

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



Mount Olive Baptist Church

Announcements

March 15, 2020

*The
Season
of
Lent*



Our Vision Statement

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-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

March 2020 Ministry Meetings

- Tue. 17 Boy Scouts**
Room 139 @ 6:00 PM
Greeters Ministry
Room 138 @ 7:00 PM
Male Ushers
Room 137 @ 7:00 PM
- Thu. 19 Men's Ministry-100 Men Challenge**
VA Randolph @ 8:00 AM
Missions Ministry
Room 137 @ 1:00 PM
- Sat. 21 HealthCare Ministry**
Room 138 @ 9:00 AM
- Mon. 23 Civic Ministry**
Room 137 @ 6:00 PM
Deaconess Ministry
Room 138 @ 6:00 PM
- Tue. 24 Bereavement Support Ministry**
MP Building @ 6:00 PM
Christian Education Ministry
Room 137 @ 6:30 PM
Evangelism Ministry
Room 138 @ 7:00 PM
Emergency Response
Room 139 @ 7:00 PM
- Thu. 26 Pastoral Relations**
Conference Call @ 6:30 PM

2020 Theme:

The Year of

PROGRESS

ISAIAH 43:18-19 (NKJV)

¹⁸ "Do not remember the former things, Nor consider the things of old. ¹⁹ Behold, I will do a new thing, Now it shall spring forth; Shall you not know it? I will even make a road in the wilderness *And* rivers in the desert.

Today At Mount Olive

SUNDAY SCHOOL & NEW MEMBERS CLASS
8:30 AM

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE
10:00 AM

Let's Celebrate!



Guest Preacher:

Rev. Dr. Teresa P. Black
New Salem Zion Baptist Church
Spartanburg, SC

This Week At Mount Olive

Wednesday:

Tuesday:
No Noon Day Bible Study

6:00 a.m. Early Morning Prayer
6:30 p.m. Prayer & Praise
7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study
7:00 p.m. CYM Bible Study
7:00 p.m. New Members Class

MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!



FEBRUARY 26 - APRIL 11, 2020

THE PULPIT ATTIRE IS PURPLE

Lent: 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.



Theme For This Quarter:

"JUSTICE"

This study this quarter focuses on justice as presented in Scriptures from the prophets and in the reading for Easter Sunday, which is taken from First Corinthians. The prophets communicated God's will to the people. They called for repentance and justice.

UNIT 1 — GOD REQUIRES JUSTICE

This is a five-lesson study from four of the minor prophets. The prophets issue God's call for justice in the conduct of human affairs. Amos, Habakkuk, Micah, and Malachi convey that the laws of God require justice for the poor and the oppressed. The last two lessons from Micah and Malachi are a study of the responsibilities of leaders for practicing justice.

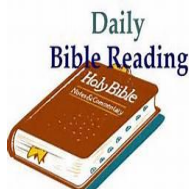
NEXT WEEK'S LESSON:

March 22, 2020

"Corrupt Leaders"
Micah 3:1-3, 9-12; 6:6-8

Leaders often struggle with expectations of being examples of justice. How can leaders become models of justice worthy of emulation? Micah confronts the leaders of Israel for their failure to pursue justice and suggests that doing justice should be the basis of their lives.

- * **MONDAY: The Lord Acts Justly**
Psalm 146
- * **TUESDAY: The Results of Social Injustice**
Isaiah 5:18-24
- * **WEDNESDAY: Justice Actions by the Expected Messiah** Isaiah 11:1-5
- * **THURSDAY: Prophets Fail on Their Watch**
Micah 3:5-8
- * **FRIDAY: Remember God's Righteous Actions**
Micah 6:1-5
- * **SATURDAY: Cheating and Violence Will Be Punished**
Micah 6:9-16
- * **SUNDAY: God Requires Justice for All**
Micah 3:1-3, 9-12; 6:6-8



Sermon Highlights

March 9, 2020

Title: "There Is Hope For Tomorrow"

Text: Matthew 6:25-34

Main Idea: God's people are to be encouraged because there is hope for tomorrow.

- Main Points:**
1. Faith is a requirement for progress.
 2. Life in Christ works.
 3. Show them Me (Christ).

