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





TAKE AND EAT

THIS IS MY BODY



Mount Olive Baptist Church

Announcèments

November 28, 2021

Matthew 5:16 (NKJV)

¹⁶ "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

Today At Mount Olive

Morning Worship & Communion Service

No Capacity Limits & via livestream/Facebook/YouTube 10:00 AM



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Light of Hope



"Now may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13 NKJV

Our Vision

¹⁸"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-Statement hearted, To proclaim liberty to the

captives And recovery of sight to the blind, To set at liberty those who are oppressed; ¹⁹To 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



Lesson: "Good News For All" Acts 10:34-47

Teacher: Dea. Joseph Starks

Call in Number 1-605-472-5412 Access Code AC 229743

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



Mail in: 8775 Mt. Olive Ave., Glen Allen, VA 23060

MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!



November 28 — December 24, 2021

The Pulpit Attire is Purple

The Christian Year opens with the Advent season. Advent means "coming" or "arrival". This season emphasizes expectancy and preparation — expectancy of the coming of Christ and preparation for His coming again. The color for Advent is purple; it speaks of penitence and is associated with Christ as King, purple being a royal color.



Theme For This Quarter:

"JUSTICE, LAW, HISTORY"

The study this quarter focuses on justice as presented in a variety of Old Testament Scriptures. Justice originates in the nature of God and is given to God's people as a gift under the Law. The history of God's covenant people shows that kings who exercised God's justice according to God's Law were considered good kings.



This unit has four lessons that explore how leaders of God's people must rely on God's Law as they administer justice. Deuteronomy demands that God's people be just and equitable. In 2 Samuel, king David demonstrates justice by showing kindness to Mephibosheth. Isaiah describes a reign of justice and righteousness. The Christmas lesson shows foreign "kings" representing God's justice more than Israel's own king.

NEXT WEEK'S LESSON:

December 5, 2021

"Justice and Obedience to the Law" Deuteronomy 5:1-3; 10-12; 28-1-10

People often struggle to do what they know is right. How can people find the strength and motivation to do what is right? Deuteronomy 10 teaches that obedience to Gods' Law is for our own well-being.

* MONDAY	The Law of Justice Deuteronomy 5:6 –21	Daily Bible Reading	received Him, to children of God
* TUESDAY:	Follow the Path of God's Law Deuteronomy 5:23-33	5.	Confess your fa
* WEDNESDAY	Discern the Good, Acceptable and Pe Romans 12:1-2, 9-21	rfect	fess with your me heart that God ra saved" (Rom. 10
* THURSDAY:	The Written Law and the Ark of Wood Deuteronomy 10:1-11		now part of God' has done in your
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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.
- 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.



MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!

December Events **Breakout Bible Study** Dec. 08 Men, Women & Young Adults via Zoom @ 7:00 PM Dec. 15 **Pre-Christmas Worship Service** via In House/Live Stream/YouTube/Facebook 7.00 PM Dec. 18 **USDA Household Food Distribution** Drive Thru @ 12:00 Noon Dec. 22 No Wednesday Evening Bible Study **Church Office and Buildings** will be closed for the **CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS** on Friday, December 24th CHRISTMAS DAY Monday, December 27th & Tuesday, December 28th Dec. 25 **Food Pantry Closed** Dec. 29 No Wednesday Evening Bible Study Dec. 31 D'IN US FOR ITCH NIGH SERVICE via In House/Live Stream/YouTube/Facebook 11.00 PM FINANCE The 2022 Proposed budget has been voted on by the Official Board and it is ready to be reviewed by the church congregation. Copies of the 2022 Proposed Budget will be available in the church office to be reviewed. We will vote on the 2022 Proposed Budget after Worship Service on Sunday, December 5, 2021.

