

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



# Mount Olive Baptist Church

## Announcements

April 25, 2021



### 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

## Sunday School

8:30 AM

**Lesson: "A Plea for Restoration"**  
Lamentation 5

**Teacher:** Rev. Dr. Carrie Walker

Call in Number      Access Code  
**1-605-472-5412      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>



TEXT2GIVE

Mail in:  
8775 Mt. Olive Ave., Gle-

## 2021 Theme: THE YEAR OF



Matthew 5:16 (NKJV)

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

### APRIL PREACHING SERIES "Fruitful Productivity"

Galatians 5: 22-23

1st Sunday - Longsuffering

2nd Sunday - Kindness

3rd Sunday - Goodness

4th Sunday - Faithfulness

## Today At Mount Olive

### Morning Worship & Communion Service

via Livestream/Facebook/YouTube

**10:00 AM**

*"I am the bread of life ...He who eats My flesh and drinks My blood will live forever."*  
John 6:41-58

## This Week At Mount Olive

### Productivity Virtual Fellowship Groups

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# MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!



## Eastertide

April 4 - May 22, 2021

The Easter Season known as the Great fifty Days, begins at sunset on Easter Eve and continues through the Day of Pentecost. At this season we celebrate with joy, Christ's resurrection and ascension, and the giving of the Holy Spirit on the first Easter (John 20: 22-23) and on the Day of Pentecost (Acts 2).

### The Pulpit Attire is White



## Theme For This Quarter:

"PROPHETS FAITHFUL TO GODS COVENANT"

This quarter introduces the ministry of the Old Testament prophets. God employs people who live among Israel and Judah to be spokespeople for God. A formal representative of God, the prophet has a message meant to effect social change that conforms to God's desired standards as prescribed under the Law.



### UNIT 3 \* "COURAGEOUS PROPHETS OF CHANGE"

This unit has five lessons. These lessons show the boldness of God's prophets in 1 Kings, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, and Jonah. Isaiah and Judah were released from captivity and charged to rebuild Jerusalem. God sent prophets to call the people to restore their covenant relationship with God. When the people strayed away from their covenant with God, the prophets called them back.

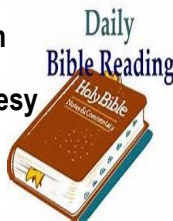
### NEXT WEEK'S LESSON:

May 2, 2021

**"Micaiah: Speaking Truth to Power"**  
1 Kings 22:15-23, 26-28

Telling the truth to those who are in power can be difficult. How does one give a difficult message to powerful people? Micaiah resolved that he would tell king Ahab only what the Lord said to him.

- \* **MONDAY: Elisha Prophesies Truth to King Jehoshaphat**  
2 Kings 3:9-17
- \* **TUESDAY: Kings Propose Battle Against Aram**  
1 Kings 22:1-6
- \* **WEDNESDAY: Micaiah Resists Pressure to Prophecy Falsely** 1 Kings 22:7-14
- \* **THURSDAY: A Lying Spirit Brings Disaster**  
2 Chronicles 18:18-22
- \* **FRIDAY: King Ahab Suffers Fatal Injury**  
1 Kings 22:29-40
- \* **SATURDAY: Jehoshaphat Promises Peace with Israel**  
1 Kings 22:41-46
- \* **SUNDAY: Prophet Micaiah Speaks the Truth**  
1 Kings 22:15-23, 26-28



## 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

April 18, 2021

**Title: "Fruitful Productivity — Goodness"**

**Text:** Galatians 5:22-23

**Main Idea:** Sometimes we get tired of doing good. In Galatians 5:22 there is a characteristic called goodness. In this year of productivity we must embrace goodness even though we get tired sometimes. It is because of God's power in us we can live out Galatians 6:9, "let us not grow weary in well doing...." As we live out Galatians 6:9:

- Main Points:**
- 1) The key is not perfection, but consistent pressing.
  - 2) Stop making tiredness your "go to."

## HOPE Biblical Encouragement Ministry



Encouragement  
Nugget



"You can place a light anywhere, but it shines brightest when it is placed in darkness."

Is your light bright enough to help others find the way?

# MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!

## MAY EVENTS

- May 12** Breakout Bible Study  
Men, Women & Young Adults  
via Zoom 7:00 PM
- May 16** Health Ministry Recognition Sunday  
via Livestream/Facebook/YouTube  
10:00 AM
- May 22** USDA Household Food Distribution  
Drive Thru @ 12:00 PM
- May 23** Pentecost Sunday  
via Livestream/Facebook/YouTube  
10:00 AM
- May 31** **MEMORIAL DAY**  
Church Office and Buildings Closed

## Bible Study



## PRODUCTIVITY PRINCIPLES

### Principle #1 "Action Speaks Louder Than Words"

Proverbs 14:23 (NKJV)

<sup>23</sup> In all labor there is profit, But idle chatter leads only to poverty.

