



Mount Pleasant
BAPTIST CHURCH

Mount Pleasant Baptist Church Bible Institute

**January 17-19, 2024
7:00 – 8:30 pm**



@ The Mount

Revealing God's Glory

Isaiah 40:3-5

**Key Aspects of Working Together to
Accomplish Goals and Further God's
Kingdom**



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Meet the Presenter
Trustee Walter Batts



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**Distinguish this presentation from
the training for MPBC officers
and ministry leaders beginning in
April**

THREE CRITICAL AREAS

- 1. Communication – Trustee Batts**
- 2. Accountability – Deacon Hires & Trustee Batts**
- 3. Conflict Management – Deacon Hires**



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COMMUNICATION

(January 17, 2024)

What is your definition of communication?

What does it mean to you?

COMMUNICATION

What: Giving, receiving or exchanging information through various means.

COMMUNICATION

Why: Effective communication allows members of a team to know what they are doing, why they are doing it, how they are doing it, when they need to do it, and the expected outcome.

WAYS WE COMMUNICATE

- 1. Email**
- 2. Text**
- 3. Phone**
- 4. Church Website**
- 5. Teams/Zoom**
- 6. Other**

COMMUNICATION BARRIERS

- 1. Communication Styles**
- 2. Cultural Differences**
- 3. Inability to Listen**
- 4. Dissatisfaction or Disinterest**
- 5. Lack of Transparency or Trust**

IMPACT OF COVID

- 1. Increased Communications**
- 2. Decreased Communications**
- 3. Communication Difficulties and Complexities**

COMMUNICATION

Dos and Don'ts

Examples from the Bible

Do (Examples from 1 Samuel 10: 3-6; 25):

❖ **Keep it simple**

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Dos and Don'ts

Examples from the Bible

Do:

❖ **Know your audience**

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Examples from the Bible

Do:

❖ **Live what you say**

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Do:

❖ **Speak with a purpose**

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Examples from the Bible

Don't: (Examples from Adam and Eve; Genesis 2:16-17; 3:2-3)

❖ Ignore details

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Don't: (Genesis 3:6)

❖ **Allow anything to detract from the goal**

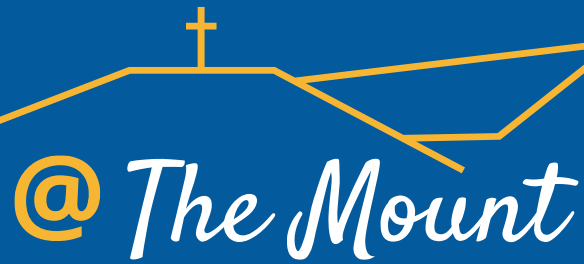
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Dos and Don'ts

Examples from the Bible

Don't: (Genesis 3:12)

❖ **Fail to take
responsibility for faulty
communications**



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DISCUSSION/QUESTIONS