

FEBRUARY 2, 2025

Fourth Sunday of Epiphany at 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 lobby on your way out. We're thankful you have chosen to worship the Lord with us this morning.

CALL TO WORSHIP

MBBC PRAISE BAND

WELCOME

MARY SPLAWN

***WORSHIP THROUGH SONG**

CONGREGATION

Great Things

Myrin | Wickham

Come, let us worship our King. Come, let us bow at his feet. He has done great things. See what our Savior has done. See how his love overcomes. He has done great things.

O hero of heaven, you conquered the grave. You free every captive and break every chain. O God, you have done great things! We dance in your freedom, awake and alive. O Jesus, our Savior, your name lifted high. O God, you have done great things!

You've been faithful through every storm. You'll be faithful forevermore. You have done great things! And I know you will do it again, for your promise is "Yes and Amen." You will do great things! God, you do great things!

Hallelujah! God, above it all. Hallelujah! God, unshakable. Hallelujah! You have done great things.

CCLI Song #7111321

OFFERTORY READING

KELY HATLEY

Proverbs 13:7 (NIV)

⁷ One person pretends to be rich, yet has nothing; another pretends to be poor, yet has great wealth.

MISSION PARTNER OF THE WEEK

KELY HATLEY

Philippine Baptist Theological Seminary

The Philippine Baptist Theological Seminary (PBTs) exists to train God-called and church-affirmed men and women for Christian ministry. Kely Hatley recently visited as the keynote speaker for their 55th Lide/Walker Bible Conference. Over 800 were in attendance with 762 official registrants. Kely preached and taught on the topic of "Music in Worship" for pastors and music

volunteers from all over South Asia. The work of this seminary is crucial for Filipino pastors and leaders. For more information about their ministry, contact Mary Watkins (mwatkins2445@gmail.com).

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SHARON HOWARD

(All children are invited to meet Mrs. Sharon at the pulpit following the Mission Partner of the Week 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. Sharon in the lobby to be sure your child has a check-in label for security purposes.)

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.

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

WAYNE SPLAWN

***WORSHIP THROUGH SONG**

CONGREGATION

Just As I Am
Travis Cottrell

Just as I am, without one plea, but that thy blood was shed for me, and that thou bidst me come to thee, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Just as I am, and waiting not to rid my soul of one dark blot, to thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Chorus: I come broken to be mended. I come wounded to be healed. I come desperate to be rescued. I come empty to be filled. I come guilty to be pardoned by the blood of Christ the Lamb, and I'm welcomed with open arms, praise God, just as I am.

Just as I am I would be lost, but mercy and grace my freedom bought. And now, to glory in your cross, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

CCLI Song #5635850

THE READING OF GOD'S WORD

JOEL BURKS

Matthew 5:1-12

MESSAGE

WAYNE SPLAWN

"Blessed"
Matthew 5:1-12

***TIME OF RESPONSE**

CONGREGATION

Build My Life
Stanfill | Barrett

Worthy of every song we could ever sing. Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring. Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe. We live for you.

Jesus, the name above every other name. Jesus, the only one who could ever save. Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe. We live for you.

Holy, there is no one like you. There is none beside you. Open up my eyes in wonder. Show me who you are, and fill me with your heart, and lead me in your love to those around me.

I will build my life upon your love. It is a firm foundation. I will put my trust in you alone, and I will not be shaken!

CCLI Song # 7070345

***BENEDICTION**

WAYNE SPLAWN

1 Timothy 1:17 (NIV)







¹⁷ Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

*Congregation standing

Amplified-hearing devices are available in the back of the gym. Please see a greeter for assistance.

Are you interested in attending one of our Sunday School Classes next week?
Scan the QR code below or visit mbbc.org/smbc to view class options and locations.



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-  MBBC Guest (password 803-3452)
-  205.871.0331
-  onrealm.org/mbbc

Prayer List

BIRTHS

Matthew Ames Green (parents Caroline & Trenton Green)
Piper Jane Henley (parents Haley & Christopher Henley)
Heidi Lyn Hills (parents Claire & Chris Hills, grandparents Natalie & Lee Smith, great-grandmother Louise Gore)
Thomas James Sterling (parents Janie & Matthew Sterling, grandparents Elisabeth & Chuck Branch)

DEATHS

Shirley Austin
Sue Ralls (mother of Diane Burns)
Willie Fleming (father of Debbie Chandler)

MBBC MEMBERS

Bill Austin, Bob Baker, David Bell, Charlene & Milton Berryhill, Christopher Brown, Chris Burch, Dot Burnett, Kay Davidson, Joyce Dawkins, Greg Dobbins, David Ehrhardt, Sandy Eichelberger, Judy Ellis, Chad Fooshee, Anne & Grady Gibbons, Wayne Gowens, Betty Jo Gwin, Tallulah Hargrove, Martha Isom, Karen Johnson, Lauren Johnston, Judy Long, Eddie Mae McDanal, Billy McDonald, Caroline Mears, Martha Miklic, Phyllis Mitchell, Carolyn Nowlin, Jennie Pickett, Walter Pittman, Joyce Ratliff, Missy Roper, Ann Sanders, Irene Stutts, Mark Tucker Jr., Rachel Walton, Doris Wayman, Laura Zarembo

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: FEBRUARY 7-9

Amy Hirsch – (205) 704-3500

PROJECT 119 BIBLE READING PLAN

Sunday, February 2 - Saturday, February 8

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

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

Matthew 5:3 (NIV)

³ "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."

Ways to Give



IN PERSON

Place your gift in the designated spot in the Narthex.



ONLINE

To give online, visit mbbc.org/give.



TEXT

Text STOREHOUSE to 73256.

To access our Wi-Fi network, choose MBBC Guest (password 803-3452).

This Week

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

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2 (FOURTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY)

- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Gym
- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Gym
- 12 p.m. Preteens & Parents | Parenting the Transition Lunch & Meeting
- 5 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

- 6:45 a.m. Students | Junior High Bible Study | Student Ministry Area
- 9:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 324 2A

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- 5 p.m. Wednesday Night Family Dinner | Hudson Hall
- 6 p.m. Children's Missions Activities
- 6 p.m. Students | Senior High Bible Studies
- 6:30 p.m. Children's Music Activities
- 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6

- 9:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 324 2A
- 10:30 a.m. Mellow Brook Singers | Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite
- 11:30 a.m. Mellow Brook Singers | Lunch | Hudson Hall

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 (FIFTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY)

- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Gym
- 10 a.m. Discover MBBC Welcome Breakfast | Room 236
- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Gym
- 12 p.m. Chapel Choir Lunch & Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite

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

For the full list of our church staff, please see mbbc.org/staff.