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 Grace Baker Ingrid Bobcomb Keith Davis Dea. Kevin Dunigan



James Harvey, Jr. Starr Rhodes Mable Williams Craig Yates



The Christian Year opens with the Advent Season

Nov. 28, 2021	1st Sunday in Advent	-	HOPE (Purple) - Romans 15:13
Dec. 05, 2021	2nd Sunday in Advent	-	PEACE (Purple) - Isaiah 9:6-7
Dec. 12, 2021	3rd Sunday in Advent	-	JOY (Pink) - Luke 1:46-49
Dec. 15, 2021	4th Sunday in Advent	-	LOVE (Purple) - John 3:16

December 19th — CHRIST CANDLE (White) — Luke 2:1-7

The light has finally come bringing **HOPE**, **PEACE**, **JOY AND LOVE** to all mankind.

The word Advent means "coming" or "arrival." The focus of the season is the celebration of the birth of Jesus the Christ in his First Advent and the anticipation of the return of Christ the King in his Second Advent. Thus, Advent is far more than marking a 2,000-year-old event. It is celebrating a truth about God—the revelation of God in Christ, whereby all of creation might be reconciled to God.

Advent also symbolizes the spiritual journey of believers as they affirm that Christ has come, that He is present in the world today, and that He will come again in power.

Advent is marked by a spirit of expectation, anticipation, preparation, and longing. There is a yearning for deliverance from the evils of the world, first expressed by the Israelite slaves in Egypt as they cried out in their bitter oppression. It is the cry of those who have experienced injustice in a world under the curse of sin, and yet have hope of deliverance by a God who has heard the cries of oppressed slaves and brought freedom.

It is this hope, however faint at times, that brings to the world the anticipation of a King who will rule with truth, justice, and righteous-

ness over His people and in His creation. That hope now anticipates anew the reign of an Anointed One, a Messiah, who will bring peace, justice, and righteousness to



Girl Scouts TROOP 5436

Girl Scout Troop 5436 is registering for the 21-22 program year. We are currently accepting new girls! If anyone at Mount Olive is interested in working with our troop please contact Sis. Tyee Mallory at <u>tyee.mallory@gmail.com</u> or text me at 804-901-4934 for more information.



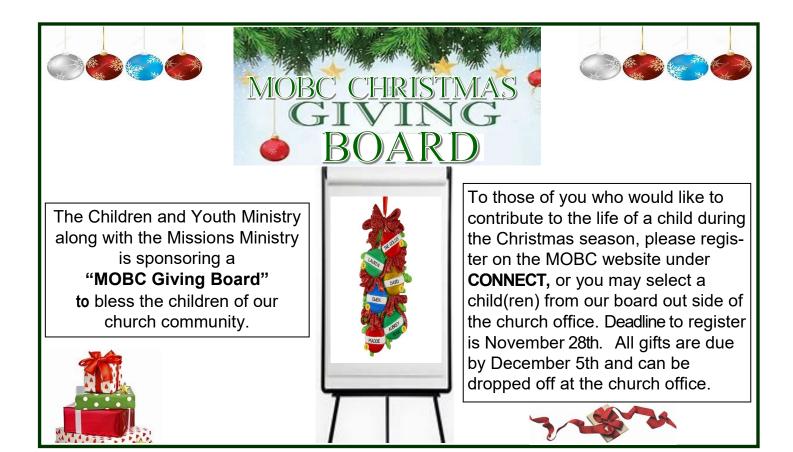
Bereavement Support

Being mindful of your grief during this time of the year remember: You Are Not Alone!

For those who are experiencing grief, the Bereavement 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 Support Ministry. Interested persons should contact the church office at (804) 262-9614.

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Rev. Darryl G. Thompson, Pastor (804) 495-5951 (C) E-mail: (Pastor) - pastorthompson@mobcva.org Church Administrator: Sis. Martha Styles E-mail: Churchadm@mobcva.org	On Call December 2021 <u>Deacon on Call</u> Joseph Starks	VIRTUAL COMPANY SCHOOL VOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL & Children's Church Primary Sunday School via Zoom @ 12:00 PM Dial In: 1 (301) 715-8592 Meeting ID: 849 8114 9396 Passcode: 149023 Junior Sunday School		
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Monday - Friday Monday - 2:00 p.m 7:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m 5:00 p.m. Tuesday - 10:00 a.m 3:00 p.m. ANNOUNCEMENTS DEADLINE: Deadline for bulletin and media information is 12:30 p.m. each Wednesday. Please email information to: Secretary@mobcva.org or call the church office at (804)	Enter His Gates with Thanksgivin	MIME Ministry CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE		
262-9614. Thank you!	* Connect with the Spirit of God * Meditate on God's Word *Honor God with the	e House of God: * Focus on God's Glory * Welcome God's Presence * Invite God into your life today fruit of your lips.		
All thank you acknowledgements are posted on the bulletin board outside of the church office.	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.			







