

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

February 14, 2016
First Sunday in Lent

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE	“O Perfect Love”	Tommy Midgett
WELCOME		
CALL TO WORSHIP	“Sanctuary”	Chancel Choir
*THE PSALM	Psalms 91:1-2, 9-16	No. 810
*HYMN	“Rejoice, the Lord is King”	No. 715
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	The Apostle’s Creed	No. 881
*GLORIA PATRI		No. 70

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

CHILDREN’S MOMENT		
THE EPISTLE LESSON	Galatians 3:15-29	
PASTORAL PRAYER		
*HYMN	“I Know Whom I Have Believed”	No. 714
WORSHIPPING WITH GOD’S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS		
Offertory	“Something Beautiful”	
*Doxology		No. 95
*Prayer of Dedication		
ANTHEM	“Almighty Lord”	Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE GOSPEL LESSON	Matthew 23:23-33	
SERMON	The Amazing Stumble	
*HYMN	“He Touched Me”	No. 367

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION		
*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE	“Lead Me Lord”	No. 473
*POSTLUDE	“O Wondrous Sight! O Vision Fair”	Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church ~ February 14 -20, 2016

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

Sun	Feb. 14	7:30 AM	Resounding Praise Team Warm Up & Prayer for Services
		8:30 AM	Contemporary Service
		9:45 AM	Sunday School
		11:00 AM	Traditional Service
		Noon	Costa Rica Mission Team Meeting
		5:00 PM	SURGE
		5:00 PM	Youth Praise Team
		5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight host Paul Creef Dinner by Jean Payne & Sarah Peyton
		6:00 PM	Youth Event at Manteo Baptist Church
Mon	Feb. 15	6:30 AM	Men’s Reunion Group meets in Room “C”
		1:00 PM	Nannie Midgett Circle lunch at The Hungry Pelican
		5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight hosts Charlie Edwards & Chris Seawell - Dinner by Discussion Class
		7:00 PM	Men’s Bible Study
Tues	Feb. 16	8:30 AM	“Forward in Faith” Meeting
		5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight hosts Lance Culpepper & Carl Payne Dinner by Roanoke Acres Church of Christ
Wed	Feb. 17	5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight hosts Bobby Harrell & Gib Harrison Dinner by Marcia Bryant & Gib Harrison
		6:00 PM	Prayer Meeting in the Church Library
		6:00 PM	Lenten Meal – Leaders: Haven Creek
		7:00 PM	Cantata and Chancel Choir Rehearsal
		7:15 PM	Stephen’s Ministries Meeting
		7:30 PM	High School Bible Study
Thurs	Feb. 18	7:00 AM	Youth Breakfast
		5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight hosts Tom Crews & Bill Godley Dinner by Covenant Class
Fri	Feb. 19	5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight hosts Hank Griffin & John Wescott Dinner by Joy Class
Sat	Feb. 20	5:45 PM	Room in the Inn Overnight hosts Dan Bottjen & Scott Bryant Dinner by Marcia Bryant



Looking Ahead



Movie Night featuring the movie “War Room” on Sunday March 13th
5:30 PM: soup and sandwiches ~ 6:30 – 8:30 PM is Movie time!

Attendance and Offerings for Sunday, February 7, 2016

Sunday School: 141 Sunday Services: 239

Budget for 2016	\$615,883.73
Amount Needed Weekly	\$11,843.92
Amount Received February 7, 2016	\$14,867.51
Amount Needed to date.....	\$71,063.52
Amount Received to date.....	\$68,983.47
Year to date Budget Deficit	\$2,080.05

Amounts Received into Activities Accounts January 31, 2016

Missions	\$862.50	Roanoke Island Food Pantry	\$412.50
Cora Mae Basnight	\$100.00	Discussion Class	\$8.00
United Methodist Men	\$5.00	Pastor's Discretionary	\$275.00
Youth Ministry	\$300.00	Koinonia Class	\$10.00
God's House Repairs	\$160.00	Capital Improvements Reserve	\$20.00
Cove Ministry Snacks	\$5.00	Local Emergency Relief.....	\$100.00
Room in the Inn	\$50.00	Every Nations Ministries	\$30.00
Covenant Class.....	\$4.00	Helping Hands.....	\$200.00
Capital Campaign "Forward in Faith"	\$125.00		

February Ushers: 8:30 Gib & Pam Harrison 11:00 Chip & Jennifer Philips

Altar Guild: Marguerite Martin, Chair; Linda Cheeseman, Nita Hepler, Argent Spake

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: **Feb. 14** - Ashley Basnight, Lou Crews, Megan Gray

15 - Anna Gainey, Linda Krauss **16** - Donna Steiner

17 - Ina Evans Ernst, Miguel Gomez, Paula Oliver, Rob Petty, Wyatt Dewey Tillett

18 - G. G. Bonner, III, Amelia Foti, Hank Griffin, Morgan McLawhorn, Jamie Reibel,

18 - Hughes Tillett, Jr., Mike Trevino **19** - Brandi Midgett Morris

20 - Laura Daniels, Devin Tillett


HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: none noted

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Mount Olivet Scholarship information is now available online at mountolivetumc.org. There are scholarships available for both High School and current college students!
Apply today; **packets are due no later than March 24th!**

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

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.

