Worship Times:

Saturday, August 4, 2018 7:00 PM Sunday, August 5 2018 7:30 AM 9:30 AM 11:45 AM

Rev. Dr. William H. Curtis "The Power of Single-Mindedness." James 1:1-8



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Saturday, July 28, 2018 & Saturday, July 29, 2018 Congregational Scripture: Psalm 148:7-13

New International Version (NIV) 7Praise the LORD from the earth, you great sea creatures and all ocean depths, Ightning and hail, snow and clouds, stormy winds that do his bidding, ⁹ you mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars. ¹⁰ wild animals and all cattle. small creatures and flying birds, ¹¹ kings of the earth and all nations, you princes and all rulers on earth, ¹² young men and women, old men and children. ¹³Let them praise the name of the LORD, for his name alone is exalted; his splendor is above the earth and the heavens.

Here's What's Happening at The Mount!

Church Festival (Our Church Picnic): Will be held on Saturday, September 8 from 11 am to 4pm at the church. The event will feature Music, Food, Giveaways & More! Interested in Volunteering? Visit their table in the Fellowship Hall after service.

Weekly Devotional: Looking for a weekly devotional to jump-start your week? Visit www.WHCMinistries.org every Monday and read Pastor Curtis' Weekly Insights! <u>**3**rd Annual Bicycle Sunday:</u> is slated for Sunday, August 19 after our 11:45am worship service. All our welcome to participate. Beginner & Expert Cyclists are welcome! Spread the Word, stay tuned to Mount TV and look for additional details in the Church Bulletin!

Usher's Ministry: Do you love interacting with people? Then Mount Ararat's Usher Ministry is for **YOU!** For more information, visit their table this weekend in the Fellowship Hall!

Pray for Those In Mourning

Deacon Paula Flenory, cousin of JD Brown Deacon Lorna Allen, cousin of Cynthia Carter Joan Howard, sister of Beverly V. Sutton Sharon (daughter) & Zedrick Brown (son-in-law) of Ona Tucker Candace Colbert (daughter) & Harold McKoy (brother) of Beatrice E. Colbert

Pray for the Sick and Shut in

Nancy Wiggins, Marvin Carter Roberta Brassell

MOUNT ARARAT NEW DISCIPLES MINISTRY

New Disciples Orientation:

Sunday, August 12, 19 & 26

Orientation Classes will be held Sunday mornings at 11:30am.

<u>YOUTH OF THE MOUNT (YOTM) and SUNDAY SCHOOL</u> ATTENTION PARENTS: Youth Ministry Service Times (Youth Sanctuary)

Elev8 Children's Church (3 to 18 years of age) Every Sunday at 9:30am "THE BOOST" for youth and Sunday School for adults. Every Sunday at 11:45am Eleven47 Teen Church (5 and 18)

THE DEADLINE IS APPROACHING! Youth of The Mount's Annual Book Bag & School Supplies Drive

Join our Youth Ministry by donating a book bag with school supplies for their Annual Book Bag & School Supplies Drive in partnership with Pittsburgh Public Schools. <u>Drop off your donations at the Front</u> <u>Office by Sunday, August 12.</u> Thank you for your generous donations that will ensure youth will have the supplies they need to begin their first day of school equipped & confident.

Next Level Small Cell Groups (Bible Study)

Do you desire to learn more about God's Word and how to apply it to your life? Our Next Level Small Cell Groups are the DNA of Mount Ararat Baptist Church! These small Bible Study Groups accommodate individuals of all ages to learn more about the Word of God through reading, discussion and listening. There are Cell Groups for Adults, Young Adults, Men between the ages of 20-39, Seniors and Single Women on **Tuesdays at 6:00PM**. Register online at <u>www.Mt-Ararat.org</u>, Call 412-441-1800 Ext. 0 or Visit the Front Office.

Join a Cell Group TODAY so TOGETHER we can strengthen our Walk with God!

Join Us For Prayer Every Wednesday!

All our welcome to join us for Prayer every Wednesday at the Church from **6:30pm to 7:30pm**. During this time, we will pray for Individual Concerns, our Communities, City & Nation. In addition, we will hear the Word of God. Don't miss this weekly hour of power, and be sure to bring someone with you!

COMMUNITY NEWS

Hill District Education Council will host a workshop for parents/guardians who do not have an understanding of the effects of trauma, and may misinterpret their child's misbehavior at home and school. The Workshop, "Why is My Child Misbehaving?" will be held on September 22 from 12:00pm to 2:00pm, Thelma Lovette YMCA, 2114 Centre Avenue, Reserve Your Seat by calling 412-258-3252 Ext. 703 (www.HDECPgh.org)

Employment Opportunity & Career Opportunities

If you're looking for meaningful part-time work Mount Ararat Baptist Church is seeking to hire a **Part-Time Front Office Receptionist.** This position is responsible for overall front office activities, including the reception area, telephone and email communication, mail and responsible for directing and coordinating office services. Must have time management, communication and organization skills. To Request a Full Job Description – send an email to <u>Information@Mt-Ararat.org</u>. No phone calls, please.

Part-Time Sexton (Church Custodian) The Sexton provides varied custodial and maintenance tasks, from routine to specialized, in maintaining the cleanliness, sanitary and safe conditions, and appearance of church, classrooms, youth sanctuary and grounds. The Sexton reports to the Facilities Manager. For a full job description, send an email to: Information@Mt-Ararat.org. No phone calls, please.

MACAC Early Childhood Development Center, Part-time Assistant Teacher Positions. If interested please send resume to Walkiria Preston at <u>wpreston@macac-inc.org</u>.

Three Rivers Youth is hiring for the Family Partnership Program an (In-Home Services) Family Specialist. Visit their website for more info: <u>www.threeriversyouth.org</u>

Auberle, various job openings, <u>www.auberle.org</u> for additional information.

Support Services

Re:solve Crisis Network: 1.888.796.8226 Emergency Food, Greater Food Bank: 412.325.0749 PA Tax Services (Tax Problems) 412.708.6914 Healthy Start Inc. Helpline 412.247.1000 Women's Center & Shelter of Pittsburgh 412.687.8005 EEI, Free Tax Preparation, 412.363.1702 Center For Spirituality 12 Step Recovery 412.628.3138 Womenspace East, Women & Children In Crisis, 412.765.2661 Cancer Caring Center Free Services 412.622.1212 Pittsburgh Community Services (PCSL) 412.904.4700 Formerly Convicted Citizens Project, 412.295.8606 Gilda's Club Cancer Support 412.338.1919 National Alliance for the Mentally III (NAMI) 1.800.950.6264 Allegheny County, www.shelterlistings.org Alcoholic's Anonymous 412.471.7472 Allegheny County EARN Program, 412.350.0950. Childline Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline: 1.800.932.0313 Center for Victims: 412.392.8582 PA Dept. of Public Welfare: 1.800.692.7462 CHIP Health Insurance: 1.800.986.5437 Teen Hotline: 412.361.8336 Area Agencies on Aging: 412.350.4234 Three Rivers Youth: 412.441.5020 Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center, 412.481.7900

As we prepare to worship God, remember at Mount Ararat you can give the following ways:

- > Traditionally, by way of Cash or Check
- > Electronically on our website (Mt-Ararat.org) by using PayPal or ACS or on our Mobile App
- > Text-To-Give by using your smartphone: Text MABC271 (space) Dollar Amount to 732-56
- > Debit Card Users visit the Fellowship Hall or the Front Office

If you have questions, visit our Finance Team in the Fellowship Hall.