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## THIS SUNDAY

March 29, 2026 • Palm Sunday



**Traditional Worship - 9 a.m.**

**Sunday School - 10 a.m.**

**Contemporary Worship - 11 a.m.**

Dr. Wayne Splawn | “Our Humble Savior” | Philippians 2:5-11

Theme: Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a colt as a sign of humility and dependence. But he would not stop there. He humbled himself even to the point of death on a cross.

*We will have a baptism in the Traditional Service this Sunday:  
Kelly Bonner Mapes*

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Watch Worship Livestreams

### **Contemporary Worship This Week – Listen Ahead**

Want to come to worship already familiar with the songs? Each week, our Contemporary Worship team is sharing a Spotify playlist with the songs we'll be singing in the upcoming services. Listen during the week—at home, in the car, or on a walk—and prepare your heart for worship with us on Sunday.

[Palm Sunday Playlist](#) | [Easter Sunday Playlist](#)

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## **NEWS & EVENTS**

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### **Wednesday Night Activities Resume April 8**

There will be NO Wednesday night dinner or activities for kids on April 1 for our special Journey to the Cross event for families (see more information below). Wednesday night dinner, missions, and music will resume on April 8.

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### **Holy Week Services**

**March 30-April 1 | 7-7:30 a.m. | Chapel Music Suite**

Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday, March 29. In addition to our Maundy Thursday service on April 2 and Easter Sunday services on April 5, we also invite you to attend our weekday services.

On Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday (March 30-April 1) of Holy Week we will gather in the Chapel Music Suite for a short morning service. **Aubrey Miller, pastor of Faith Church**, will be our guest preacher. Following the service, we'll have breakfast options available for you to grab as you leave for work or school. Registrations are encouraged so we can make plans for food.

[Register for Breakfasts](#)



## **Journey to the Cross for Families** **Wednesday, April 1 | 5-7 p.m. | Heritage Hall**

Join us for an interactive family experience to reflect on the life of Jesus and the events that led up to his crucifixion and resurrection. We will enjoy crafts, dinner, prayer stations, music, and more. Registrations are encouraged so we can make plans for food.

[Register for Journey to the Cross](#)



# Maundy Thursday

## April 2 | 6:30 p.m. | Sanctuary

**Ethan McVay** will preach at MBBC's Maundy Thursday service and we will celebrate the Lord's Supper. the Sanctuary Choir will present composer K. Lee Scott's four-movement work, "*The Suffering Servant*," and will be accompanied by a string quintet. ***Childcare for 2K and under will be provided.***

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## Good Friday Service & Lunch

### April 3 | 12 p.m. | Sanctuary & Heritage Hall

**Dr. Wayne Splawn** will preach at this year's Good Friday Service. Following the service, lunch will be served in Heritage Hall. Registrations are encouraged so we can make plans for food. Childcare for 2K and under will be provided.

***Good Friday Lunch Menu Catered by Eugene's Hot Chicken:***  
Fried catfish or fried chicken tenders (gluten-free chicken option available),  
macaroni & cheese, slaw, baked beans, cookies

[Register for Good Friday Lunch & Childcare](#)

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# Easter Sunday Services

## Sunday, April 5

Join us for Easter at Mountain Brook Baptist Church! Please note a special schedule to accommodate larger crowds. Sunday School will not meet.

### **6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Hope Community Church (*no registration required*)**

This is a brief service with Easter hymns, Scripture, and a reflection from Jacob Simmons, in partnership with St. Peter's Anglican Church and Hope Community Church.

### ***Sanctuary Services (registration requested)***

**8 a.m. Contemporary Worship**

**9:30 & 11 a.m. Traditional Worship**

*Please register for Sanctuary services (praise band, choir, and orchestra do not need to register). Register online or call the church office at 205-871-0331. Be sure to register children if childcare is needed.*

[Register for 8 a.m. Contemporary Service](#)

[Register for 9:30 a.m. Traditional Service](#)

[Register for 11 a.m. Traditional Service](#)



## Shuttle for Easter Sunday

Anyone who is able-bodied is encouraged to park at Mountain Brook Jr. High and walk up Overbrook Road to the church on Easter Sunday as we anticipate a large crowd. We'll also

have a shuttle running at various points in the morning. The shuttle will pick up in the Jr. High parking lot and drop off at Heritage Hall.

