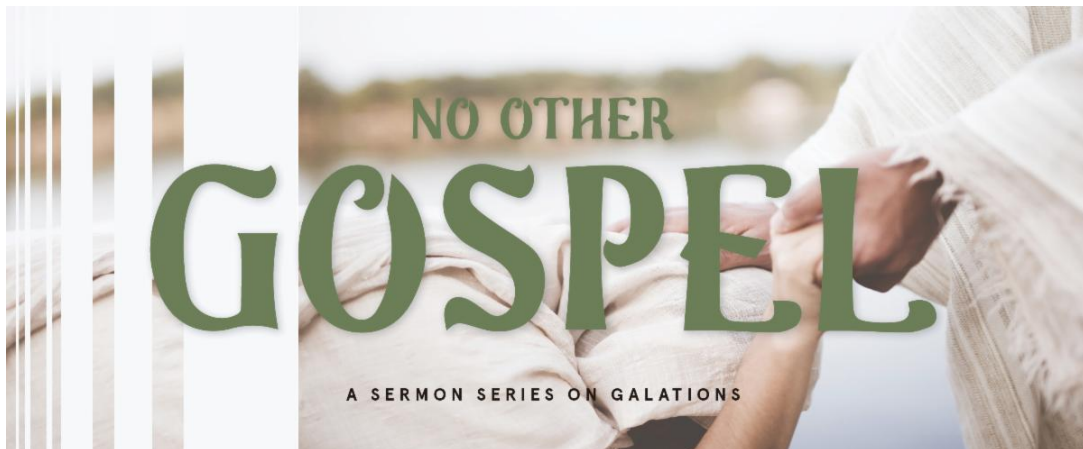


THIS SUNDAY

October 20, 2024



Traditional Worship in the Gym - 9 a.m.
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Discover MBBC - 10 a.m.
Contemporary Worship in the Gym - 11 a.m.

Dr. Wayne Splawn | “Set Free to Serve” | Text: Galatians 5:1-15

Theme: Jesus has set us free from the demands of the law. But, we are not free to live any way we want. Instead, we are to use our freedom to serve others in love.

Watch Worship Livestreams



Discover MBBC

This Sunday, October 20 | 10 a.m. | Hudson Hall

On Sunday, October 20, we're having our biannual "Discover MBBC." This is an opportunity for you to invite your neighbors, friends, and family members to come worship with us, learn more about us, and see how God is at work in our church.

At 10 a.m., we'll gather in Hudson Hall for guests to learn more about the distinctives of our church and what it means to be a member at Mountain Brook Baptist Church. Guests who have children will be able to drop them off for childcare or for Sunday School.

[Learn More](#)



Trunk or Treat

This Sunday, October 20 | 4-6 p.m. | MBBC Lower Lot

Join us for Trunk or Treat THIS SUNDAY! Decorated trunks will be set up in the lower parking lot to hand out candy & play games. We'll have hot dogs for dinner. Wear your costume and come join in the fun and fellowship! *Also, if you are*

able, please plan to park at the Jr. High and walk up to the church since much of our parking will be set up for trunks and festivities.

We need your help to make this event happen!

If you can decorate your trunk and hand out candy, help serve food, or greet people as they arrive, sign up below or contact [Ethan McVay](#).

Also, thank you to those of you who put a yard sign in your yard this week to help us spread the word about Trunk or Treat! *After Trunk-or-Treat is over, please return your yard sign to the front desk of the church office.*

[Sign Up to Volunteer](#)



Sunday Morning Navigation

While we are worshipping in the gym, the valet will be stationed outside the gym to park and retrieve cars. For those who need assistance to get to Sunday School from the gym and back to their vehicles, we will be operating golf cart shuttles from 9:50-10:10 a.m. and then 10:50-11:10 a.m., which will pick up at the back of the gym and drop people off on the Sanctuary side of the church off Montevallo Road.

