



11.16.2025

THE MT. COMFORT CHURCH OF CHRIST MESSENGER

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Worship Leader:
Drew Viguet

Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Welcome:
Matt Wilson

A Beautiful Life
To Canaan's Land I'm on My Way

Opening Prayer:
Keith Kidd

Wonderful Merciful Savior
In Christ Alone

Communion Prayer/Offering:
Logan Kiihnl

Amazing Grace (Children's offering)
Ring Out the Message

Message:
Michael Rowand

Love Lifted Me

Shepherd's Blessing:
Mike Huddleston

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Attended Nursery available in Room 106, intended for babies in the two year old class and younger. (This service is also available worship services)

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.

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT: CHILI FOR A CLAUS

Today is the youth group's annual Chili for a Claus Chili Lunch and Toy Drive!!! This fundraiser is to help buy gifts and other needs for children who are in the foster care system.

This year, the youth group has chosen to sponsor the Christmas lists of six children who are currently in foster care.

Sadly, this time of year is when many children enter foster care. With the funds that are raised, we will also supply CASA with gifts for those children, as well as other items that children often need when entering care.

First, and most importantly, please pray for these children and both their biological and foster families. Second, please join us in blessing these children and their families as we have been blessed by the Lord.

The toy collection boxes will be in the foyer through the first week of December.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov 15 **MEN'S BREAKFAST** Meet at the church building @ **8:30 am** for a hot BF & fellowship.

Nov 16 **Chili For A Claus Lunch and Toy Drive** Please **sign-up** at the **welcome desk** to bring a chili. See *inside for details*.

Nov 22 **100th BIRTHDAY PARTY for J.R. Dockery** at Mt. Comfort Church @ **2-5 pm**. Slide show will be presented. See *inside for details*.

Nov 23 **Wedding Shower for Adam Maxwell and Addilin Brown** beginning at 1:30 p.m. at the church building

Dec 13 **Hilltoppers Holiday Party** 11:30-1:30 at the church building

PRAYERS

Kyle Oxford and wife, Caitlin Oxford (younger brother of Sarah Gretzmier) were injured in a fall while helping Caitlin's elderly client. Kyle's injuries were minor, but Caitlin's were serious and she remains in the hospital. Please pray for their strength, healing, and provision during this difficult season.

Teresa Hartwig will have cataract surgery on November 17th and again on November 24th. Please pray for a successful outcome.

Chris & Bretta Eaton's baby, Willow, is having breathing problems. Please pray for her health and well-being.

J.R. Campbell (Stephen Davis's brother-in-law) was recently diagnosed with prostate cancer. He is to have further testing done. Please continue to pray for him and his family.

Glenda Verkler (Terry Verkler's mother) continues to battle cancer. She will be traveling back to City of Hope in Zion, IL for consultation and further testing. Please continue to pray for her healing.

Caleb Gaines (Gail Kennedy's grandson) age 13 - recently diagnosed with lymphoma is now home and being treated at Arkansas Children's Hospital in Springdale.

WEDDING SHOWER

for **Adam Maxwell and Addilin Brown** will be held at the church building on Sunday, **November 23**, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

CONTINUE TO REMEMBER...

Lorene Adams	Mary Bruce	Harold Shook
Montie Bailey	Lila Campbell	Kathy Walsh
Nancy Bailey	Mary Grady	
Louis Barnes	Eddie Kinzer	

THOSE SHUT IN...

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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

11/16 Seth Chance	11/22 Ladonna Kelley
11/19 Mary Batson	Terry Kelley
11/20 J J Cline	Sloane Olivo

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

11/16 James & Ally Ham
Joel & Sondra Thomas
11/17 Tim Snively & Cristi
Beaumont
11/18 Matt & Stacey Williams
11/20 Miguel & Breanne Carter

NEWS AND NOTES

CHILI FOR CLAUS LUNCH & TOY DRIVE

Sunday, Nov. 16th. This is a special event that happens every year. The youth group raises money to buy **Christmas gifts** for children in need. You can help by **signing up to bring food** and/or by **donating** to this cause. There will also be a **donation box** for those who would like to donate **unwrapped toys** and/or other needed items. We will fellowship after services. Please reach out to **CJ Grimes** if you have any questions.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Skate Party & Fellowship Night on Sunday, November 23rd @ 4:30-6:30 pm, at **Starlight Skatium** in Fayetteville (private rink). This is not a drop-off event.

