

April 28, 2019 ~ First Sunday after Easter  
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.

PRAISE	“Step by Step / I Will Follow”	Resounding Praise
WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS		
PRAISE	“10,000 Reasons”	Resounding Praise
	“The Lion and the Lamb”	
CHILDREN’S MOMENT		Kara Beatty
<i>Children’s Church is offered next to the nursery with Rita Shaffer.</i>		
PRAYER OF CONFESSION		
JOYS AND CONCERNS		
OFFERING	“Your Grace Finds Me”	Resounding Praise
PRAYER OF DEDICATION		
READING OF THE WORD	Acts 5:27-32	pg. 947
SERMON	<i>What Next?</i>	Matt Seals
CLOSING SONG	“Revelation Song”	Resounding Praise
BENEDICTION		

Prayer: If you would like to pray privately or to have someone pray with you, feel free to come to the front. Stephen Ministers will be available to join with you in prayer during the closing song and following the service.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We confess that we far too often want proof for everything, O Lord. We want proof that someone loves us; we want proof that we can trust in others; we want proof that everything in life is going to turn out all right. It is easy for us to point our finger at Thomas who was honest about his fears. He had seen so much healing and hope. But those hopes seemed dashed when Jesus died. Even the news of the Resurrection did not completely lift the darkness from his life. Jesus said to him, just as he says to us, “Peace, be still. Do not doubt but believe!” Lord, forgive our unbelief! Forgive the many times when we think and act in ways which are hurtful and mean. Heal our wounds. Bind up our spirits in the cords of your compassion. Help us to fully place our trust in you, with our whole hearts, and minds, and spirits, and souls. For we ask this in your blessed Name. AMEN.

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	“Nothing But the Blood”	Tommy Midgett
WELCOME		
*CALL TO WORSHIP	“Christ Be Beside Me”	Chancel Choir
*HYMN	“Grace Greater than Our Sin”	No. 365
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	The Apostle’s Creed	No. 881
*GLORIA PATRI		No. 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost,  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT	