

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

February 28, 2016
Third Sunday in Lent

THE GATHERING

As you prepare for worship, enter the Sanctuary in reverence, worship in the spirit of humility. And leave it not without a prayer to God for yourself, for those who minister, and for those who worship here.

PRELUDE	“Christ from Whom All Blessings Flow”	Tommy Midgett
WELCOME		
CALL TO WORSHIP	“Christ Be Beside Me”	Chancel Choir
*THE PSALM	Psalm 63:1-8	No. 788
*HYMN	“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”	No. 400
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	**The Apostle’s Creed, Ecumenical Version	No. 882
*GLORIA PATRI		No. 70

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

CHILDREN’S MOMENT		
THE EPISTLE LESSON	Galatians 6:1-6	
PASTORAL PRAYER		
*HYMN	“Jesus Calls Us”	No.398
WORSHIPPING WITH GOD’S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS		
Offertory	“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”	
*Doxology		No. 95
*Prayer of Dedication		
ANTHEM	“Glory to His Name Medley”	Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE GOSPEL LESSON	Matthew 18:15-20	
SERMON	5 Keys for Successful Christian Community	
*HYMN	“Take My Life, and Let It Be”	No. 399

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION		
*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE	“Shalom to You”	No. 666
*POSTLUDE	“We Believe in One True God”	Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church ~ February 28 - March 5, 2016

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

Sun	Feb.28	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
		5:00 PM	SURGE
		5:00 PM	Youth Sunday Night
		7:00 PM	Youth Praise Team
Mon	Feb. 29	6:30 AM	Men’s Reunion Group meets in Room “C”
		5:45 PM	Preschool Board Meeting
		NOTE	Men's Bible Study is on break and will resume Monday
		April 11 at 7 PM	with a new study on <i>Genesis</i> .
Wed	Mar. 2	10:00 AM	Lenten Readings – Church Sanctuary
		6:00 PM	Prayer Meeting in the Church Library
		6:00 PM	Lenten Meal provided by Discussion Class
			Lenten Speaker: Eric Barnett
		7:00 PM	Cantata and Chancel Choir Rehearsal
		7:30 PM	High School Bible Study
Thurs	Mar. 3	7:00 AM	Youth Breakfast
		10:00 AM	Food For Thought –all are welcome to join in packing bags!
		6:00 PM	Resounding Praise Rehearsal
		7:00 PM	Trustees Committee

***Today - Beacon District Lay Rally at Edenton UMC 3:00-5:00 PM**

225 Virginia Road, Edenton, NC 27932. 252-482-3269



Looking Ahead

Movie Night featuring the “War Room” on Sunday March 13th, 6:30 – 8:30 PM!

Join us for the powerful movie War Room showing at Mount Olivet UMC on March 13th - Experience fighting your battles in the War Room. Popcorn will be available at the time of the show. Everyone welcome!

April 3rd – May 15th - Confirmation class for 6th -8th grade students. Full information may be found in the February Newsletter or by contacting Drew at thecoveobx@gmail.com

Attendance and Offerings for Sunday, February 21, 2016

Sunday School: 154 Sunday Services: 276

Budget for 2016	\$615,883.73
Amount Needed Weekly	\$11,843.92
Amount Received February 21, 2016	\$11,250.00
Amount Needed to date.....	\$94,751.36
Amount Received to date.....	\$88,487.47
Year to date Budget Deficit	\$6,263.89

Amounts Received into Activities Accounts February 21, 2016

Missions	\$327.50	Roanoke Island Food Pantry	\$170.00
Choir Fund	\$11.00	Discussion Class	\$12.00
United Methodist Men	\$5.00	Gideons International	\$25.00
Cove Ministry Snacks	\$5.00	Senior Fund.....	\$20.00
Covenant Class.....	\$50.00	UMYF Child Sponsorship	\$17.00
God’s House Repairs	\$90.00	History Center	\$5.00
Book Fund.....	\$15.00	Koinonia Class	\$8.00
Local Emergency Relief.....	\$5,000.00	Lenten Offering “Costa Rica”	\$100.00
Jane A. Zegopoulos Nursing Scholarship	\$300.00		
Capital Campaign “Forward in Faith”	\$60.00		
Cora Mae Basnight Memorial for Children’s Ministry.....	\$100.00		

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. 28** - Bill Wheeler **March 1** – Kenneth Meekins, Ellen Parker

2 –Angie Brady Daniels, Kathleen Snyder, Annabel Walker

3-Dawn Davenport, Debbie Parker, Ruth Stetson **4**-Allen Berry, Brad Gainey

5- Jane Brinkley, Scott Buckalew, Hannon Fry

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: **March 3** : Joe & Patsy Zoll – 33 yrs.

March 4: Jerry & Metta Austin – 38 yrs., Kenneth & Donna Wells – 38 yrs.

