February 25, 2018 ~ Second Sunday in Lent 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

FOCUS SCRIPTURE Micah 6:8 pg. 806

He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice,

and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

PRAISE Resounding Praise

Acolyte, Samuel Head

GIRL SCOUT READING Girl Scouts Promise Troop 2573
CHILDREN'S MOMENT "We Are One in the Spirit" FAITH Friends

PRAYER AND PRAISE

OFFERING Resounding Praise

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

GIRL SCOUT PRESENTATION Girl Scouts Law Troops 2502 & 2109

LORD'S PRAYER Scouts

CUB SCOUT READING Oath Pack 501

PASTOR'S COMMENTS John Dutton

PRAISE Resounding Praise

BENEDICTION

Sermon Summary (11 am)

The rather forced yet forceful dichotomy Paul constructs between law and faith functions to force that cover-up smile off our faces. As Paul preached that faith alone brought Abraham to righteousness, the apostle rejected all human attempts to get right with God through the works of the law. The outward appearance of work is useless, Paul argued, without the inward infrastructure of faith.

11:00 AM

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.

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE "This is the Day" Tommy Midgett

WELCOME

FOCUS SCRIPTURE Romans 4:21-22 pg. 977

(Abraham) being fully persuaded that God had power to do what he had promised.

This is why "it was credited to him as righteousness."

CALL TO WORSHIP

"All Day Long"

Chancel Choir
Acolyte,

*HYMN

"Amazing Grace" (vs. 1-4, 6)

No. 378

The Apostle's Creed

*GLORIA PATRI

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

PASTORAL PRAYER

WORSHIPPING WITH GOD'S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory "God Is Here" Tommy Midgett
*Doxology No. 95

No. 881

No. 70

*Prayer of Dedication

ANTHEM "In the Garden" Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE SCRIPTURE LESSON Romans 4:13-25 pg. 977
SERMON Cover-Up My Sins John Dutton

*HYMN "Be Thou My Vision" No. 451

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Spirit of the Living God" No. 393

*POSTLUDE "Nothing But the Blood" Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

^{*}Prayer: If you would like someone to pray with you, feel free to come to the front during the closing song. Our pastor and lay prayer partners will appreciate the opportunity to join with you in prayer.

NURSERY is located on the first floor. **Need help finding our nursery?**

Please ask one of our ushers for assistance.

Today's Nursery 8:30 Carly Hernley 9:45 Dana Thomason 11:00 Tiffany Martin

Next Week's Nursery – March 4 8:30 Jackie Hart ~ 9:45 Angie Basnight 11:00 Kathy Seawell WORSHIP BAGS are available during the church service by the front entrance. Please return the worship bag at the end of service so we can continue to provide more items.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH is offered upstairs in the purple room '200' during the service today. Children's Church is where children Preschool – 3rd grade are invited to worship God on their level.

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

Sun	Feb. 25	7:30 AM	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	Faith Friends & Youth Sunday Night
		7:00 PM	Youth Praise
Mon	Feb. 26	6:30 AM	Men's Reunion Group meets in Room "C"
		7:00 PM	Men's Monday Night Bible Study Room "A"
Tue	Feb. 27		
Wed	Feb. 28	Noon	Lenten Lunch by Joy Class; Testimony by Patty Dutton
		5:45 PM	Lenten Dinner by Discussion Class Testimony by J.B. Head
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Thurs	Mar. 1	6:45 PM	Testimony by J.B. Head Prayer Meeting in the Church Library
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Budget at a glance

Received Feb. 18, 2018 - \$14,085.00 Needed Weekly - \$11,911.10 Needed to date - \$83,377.70 Received to date - \$74,535.76 Year to date Budget Deficit - (\$8,841.94)

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.

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Ministers – All

Aletia Goudy – Administrative Assistant Kim Head – Director of Children's Ministry

Tommy Midgett – Organist

Dana Thomason – Nursery Attendant

John Dutton – Pastor

Ann Payne – Church Treasurer Nathan Schierer – Director of Music

John Wescott – Custodian

Angie Basnight – Nursery Attendant

Preschool, Afterschool & Seasonal Summer Day Camp

Shon Ballance Lee – Director Scarlett Clarke – Assistant
Christie Daniels - Assistant De-Ann Bateman – Treasurer