

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

September 27, 2015
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE	“O God Who Shaped Creation”	Tommy Midgett
WELCOME		
CALL TO WORSHIP	“Lord I Lift Your Name on High”	Chancel Choir
*THE PSALM	Psalm 124	No. 846
*HYMN	“To God Be the Glory”	No.98
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	The Apostles’ Creed	No. 881
*GLORIA PATRI		No. 70

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

THE EPISTLE LESSON Romans 2:14-15

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN “Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise” No. 103

WORSHIPPING WITH GOD’S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory

*Doxology No. 95

*Prayer of Dedication

ANTHEM “Mighty is Our God *with* I Sing the Mighty Power of God” Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE GOSPEL LESSON John 1:1-14

SERMON I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth

*HYMN “A Mighty Fortress is Our God” No.110

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE “My Tribute” No. 99

*POSTLUDE “How Great Thou Art” Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

This Week at Mount Olivet Week of September 27 – October 3, 2015

Mount Olivet Preschool & Afterschool ~ 8:15- Noon ~ 2:30 - 5:30 PM

Sun	Sept. 27	7:30 AM	Youth Praise Team Warm Up & Prayer for Services
		8:30 AM	Contemporary Service
		9:30 AM	Children’s Handbells
		9:45 AM	Sunday School
		11:00 AM	Traditional Service
		4:00 PM	Rehearsal for Christmas musical - The Loaned Manger
		5:00 PM	SURGE
		5:00 PM	Sunday Night Youth
		6:00 PM	Lay Ministries nominations meeting
		7:00 PM	Youth Praise Team
Mon	Sept. 28	6:30 AM	Men’s Reunion Group meets in Room “C”
		7:00 PM	Men’s Bible Study
Tues	Sept. 29	9:00 AM	Tuesday Morning Bible Study
		12:00 PM	The Tour of Prayer for the Beacon District - Dare County – More information under “things to know”
		3:15 PM	Middle School Bible Study
Wed	Sept. 30	9:45 AM	MES Character Assembly – Prayers Appreciated ☺
		6:00 PM	Prayer Meeting in Sanctuary
		7:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thurs	Oct. 1	7:00 AM	Youth Breakfast
		9:30 AM	Worship Committee
		10:00 AM	Food For Thought –all are welcome to join in packing bags!
		6:00 PM	Resounding Praise Rehearsal

As many of you know or have heard by now, the trustees along with a number of members have been looking at the physical needs of our church property which has been ongoing since last year. We have identified several major needs including but not limited to siding painting/ replacement and Carpet replacement in the sanctuary. Some of the greatest needs are not visible. Over the next few weeks and months we plan on discussing what these needs are and how we plan on meeting them. Thank you in advance for your support in this area as we continue to work together to have the very best church we can have to the glory of God.

The Trustees

Our Church Audit/Review

As you probably know we have been working with the CPA to do a review of our accounting procedures. This review is required by our church discipline and is generally referred to as an audit. We began this review last spring and it has been concluded. The CPA firm has given us a clean bill of health. You can be well assured that we are handling funds properly and in compliance with our church discipline.

Attendance and Offerings for Sunday, September 20, 2015

Sunday School: 112 Sunday Services: 235

Budget for 2015	\$604,798.81
Amount Needed Weekly	\$11,630.75
Amount Received September 20, 2015	\$12,129.00
Amount Needed to date.....	\$441,968.50
Amount Received to date.....	\$411,907.95
Year to date Budget Deficit	\$30,060.55

Amounts Received into Activities Accounts September 20, 2015

Missions	\$305.00	Roanoke Island Food Pantry	\$212.50
Choir Fund	\$20.00	United Methodist Men	\$50.00
Church Van/Bus	\$15.00	Pastor's Discretionary Fund.....	\$150.00
Discussion Class	\$7.00	God's House Repairs	\$420.00
Preschool Needs.....	\$40.00	The Cove Snacks.....	\$5.00
Richard & Helen Scarborough Memorial Facilities Fund	\$600.00		

