

ANNOUNCEMENTS

📌 DECK THE HALLS

TODAY, Sunday, November 24th after the 10:30am service

We're decorating the church for Christmas TODAY! If you're willing to help for any amount of time after the 10:30 service, we would love to have you. No design experience required, just a willing spirit! We are looking for as many extra hands as possible to help make the church look beautiful and festive for Christmas! Meet us at the Connect Table after the service if you're interested in helping.

📌 MEN'S BREAKFAST

Saturday, December 14th at 7:30am in the Box

Our next Men's Breakfast is right around the corner! Join us for a morning of fellowship, worship, and time in the Word. Gary Skiles will be speaking on how our joy in the Lord is a shared joy enhanced by our shared pursuit of Jesus. Breakfast and coffee will be provided for only \$5 a person. Scan the QR code to register today!



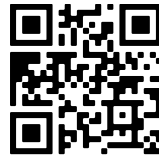
📌 HOW TO GIVE

We believe that giving should always be from the heart and never out of obligation. If you feel called to give to Mountain View today, there are giving boxes in the back of the sanctuary, or you can give online at mvcchurch.org/give. You can also set up recurring payments online at any time! If you have any questions, feel free to stop by the Connect Table.

📌 WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS GATHERING

Sunday, December 8th at 6pm in the Box

Join us on December 8th for our Winter Women's Gathering! We will enjoy warm soup, Christmas carols, and an encouraging message from Sara McConahy. Our theme this year is Encounter God & Live: The Lord sees, pursues, and calls people to know Him moment by moment. Registration is open, so scan the QR code for more information or to sign up today!



📌 ADOPT-A-FAMILY

We have another great way that you can love people in our community this Christmas season! Adopt-A-Family is put on by one of our partner ministries, Serve 6.8. We have a tree set up in the Commons (by MVCC Kids) where you and your family can stop by and grab a tag to shop for a child or a family this season. Stop by the Connect Table after the service for more information! Gifts are due back at the church on December 22nd, but don't wait to stop by.

📌 DESCEND PODCAST

If you haven't already listened to our podcast, Descend, now is the time to do so! Every other week, we break down the weekend's sermon with various MVCC staff and pastors. You can listen on Spotify, Apple Podcasts, or our website (mvcchurch.org/descend).

Next Week's Passage: 1 Corinthians 7:25-40

Jacob Chacko

November 24th, 2024

1 CORINTHIANS—IN ALL THINGS

Old Circumstances, New Life

(1 Corinthians 7:17-24)

Main Point: Our gospel call changes everything, so that despite unchanged circumstances, we can have new life.

Our gospel call changes everything... (Romans 8, Ephesians 1 and 2, 1 Corinthians 1)

...so that despite unchanged circumstances...

...we can have new life (Revelation 7:9-10)

DISCUSSION & REFLECTION QUESTIONS

- What stood out most to you from this sermon? Why?
- As a follower of Jesus, your gospel call has changed everything. How deeply do you feel it?
- What are the things that make you prone to not experience God's change in your life? Are you tempted to view your faith as an 'add-on' to the rest of your life?
- How do you view your current vocation? In light of your gospel call, how might you view your vocation differently?
- What are other circumstances in life that you long to change? How might your new life in Christ help you in them?

SERMON NOTES