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WELCOME TO MOUNT ZION

FIRST TIME WITH US? We're so glad you're here! Text **WELCOME** to **937.377.5616** to connect with us and be sure to stop by the Welcome Center for a small gift.

- **INTERESTED IN BEING BAPTIZED?** Pastor Vance would love to talk with you about this next step in your journey with Jesus. Email pastorvance@mountzionchurch.org or contact the Church Office.
- **NEED PRAYER?** Prayer Team members are available to pray with you under the front screens following the service or submit a request at mountzionchurch.org/prayerrequests
- **DOWNLOAD OUR CHURCH APP!** Search Mt. Zion Xenia in the Google Play Store or the Apple App Store.
- Pastor Vance has prepared a **LENTEN GUIDE** for our church family to help us walk intentionally toward Easter through Scripture, prayer, and reflection. A limited number of printed copies are available in the Foyer, and a digital version can be found at mountzionchurch.org/lentenguide.

HOLY WEEK

PALM SUNDAY | March 29, 10AM

Join us for worship as we commemorate Jesus' entry into Jerusalem. Palm branches will be available in the Foyer.

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE | April 3, 6:30PM

A time to remember the sacrifice of Jesus and reflect on His great love.

EASTER SUNDAY | April 5

A celebration of the resurrection of Jesus and the hope it brings. Invite cards are available in the Foyer.

- Sunrise Service // 7:00AM-7:30AM (outside)
 - Continental Breakfast // 7:30AM-8:30AM
 - NO Sunday School (all ages)
 - Worship Celebration & KidZone Egg Hunt* // 10AM
- * While parents worship, children (PreK-5th grade) will have their very own egg hunt. KidZone opens at 9:30AM.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

SECOND SATURDAY SERVE | April 11, NOON-3PM

Bring a willing heart and ready hands to serve on-site or off-site. Sign up in the Foyer TODAY as extra prep will be required.

LIFELINE CHRISTIAN MEAL PACK | Wednesday, March 18, 6PM-8PM

Join us for a family-friendly service project led by Lifeline Christian Mission as we aim to pack 15,000 meals for children and families facing hunger worldwide. Children may be dropped off for AWANA and RENU Youth as usual, but families are encouraged to stay and serve together. Pizza at 6PM in the Café. Meal packing: 6:30PM-8PM.

SUMMER MISSION TRIP | June 21-June 28

Adults and teens are invited to join our team traveling to Chesapeake, VA, to serve our newly adopted church plant, Rosemont Christian Church. If you'd like to be part of the team, see Pastor Vance or Pastor Shawn by March 22.

- The team is selling **ROOSTERS FUN CARDS** for \$10 to raise funds for the trip. These reusable cards are good for 10% off all dine-in food and nonalcoholic beverage purchases through the end of 2026. See Pastor Shawn or stop by the Welcome Center on Sundays to purchase a card.
- There will be a one-day only **SPECIAL EASTER OFFERING** that will go directly towards supporting this trip and the supplies needed to accomplish the work. The offering will be received on **APRIL 5 ONLY**. Give in person that morning using the love offering envelope mailed to you or online on Easter for this specific need if you prefer.
- Join us for **LUNCH AT CITY BARBEQUE** in Beaver Creek after worship on Sunday, April 19, where proceeds will directly support the trip. Watch for flyers in the Foyer so your meal can be counted toward the fundraiser.

UPCOMING EVENTS

YOUNG ADULTS EVENT | Today, following worship

College students and 20-somethings are invited to join us for lunch and a scavenger hunt.

LADIES' MOVIE NIGHT | Friday, March 20, 7PM | Chapel

Join us for a showing of Sight & Sound's *JESUS*, a powerful retelling of Christ's miracles, ministry, and message that brings the Gospel story to life. Runtime: just over two hours.

LADIES' GAME NIGHT | Friday, March 27, 6:30PM | 76 S. Fairfield Road, 45440

Game on! Invite a friend, bring a snack to share.

WALK FOR LIFE | April 25, Check-in 10:30AM, walk begins at 11:30AM, at Schoolhouse Park in Centerville

See Cathy Scholz if you're interested or would like more information.

WEEKLY & MONTHLY GROUPS

- **MEN'S ALLIANCE | Mondays, 6:30PM** (Parking Lot)
Learn more at mensalliancetribe.com/tribes/shepherd
- **GRIEFSHARE | Wednesdays, 6:30PM-8PM**
Support for those grieving a loss. Register at griefshare.org/groups/285584
- **AWANA CLUBS | Wednesdays, 6:30PM-8PM (Doors open at 6PM)**
Helps kids grow in faith, friendships, and Bible knowledge. **NO AWANA March 18 (Meal Pack) and March 25 (Spring Break).**
- **RENU YOUTH | Wednesdays, 6PM-8PM** (Doors open at 6PM)
A weekly gathering for middle & high school students. **NO RENU Youth March 18 (Meal Pack) and March 25 (Spring Break).**
- **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: ACTS | Thursdays, 10AM**
A time for women to gather for study, prayer, and fellowship.
- **CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP | Thursday, March 19, 2PM-4PM**
A supportive space for those caring for a loved one, using *The Heart of the Caregiver* study.
- **WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB | Thursday, April 2, 6PM**
Book of the Month, *The Bitter End Birding Society* by Amanda Cox.
- **CARD MAKING GROUP | Monday, April 6, 10:00AM** at 76 S. Fairfield Road, 45440
Encourage and bless others by making handmade cards.

SERMON NOTES

THE LIVING GOD: WHAT WE LEAVE BEHIND

Pastor Vance Weeks | March 15

2 Kings 2:1-6

2 Kings 2:7-10

2 Kings 2:11-14

2 Kings 2:15-18

What are we to take away from this passing of the torch?

- Elisha is carrying on a legacy
- Elijah is leaving something to carry behind

How do I leave behind a mantle?

- Start with God's Word
- Tell your story
- Don't let your faith be shaken
- Live your faith

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