September Ushers: 8:30 AM – John & Sherry Wescott 11:00 AM –

Greeter: Bill & Margaret Jean Daniels

Altar Guild: Maureen Thompson, chair; Anne Davis, Toni Franklin, Rose Skinner, Flossie Tugwell

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: September 27 - Jake Brown, Pat Burke, Lauren Daniels

28 - Kyle Enochs, George Speake **29** - Sara Lynn Phillips, Sandra Sawyer

30 - Michele Cribb, Peggy Parker, Nathan Schierer

October 1- Randy Hodges, Jacob Williams, David Woody

2 - Quentin Bell, Charlene Dever, Vick Keith, Ted Wescott, Jimmy Wescott

3 - Mary Temple Mullis

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: September 27 – October 3: None noted

GIVING OPTIONS*

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church offers an online giving option. Instructions may be found on cards in the pew rack of each pew, by visiting mountolivetumc.org or by using your smartphone QR code reader. **Thank you for your gifts!**



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Corner of Ananias Dare and Essex Streets
Manteo, N. C. 27954



Established 1887

As Disciples of Christ, we will passionately follow the leading of the Holy Spirit as we unite to promote and nurture spiritual growth among all God's Children.

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John M. Check – Minister

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Drew Peyton – Director of Youth Ministry

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Tommy Midgett – Organist

Stephen Stetson – Technical Ministries

John Wescott – Custodian

Ann Payne – Church Treasurer

Dana Thomason - Nursery Attendant

Shon Ballance Lee – Director of Preschool,
Afterschool & Seasonal Summer Day Camp

Scarlett Clarke – Preschool, Afterschool &
Seasonal Summer Day Camp Assistant

Today's Nursery

8:30 AM: Carly Hernly 9:45 AM: Dana Thomason 11:00 AM: Lynn Tugwell

Next Week's Nursery – October 4th:

8:30 AM: Lee Petty 9:45 AM: Dana Thomason 11:00 AM: Erica Burkhardt

Weekly Bible Study

Men's Bible Study meets at 7:00 PM Monday nights; please join us as we study the series on the New Testament from Acts through Revelation. The only book you need is the Bible and no sign up is required. Come explore God's Word with us!

Tuesday Morning Bible Study meets each Tuesday in the church fellowship hall, 9 – 10 AM with Pastor John.

Missions Opportunities

The Roanoke Island Food Pantry greatest needs for the upcoming month are hearty soups, Jiffy cornbread mix, and canned fruit. Thank you all for all of your support, Bob & Angela Noffsinger, coordinators.

Mount Olivet will be packing bags for Food for Thought this Thursday the 1st at 10:00 AM. Join us off Airport Rd. Just travel past the NC Aquarium, through the gates to the airport, and the metal building is on the left. Look for the Food for Thought sign! Thank you for your prayers and support, Janice O'Neal, Coordinator



Things to Know

Lay Leadership Committees for 2016 -

Please let the pastor or the office know if you would like to serve on a particular committee.

Lay Ministries to Meet - Our nominations process will be each Sunday at 6:00 PM. Committee members are: Lynda Midgett, Don Jones, Janice O'Neal, Edna Black, Janice Tillett, Chris Seawell, Suzanne Godley, and Buddy Boyce

The 2015 Tour of Prayer in the Beacon District, Gathering Information; Declaring the Kingdom, will meet in Dare County this Tuesday, September 29th at Noon!

Simply meet at your County Court House Steps for a time of prayer lead by the District Superintendent. Along with a time of prayer it will be a time of listening to the concerns, needs and issues for each respective county. Gathering will begin at 12 Noon with Prayer followed by lunch with the District Superintendent.

The Day of Prayer for the Peace of Jerusalem this year is October 4, 2015 at 5:00 PM at Manteo First Assembly on 812 Wingina St., in Manteo. Believers from every continent are mobilizing in their local congregations and communities to pray for God's promise of peace to be realized for all inhabitants of this historic city. Speaker will be Michael Kahn, along with special music and participation from Local Pastors.

