# March 11, 2018

### **Upcoming**

Sun. March 18 - Gib Harrison preaching Mon. March 19 6:30 pm SPRC Meeting

4:30 pm Grief Share

Tues. March 20

**Ushers**:

8:30: The Culpepper Family 11:00: Lee Petty

#### Altar Guild:

Kathy Seawell; Chair, Bea Basnight, Peggy Parker, Gloria Spence



In this time of Pastoral transition, we know everyone has ideas about pastoral characteristics that will help Mt Olivet be the church God has called us to be. Therefore, if you have an idea that you would like to share with our Pastor-Parish-Relations-Committee (PPRC), we want to make sure you know who you can share your thoughts with.

Our PPRC will be meeting with our District Superintendent Rev. Gil Wise on Mar. 19th. The PPRC members are: S.C. Basnight, Paula Donaghy, Johnny Farrow, Hank Griffin, Le Hook, Marguerite Martin, Mike Meekins, Chip Phillips, Robin Sawyer, & Rita Shaffer.

**Scholarship applications** are available online and will be due back by March 23rd or postmarked March 23rd if mailing!





# Service Time Change, March 25, 2018 8:00 am for a light breakfast ~ 8:45 am Sunday School

10:00 am Easter Cantata

Masterpiece Moments - Join us in the Sanctuary for a recital of classical & contemporary music. Presented by Manteo High School Choir and String students at 4:00 pm TODAY.

Parents, I would like to invite you to join me on Sunday evenings during youth and Faith Friends. The format of this group is to be determined, but the purpose is clear: small group fellowship. We can decide together what direction our new group may take. So when you drop your children off at 5, come by room A for snacks



and a planning session. I hope to see everyone there. In faith, Jennifer Phillips



Wed. Lenten Meals & Testimonies continue this week; noon & 5:45 pm.

Lenten Readings Held in the Mount Olivet Sanctuary, 10:00 am, March 14, 21, and 28 led by Rodney & Sarah Benson; everyone is invited to come and experience scripture as we prepare our hearts during this Lenten Season.

We have an opportunity to serve the homeless in our community thru Room in the Inn! Please be in prayer as we begin preparations to welcome these guests to Mount Olivet; March 18 -25, 2018



If you would like to provide a meal on Sat. March 24 please contact Gloria Davis at 757-647-7221 or email gidavis204@gmail.com. Thankyou for your prayers & support.



Help us better serve our congregation and community through the use of our church kitchen and resources! The Trustees Committee is currently forming two new committees to plan together and brainstorm how we can better serve those who wish to use the church kitchen and other fellowship hall resources. Come be a part of the kitchen committee or the reception committee and

make a difference today. Need more information or want to learn more please contact the church office or JB Head (252-473-7832), Trustee Kitchen Representative.

Join Peggy Snead & others Tues. March 20th 4:30-6:30 pm as we begin this 13 week journey from mourning to Joy. Can't attend all 13 weeks, the easy format allows for opportunities to catch-up. The program is nondenominational and features biblical concepts for healing from your grief. All are welcome to signup outside the church office. Books are \$15, if you need assistance with your book fees please let us know.





## Children's Ministries

Birth – 5<sup>th</sup> grade 252-473-2089 Ext. 29 olivetkids@mountolivetumc.org

**Sunday School -** 9:45 AM today, upstairs in Room 200. Join us as we dive into the Deep Blue adventures. **K-5th** 

**Faith Friends**—We will meet upstairs tonight from 5-7. We will continue to study the Books of the Bible. See you then! **K-5th** 

**Handbells -** We will practice again on 18 March at 9:40. Our next performance is 1 April both services.



### Youth Ministries

6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade students unless otherwise noted thecoveobx@gmail.com

**Sunday School At The Cove** Bring your Bibles as we dig deep into God's word, 9:45 am Sundays.

**Sunday Night Youth Group** at the Cove 5 - 7 pm; Come to The Cove for heavy snacks, games, & studying Scripture!

**Wednesday High School Bible Study**, 7:30-9:00 pm at The Cove; open to all 9th -12th grade students.

**Thursday morning Youth Breakfast**, 7:00 -7:40 am! Hot breakfast and guest speaker each Thursday school is in session! Transportation is provided to school.

March 16th – Middle & High School Lock-In (Registration Deadline is tonight) 6 pm Fri.- 9 am Sat. Come out for a fun night together. Cost for this event will be \$15.



### **Music Ministries**

252-473-2089 Ext. 24 nschierer@mountolivetumc.org

Chancel Choir meets this Thursday at 7:00 PM.

**Easter Cantata:** We will meet Thursday at 7:00 PM. Join us in this time of preparation for *Crimson Love*.



Resounding Praise meets this Thursday at 6:00 PM.

Youth Praise meets tonight 7:00 PM.





**Young Adults**, join us on Sunday mornings - 9:45am as we study the Bible at Front Porch Cafe.

**Men's Bible Study meets Mondays 7:00 PM**. Please join us as we study the book of 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel . The only book you need is the Bible; no sign up is required. Come explore God's Word with us!



# Missions Opportunities

Mt. Olivet will be packing bags for Food for Thought this Thur., March 15, 10 AM. Join us off Airport Rd- past the NC Aquarium, Look for the Food for Thought sign! Thank you for your prayers

and support, Janice O'Neal, Coordinator

The Roanoke Island Food Pantry is running low on brown paper grocery bags. Please bring any you have to share to the Pantry. Thank you! Bob & Angela Noffsinger



Everyone is invited to join the **Prayer Blanket team** the first & third Wed. of each month 10 AM. The only skills needed are a heart for ministry, your time, & the ability to cut with scissors or tie a knot.

## Happy Birthday

Mar. 11 - Caroline Pearce, Nancy Opdyke

11 - Renee Austin, Elizabeth Gamiel

12 - Davis Pritchard, Alex Zillifro, Daniel Reed

13 - Stephen Goodale 14 - Anita Twyne, Kaleb Goudy,

14 - Angel Martinez 15 - Joyce Edwards

15 - Emma Meekins, Arturo Romero, Dawn Tillett

15 - Brianna Payne, Zachary Zottoli, Bailey Petty

15 - Keeli Harrison 16 - Douglas Evans, Jordan LaRose

17 - Sara Farrow, Mark Vrablic, Brandon Gregory

17 - Ryan Murphy, Mclaine Blanchard

# Happy Anniversary

March 11: Pat & Patricia Hamby – 23 yrs.

March 14: Michael & Brenda Brent – 26 yrs.

#### **Mount Olivet United Methodist Church offers Online Giving Options**

At mountolivetume.org through the online giving tab or with your smartphone QR code reader



#### Sunday, March 4, 2018

Sunday School: 121 Church Services: 176 2018 Budget - \$619,377.00

Received March 4, 2018 - \$10,141.00

Needed Weekly - \$11,911.10 Year to date Budget Deficit - (\$4,725.64)

Needed to date - \$107,199.90 Received to date - \$102,474.26

### **Amounts Received into Activities Accounts March 4, 2018**

Missions - \$732.50 Roanoke Island Food Pantry - \$102.50 United Methodist Men - \$60.00 Worship - \$25.00 Young Adult Enrichment - \$100.00 Discussion Class - \$9.00 Koinonia Class - \$5.00 Capital Improvements Reserve - \$20.00 Covenant Class - \$2.00 Lenten Offering - \$133.00 Every Nation Ministry - \$30.00 Helping Hands - \$250.00

Forward in Faith Capital Campaign - \$1,010.00 Local Emergency Relief - \$100.00 Pastor's Discretion - \$132.00