### Principle #2 "Productivity does not mean everything always goes smoothly, it means you plow through the tough days."



Proverbs 24:10 (NKJV)

<sup>10</sup> If you faint in the day of adversity, Your strength is small.

### Principle #3 "Don't Play With Fire, You'll Get Burned"



Proverbs 6: 27-28 (NKJV)

<sup>27</sup> Can a man take fire in his bosom, and his clothes not be burned?

<sup>28</sup> Can one go upon hot coals, and his feet not be burned?

### Principle #4 "You may not look the part, but you can be productive"

Proverbs 30:24-28 (NKJV)

<sup>24</sup> There are four *things* which are little on the earth, But they are exceedingly wise: <sup>25</sup> The ants are a people not strong, Yet they prepare their food in the summer; <sup>26</sup> The rock badgers are a feeble folk, Yet they make their homes in the crags; <sup>27</sup> The locusts have no king, Yet they all advance in ranks; <sup>28</sup> The spider skillfully grasps with its hands, And it is in kings' palaces.

To listen to Pastor's teaching on these principles from the Book of Proverbs, go to [www.mobcva.org](http://www.mobcva.org). Livestream/Facebook/YouTube.



## Henrico County Ministers' Conference

Real Issues - Right Now Strategies

Panel Discussion

**COVID -19 Vaccinations**  
**Faith, Facts, Fears, Resources (FFFR)**

**Tuesday, April 27, 2021**

**7:30 p.m.**

Live streamed on



@Henrico Ministers' Conference



Rev. Zynora D. Manson  
President



Moderator  
Rev. Dr. Price L. Davis  
Pastor, Mosby Memorial  
Baptist Church



Rev. Dr. Kimberly Ridley  
Pastor, The Light  
Community Church



Monica Smith Callahan  
Deputy County Manager,  
Community Affairs



Dr. Melissa Viray, MD  
Richmond & Henrico  
Health Districts

and, Deb Zimmerman, RN  
VA Department of Health



## 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 Rev. Dr. Jimmie L. Walker, Sr. Chair @ 804-721-2487 or email - [pastorjlwsr@gmail.com](mailto:pastorjlwsr@gmail.com)

## 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



Starr Rhodes  
Alma Tarry  
Mable Williams  
Craig Yates

## COMMUNITY FOOD GIVEAWAY SCHEDULE

**DRIVE THRU  
FOOD DISTRIBUTION**

**WEDNESDAYS**  
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

**SATURDAYS**  
12:00 PM

Zip Codes: **23227, 23228, 23059 & 23060**

Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic our community food distribution will be drive-thru.

**Free to All !**





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## Mount Olive Baptist Church

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Glen Allen, VA 23060

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### CHURCH STAFF Directory

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**Office Hours:**  
Monday - Friday  
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Pastor's Appointment Hours:**  
Monday - 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 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](mailto:Secretary@mobcva.org) or call the church office at (804) 262-9614.

*Thank you!*

Thanks and appreciation have been expressed by:

**Sis. Mary Corbin**

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

### On Call April 2021

#### Deacon on Call

Lamar Hough.....512-5440

James Perkins.....266-3727

#### Deaconess on Call

Sheila Brown.....550-1544

Donnelle Oliver.....360-1085

#### Trustee on Call

Eric Smith.....357-6194

Mary Corbin.....266-2244

Dorrick Atkinson..... 822-9632

#### Associate Minister on Call

Rev. Dr. D. Mack-Tatum....266-7663

#### Bereavement Support on Call

Rev. Dr. Dru Roane.....647-5323

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ANNOUNCEMENTS ON  
THE WEB

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Then click on Weekly  
Bulletin.



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### Sunday School via Zoom @ 12:30 PM

Dial In: 1 (301) 715-8592  
Meeting ID: 813 2258 1293  
Passcode: 822553

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**CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER  
NOTICE.**



