

MORNING WORSHIP

March 12, 2023

11:00AM

Welcome/Prayer	James Henegar
Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Video	
Contemplative Worship	Mary Coltrain
Hymn	Number 148
	"He Keeps Me Singing"
Children's Message	Jane Ashley White
Morning Prayer	Diana Cratt
Choir Anthem	Sanctuary Choir
	Soloist Diane Hardison and Teresa Farris
	"Believe for It"
Message	Jordan Drake
Invitation Hymn	Number 382
	"Serve the Lord with Gladness"
Closing Prayer	James Henegar
Called Business Session	
Postlude	Mary Coltrain

WELCOME

Weekday Preschool and Afterschool Fall Registrations:

Fall registration for weekday preschool and afterschool children for MBC members have begun.

Current enrollers will begin this week.

Open to the public week of March 20, 2023.

MBC NEWS

Birthdays

Sunday: Vann Rogerson, Shannon Hoggard, Beth Hester **Thursday:** Judy Rogerson **Friday:** Danielle Stallings, Lily Pratt **Saturday:** Renee Crane

Called Business Session

Jordan Drake, Associate Pastor of NextGen Ministries Candidate, will share the word of God in a trial sermon this morning at 11:00AM. Immediately following the service, there will be a called business session conducted by the Diaconate to vote as to the calling of Jordan Drake as the Associate Pastor of NextGen Ministries of MBC. The vote will be a ballot that will be passed out during the business session and counted immediately afterwards. The vote will require a quorum and 3/4ths affirmation.

GriefShare

We will begin our GriefShare sessions on Tuesday, March 14, 2023 at 6:30PM in the Adult Education Center (Barnes House) with Dean Harrell facilitating.

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

The Annie Armstrong Easter Offering will be used to reach people with the Gospel throughout North and South America. The goal for MBC is \$13,200.00.

Franklin Graham GOD LOVES YOU Tour

- ❖ Night of Prayer & Worship re the Franklin Graham GOD LOVES YOU Tour on March 27, 2023 @ 6:30PM at Fountain of Life Church, 1107 US 17 South, Elizabeth City. Worship will be led by Freddy Washington, formerly of Brooklyn Tabernacle & Times Square Church in New York City. If you would like to ride the bus, please call the church office.
- ❖ MBC is hosting a Christian Life & Witness Course on Thursday, April 13, 2023 from 6-9PM. This course is a requirement if you wish to counsel at the tour. All are welcome. There is no cost. Visit the website at GodLovesYouTour.com.
- ❖ Franklin Graham will be speaking at the Edenton Fairgrounds as a stop on his Albemarle Sound Region GOD LOVES YOU TOUR on Sunday, May 7, 2023 at 4:00PM. Music by The Newsboys and Marcos Witt. Bring your own chairs & blankets.

Upcoming Events for Children's Ministry

- **April 1, 2023 – Saturday – Community Easter Egg Hunt**
We are requesting individually wrapped candy, preferably not chocolate, for our upcoming Easter egg hunt. We are partnering with Piney Grove Baptist Church and the Williamston Police Department this year for a Community Easter Egg Hunt at Godwin Coppage Park on Saturday April 1, 2023 at 10AM. We will also need help the day of, but more information to come.
- **June 19 – 24 (Monday to Saturday) – VBS**
See Jane Ashley White to help or sign-up at the Welcome Wall

Daddy Daughter Dance

Daddy Daughter Dance on Saturday, March 25, 2023 from 5:00-8:30PM at Moratoc Park. For tickets go to membap.org/daddydaughter. Also, if you would like to volunteer to help we have a signup sheet on the Welcome Wall.

Deadline for April Calendar

The deadline to submit calendar dates to the church office for April calendar will be Monday, March 27, 2023.

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

Sunday	March 12, 2023
8:30 AM	No Morning Worship
9:30	Church Media Library
9:45	Sunday School
11:00	Morning Worship – Sanctuary – Live Stream – Live Radio WIAM 900AM – 92.1FM
2:00-4:00PM	Floating Baby Shower for Jane Ashley White
5:00	Moms in Prayer
6:00	Youth (Grades 6-12) – MBC
Monday	March 13, 2023
3:00 PM	Prayer Team
5:30	Handbells
Tuesday	March 14, 2023
6:30 PM	GriefShare – Adult Education Center (Barnes House)
7:00	Renee Crane Bible Study – Fellowship Hall
Wednesday	March 15, 2023
11:00 AM	Benevolence Team – Building 24
5:30 PM	No Children’s Choir
5:30 – 6:30	Church Media Library Open
6:00	Meal – Warriors in Christ Class – Hot Dogs, Baked Beans, Chips
6:30	Awana and Youth
6:45	Adult Bible Study – Sanctuary
7:45	No Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Thursday	March 16, 2023
5:00 PM	Young @ Heart meet at Hitch’n Post
Friday	March 17, 2023
Afterschool	Youth to Winter Jam in Raleigh

Food Pantry

We are having an ongoing food collection for Friends of God Food Pantry. The bins are labeled and located in the atrium. Please donate non-perishable foods: canned vegetables, canned meat, canned fruit, soup, peanut butter, jelly, rice, etc. Thank you for your support.

YOUTH NEWS

Youth (Grades 6-12): Youth tonight at 6:00PM at MBC.

DNOW Weekend: Memorial Baptist Church will be hosting a DNOW weekend March 31 – April 2, 2023. This is a weekend retreat for students in grades 6-12. The cost is \$25.00 per person which includes dinners on Friday and Saturday, as well as an awesome T-shirt! If you are planning on attending you need to let Tony Rogers, Kelly Busch or Pastor James know ASAP, so we can get your t-shirt ordered.

Youth Baked Potato and Salad Bar Fundraiser: Sunday, March 26, 2023 – Please join us for a baked potato and salad bar fundraiser luncheon to help support our youth.

Deep Impact Mission Trip: July 10-15, 2023 will be our Deep Impact Mission Trip for our youth grades 6th-12th.

VOLUNTEERS FOR MINISTRIES – March 12, 2023

Deacon of the Month – Diana Cratt – 809-2457

Facilities Team – Greg Shepherd

Courtesy Walk – Matthew Harrell

Flowers – Debi Rogers

Food Service Team: Freddie Roberson

Nursery Chair – Harris Harrell

Birth – 18 Months – Kemper and Jessica Smith

18 Months – 3 Year Olds – Freddie and Anita Roberson

4 Year Olds – Kindergarten – Hollie Styons and Ricky Coltrain

Sunday Tellers – Tony Rogers and Randy Miller

Tuesday Teller – Sheila Godard

8:30AM – Greeters – Simon Griffin, Randy Miller (Sanctuary Greeters), Frankie Chesson (Double Glass Door in Atrium)

11:00AM – Greeters – Dean McCall, Sandra McCall (Sanctuary Greeters), Ginger Ayers (Double Glass Door in Atrium)

CURRENT PRAYER CONCERNS

MBC Web Page www.membap.org

Sympathy: To Beth Pope and family in the death of her cousin, Steva Mervin.

Duke Hospital: Brenda Oliver

ECU Health: Lemuel Roebuck (Brother of Sylvia Taylor), Daniel Cratt (Nephew of James Cratt)

Newly Added Prayer Concerns: Bob Lee

Military: Chris Holland, Everett Paschal, William Manning, Matt Dougherty, Kristen Caldwell, Calvin Dickinson, McCauley Griffin, Jim Davis

David & Renee, Nikki & Steve Hart, Tim & Lynn Davis (Daughter of Tommy & Jean Harris), Baptist Children’s Home
