NOVEMBER 8, 2026

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. We're thankful you have chosen to worship the Lord with us this morning.

Organ Prelude — **Mike Burt**, **Guest Organist**

All My Hope On God is Founded
arr. Michael Burkhardt

Call to Worship — **Sanctuary Choir**

In This House of Worship
by Allen Pote

I was glad when they said unto me: "Let us go to the house of the Lord!" I was glad when they said unto me: "Let us go to the house of the Lord!" Blessed are they who dwell in your house ever singing your praise! Amen!

***Opening Sentences of Worship** — **Kely Hatley and Congregation**

Leader: The Lord be with you,
People: and also with you.
Leader: Praise the Lord!
People: Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty firmament!
Leader: Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his surpassing greatness!
People: Praise him with trumpet sound; praise him with lute and harp!
Leader: Praise him with tambourine and dance; praise him with strings and pipe!
People: Praise him with clanging cymbals; praise him with loud clashing cymbals!
Leader: Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!
People: Praise the Lord! *(Psalm 150)*

***Hymn of Worship No. 307** — **Congregation**

All Creatures of Our God and King
LASST UNS ERFREUEN

***Invocation and Welcome to Worshipers** — **Mary Splawn**

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer — **Wayne Splawn**

***Hymn of Testimony No. 581** **Congregation**

I Love to Tell the Story
HANKEY

Offertory Reading **Mark Rector**

2 Corinthians 9:6-7 (NIV)

Stewardship Emphasis **Wayne Splawn**

We Present Our Offerings to God **Congregation**

The Doxology
Old 100th (altered)

(All children are invited to meet Mrs. Sharon at the pulpit during The Doxology for the Children's Message. Children 3K-5K will then go to Preschool Worship. Guests with preschoolers attending Preschool Worship should meet Mrs. Sharon in the Narthex to receive a security check-in label.)

Children's Message **Sharon Howard**

The Reading of God's Word **Amy Hirsch**

1 Peter 3:13-17 (NIV)

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Choral Anthem **Sanctuary Choir**

Go and Tell John
by Lloyd Pfautsch

Go and tell John what you see and hear. Go and tell John what you see and hear. Go and tell John what you see and hear, that the blind recover their sight.

Go and tell John what you see and hear. Go and tell John what you see and hear. Go and tell John what you see and hear, that the lame are able to walk.

Go and tell John what you see and hear. Go and tell John what you see and hear. Go and tell John what you see and hear, that the deaf are able to hear.

Go and tell John, tell him what you see and hear. Go and tell John, tell him what you see and hear. Go and tell John, tell him what you see and hear, that the sick regain their health.

Go and tell John, tell him what you see and hear. Go and tell John, tell him what you see and hear. Go and tell John, tell him what you see and hear, that the dead are raised to life.

Happy is the man who comes to me. Happy is the man who comes to me. Happy is the man who believes in me for he shall see God. Go and tell John. Go tell John.

***Affirmation of Faith** **Ethan McVay and Congregation**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only begotten Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. The third day he rose from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and now sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from whom he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the Communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and everlasting life. Amen.

Message **Wayne Splawn**

"Bearing Witness to the Gospel"
Acts 8:26-40
pg. 777 (pew Bible)

***Hymn of Response No. 435** **Congregation**

Share His Love
SULLIVAN

Closing Words **Wayne Splawn**

***Choral Benediction** **Sanctuary Choir**

With Singing and Praying
by John Horman

Now let us go and praise the Lord with singing and praying. Now let us go and praise the Lord with singing and praying for Christ is risen!

Organ Postlude **Mike Burt**

Trumpet Tune
by David German

*Congregation standing
Amplified-hearing devices are available in the Narthex. Please see a greeter for assistance.

The flowers on the altar have been given in loving memory of Fran Latham Gatch by her family.

For prayer or to share a request, meet with a Prayer Ministry Team member by the baptistry after the service.

