



## WELCOME TO MOUNTAIN BIBLE CHURCH

Our vision is to be a bastion of truth in the Tehachapi Valley, California by *protecting* the administration of grace, *proclaiming* the good news of the Messiah's kingdom, and *practicing* truth in love. Our mission is holding forth the Word of life by providing a refuge for all people to grow spiritually in Jesus Christ. If you are a guest, please fill out the **Welcome Home** card located in the row in front of you and place it in the offering plate when it goes by so that we can get to know you. If you're a member and need assistance with meals, transportation, home/hospital visits, or home-bound communion service, please fill out a **Care Ministry** card also located in the row in front of you and place it in the offering plate.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

MBC is teaming up with Team World Vision to walk/run the LA half/full marathon to raise money for children and access to clean water. **To join the MBC team or donate our team, check out the link below:**  
<https://www.teamworldvision.org/team/14569>

If you would prefer to write a check, please make it out to Mountain Bible Church and put World Vision in the memo. Contact Kirsten at [info@mountainbiblechurch.org](mailto:info@mountainbiblechurch.org) for more info.

MBC's 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Pumpkin Patch Oct. 5-25 Mon-Sat 3-8 PM, Sun 1-6 PM. Please mark your calendars to help unload and set up on Oct. 1st. If you have any wagons/wheelbarrows and are willing to let us borrow them, please bring them on a Sunday or to the church office during office hours or set up a time with Linda to drop it off. We are looking for volunteers. If you would like to volunteer, please contact the office at 661-822-7541 or Linda L. at 661-979-8330

**Pumpkin patch/craft meeting after church in front of the sanctuary for about 15 mins.** We will discuss delivery of pumpkins, hours the patch will be open, the differences between last year's patch and this year's, and info for volunteers.

We are looking for volunteers to be greeters to pass out bulletins on Sunday mornings. Please contact the office at if you are interested.

## GIVING

Average needed each month is \$22,000. We received \$10,067.50 for September. Text "73256" to give on your phone.

*For information about our programs go to [mountainbiblechurch.org](http://mountainbiblechurch.org)*

September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
Hope in Uncertainty: Leadership that Inspires Hope  
(1 Thess. 2:1-12)  
Message by Pastor Chris Frost

Notes:

"Not unless you have struggled with the hopelessness and brokenness of life's pains can you possibly know how to lead others through such valleys. Since the prime function of a leader is to keep hope alive, having been bereft of it helps the leader never to forget the value of it. Yesterday's pain prompts today's praise."

~Charles R. Swindoll, *Leadership*, Word Books, 1985