

4.27.2025

# THE MT. COMFORT CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

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

#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Worship Leader Rick Hudgeons

I Will Call Upon the Lord

Welcome Matt Morningstar

He Has Made Me Glad He Gave Me A Song The Greatest Commands Gentle Shepherd

Prayer Jim Mears

Turn My Heart

Communion/Offering David Gretzmier

In My Life, Be Glorified (*Children's Offering*)
Thy Word

Message Nathan Jorgenson

When We All Get to Heaven

Shepherd's Blessing Al Morningstar

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: AL MORNINGSTAR

First Quarter of 2025 Report on the Banford House Food Pantry

Incredible Impact: Serving Our Community
The Banford House Food Pantry has been a
beacon of hope, serving an impressive average
of 33 households or 73 individuals every week!

We're thrilled to see more of our members stopping by to pick up essentials before heading to the grocery store. This not only helps them save money but also combats the rising food prices we're all facing.

**Our Heroes: The Volunteers** 

This ministry thrives thanks to our amazing volunteers. Over the past three months, **15 dedicated individuals** have given their time and energy, with **14 of them contributing every single month**. Your commitment is the heart and soul of our mission. We are also deeply grateful for the financial support that supplements our regular budget, ensuring we can continue to serve those in need.

A Call to Action: Join Us.

We encourage everyone to feel comfortable utilizing the food pantry to ease their food budget or to think of those in our community who might benefit from this support.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

TODAY

May 24

TODAY	1:30 -2:30 pm
April 25	Single Seniors Game Day 1:00 - 4:00 pm
May 3	RFC Senior Banquet 6:00-9:00 pm
May 18	<b>Senior Sunday</b> 11:00 –1:00 pm

Youth Mission: Service Team Meeting

Hilltoppers Trip to see DAVID at Sight and

#### **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!

**Asher Ethridge,** son of **Bryan and Crystal Ethridge**, left for bootcamp on Tuesday the 15th. He will be gone for 6 months for bootcamp and AIT. Please keep him and the family in your prayers.

**Lorraine Eubanks Kinzer,** mother of **Karol Elkins,** fell and broke her ankle. She has since undergone two surgeries to repair the injury. Please pray for her healing and pray for her family as they care for her and her husband, **Eddie Kinzer.** 

#### THANK YOU

Clarence is doing well. We thank everyone for the phone calls, cards, and especially the prayers on his behalf. You are very much loved and appreciated.

~Sue & Clarence

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us. And if we know that he hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests that we have asked of him.

1 John 5:14-15 ESV

#### **CONTINUE TO REMEMBER...**

Debbie Smith Kathy Walsh
Becky Tyree Harold Shook
Mary Batson Wendi Super
Kyle Hunter Janet Riegle
Glen "Pops" Wade Mary Bruce
Lila Campbell

#### THOSE SHUT IN...

Joe Conley Kathy Hayes Libby Laningham Jack & Brenda Richardson Janice Umberger

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

#### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

4/27 Matt Mills Noah Scott

Lorene Adams Jessica Collins

4/28 Caleb Justice
Whitney Newman

Elizabeth Wood 4/29 Zane Wood

4/30 Zach Pewitt Bentlev Stout

5/01 Jacob Foster Michael York 5/03 Don Calhoun Keith Winn

4/28 Rebecca & Gene Vinzant 5/1 Jim & Marge Moran

## **NEWS AND NOTES**

#### HIGHLIGHT cont. from front page...

Remember the words of Jesus in Matthew 25: "I tell you the truth, just as you did it for one of the least of these brothers or sisters of mine, you did it for me." Let's embody this spirit of giving and compassion.

#### Stay Informed

For those interested in the details, statistics by month for the past four years are posted on the bulletin board in the hallway. Check them out to see the incredible progress we've made together!

Thank you for being a part of this vital ministry. Together, we are making a difference!