We've filmed a new video to demonstrate the easiest ways to access parts of our church during this time of construction while worshipping in the gym. [Click HERE to view the video.](#)

[Where will my class meet?](#)

NEWS & EVENTS



Men's Ministry October Lunches Tuesday, October 22 | 11:30 a.m. | Choose your location

Join us on Tuesday, October 22 to enjoy a meal and fellowship with other men from the church at the location of your choice: Davenport's in Mountain Brook Village, Golden Rule in Irondale, or Martin's BBQ in Cahaba Heights. Invite a guest and encourage your Sunday school class or growth group members to come! Register at the link below.

[Register for Men's Ministry October Lunches](#)



Wednesday Night Activities Wednesday, October 23

View locations for Missions and Music for your child [here](#). Learn more about growth groups for adults [here](#).

Wednesday Night Schedule:

- 5-6 p.m. • Dinner in Hudson Hall
- 6-6:25 p.m. • Missions for Preschool and School Age Kids
- 6:30-7 p.m. • Music for Preschool and School Age Kids
- 6-7 p.m. • Adult Growth Groups for Men and Women

Menu for Wednesday, October 23:

Chicken alfredo with grilled chicken, green beans, roll, cookie

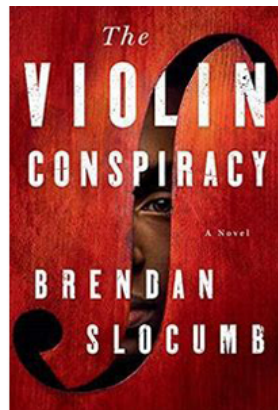
Kid's Menu: Chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, green beans, cookie

**Healthy Salad Option:* Spinach Salad

**Please reserve salad by Tuesday evening on Realm to ensure you'll have a salad. Let Carrie know if you made a salad reservation.*

Cost is \$8 adults, \$5 kids age 3 and up, \$25 family max. Kids age 2 and under eat for free. Register through Realm below.

[Register for Wednesday Night
Dinner](#)



Third Monday Book Club **Monday, October 21 | 12 p.m. | Conference Room**

The October book selection is *The Violin Conspiracy* by Brendan Slocumb. It is the story of a classical musician on the rise—undeterred by the pressure and prejudice of the classical music world—and a shocking theft that sends him on a desperate quest to recover his great-great-grandfather's heirloom violin on the eve of the most prestigious musical competition in the world. Enjoy this read and join us!



Grief and the Gospel Series **Beginning Sunday, October 27 | 10 a.m. | Hudson Hall**

Please join us for a three week series on loss, grieving, and caring for those who grieve, led by Kelley Jones, a counselor and friend from Wellspring Christian Clinic. We will meet October 27, November 3, and November 17 in Hudson Hall during the Sunday School hour. Sign up at the link below.

[Sign Up Via
Realm](#)



Act of Congress Hymn Concert **Sunday, October 27 | 5-6:30 p.m. | Lyric Theater**

Join us for a night of beautiful music in the historic Lyric Theater, as local band Act of Congress plays their newest hymn album and we celebrate Reformation Day. This event is sponsored by a grant from the William E. and Wylodine H. Hull Memorial Fund.

Less than 20 tickets remain! If you plan to attend, reserve your ticket NOW!

Reach out to [Amy Hirsch](#) for more information.

[Reserve Tickets](#)



CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Christmas Gift Boxes for Children in Perry County

In partnership with Sowing Seeds of Hope, we are providing Christmas gift boxes for children in Perry County. If you'd like to help by filling a gift box, stop by the gym lobby to pick up a box. A list of gift suggestions is included in each box. **Boxes should be returned by Wednesday, December 4.**



2025 Women's Retreat January 24-26, 2025 | Willow Point Country Club

This year's retreat theme is "Spiritual Stories" based on Psalm 28:7-9. We hope this retreat will provide opportunities for women to grow in their relationships with the Lord and one another. Our first session will begin on Friday, January 24 at 7 p.m.; there are two options for return times (Saturday afternoon or Sunday morning), and lodging will either be at Willow Point or on your own.