Guests are welcome. **Please RSVP** for food planning purposes at bit.ly/skateparty25, or **scan the QR code.**



100th BIRTHDAY PARTY

Please join us in honoring our father, **John ("Johnny or J.R.") Robert Dockery** on **Sat., Nov 22nd** at ye olde *former* Dockery Farm Land: at **Mt. Comfort Church of Christ bldg, 3249 W. Mt. Comfort Rd. Fayetteville, AR 72704 @ 2-5 pm.**

PULPIT MINISTRY UPDATE

The pulpit minister search team has narrowed the field to our top two candidates. We have enjoyed a visit from candidate Jeremy Green on Saturday and Sunday November 1 and 2. The other candidate, Michael Rowand, will be visiting the weekend of November 15 and 16. The weekend will include a Saturday evening Meet & Greet Finger Food Potluck with a Q&A session, followed by the candidate teaching an adult Bible class and preaching Sunday morning. The elders will then meet with the candidate Sunday afternoon. Please plan to attend these events—your presence and input are vital as we seek the man God is calling to

serve our congregation. The elders extend their sincere appreciation to the search team for their diligent work reviewing 28 applicants and guiding us to this point. All questions or comments during this phase should be directed to the eldership. Applicant Information and Dates:

November 15 & 16 - Michael Rowand, preaching minister at Westwood Church of Christ, McMinnville, TN

All Invited Events

Saturday, November 15

6pm - Meet & Greet Finger Food Potluck followed by a Q&A

Sunday, November 16

9am - Teaching All Adult Bible Classes 10am - Delivering the Sermon

SINGLES GAME DAY will be Friday, November 21st from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm., Room 102 (behind the elevator)

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Mount Comfort is looking for a full time secretary. Working hours are 8:30 am - 3:00 pm. Currently, 5 days a week. Please drop off a resume to the office if interested.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Don't forget that this Sunday is the deadline for turning in the names of those to whom you wish to deliver Thanksgiving baskets. The slip with the QR code for the form to leave your information is on the welcome desk

HILLTOPPER'S HOLIDAY PARTY: Sat, Dec 13 from 11:30 am-1:30 pm in RFC Room. Expect a gift exchange; for the adventurous an Ugly Sweater Contest; guessing games; Christmas Trivia; and a Snow story. A bulletin insert will be forthcoming with details. Signup sheet is on Welcome desk so we can have an accurate account for food planning.

OUR SHEPHERDS

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Matt Morningstar	479-790-8428
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OUR MINISTERS

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C.J. Grimes - Youth Minister
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Sara Chance - Children's Minister
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Glenda Davis LPC, LMFT - Christian Counselor
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OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday 8:30 am to 2:30 pm
office@mountcomfort.org
479-442-9171



Monday - Friday
9:00 am - 1:00 pm

info@mtcomfortsonshineschool.org

479-316-4597

After school care until 5 pm.

Banford House

Community Food Pantry

3281 W Mount Comfort Rd

Wed. 9 am - 11 am & Thurs. 5 pm - 6:30 pm

Members anytime by appointment

banford@mountcomfort.org



RAZORBACKS FOR CHRIST

608 N Storer
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www.razorbacksforchrist.com

Sunday
Bible Class 9:00am
Life Group 5:00pm

Monday
Freshman Dinner & Bible Study 6:30pm

Tuesday
V-Ball/Ultimate & Devo @ Creekside
Park 5:00-8:00pm

Wednesday
Bible Class at MC 6:30pm

Thursday
Girls and Guys Bible Study 7:00pm



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

2025-26 BUDGET YEAR CONTRIBUTION RECORDS

Week's Contribution	\$19,693	Fiscal YTD	\$500,736
Weekly Budget	\$20,864		
Weekly Average	\$20,802	<u>2024-25</u>	
Weekly Children's	\$35	Week's Contribution	\$25,134
YTD Children's	\$1,961	Weekly Average	\$20,667

2025 ATTENDANCE RECORDS

	Sunday, November 9		Wednesday, November 12
Bible Class	277	Devo & Bible Class	148
Worship	449		

Sunday: Bible Class 9am, Worship 10am & 5pm, Wednesday: Devo 6:30pm & Bible Class 6:45pm