

*"Committed to His Will,  
His Way, and His Word"*



# Mount Olive Baptist Church Announcements March 17, 2024



## Our Vision Statement

<sup>18</sup>"The Spirit of the LORD is upon Me, Because He has anointed Me To preach the gospel to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the broken-hearted, To proclaim liberty to the captives And recovery of sight to the blind, To set at liberty those who are oppressed; <sup>19</sup>To proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD." Luke 4:18-19 (NKJV)

It is the vision of Mount Olive to be a church that is intentional in its efforts to identify and meet the needs of broken, hurt and oppressed people in the greater Glen Allen area through the message and ministry of Jesus Christ.

### MOBC CORE VALUES

1. Radical Hospitality
2. Passionate Worship
3. Intentional Faith Development
4. Risk-Taking Mission & Service
5. Extravagant Generosity

### ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

#### Zoom & In-House

8:30 AM

Lesson: "The Temple Rebuilt"  
Haggai 1:1-4, 7-10, 12-15

Teacher: Rev. Luther Hennighan

Call in Number: 1-301-715-8592

Meeting ID: 896 4489 9495

Passcode: 674074

### Intercessory Prayer via Conference call:

Wednesdays — 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM

Call in Number: 1-978-990-5085

Access Code: 8837843

Your giving is important and needed.

3 Ways to Give

Online Giving Link: +

<https://www.mobcva.org/give>



**Text2Give**

Mail in:

8775 Mt. Olive Ave., Glen Allen, VA 23060

## 2024 Theme: The Year of



Psalm 62:1-2 (NKJV)

<sup>1</sup> Truly my soul silently waits for God;  
From Him comes my salvation.

<sup>2</sup> He only is my rock and my salvation;  
He is my defense; I shall not be greatly moved.

## Today At Mount Olive

### MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

Inhouse - No Capacity Limit &  
via Livestream/Facebook/YouTube

10:00 AM

Happy  
Women's  
Day  
Celebration

Guest Preacher:

Elder Kimberly F. Fortune, Associate Minister  
Galilee Baptist Church, Louisa, VA

# MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!



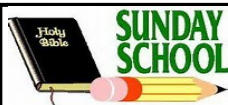
Season of

February 14 — March 30, 2024

**LENT**  
Pray + Fast + Give  
*Restoring Right Relationships*

Pulpit Attire  
is Purple.

The forty days are taken from the days of temptations and fasting Jesus spent in the wilderness. The forty days extend from Ash Wednesday to Easter Eve and contains six Sundays. Lent is a season of preparation for Easter through prayer, repentance of sins, almsgiving, and fasting.



**SUNDAY  
SCHOOL**

**READ THE BIBLE  
IN ONE YEAR**

## Uncovering the Benefits of Precepts: The Entire Bible in One Year

The 2023–2024 Sunday School Precepts for Living is designed to help you read through the entire Bible in one year. The goal is to equip the Church in the study and communication of God's Word. This year's Precepts includes a lesson from every book of the Bible and a reading guide that will help you read through the Bible in one year.

**NEXT WEEK'S LESSON:**

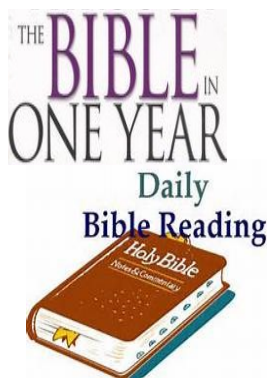
**March 24, 2024**

### "Zechariah Calls for a Return to God"

Zechariah 1:1-6; 7:8-14

Zechariah invites the people to return to God with the sure promise that God will return to them. Zechariah says that when we return to the Lord, wholeness and joy becomes available to us as well.

- \* **MONDAY:** Proverbs 30 - 31
- \* **TUESDAY:** Ecclesiastes 1- 4
- \* **WEDNESDAY:** Ecclesiastes 5 - 8
- \* **THURSDAY:** Ecclesiastes 9 - 12
- \* **FRIDAY:** Song of Solomon 1 - 8
- \* **SATURDAY:** Isaiah 1- 4
- \* **SUNDAY:** Proverbs 27 - 29



## HOW TO ACCEPT JESUS CHRIST INTO YOUR HEART

Perhaps while reading the announcements you realized you have never made a Christian commitment. Don't delay that decision! We encourage you to embrace God's love today and receive the salvation that only Jesus Christ gives. Here are five simple steps you can take to find assurance of salvation.