At this time of year we would like to take a moment to remember those who have died. The death of a loved one is difficult at any time, but during the Holidays it can be particularly hard. While only time will ease the pain of grief, knowing you are not alone and remembering your loved one may provide some comfort to you during the holiday season.

Please join us in person or via Livestream to honor the memory of your deceased loved one in a Candlelight Service of Remembrance. There will be a tribute to your loved one during our Remembrance service.

To participate in the tribute to your loved one, please submit the name and a picture of your deceased loved one to Rev. Allison Roldan at secretary@mobcva.org by Sunday, November 28, 2021.

Pastor Thompson and your Mount Olive Family are praying for your comfort and peace during this Holiday Season.



November Health Segment



Between Halloween candy, holiday gatherings, decreased exercise due to cold weather and shorter days, it is no wonder exercise, weight loss, and healthy eating are among the top 5 New Year's Resolutions of many Americans. So, this year, I would like to challenge each and everyone of us to strive to make better choices this holiday season. Listed below are tips recommended by the Center for Disease Control (CDC) and Prevention on 5 Healthy Eating tips for the Holidays. While these tips are geared toward patients with diabetes, I find that many of us can use these as a starting point to begin to adopt healthier eating habits prior to the New Year.

1. Holiday-Proof Your Plan

- Eat close to your usual times to keep your blood sugar steady. If your meal is served later than normal, eat a small snack at your usual mealtime and eat a little less when dinner is served.
- If you have a sweet treat, cut back on other carbs (like potatoes and bread) during the meal.
- Don't skip meals to save up for a feast. It will be harder to manage your blood sugar, and you'll be really hungry and more likely to overeat.
- If you slip up, get right back to healthy eating with your next meal.

2. Outsmart the Buffet

When you face a spread of delicious holiday food, make healthy choices easier:

- Have a small plate of the foods you like best and then move away from the table.
- Start with vegetables to take the edge off your appetite.
- Eat slowly. It takes at least 20 minutes for your brain to realize you're full.

3. Fit in Favorites

No food is on the naughty list. Choose the dishes you really love and can't get any other time of year, like Aunt Edna's sweet potato pie. Slow down and savor a small serving, and make sure to count it in your meal plan.

4. Keep Moving

Being active is your secret holiday weapon; it can help make up for eating more than usual and reduce stress during this most stressful time of year. Get moving with friends and family, such as taking a walk after a holiday meal.

5. Get some Sleep

Going out more and staying out later often means cutting back on sleep. When you're sleep deprived, you'll tend to eat more and prefer high-fat, high-sugar food. Aim for 7 to 8 hours per night to guard against mindless eating. *For more information, please visit <u>https://www.cdc.gov/diabetes/library/features/holidays-healthy-eating.html</u>*

HEALTH MINISTRY

MOUNT OLIVE MEMBERS ONLY

Part-Time



20 hours per week Salary Commensurate with Experience

Duties include but are not limited to: receiving approved requisitions, invoices and payroll to be paid; writing, posting, batching and mailing checks; entering data in computer databases; compiling and maintaining financial reports; running computer general ledger reports; preparing and distributing tithes and offering envelopes; tracking weekly contributions and generating contribution statements; and performing other related duties as assigned.

Preferred candidate must possess a bachelor's degree in accounting, business, finance or related field or have similar experiences. Candidate must possess strong organizational and interpersonal skills. The successful candidate must have a working knowledge of bookkeeping, financial records management, and Microsoft Office Suites. Minimum of 2-3 years of financial secretary experience required. A Criminal History Background Check and a Credit Background Check are required.

Interested church members may pick up an application from the church office or submit a resume in lieu of the application. The deadline to submit application or resume is November 30, 2021.



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