For the full message order a CD or DVD of the service from the Media Ministry.
CDs \$5.00; Double CDs \$7.00; DVDs \$10.00

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 tells 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 someone 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.

"What We Believe"

Article of Faith of the Month

IX. God's Purpose of Grace.

We believe the Scriptures teach that election is the eternal purpose of God, according to which he graciously regenerates, sanctifies and saves sinners; that being perfectly consistent with the free agency of man, it comprehends all the means in connection with the end; that it is a most glorious display of God's sovereign goodness, being infinitely free, wise, holy and unchangeable; that it utterly excludes boasting and promotes humility, love, prayer, praise, trust in God, and active imitation of his free mercy; that it encourages the use of means in the highest degree; that it may be ascertained by its effects in all who truly believe the Gospel; that it is the foundation of Christian assurance; and that to ascertain it with regard to ourselves demands and deserves the utmost diligence.



MOBC COMMUNITY NEWS!!

Upcoming March Events

- Mar. 28** **USDA Household Food Distribution**
10:00 AM
- Mar. 29** **Evangelism & Food Pantry Recognition Sunday**
10:00 AM
- Mar. 30** **Ministry Leaders Meeting**
MP Building
7:00 PM

April Upcoming Events

- Apr. 05** **Nifty After Fifty Senior Ministry**
30th Anniversary Celebration
10:00 AM

Abyssinia Baptist Church
3001 Wickham Avenue, Newport News, VA
Pastor's Anniversary Worship Service
3:00 PM

Departure Time: 1:00 PM

- Wed. 08** **Nifty After Fifty Senior Ministry**
Mid-Week Worship Service
Rev. Dr. Kimberly Ridley, Pastor
The Light Community Church, Richmond, VA

\$30
Includes:
Lifetime Membership Pass,
Unlimited game play, Unlimited
Food and Soft Drinks!

TOP GOLF

RENEWED YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY FELLOWSHIP

Sign-up to reserve your spot TODAY by emailing
your name to: renewedyammobc@gmail.com

REGISTER after service on: 3/15, & 3/22!
(\$25 MUST be paid FULL in order to complete
Registration!) **Limited spots available**

APR
11
3-5 PM

2308 Westwood Ave
Richmond, VA 23230
(Ages 18-40 Only)

Ministry Leaders

There will be a Leadership Meeting on **Monday, March 30, 2020 at 7:00 PM** in the **MP Building**. It is mandatory for all Ministry Leaders to attend this meeting. If you're not able to attend, please send a representative from your ministry.

Warriors For Christ Women's Ministry

JOIN OUR PRAYER CONFERENCE CALL

During the month of March at 6:00 AM on Monday and Friday mornings. To join the Prayer Call dial the free conference call number and you will be prompted to enter an access code. The Prayer Conference Call will be lead by Dr. Rev. Carrie Walker.

PRAYER CONFERENCE CALL LINE AND ACCESS CODE:
712 770 4598 ACCESS CODE 283419#)



Bereavement Support

For those who are experiencing grief you're invited to join us. The Bereavement Support Ministry meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM in the Conference Room (Multi-Purpose Building).

Rev. Dr. Jimmie Walker, Sr.
Chairperson

ATTENTION!

ALL BROTHERS

100 MEN CHALLENGE

The 100 Men Challenge at The Academy at Virginia Randolph, 204 Mountain Road, Glen Allen will meet on the following dates:

Thursday, March 19, 2020 **Thursday, April 16, 2020**
Thursday, May 21, 2020

- 8:00 AM** Arrive & Register (Bring ID for School Security)
8:15 AM Greet students arriving by bus
8:30 AM Chat & talk with students at breakfast in the cafeteria
8:50 AM Gather with students in motivational assembly

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

Grace Baker
William Barber
Keith Davis
Dea. Kevin Dunigan
Barry French



Blanche Smith
Aswana Stewart
Alma Tarry
Mable Williams

COMMUNITY FOOD GIVEAWAY SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY

11:00 AM — 11:30 AM

SATURDAY

12:00 PM — 12:30 PM

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

Only USDA Households Food Distribution

No Breakfast & No Bible Study

Saturday, March 28, 2020

Free to All !



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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 or call the church office at (804) 262-9614.