1. **Recognize your need.** The Bible tell us that "all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." (Rom. 3:23) All of us are sinners, and we must admit our need for a Savior.
2. **Repent of your sins.** Our sins create a wall that separates us from God. By confessing our sins and turning from them, you will find forgiveness. The Bible promises: "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness" (1 John 1:9).
3. **Believe in Jesus.** God sent His only Son to die so that He could pay for all our sins. Put your faith in Him and believe in His power to save you. The Bible says, "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life" (John 3:16).
4. **Receive His salvation.** God has given us a great gift in His Son, but we must receive His gift. Thank Him for loving and forgiving you, and ask Him to live in your heart. His promise to us is clear: "But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God" (John 1:12).
5. **Confess your faith.** The Bible assures us: "If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised Him from the dead, you will be saved" (Rom. 10:9). You have been born again and are now part of God's family. Tell some one else what Jesus has done in your life!

**Heavenly Father,** I now understand my need to have my sins forgiven. I also realize that only Jesus — because of His sacrifice on the cross — can forgive my sin. I put my faith and trust in Jesus today. Please forgive me and become the Lord of my life.

## Sermon Highlights

**March 10, 2024**

**Sermon Title:** "Go Somewhere Else"

**Text:** Genesis:

**Main Idea:** Isaac's alignment with God was pushed. He was told to go somewhere else. Your alignment with God can be pushed by people and circumstances. When your alignment with God is pushed against:

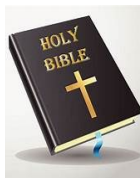
**Main Points:**

1. Don't push aside the pain.
2. Communicate to those around you the importance an necessity of pushing ahead.
3. Don't let being aligned with God be pushed out of you.

## NIFTY AFTER FIFTY SENIORS OF FAITH

JOIN US FOR  
**BIBLE STUDY**

**Wednesdays via Zoom @ 11:30 AM**



Meeting ID: 826-2102 9991

Passcode: 844038

Dial In #: 301-715-8592

**Or see the online bulletin for link.**

**Next Week's Lesson: Mark 11:1-11**

# MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!

## MARCH EVENTS

**Mar. 23 USDA Household Food Distribution**  
Drive Thru @ 12:00 PM

**Mar. 24**



**Worship Service**  
Inhouse - No Capacity Limit &  
via Livestream/Facebook/YouTube  
10:00 AM

**Mar. 31**



8:00 AM Breakfast  
8:45 AM Sunday School & Christian Arts Production  
**"Was That Jesus, The Son Of God?"**  
10:00 AM Morning Worship Service

**Apr. 1**

**Easter Monday**  
**Church Office & Buildings Closed**



## MPB MORTGAGE BALANCE

\$850,000				
\$800,000	<b>\$799,322</b>	<b>July 30, 2021</b>		
\$750,000				
\$700,000				
\$650,000				
\$600,000				
\$550,000				
\$500,000				
\$450,000				
\$400,000				
\$350,000				
\$300,000				
\$250,000				
\$200,000				
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\$150,000				
\$100,000			<b>\$172,063</b>	<b>Feb. 29, 2024</b>
\$50,000				
\$0				
<b>Refinanced Loan Amount</b>		<b>Current Balance</b>		



## Henrico Ministers' Conference

### LITERACY DRIVE

Henrico Ministers' Conference and Vicinity is collecting brand new African American and Multicultural books for grades K to 5 for selected HCPS Students and Classrooms. The Book Drive will run from now through March 31, 2024. Please donated a brand new book or books to help improve the literacy skills of students. A bin is located outside of the church office to place your donated book or books. Thank you for supporting this literacy drive.

## COMMUNITY FOOD GIVEAWAY SCHEDULE



**Saturdays @ 12:00 PM**

**FREE TO ALL!**

## INTERCESSORY PRAYER Sick & Shut-ins

*Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh. Is there anything too hard for Me?*  
Jeremiah 32:27

Robert Ashe  
Olivia Daniels  
James Debnam  
Shirley Fleming  
George Floyd  
Rev. AnnMarie Franklin



Gussie Harvey  
James Harvey, Jr.  
Cecil Lipscomb  
Starr Rhodes  
Rev. Deborah Simmons  
Sonya Smart-Marks



## Youth Praise Dance Ministry

**ATTENTION ALL TEENS GRADES 6-12**

The Youth Praise Dance Ministry is seeking new members to join the Youth Praise Dance Ministry. A sign-up sheet is located on the Information Table in the Education Wing.