**Children's Church**

**nursery**

### **Teen EXPERIENCE**

2nd, 3rd & 5th Sunday's  
Ages 12- 18

**Music  
ARTS  
MINISTRY**

**CHOIR  
Rehearsals**

**PRAISE  
DANCE**

**MIME  
Ministry**

**CANCELLED  
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

### 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.**

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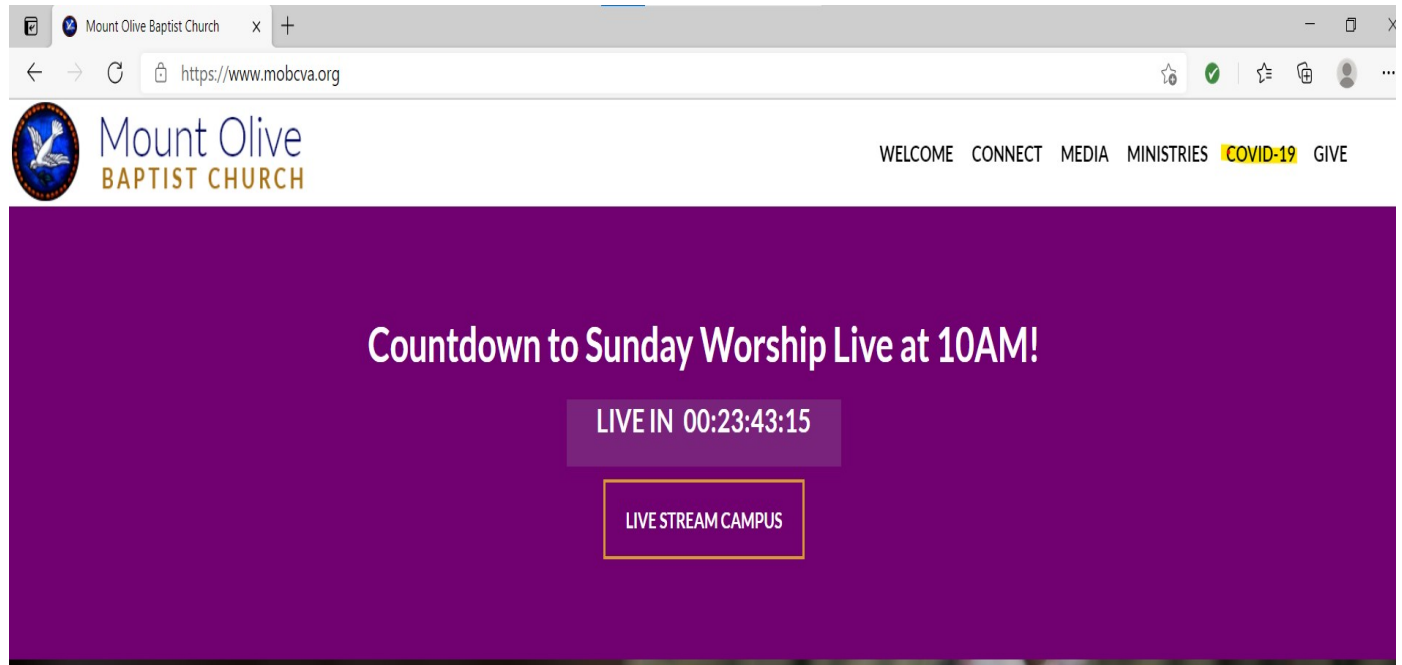
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# Check Out the COVID 19 Resource Center



## A Great Place to Learn:

Where to Sign up for the Vaccine

Find Pharmacies who are providing the Vaccine

Facts and Myths about the Vaccine

View the Virginia Department of Health Presentation on the COVID 19  
Vaccine

&

Much More!!!

# COVID-19 FUNERAL ASSISTANCE

## Find Funeral Assistance information in your language:

[Chinese](#) | [Haitian Creole](#) | [Korean](#) | [Spanish](#) | [Vietnamese](#)



FEMA

The COVID-19 pandemic has brought overwhelming grief to many families.

At FEMA, our mission is to help people before, during and after disasters. We are dedicated to helping ease some of the financial stress and burden caused by the virus.

Under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, FEMA will provide financial assistance for COVID-19-related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020.

We are working with stakeholder groups to get their input on ways we can best provide this assistance, and to enlist their help with outreach to families and communities. FEMA will begin to implement COVID-19 funeral assistance in April.

Additional guidance is being finalized and will be released to potential applicants and community partners as soon as possible. In the meantime, people who have COVID-19 funeral expenses are encouraged to keep and gather documentation. We are working to set up a dedicated toll-free phone number that can be used to apply for funeral assistance. More information will be available on this page soon.

## Who is Eligible?

To be eligible for funeral assistance, you must meet these conditions:

- The death must have occurred in the United States, including the U.S. territories, and the District of Columbia.
- The death certificate must indicate the death was attributed to COVID-19.
- The applicant must be a U.S. citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien who incurred funeral expenses after January 20, 2020.
- There is no requirement for the deceased person to have been a U.S. citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien.

## How to Apply

In April, FEMA will begin accepting applications. If you had COVID-19 funeral expenses, we encourage you to keep and gather documentation. Types of information should include:

- **An official death certificate** that attributes the death directly or indirectly to COVID-19 and shows that the death occurred in the United States, including the U.S. territories, and the District of Columbia.
- **Funeral expenses documents** (receipts, funeral home contract, etc.) that includes the applicant's name, the deceased person's name, the amount of funeral expenses, and the dates the funeral expenses happened.
- **Proof of funds received from other sources** specifically for use toward funeral costs. We are not able to duplicate benefits received from burial or funeral insurance, financial assistance received from voluntary agencies, government agencies, or other sources.

## How are Funds Received

If you are eligible for funeral assistance you will receive a check by mail, or funds by direct deposit, depending on which option you choose when you apply for assistance.