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church offers Online Giving Options

- Go online to mountolivetumc.org – use the onlinegiving tab
- Download the app (Joyfully2umc) - Find your church (**Mount Olivet UMC**) –Give
- With your smartphone QR code reader

Thank you for your gifts



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

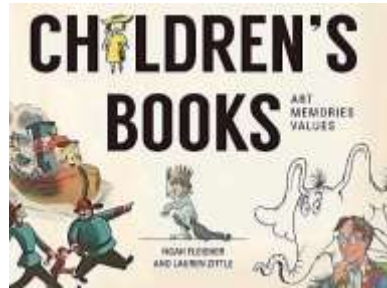
8:30 AM: Liz Brown 9:45 AM: Dana Thomason 11:00 AM: Lynette Crews

Next Week's Nursery – March 6th

8:30 AM: Jackie Hart 9:45 AM: Jan Culpepper 11:00 AM: Brenda Davis

Weekly Bible Study

Men's Bible Study is on break and will resume Monday April 11th at 7:00 PM with a new study on *Genesis*.



Missions Opportunities

Roanoke Island Food Pantry could use "Treet", Beef Stew and Canned Pasta (Spaghetios, etc.). We are also low on children's books, if you have any used ones you no longer need please bring them by the Pantry. Thank you for your continued support and all our wonderful volunteers, Bob & Angela Noffsinger, 252-473-3814.

Mount Olivet will be packing bags for Food for Thought this Thursday the 3rd at 10:00 AM. Join us off Airport Rd- 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



COSTA RICA MISSION TEAM - FOLLOW YOUR HEART.....

Do you have a heart for missions? Or do you feel that gentle tug to serve with others? 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, contact Ed and Rhonda Bethea, cell (919) 616-1144 or email rlbbethea@gmail.com



Looking for your offering envelopes? They're available outside the church office on the mailbox.

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



Sunday: March 13th
6:30 -8:30 PM
Mt. Olivet Sanctuary
Invite a friend!

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

GIDEON SPEAKER

PRAYER AND PRAISE

OFFERING

Youth Praise

PRAISE

Youth Praise

READING OF THE WORD

Galatians 6:1-6

SERMON

5 Keys for Successful Christian Community

PRAISE SONG

Youth Praise

BENEDICTION

CLOSING PRAISE SONG

Youth 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 Flowers on the Altar are given to the Glory of God and in appreciation for our Mount Olivet friends for their cards, prayers, food and other acts of kindness. Jeanie, "Rac" and Girls.

Children's Ministries

Birth – 5th grade

252-472-2089 Ext. 29

olivetkids@mountolivetumc.org

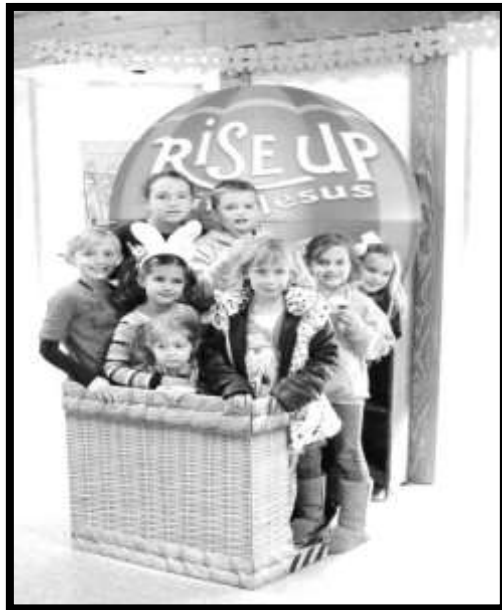


NURSERY is offered during all service times including Sunday School and is located on the first floor. **Need help finding our nursery?** Please ask one of our ushers for assistance.

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!



RISE UP WITH JESUS

March 19, 2016

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

All are invited to come to Mount Olivet UMC as we 'Rise with Jesus' during our Easter Celebration. There will be exciting activity and craft stations for all to visit, delicious homemade desserts, and tons of FUN! **Bring a friend**, and come join in the celebration!



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.

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.

Wednesday- High School Bible Study, 7:30 - 9:00 PM at Drew's House. 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.

Summer Mission Trip- The **deadline to sign up** for our June 18th-24th mission trip to Wheelwright, Kentucky is **Friday, March 18th**. In order for us to secure your child's spot you will need to pay a non-refundable **\$100 deposit to the church office (also due by March 18th)**. Please note that this is a hard deadline that I will not be able to extend, so please sign up and turn your deposit in ASAP. **See Drew for more information.**

Confirmation Class- will start on **April 3rd** and end on **Pentecost Sunday, which is May 15th**. This class is open to 6th -8th grade students, and will take place at the Cove during the normal Sunday school hour (9:45-10:45). There will be a separate Sunday school class offered at the same time for any student who has already been through Confirmation or is not interested in doing so. If any high school students have not been confirmed and are interested in doing so, they should talk to Drew for more information. **Full information on this class in the February newsletter – including important parent information.**

Music Ministries

252-473-2089 Ext. 24

nschierer@mountolivetumc.org

CHANCEL CHOIR will meet Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM.

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

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

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

