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Mt. Pleasant  
CHURCH

February 1, 2026

# Worship

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Psalm 33: 20-22

We wait in hope for the LORD;  
he is our help and our shield.

In him our hearts rejoice,  
for we trust in his holy name.

May your unfailing love be with us, LORD,  
even as we put our hope in you.

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn (1<sup>st</sup> Service)  
#513 *"Lead on, O King Eternal"*

\*Praise Through Song (2<sup>nd</sup> service only)

Confession of Sin  
(Congregation recites aloud.)

***Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.***

# Service

Assurance of Pardon

\*Doxology #623

Presentation of Tithes and Offering  
*The second offering is for the Deacon's Fund.*

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn #513 (2<sup>nd</sup> service only)  
*"Lead on, O King Eternal"*

Scripture: Acts 8: 26-40

Sermon: "Unless Someone Tells Me"  
By Pastor Rich Herbster

\*Hymn #524 (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> service)  
*"We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"*

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper  
*We will partake of the elements together after everyone has been served.*

\*Benediction and Recessional  
\*Congregation will stand.

**Second Service Only:** Children ages **3 through 1st grade** are welcome to attend Children & Worship. A nursery is available for children under the age of 3.

# Announcements

## WELCOME TO MT. PLEASANT!

We are glad that you have chosen to join with us in worship today.

If you are visiting for the first time, or have visited before but would like more information about our church, please fill out a blue visitor card (located in the back of the pews) and indicate how we may serve you.

If you need assistance at any time during the service, please notify an usher who will be happy to help.

If you desire special prayer or spiritual counsel, please meet with our Elders in the front of the sanctuary immediately following the service.

Assisted Listening Devices to aid those with hearing deficiencies are available in the Sound Booth at the rear of the Sanctuary. Please see one of our staff in the booth prior to the Call to Worship to get set up.

## WORSHIP/SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

First Worship Service - 8:30am

Sunday School (all ages) - 9:40am

Second Worship Service - 10:30am

## MINISTRIES FOR EVERYONE

Women's Fellowship - Tuesday - 1:00-2:30pm

The Way Youth Group - Tuesday - 6:15pm

Ask A Nurse - Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday - 10am - Noon

Kids' Choir - Wednesday - 6-7pm

Wednesday Evening Bible Study - 6:30pm

Young Adult Bible Study - Thursday - 7pm

The Lydia Stitchers (sewing group) - 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays - 9am-3pm

Men of Faith Breakfast - Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday - 8-10am

Christian Child Care - Monday through Friday - 6am-6pm

## ATTENTION

### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING—CALL FOR REPORTS:

Our congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, **February 22<sup>nd</sup>**. All ministry leaders are invited to submit a report for the meeting.

**Reports are due today, Sunday, February 1st.**

Please submit your report in an **editable format** via the church email (info@mpchurchpa.org).

### **2026 Ladies Retreat**

Ladies, mark your calendar for the "2026 Ladies Retreat" at the Dutch Haus in Columbiana, OH .

**Save the date: Friday-Saturday, April 10-11, 2026.**

We will keep you posted as details are available.

### **2026 HONDURAS TRIP**

There will be a meeting for the Honduras trip on Monday February 2nd, 2026 at 6:30pm. Please bring your paperwork and deposit to the meeting. Thank you.

**\*Prayer List**

Xavier Carter	Deborah Graham	Christine & Tony Olszanski
Marie Davis	Josh & Sarah Grosso	Deb McDonald
Mark Friday	Beth Knapp	Todd Williams
Willie Fristik	Sydney & Tyler Lira	Pastor Wang Yi
		Lisa Zahn



**Weekly Mission Focus:** Honduras Mission Team

**Special Prayer Focus:** Kids Club

**God’s Guidance & Care:** John Newcomb & unit (1-year deployment)

**Praise:** Birth—Levi Eric, Brownie & June Statler’s 1st great-grandchild

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**Weekly Apostle’s Creed Lesson:**

**“I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth”**

**Revelation 4:11**

**TITHING REPORT**

	<b>GIVING</b>	<b>NEEDED</b>	<b>DIFFERENCE</b>
<b>LAST WEEK</b>	8,671	11,072	(2,401)
<b>YEAR TO DATE</b>	43,533	44,288	(755)