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## Cooks On A Mission March 2026 Updates

Whether you are making your Easter meal plans, looking for something to serve for dinner tonight, or simply restocking, don't forget about our fully-stocked Cooks On A Mission freezer! You may visit the freezer during the week when the church office is open (Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.) by checking in with the church receptionist. Donations can be made by cash or check payable to MBBC with "COAM" in the memo.

Selections available as of March 25 include Mama Lynn's Chocolate Chip Cookie Dough, Oatmeal Raisin Cookie Dough, House Seasoning, Frozen Cherry & Pineapple Salad Cups, Chocolate Chip Scones, Sourdough Bread, French Market Sandwiches, Chicken Chili, Over-the-Top Macaroni & Cheese, Baked Ziti, Poppy Seed Chicken, Bacon & Havarti Quiche. Thanks for your support of this ministry!

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## Meet Our New Member: Aidan Hobbs

Have you met Aidan Hobbs? Aidan joined our church on December 10. We hope you'll get to know him a little better through this latest "Meet Our New Member" blog, and that you'll have the chance to connect with him one Sunday in worship.

[Read the Blog](#)



## Meet Our New Members: The Ramsay Family

Have you met Stacey and Patrick Ramsay? They joined our church on February 8. We hope you'll get to know them a little better through this latest "Meet Our New Member" blog, and that you'll have the chance to connect with them one Sunday in worship.

[Read the Blog](#)

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## Minister On Call

March 27-29

Joel Burks - 256.347.5761

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## Project 119 Bible Reading Plan

This winter and spring, we'll be walking through Romans and selections from the Psalms and will memorize two sets of verses from Romans. On Sundays, we will take a break to read and reflect on Sunday's sermon text, and during the weeks of Ash Wednesday, Holy Week, and Easter Week, we will take a break for specially selected readings following along with the church season.

**Listen to the daily podcast:**

[Project 119 Website](#) | [Apple Podcasts](#) | [Spotify](#)

[Download the Project 119 Reading Plan](#)

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## Generosity Scorecard

3/25/26

Weekly Receipts	\$70,588
Average Weekly Budget	<u>\$78,775</u>
Weekly Net	-\$8,187
YTD Receipts, includes prepaids	\$1,167,328
YTD Budget	<u>\$945,294</u>
YTD Net	\$222,034

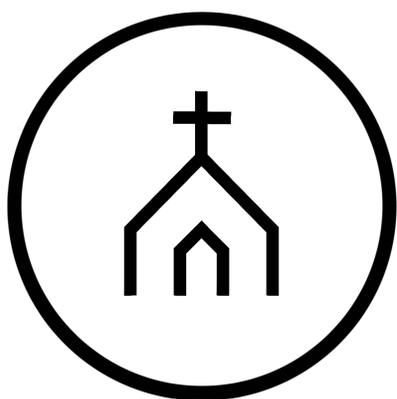
Remaining receipts required to achieve annual budget: \$2,928,946

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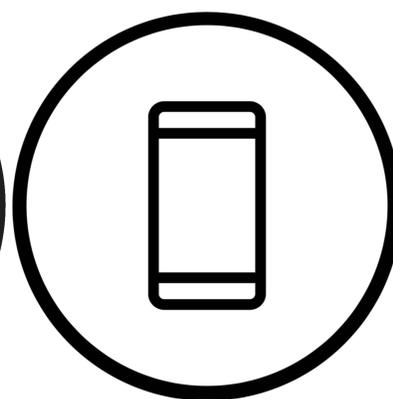
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