly Contribution	\$20,710.00
	*******	Weekly Average	\$17,951.40

#### 2024 ATTENDANCE RECORDS

Sunday, March 17		Wednesday, March 20	
Bible Class	200	Devo & Bible Class	104
Worship	394		