8:30 AM

*God's house shall be filled with music, with song, with praise and prayer,
and the burdens of life shall be lifted from all who enter here.*

WELCOME

PRAISE

Youth Praise

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER AND PRAISE

OFFERING

Youth Praise

PRAISE

Youth Praise

READING OF THE WORD

John 1:1-14

SERMON **I Believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth**

CLOSING SONG

Youth Praise

BENEDICTION

** Prayer at the Chancel Rail: If you would like the pastor to join you at the chancel rail, please use the rail on the pulpit side of the chancel. Beginning next month, we will have lay prayer partners available to pray with you, as well.

Children's Ministries

Birth – 5th grade

252-472-2089 Ext. 29

olivetkids@mountolivetumc.org

NURSERY is offered during all service times including Sunday School and is located on the first floor. **Need help finding our nursery?** Please ask one of our ushers for assistance.



CHILDREN'S CHURCH is offered upstairs in the purple room '200' during the 8:30 AM service and in Fellowship Hall A on the first floor during the 11:00 AM service. Children's Church is where children Preschool – 3rd grade are invited to worship God on their level. (or by parent's decision, 4th and 5th graders are always welcome)

S.U.R.G.E. Students United, Reaching, Guiding, Each other in Christ: **Third – Fifth grade** students meet Sundays from 5:00-7:00 PM. Come hangout with your friends as we live, laugh, love, and learn together in His word! Come tonight for **GAME NIGHT!**



Children's Hand Bells will practice next Sunday, **October 4th, at 9:30 AM in room 207** in preparation for their next performance scheduled for October 11th



Our **2015 Christmas Musical** is open to all Mount Olivet children and youth! **Auditions are TODAY** from 4:00 – 5:00 PM Come and be a part of the *Wild West Christmas Adventures of THE LOANED MANGER!!!*

The Cove Youth Ministries

6th – 12th grade

336-215-1051

thecoveobx@gmail.com

SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THE COVE FOR 6th - 12th GRADE!!
Join us and bring your Bibles as we dig deep into God's word.

2015 Fall Cove Schedule

All events are open for students in the 6th-12th grade unless otherwise stated

REMINDER: Students, please bring at least 5 "fun" items to youth group tonight that we can send in our care package to the children at Huntington City Mission.
Please see email for more information.

Sunday Night Youth Group, 5:00 – 7:00 PM. This is a time for students to grow in their love for God and their love for one another as they fellowship through the sharing of heavy snacks, playing games, and studying Scripture together.

Tuesday- Middle School Bible Study, 3:15 - 5:00 PM at the Cove. This Bible study is open to all 6th -8th grade students. We will meet at the Cove for a time of fellowship and Spiritual growth through Biblical teaching on a middle school level.

Wednesday- High School Bible Study, 8:00 - 9:00 PM at Drew's House. This Bible study is open to all 9th - 12th grade students. We will discuss topics that are of interest to our students, study the Scriptures and pray together. **High School Bible Study will not meet this week (9/30).** We will see you next week!

Thursday morning youth breakfast, 7:00 -7:40 AM each Thursday morning school is in session; come out for a great hot breakfast and a guest speaker each week. Transportation is provided to middle and high school after breakfast. This event meets in the fellowship halls inside the main church building.

Music Ministries

252-473-2089 Ext. 24

nschierer@mountolivetumc.org

CHANCEL CHOIR will meet this Wednesday night at **7:00 PM.**

CHRISTMAS CANTATA REHEARSALS will begin **Wednesday, October 7 from 7:00 – 7:45 PM.** All who love to sing are welcome to join us for our Christmas Cantata *Christmas in HIS Presence.*



RESOUNDING PRAISE will meet this Thursday at 6:00 PM.

YOUTH PRAISE TEAM will meet tonight at 7:00 PM.