For all the details, including more pricing information, visit the link below. Prices will increase on December 17 for those staying at Willow Point, so register now to help us make plans and guarantee your early bird discount!

[Register Now](#)



Meet Our New Members: The Rayburn Family

Have you met the Rayburn family? Mindy and Barry have three children: Brooks, Kennedy, and Tinsley Grace. They joined our church on September 22, 2024. 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](#)



Meet Our New Members: The Mosley Family

Have you met the Mosley family? Darcy and Joe joined Mountain Brook Baptist on May 12, 2024. They have three kids: Lelia (6), Vera (4), and Herky (2). 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](#)

Refuge and Hope International

KAMPALA, UGANDA



Mission Partner of the Week

Refuge and Hope International seeks to help close to 150,000 refugees and displaced people in Kampala, Uganda from the surrounding countries of Somalia, South Sudan,

Eritrea, and Ethiopia. Through education programs, professional, leadership, and spiritual development, and counseling and social services, Refuge and Hope strives to help refugees rebuild their lives and prepare for the future by equipping them to thrive wherever they are—whether they remain in Uganda, resettle abroad, or return to their countries of origin all while teaching them about the hope of Christ found in the gospel. For more information, email [Sara Newell](mailto:Sara.Newell).



New Project 119 Bible Reading Plan

This fall, we will be using a Bible reading plan from the Zondervan NIV Student Bible. This plan provides an introduction to the Bible, with reading courses taking us through passages of the Bible that every Christian should know.

Also, don't miss the recent Friday interviews: [Rudy Davidson](#), [Avery Smith](#), [Stephen Spann](#), [Kerrig Kelly](#), and [Laela Totsch](#).

Listen to the daily podcast:

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

**Download the Project 119
Plan**

Minister On Call

October 18-20, 2024

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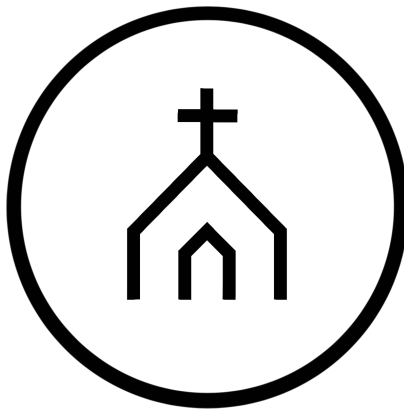
Generosity Scorecard 10/8/24

2024 Ministries Budget - \$3,505,477

Weekly Receipts	\$67,870
Average Weekly Budget	<u>\$67,413</u>
Weekly Net	\$457
YTD Receipts, includes prepays	\$2,507,863
YTD Budget	<u>\$2,696,521</u>
YTD Net	-\$188,658

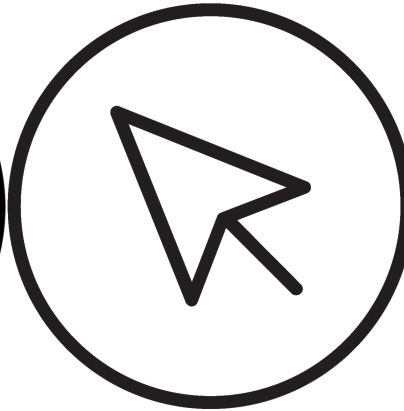
Remaining receipts required to achieve annual budget: \$997,614

Ways to Give



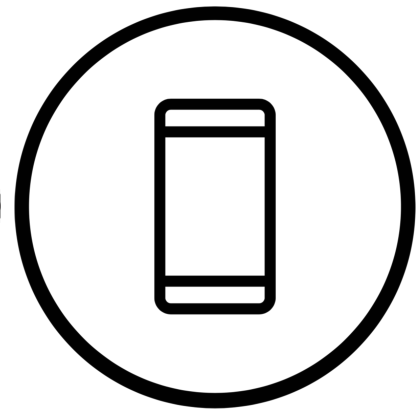
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