For more information please contact Sis. Ebony Collins-Johnson at [eacollins0322@gmail.com](mailto:eacollins0322@gmail.com)



## Bereavement and Healing Support Ministry



**"Grief is a painful experience after any significant loss engaging our body, mind, emotions, and spirit."**

For those who are experiencing grief, the Bereavement and Healing Support Ministry is here to assist you and your family through your stages of grief. Also, we are seeking new members to join our Bereavement and Healing Support Ministry. Interested persons should contact the church office at (804) 262-9614.



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**Mount Olive Baptist Church**  
8775 Mt. Olive Avenue  
Glen Allen, VA 23060  
Phone: (804) 262-9614 Fax: (804) 262-2397



**CHURCH STAFF Directory**

Rev. Darryl G. Thompson, Pastor  
(804) 495-5951 (C)  
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Church Administrator: Sis. Martha Styles  
**E-mail: Churchadm@mobcva.org**

Administrative Assistant: Rev. Allison D. Roldán  
**(Office E-Mail) - Secretary@mobcva.org**

Director of Christian Ed.: Rev. Deborah A. Simmons  
**E-Mail: ChristianEd@mobcva.org**

Director of Music: TBD

Minister of Children & Youth: Rev. Benny T. Cook, Jr.  
**E-Mail: Bcook@mobcva.org**

Financial Secretary: Sis. Joy Walton  
**E-Mail: Finance@mobcva.org**

Custodian (Day): Position Available

Custodian (Evening): Mr. Jerome Allsbrooks  
**(804) 350-2283**

<b>Office Hours:</b> Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	<b>Pastor's Appointment Hours:</b> Monday - 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Tuesday - 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
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**On Call March 2024**

**Deacon on Call**  
Emanuel Robinson.....266-3118  
Erasmus Brown.....550-1544

**Deaconess on Call**  
Sheila Brown.....550-1544  
Daphne Johnson.....690-2008

**Trustee on Call**  
Dorrick Atkinson.....822-9632  
Alfred Smith.....264-3556

**Associate Minister on Call**  
Rev. Robert Williams..858-776-5143

**Bereavement Support on Call**  
Sis. Tammy Burhan....703-508-5046  
Rev. Allison Roldan.....767-9562

**CHILDREN & YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**In-House for all Classes Every Sunday**

**8:30 AM - 9:30 AM Education Wing**

**Children's Church**  
2nd, 3rd, & 5th Sundays  
During Morning Worship

**DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT**

Everyone deserves relationships free from **domestic violence**. When you're ready, we're here to listen with confidential support 24/7/365.  
**National Hotline**  
800-799-7233

**VIEW MOUNT OLIVE WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS ON THE WEB**  
Go to: [www.mobcva.org](http://www.mobcva.org)  
Then click on Weekly Bulletin.

**online GIVING**  
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**AUDIO Morning Worship**

**10:00 AM**

Dial In: 1 (646) 876-9923  
Member ID: 884-1429-4501  
Passcode: 545543

**CHOIR Rehearsal**

**Olive Branches Choir**

Sunday, March 17th & March 24th  
After Morning Worship Service

Thursday, April 4th @ 5:30 PM

**Male Chorus**  
Tuesday, March 19th @ 6:00 PM  
Thursday, March 21st @ 6:30 PM

**ANNOUNCEMENTS DEADLINE:**

Deadline for bulletin and media information is 12:30 p.m. each Wednesday. Please email information to: [Secretary@mobcva.org](mailto:Secretary@mobcva.org) or call the church office at (804) 262-9614.

**THANK YOU**

All thank you acknowledgements are posted on the bulletin board outside of the church office.

**Enter His Gates with Thanksgiving and His Courts with Praise....**

Psalm 100:4  
Please Reverence the House of God:

- \* Enter to Worship
- \* Connect with the Spirit of God
- \* Meditate on God's Word
- \* Focus on God's Glory
- \* Welcome God's Presence
- \* Invite God into your life today
- \*Honor God with the fruit of your lips.