#### **LADIES BOOK CLUB**

It's time for our 2025 Book Club! Our next meeting is planned for **6:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 15th**, at Lynne Jorgenson's house (3790 E Spyglass Hill Dr., Fayetteville). Our book is *Hillbilly Elegy,* by J.D. Vance. Please RSVP to Lynne (<u>lynnej01@outlook.com</u> or 479-601-6487) to ensure that we have plenty of chairs and dessert!

#### **BABY BASKET**

Let's warmly welcome Callum Kase Cooper, son of Kasey and Danielle Cooper, Grandson of Brett and Robyn Winkle, with a blessing of diapers, wipes, or any other baby goodies you'd like to give! You'll find a basket for him in the front lobby.

#### FIRED UP FAITH

### May 5-7, 7:00 pm at the Combs Church of Christ

You are invited to a Gospel Meeting featuring Guest Speaker, Bro. Lamont Ross. See Flier on front bulletin board for details.

#### MT COMFORT ACCOUNTANT

Please send all accounting related emails to: <a href="mailto:accountant@mountcomfort.org">accountant@mountcomfort.org</a>

#### **CONGRATS SENIORS**

High school graduation is drawing near! This year, Mount Comfort has four graduating seniors: Addison Scroggins, Emma Elkins, Jacob Foster, and Orien Choate. If you want to leave a gift or card for them, it can be placed in their laundry baskets in the front hallway.

#### A NOTE FROM THE ELDERS

For many years our Sunday Morning worship Service has traditionally been restricted to a duration of 1 hour. There are times when this works good for us to offer our God our sincere worship and to carry out His commands 'decently and in order'. However, there are occasions when we need a little extra time for dedications or honoring graduates. There are also other occasions when we just need more time to convey a prayer or communion thought or sermon. So, the Elders have decided to extend the 'expected' worship duration from 1 hour to 1 hour and 15 minutes. While we will not always need that amount of time, we want our offering of worship to God to be as complete as possible.

"I was glad when they said let us go into the House of the Lord." Psalm 122:1 Thanks

The Elders

#### **SEEKING VOLUNTEER**

The Church is looking for a volunteer to take charge of the kitchen. This would include organization and tracking of supplies. There is a budget for this and the office would handle placing supply or work orders, so there should be no cost to the volunteer. If you are willing and able to help, please contact Sarah Argo for details.

#### **OUR SHEPHERDS**

Joe Foshe	479-601-2122
Huston Givens	479-443-2702
Mike Huddleston	479-466-0634
Rick Hudgeons	479-799-6470
Rich Leonard	479-466-8921
Mark Mahaffey	479-263-6674
Allen Morningstar	616-638-1074
Matt Morningstar	479-790-8428
Anthony Spencer	479-238-5187
Kenneth Wilcox	479-422-0673
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 - Campus Minister jbobo@razorbacksforchrist.com

C.J. Grimes - Youth Minister cigrimes@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

office@mountcomfort.org



479-316-4597

After school care until 5 pm.

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



Bible Class 9:00am

'Seeing Jesus"

Life Group 5:00pm Monday

Study 6:30pm

#### RAZORBACKS FOR CHRIST

608 N Storer Favetteville AR 72701 www.razorbacksforchrist.com

V-Ball/Ultimate & Devo @ Creekside Park 5:00-8:00pm Freshman Dinner & Bible

Wednesday Bible Class at MC 6:30pm Thursday Girls and Guys Bible Study 7:00pm

Tuesday



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

#### 2024-25 BUDGET YEAR CONTRIBUTION RECORDS

Weekly Contribution \$12,204.27 Mission Sunday \$33,019.35 \$20,667.00 **Last Year Mission** \$43,287.50 **Weekly Budget Weekly Average** \$20.696.38 Weekly Children's \$50.20 Fiscal YTD \$952.033.25 YTD Children's \$3,029.46

#### 2025 ATTENDANCE RECORDS

Sunday, April 20		Wednesday, April 23	
Bible Class	255	Devo & Bible	125
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