



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
MOUNT PLEASANT, TENNESSEE

Proclamation



WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Mount Pleasant are proud of those individuals who bring personal pride, believe in family, have spiritual values, and bring recognition to our City; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Thelma Rush, was born to Jessie and Lillie Knowles February of 1926. Being the seventh child of eight. Upon moving to Mt. Pleasant, she became a faithful member of the Locust Street Church of Christ in 1946; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Rush fell in love with Charles P. Rush, whom she married. To this union there were two daughters born. Her family extends with three grandchildren, and one adorable great-grandson; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Rush worked many years at Fitzgerald Grocery as a butcher, also at the Family Dollar Store and as a caregiver at Kittie Cottage. Now she enjoys coming to the Mt. Pleasant Senior Center and sharing her memories of the early days of Mt. Pleasant. Her life and works here on this God given earth speaks for its self. We were able to celebrate her 99th birthday with her family and friends, with a dinner. She has lived a life full of experiences and wonderful memories; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mount Pleasant and its Mayor and Board of Commissioners wish to join in honoring this outstanding individual at this time.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, William F. White, Jr., Mayor of the City of Mount Pleasant, do hereby recognize and proclaim March 18, 2025 as

MRS. THELMA RUSH DAY

and call upon all the citizens of the City of Mount Pleasant to join with us in recognizing our citizen and her family.

*In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and caused
this seal to be affixed.*

MAYOR

DATE

