

SEPTEMBER 15, 2024

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 lobby on your way out. If this is your first time to worship with us via livestream, visit mbbc.org/guests to let us know of your attendance. 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

It Was Finished Upon That Cross

CityAlight

How I love the voice of Jesus on the cross of Calvary. He declares his work is finished. He has spoken this hope to me. Though the sun had ceased its shining, though the war appeared as lost, Christ had triumphed over evil. It was finished upon that cross!

Now the curse, it has been broken. Jesus paid the price for me. Full, the pardon he has offered. Great, the welcome that I receive. Boldly I approach my Father clothed in Jesus' righteousness. There is no more guilt to carry. It was finished upon that cross!

Death was once my great opponent. Fear once had a hold on me, but the Son who died to save us rose that we would be free indeed. Yes, he rose that we would be free indeed!

Free from every plan of darkness, free to live and free to love. Death is dead and Christ is risen. It was finished upon that cross!

Onward to eternal glory, to my Savior and my God. I rejoice in Jesus' victory. It was finished upon that cross!

CCLI Song #7171907

OFFERTORY READING

MARY SPLAWN

Ephesians 4:7 (NIV)

⁷ But to each one of us grace has been given as Christ apportioned it.

*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

(There is no Children's Message today. Children 3K-5K can meet Mrs. Sharon in the back of the gym to go to Preschool Worship as the congregation sings

the Doxology. 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.)

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

WAYNE SPLAWN

***WORSHIP THROUGH SONG**

CONGREGATION

Nothing But the Blood of Jesus

Norton Hall Band

What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus; what can make me whole again? Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Oh! Precious is the flow that makes me white as snow; no other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

For my pardon this I see, nothing but the blood of Jesus; for my cleansing this my plea, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Nothing can for sin atone, nothing but the blood of Jesus; naught of good that I have done, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

This is all my hope and peace, nothing but the blood of Jesus; this is all my righteousness, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

MESSAGE

WAYNE SPLAWN

"Father Abraham"

Galatians 3:1-14

***TIME OF RESPONSE**

CONGREGATION

In Christ Alone

Getty | Townend

In Christ alone my hope is found; he is my light, my strength, my song. This cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace when fears are stilled, when strivings cease. My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

CCLI Song #7126847

THE COMMUNION OF CHRIST WITH HIS CHURCH

We Receive the Bread and Cup

(If you need a gluten-free option, there are prepackaged elements marked gluten-free on the altar table.)

***SONG OF DISTRIBUTION**

PRAISE BAND

Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me

Son | Farren

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer. There is no more for heaven now to give. He is my joy, my righteousness and freedom, my steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace.

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus. For my life is wholly bound to his. Oh how strange and divine, I can sing: "All is mine. Yet not I, but through Christ in me."

The night is dark but I am not forsaken. For by my side, the Savior he will stay. I labor on in weakness and rejoicing. For in my need, his power is displayed.

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me. Through the deepest valley he will lead. Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome. Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven. The future sure, the price it has been paid. For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon, and he was raised to overthrow the grave.

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated. Jesus now and ever is my plea. Oh the chains are released, I can sing, "I am free." Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

With every breath I long to follow Jesus. For he has said that he will bring me home. And day by day, I know he will renew me until I stand with joy before the throne.

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus. All the glory evermore to him. When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat: "Yet not I, but through Christ in me."

CCLI Song # 7121852

***THE EXCHANGE OF THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

WAYNE SPLAWN

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

(Please greet one another saying: "The peace of Christ to you." / "And also with you.")

***BENEDICTION**

WAYNE SPLAWN

Numbers 6:24-26 (NIV)

²⁴ "The Lord bless you and keep you; ²⁵ the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; ²⁶ the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace."

*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 Sunday at 10 a.m.?
Scan the QR code below or visit mbbc.org/smbs to view class options and locations.



Prayer List

DEATHS

Allyson George (mother of Katelyn Bruhn)
Charles Graham (brother of Emris Graham)
Lee Hanson (brother of Mary Watkins, father of Candace Underwood)
William Clegg Kelley (father of Eric Kelley)
James Michael Rice (father of Chris Rice)
Lucy Thompson
Larry Wells (brother of Joe Wells)

MBBC MEMBERS

Ina Faye Anderson, Brandy Avery, Shirley Austin, Chris Burch, Dot Burnett, Dot Carroll, N. Lee Cooper, Kay Davidson, Greg Dobbins, Sandy Eichelberger, Judy Ellis, Chad Fooshee, Anne & Grady Gibbons, Betty Jo Gwin, Mirian Habshey, Tallulah Hargrove, Martha Isom, Karen Johnson, Carla Kent, Nancye Lawrence, Eddie Mae McDanal, Billy McDonald, Caroline Mears, Martha Miklic, Phyllis Mitchell, Carolyn Nowlin, Walter Pittman, Joyce Ratliff, Missy Roper, Irene Stutts, Mark Tucker Jr., Harryette Turner, Rachel Walton, Jim Watkins, Doris Wayman, Laura Zaremba

HEALTH CARE CENTERS

Peggy Abbott, Eugenia Anderson, Betty Bowen, Bob Compher, Joyce Dawkins, Mary Kate Dyer, Bill Johnson, Ann McGuire, Sarah Moler, Glaydell Pinson, Roger Pugh, Gailya Sargent, Charles Stevens, Juanelle Strain, Helen Thrasher-Long

Weekly Information

MINISTER ON CALL: SEPTEMBER 20-22

Joel Burks – (256) 347-5761

PROJECT 119 BIBLE READING PLAN

Sunday, September 15 - Saturday, September 21

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

Ways to Give



IN PERSON

Place your gift in the designated spot in the Narthex.



ONLINE

To give online, visit mbbc.org/give.





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This Week

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

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Gym
- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Gym
- 5 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal | Hudson Hall

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

- 12 p.m. Third Monday Book Club | Conference Room
- 6 p.m. Deacons' Executive Committee Meeting | Conference Room
- 7 p.m. Deacons' Meeting | Hudson Hall

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

- 6:45 a.m. Students | Junior High Bible Study | Hudson Hall
- 9:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Room 331

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

- 5 p.m. Wednesday Night Family Dinner | Hudson Hall
- 6 p.m. Children's Missions Activities
- 6 p.m. Students | Sr. High Girls' Bible Study | The Spanns' Home
- 6:30 p.m. Children's Music Activities
- 6:30 p.m. Students | Sr. High Guys' Bible Study | The Diddells' Home
- 7:15 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal | Gym

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

- 9:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Room 331
- 10:30 a.m. Mellow Brook Singers | Rehearsal | Hudson Hall
- 11:30 a.m. Mellow Brook Singers | Lunch | Hudson Hall

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

- 9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Gym
- 10 a.m. Sunday School
- 11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Gym
- 12 p.m. Preteen Hangout | Bowling (5th-6th Grades)
- 5 p.m. Chapel Choir Rehearsal | Hudson Hall

MINISTERIAL STAFF

- Dr. Wayne Splawn, Senior Minister
- Mr. Eddie Elliott, 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.