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Prayer List

BIRTHS

Robert Brandon Holley Jr. (parents Megan & Brandon Holley, grandparents Sandra & Elam Holley)
Charles Scott Ireland (parents Beeson & Scott Ireland, grandparents Cathy & David Busby)

DEATHS

Fran Gatch
Joyce Horton (grandmother of Hannah McCabe)
Sherry Rains (mother of Kim Hardwick)

MBBC MEMBERS/REGULAR ATTENDERS

Ann Adams, Walter Andrews, Claudette Bearden, Brad Berryhill, Milton Berryhill, Chris Burch, Tom Burns, Amye Carle, Dot Carroll, Colby Clark, Peggy & Ralph Coleman, Kay Davidson, Joyce Dawkins, Greg Dobbins, Sandy Eichelberger, Chad Fooshee, Wayne Gowens, Betty Jo Gwin, Tallulah Hargrove, Karen Johnson, Nancy Kelley, Rachel Lynch, Eddie Mae McDanal, Caroline Mears, Phyllis Mitchell, Larry Moon, Jean Nunnelley, Lennie Pelton, Joyce Ratliff, Greg Robinson, Ann Sanders, Anita Skelton, Irene Stutts, Judy & Ron Taylor, Mark Tucker Jr., Laura & Jack Zaremba

HEALTH CARE CENTERS

Peggy Abbott, Eugenia Anderson, Norma Barron, Betty Bowen, Mary Kate Dyer, Peggy Lawler, Kay Merrill, Glaydell Pinson, Gailya Sargent, Charles Stevens, Juanelle Strain, Helen Thrasher-Long

Weekly Information

MINISTER ON CALL: NOVEMBER 13–15

Wendy Calvert - (205) 902-7769

MEMORY VERSE: ACTS 1:8 (NIV)

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

FOR PARENTS: NURSING MOMS' ROOMS & CHANGING STATIONS

Nursing rooms are outside the Narthex and in Room 204. Changing stations are in the restrooms by the Sanctuary.

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.

EXPLORE SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES AT 10 A.M.
Scan the QR code or visit ***mbbc.org/sundayschool*** for class options and locations.

This Week

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

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8

9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Sanctuary
10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Sanctuary
5 p.m. Students | Chapel Choir | Chapel Music Suite
6 p.m. Students | The Brook | Student Ministry Area

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

6:30 a.m. Men | Sharpen Up Breakfast | Heritage Hall
6:45 a.m. Students | Junior High Bible Study | Student Ministry Area
9:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 356 2A

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

5 p.m. Family Dinner & Veterans Day Recognition | Heritage Hall
6 p.m. Kids | Missions Activities
6:30 p.m. Kids | Music Activities
7:15 p.m. Adult Choir | Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12

9:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Stretch and Fitness | Rm. 356 2A
10:30 a.m. Mellow Brook Singers | Rehearsal | Chapel Music Suite
11:30 a.m. ACTIVE Christian Living | Luncheon | Heritage Hall

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15

9 a.m. Traditional Worship | Sanctuary
10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Contemporary Worship | Sanctuary
4 p.m. Women | Mahjong Free Play | Heritage Hall
5 p.m. Students | Chapel Choir | Chapel Music Suite

MINISTERIAL STAFF

Dr. Wayne Splawn, Senior Minister
Mr. Mark Tucker, Deacon Chair
Mr. Joel Burks, Minister to Students
Mrs. Wendy Calvert, Associate Children's Minister
Dr. Kely Hatley, Minister of Music & ACTIVE Christian Living
Mrs. Amy Hirsch, Associate Minister for Membership & Pastoral Care
Mrs. Sharon Howard, Minister to Children & Families
Mr. Ethan McVay, Family & Administrative Minister
Mrs. Libby Phillips, Associate Minister of Music
Mr. Mark Rector, Associate Minister
Mrs. Mary Splawn, Minister of Connections
Mr. Doug Steele, Director of Operations

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