Thank you!

Thanks and appreciation have been expressed by:

Rev. Deborah Simmons and Family

Sis. Adrienne Westbrook and Family

Lauren Shrader, Pres., Lakeside Volunteer Rescue Squad

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

On Call March 2020

Deacon on Call

Emanuel Robinson.....266-3118

Erasmus Brown.....531-1377

Deaconess on Call

Janet Jefferson.....222-1148

Kimberly Tiggler.....562-4096

Trustee on Call

Lee Pritchett.....553-1472

Robin Roane.....262-4246

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

Bereavement Support on Call

Sis. Jessica Fisher.....516-5600

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Schedule of Service and Classes for the week of 03/15/2020

Sunday

8:30 a.m. Sunday School

8:30 a.m. New Members Class

10:00 a.m. Morning Worship



Children's Church

2nd, 3rd & 5th Sunday's
during Worship Service



Nursery open for children
3 months to age 6 during Worship Service

Teen EXPERIENCE

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



CHOIR

Rehearsal Schedule

Tuesday, March 17th

Praise Dance @ 6:00 PM

Voices of Commitment @ 6:45 PM

Band Practice @ 7:00 PM

Thursday, March 19th

Voices of Commitment @ 6:45 PM

Saturday, March 21st

Voices of Commitment @ 11:00 AM

Thursday, March 26th

Combined Choir @ 7:00 PM

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.**



2020 March EVENTS



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Sunday School & Breakfast With the Pastor; New Members Class @ 8:30 AM Worship Service 10:00 AM Girl Scouts Sunday MOBC @ Bethany Baptist 500 Whiteside Road Sandston, VA 2:00 PM	2	3 Noon Day Bible Study 6:00 pm Boy Scouts Room 139 7:00 pm Trustee Ministry MP Building - Rm. #1 7:00 pm Chosen Generation Sanctuary	4 6:00 am Morning Prayer 6:00 pm New Members Min. 6:30 pm Prayer & Praise 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study 7:00 pm CYM Bible Study 7:00 pm New Members Class	5 6:00 pm Nominating Min. Room 137 7:00 pm Chosen Generation Sanctuary	6	7 9:00 am Young Adult @ MOBC Food Pantry 9:00 am Ladies Ushers Sanctuary 11:00 am Chosen Generation Sanctuary
8  Sunday School & New Members Class @ 8:30 AM Worship Service 10:00 AM	9 6:00 pm Congregational Care - Room 137 6:30 pm Sunday School Conf. Room 6:15 pm Mime Ministry MP Building 7:00 pm Emergency Training Sanctuary, Room 138/139	10 Noon Day Bible Study 6:00 pm Praise Dance MP Building 6:30 pm Historical Ministry LEJ Library 6:30 pm Women's Day Choir Sanctuary	11 6:00 am Morning Prayer 6:30 pm Prayer & Praise 7:00 pm Men's Bible Study 7:00 pm Women's Bible Study 7:00 pm Young Adult Bible Study 7:00 pm CYM Bible Study 7:00 pm New Members Class	12 7:00 pm Deacons Ministry Room 140 6:30 pm Women's Day Choir Sanctuary	13 Pre-Women's Day Concert @ 7:00 PM	14 Mini Women's Conference MP Building 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM Women's Day Choir Rehearsal After 3:00 PM
15 Sunday School & New Members Class @ 8:30 AM Worship Service 10:00 AM Women's Day Celebration Guest Preacher: Dr. Teresa Black Spartanburg, SC	16 7:00 pm Band Sanctuary	17 No Noon Day Bible Study 6:00 pm Praise Dance 6:00 pm Boy Scouts Room 139 6:45 pm Voices of Commit. Choir Room 7:00 pm Greeters Ministry Room 138 7:00 pm Male Ushers Room 137	18 6:00 am Morning Prayer 6:00 pm New Members Min. 6:30 pm Prayer & Praise 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study 7:00 pm CYM Bible Study 7:00 pm New Members Class	19  8:00 am 100 Men Challenge VA Randolph Academy 1:00 pm Missions Ministry Room 137 6:45 pm Voices of Commit. Sanctuary	20	21 9:00 am HealthCare Ministry Room 138 11:00 am Voices of Commit. Sanctuary
22 Sunday School & New Members Class @ 8:30 AM Communion & Worship Service @ 10:00 AM 	23 6:00 pm Deaconess Ministry Room 138 6:00 pm Civic Ministry Room 137 7:00 pm Band Sanctuary	24 Noon Day Bible Study 6:00pm Bereavement Support Ministry— MP Building 6:30 pm Christian Ed. Min. Room 137 7:00 pm Evangelism Ministry Room 138 7:00 pm Emergency Re- sponse Room 139	25 6:00 am Morning Prayer 6:00 pm New Members Min. 6:30 pm Prayer & Praise 7:00 pm Adult Bible Study 7:00 pm CYM Bible Study 7:00 pm New Members Class	26 6:30 pm Pastoral Relations via Conference Call 7:00 pm Combined Choir Sanctuary	27	28 9:00 am Olive Branches Ushers 10:00 am USDA Household Food Distribution MP Building Chosen Generation & VOC @ Antioch Baptist Church Concert @ 3:00 PM
29 Sunday School & New Members Class @ 8:30 AM Worship Service 10:00 AM Evangelism/Food Pantry Recognition	30 7:00 pm Ministry Leaders Meeting - MP Building 7:00 pm Band Sanctuary	31 Noon Day Bible Study 6:00 pm Boy Scouts Room 139 7:00 pm Wedding Ministry Room 137				