Church 473-2089

Website: mountolivetumc.org

Parsonage 473-2088

PO Box 787, Manteo NC 27954

John M. Check – Elder

Jean Basnight – Administrative Secretary

Aletia Goudy – Secretary

Tina Hodgson – Director of Children's Ministry

Drew Peyton – Director of Youth Ministry

Nathan Schierer – Director of Music

Tommy Midgett – Organist

Stephen Stetson – Technical Ministries

John Wescott – Custodian

Ann Payne – Church Treasurer

Dana Thomason - Nursery Attendant

Preschool, Afterschool & Seasonal Summer Day Camp

Shon Ballance Lee – Director

Scarlett Clarke – Assistant

De-Ann Bateman - Treasurer

Today's Nursery

8:30 AM: Pam Harrison & Lee Petty

9:45 AM: Jan Culpepper & Judith Fearing

11:00 AM: Paula Donaghy & Lisa Fry

Next Week's Nursery – February 21st

8:30 AM: Michele Barnes

9:45 AM: Dana Thomason

11:00 AM: Valerie Wheeler

Room in The Inn – February 14-21, 2016



Thank you to S.C. Basnight, Stanley Oliver, Shelton Ott, & Mike Trevino for cooking breakfast each morning for Room in the Inn; to John Wescott for all your many jobs throughout the week; and to Jan Culpepper, Drew Peyton, Rita Shaffer, and Bonnie Strawser for being on call for overnight hosts.

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!

Missions Opportunities

Volunteers needed to staff the The Roanoke Island Food Pantry! We need at least two volunteers to serve approximately once a month on a **Monday or Thursday from 9AM – Noon!** For more information or to sign up contact **Bob or Angela Noffsinger at 252-473-3814.**

Want to go shopping? **The Pantry could use instant mashed potatoes, complete pancake mix and corn bread mix.** Thank you for your support, Bob & Angela



COSTA RICA MISSION TEAM MEETING

When: **TODAY after the 11:00 worship**

Where: **K class** Sunday School room

Who: All team participants and interested persons

FOLLOW YOUR HEART..... Do you have a heart for missions? Or do you feel that gentle tug to serve with others? Come join us for a brief meeting to review trip details. We will travel to San Isidro de Grecia in order to serve with Strong Missions and the beautiful people of Costa Rica.

Dates for the trip are July 26 – August 3, 2016. If you are interested but cannot attend this meeting, contact Ed and Rhonda Bethea, cell (919) 616-1144 or email rlbbethea@gmail.com

today

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

Resounding Praise

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYER AND PRAISE

OFFERING

Resounding Praise

PRAISE

Resounding Praise

READING OF THE WORD

SERMON

The Amazing Stumble

PRAISE SONG

Resounding Praise

BENEDICTION

CLOSING PRAISE SONG

Resounding Praise

** Prayer at the Chancel Rail: If you would like the pastor to pray with you, please join him at the front during the closing song.. We also have lay prayer partners available to pray with you, as well.

The Rosebud on the Altar is given to the Glory of God and in honor of the new life of **Laken Elizabeth Gray** daughter of Melissa & E.W. Gray. Older sibling is Makenna Cora Gray. Paternal Grandparents are Roy & Louise Gray, and Maternal Grandparents are Nick & Stella Malobabich. Great-grandfather is Dick Twiford.

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.

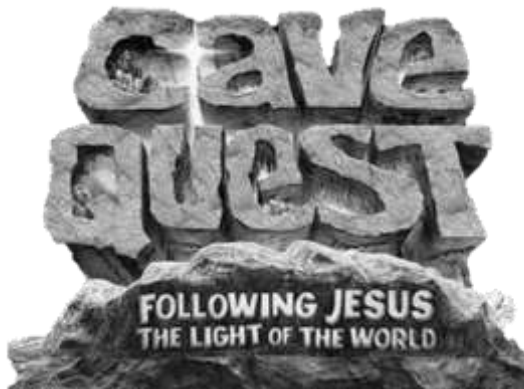


CHILDREN'S CHURCH is offered upstairs in the purple room '200' during the 8:30 AM and the 11:00 AM services. Children's Church is where children Preschool – 3rd grade are invited to worship God on their level. (4th and 5th graders are always welcome, by parent's decision.)



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!

Vacation Bible School will be here before we know it! Dates and times are **July 11th – 15th, 9:00 AM – Noon.** Please be in prayer for all of the teams that are forming, the children and their families who will be with us, and regarding where you would like to serve this year! Call our Children's Director, Tina Hodgson to hear all of the different opportunities that are available at 252-305-4349.



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.

Tonight, **Sunday, February 14th** we will be meeting at **Manteo Baptist Church from 6-8 PM**, for a special combined youth group event with The Bridge Student Ministry. We will enjoy a meal, play games, and study Scripture together. Please note that due to Room in the Inn, we will not be meeting at the Cove tonight, this event will take place in Manteo Baptist Church's gymnasium.

Wednesday- High School Bible Study, 7:30 - 9:00 PM at Drew's House. This Bible study is open to all 9th - 12th grade students. Join us as we share a snack and go through the book of Judges together.

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 Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM.

RESOUNDING PRAISE will NOT meet this Thursday evening.

YOUTH PRAISE TEAM will meet tonight at 5:00 PM.

EASTER CANTATA! Join us this Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM as we rehearse for our 2016 Easter cantata: **My Savior's Love.**