Let all things be done decently and in order. 1 Corinthians 14:40

**Please refrain from eating, drinking and talking on cell phones in the sanctuary.**



# March Events

# 2024



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 Food Distribution MP Building 12:00 PM
3 Sunday School @ 8:30 AM Call in Number: 1-301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 896 4489 9495 Access Code: 674074  Morning Worship Service In-House/Live Stream/Facebook/YouTube 10:00 AM  Girl Scouts Sunday	4	5	6 Intercessory Prayer via Conference call: 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM  Call Number: 1-978-990-5085    Access Code: 8837843  Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Bible Study via Zoom @ 11:00 AM  Prayer & Praise Inhouse/Livestream/Facebook/YouTube 7:00 PM	7	8	9 Food Distribution MP Building 12:00 PM
10 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME <b>SPRING FORWARD</b> Sunday School @ 8:30 AM Call in Number: 1-301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 896 4489 9495 Access Code: 674074  Morning Worship Service In-House/Live Stream/Facebook/YouTube 10:00 AM	11	12 Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Ministry 11:00 AM  Trustee Ministry Via Teleconference 7:00 PM  Ushers Meeting via Zoom @ 7:00 PM	13 Intercessory Prayer via Conference call: 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM  Call Number: 1-978-990-5085    Access Code: 8837843  Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Bible Study via Zoom @ 11:00 AM  Bible Study Inhouse/Livestream/Facebook/YouTube 7:00 PM	14 Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Ministry Computer Class 11:00 AM  Joint Meeting Deacons and Deaconess' 7:00 PM	15 Warriors for Christ Women's Ministry "Share Your Pivot" MP Building 7:00 PM	16 Youth Ushers 9:00 AM Warriors for Christ Women's Min. "Speak Life and Pivot" MP Building @ 9:00 PM  Food Distribution MP Building 12:00 PM
17 Sunday School @ 8:30 AM Call in Number: 1-301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 896 4489 9495 Access Code: 674074  Morning Worship Service In-House/Live Stream/Facebook/YouTube 10:00 AM  Women's Day Celebration "Pivoting So We Can Align"	18  Deaconess Meeting @ 6:30 PM	19  Greeters Ministry via Zoom @ 6:30 PM	20 Intercessory Prayer via Conference call: 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM  Call Number: 1-978-990-5085    Access Code: 8837843  Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Bible Study via Zoom @ 11:00 AM  Bible Study Inhouse/Livestream/Facebook/YouTube 7:00 PM	21  Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Ministry Computer Class 11:00 AM	22	23  USDA Food Distribution MP Building 12:00 PM
24 Sunday School @ 8:30 AM Call in Number: 1-301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 896 4489 9495 Access Code: 674074  Morning Worship and Communion Service In-House/Live Stream/Facebook/YouTube 10:00 AM  	25  Civic Ministry @ 6:00 PM	26  Christian Education Meeting @ 6:00 PM  Bereavement & Healing Support Ministry via Zoom 7:00 PM	27 Intercessory Prayer via Conference call: 6:00 AM - 7:00 AM  Call Number: 1-978-990-5085    Access Code: 8837843  Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Bible Study via Zoom @ 11:00 AM  Bible Study Inhouse/Livestream/Facebook/YouTube 7:00 PM	28  Nifty After Fifty Seniors of Faith Ministry Computer Class 11:00 AM	29   <b>GOOD FRIDAY</b>  "Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit." Luke 23:46	30 Food Distribution MP Building 12:00 PM
31 8:00 AM Breakfast 8:45 AM Sunday School and Christian Arts Production  "Was That Jesus, the Son of God?"  Morning Worship via Live Stream/Facebook/YouTube 10:00 AM  	April 1  <i>Easter Monday</i>  Buildings & Church Office Closed					

# Marriage & Family

**A COMMITTED COMMUNITY**

GROWING IN CHRIST

STRENGTHENING MARRIAGES AND FAMILIES

MAKING A KINGDOM IMPACT

**MEETING**

**2ND & 4TH THURSDAYS**  
(STARTING MARCH 14)

**7:00-8:00**


**@ MOBCVA**



**MORE INFO/RSVP**



# **FREE** **TUITION**

**AT**  **VIRGINIA UNION  
UNIVERSITY**

**COMPLETE VUU ONLINE APPLICATION AND MEET  
ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS**

**HAVE A COMPLETED FAFSA ON FILE WITH VUU  
AND BE PELL-ELIGIBLE (FAFSA CODE 003766)**

**GRADUATE FROM A HIGH SCHOOL IN THE STATE  
OF VIRGINIA WITH A 2.5 GPA**

**MUST BE A VIRGINIA DOMICILED RESIDENT**

**MUST NOT HAVE MOVED TO VIRGINIA FOR THE  
PURPOSE OF ATTENDING POST-SECONDARY  
SCHOOL**

**REQUIRES FULL TIME ENROLLMENT**

**APPLY TODAY AT [VUU.EDU](http://VUU.EDU)**

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**MOBC FOOD SERVICE**

# **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

Food Service is looking for volunteers to help out for Church Events and Repast for serving, runners, setup, and cleanup. Please see sign-up sheet located in the main lobby or contact Church Administrator at 262-9614 ext 227 or send an email to [mstyles@mobcva.org](mailto:mstyles@mobcva.org)