Immediate Opening

Mount Olive Members Only

Financial Secretary

20 hours per week

Salary commensurate with experience

Mount Olive Baptist Church is seeking a detail-oriented individual with experience in an automated accounting system to serve in the part-time position of Financial Secretary. There are no benefits associated with this position. The preferred candidate must have a Bachelors degree in accounting, business, finance or related field or have similar experiences. The successful candidate must have a working knowledge of bookkeeping and financial records management, and Microsoft Office Suites. **Criminal History Background Check and Drug Screening** are required.

Duties and Responsibilities: Receive approved requisitions, invoices and payroll to be paid; receive vendor invoices to be paid; write, post, batch and mail checks; enter invoice and check data in computer database; enter weekly bank deposits in computer database; maintain paid invoices and paid check request files; run computer general ledger monthly reports; reconcile monthly bank statements; produce monthly financial reports; prepare monthly financial statements and balance sheets; input data on budget forms; prepare and distribute tithes and offering envelopes; prepare weekly contribution envelopes and generate contribution statements; and perform other related duties as assigned.

Interested church members may pick up an application from the church office or submit a resume in lieu of the application. Please direct all questions to Sister Billie C. Winzor, Chairperson of the Personnel Ministry or Sister Martha Styles, Church Administrator at (804) 262-9614.



MONTHLY HEALTH SEGMENT



What is Colorectal cancer?

Colorectal cancer develops in the tissues of the colon and/or rectum. The colon and rectum form the lower part of the digestive system. The colon helps to absorb food and water and stores waste.

Did you know:

- Colorectal cancer is the 4th most common cancer in both men and women
- African Americans have the highest colorectal cancer rates in the US

Risk Factors

- Diet high in red and/or processed meats
- Physical Inactivity
- Obesity, especially for men
- Smoking or Heavy alcohol use
- Type 2 Diabetes
- Age – 9 out of 10 people are at least 50 years of age

Sign/Symptoms

- Change in frequency of bowel movements
- Constipation
- Change in consistency of stool (loose or watery stools)
- Blood in stools (either as bright red spots or dark "tarry" stools)
- Abdominal pain (bloating, gas or cramps)
- Feeling you cannot completely empty your bowels
- Unexplained weight loss or loss of appetite, nausea or vomiting

Prevention/Early Detection

- The American Cancer Society recommends both men and women have a colonoscopy beginning at age 50
- **Because African Americans have a higher incidence of colorectal cancer at an earlier age, it is recommended screening began at age 45**
- If you have a family member with colorectal cancer, screening should begin 10 years earlier than when your family member was diagnosed
- Additional measures to decrease your risk of colorectal cancer include exercise and weight loss, stop smoking, decrease red and/or processed meats in your diet

For more information, please visit <https://www.cancercenter.com/colorectal-cancer/>