**MOUNT PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH**

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**2025 VISION & CALENDAR**

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**MOUNT PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH**

**2025 THEME**

# 2025 Theme

**STRONGER TOGETHER –** Ecclesiastes 4:9 (NIV) – “Two are better than one, because they have a good return for their labor…”

# 2025 Logo for the Year



# Why "Stronger Together" for 2025

This year, we’re embracing the theme of Stronger Together. This focus encourages us to deepen our relationships, share our gifts, and work together in unity to make a greater impact for God’s Kingdom.

# 2025 Mission Statement:

In 2025, we commit to being intentional in fostering deeper relationships with one another, sharing our God-given gifts, and recognizing that our labor for the Kingdom is more fruitful when we work together as one body.

# Key Initiatives:

1. **Based on our mission statement, here are key initiatives for this year:**
   1. Giving: Support our ministries through consistent giving, knowing every gift makes a difference.
   2. Attendance: Commit to faithful attendance to help build unity and momentum.
   3. Serving: Use your unique gifts to serve the church. Visit our website to view serving opportunities.
2. Pop-Up Cookouts: Join us in outreach through our Pop-Up Cookouts, engaging the community with food, games, and fellowship.
3. Family Resource Center: This year, we’ll expand the Family Resource Center’s reach to help more families in need with essential supplies and support.
4. Hymn of the Month: Each month, we’ll sing a selected hymn together, honoring the legacy of hymns in our church tradition.

# SPECIAL EVENTS:

1. MLK Gospel Extravaganza – January 19 @ 6PM
2. Deacon Ordination – February 23
3. Family and Friends Day – April 6 - Invite family and friends to worship, celebrating the importance of community and connection.
4. Men’s Day – May 25 - This year, we honor the men of our church, with future years rotating to highlight other ministries.

# Calendar Highlights:

1. Business Meetings: January 29, April 30, July 30, October 29
2. Pop-Up Cookouts: March 29, June 21, October 25
3. Graduation Sunday: June 1, 2024
4. Vacation Bible School (VBS): June 23-27
5. 102nd Church Anniversary: October 5
6. Pastor’s 9th Anniversary: December 7
7. Christmas Banquet: December 10
8. New Year’s Eve Service: December 31

# Mount Pilgrim 2025 calendar

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| **[◄ December](https://www.wincalendar.com/Holiday-Calendar/December-2024" \o "December 2024)** | **JANUARY 2025** | | | | | **[February ►](#February_2025" \o "Jump to February)** |
| **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue** | **Wed** | **Thu** | **Fri** | **Sat** |
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| 19  Baptism | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29  **Quarterly Business Meeting** | 30 | 31 |  |

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| [**◄ January**](#January_2025) | **FEBRUARY 2025** | | | | | **[March ►](#March_2025" \o "Jump to March)** |
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| [**◄ February**](#February_2025) | **MARCH 2025** | | | | | **[April ►](#April_2025" \o "Jump to April)** |
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| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29  **Pop-Up Cookout (High School Park)** |
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| [**◄ March**](#March_2025) | **APRIL 2025** | | | | | **[May ►](#May_2025" \o "Jump to May)** |
| **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue** | **Wed** | **Thu** | **Fri** | **Sat** |
|  |  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6  **Family & Friends Day** | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
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| 20  **Easter Sunday** | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30  **Quarterly Business Meeting** |  | | |

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| [**◄ April**](#April_2025) | **MAY 2025** | | | | | **[June ►](#June_2025" \o "Jump to June)** |
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| 18  **Baptism** | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 25  **Men’s Day** | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

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| [**◄ May**](#May_2025) | **JUNE 2025** | | | | | **[July ►](#July_2025" \o "Jump to July)** |
| **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue** | **Wed** | **Thu** | **Fri** | **Sat** |
| 1  **Graduation Sunday** | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8  **Pastor E preaching in Galveston** | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21  **Pop-Up Cookout (McMillan Park)** |
| 22 | 23  **VBS** | 24  **VBS** | 25  **VBS** | 26  **VBS** | 27  **VBS** | 28 |
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| [**◄ June**](#June_2025) | **JULY 2025** | | | | | **[August ►](#August_2025" \o "Jump to August)** |
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| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30  **Quarterly Business Meeting** | 31 |  | |

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| [**◄ July**](#July_2025) | **AUGUST 2025** | | | | | **[September ►](#September_2025" \o "Jump to September)** |
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| [**◄ August**](#August_2025) | **SEPTEMBER 2025** | | | | | **[October ►](#October_2025" \o "Jump to October)** |
| **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue** | **Wed** | **Thu** | **Fri** | **Sat** |
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| 7  **Grandparents Day** | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 Baptism | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
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| [**◄ September**](#September_2025) | **OCTOBER 2025** | | | | | **[November ►](#November_2025" \o "Jump to November)** |
| **Sun** | **Mon** | **Tue** | **Wed** | **Thu** | **Fri** | **Sat** |
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| 5  **102 Church Anniversary** | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25  **Pop-Up Cookout (MLK Park)** |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29  **Quarterly Business Meeting** | 30 | 31 |  |

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| [**◄ October**](#October_2025) | **NOVEMBER 2025** | | | | | **[December ►](#December_2025" \o "Jump to December)** |
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| [**◄ November**](#November_2025) | **DECEMBER 2025** | | | | | **[January ►](https://www.wincalendar.com/Holiday-Calendar/January-2026" \o "January 2026)** |
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| 7  **Pastor’s 9th Anniversary** | 8 | 9 | 10  **Christmas Banquet** | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24  **Christmas Eve** | 25  **Christmas** | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31  **New Year’s Eve Service** |  | | |







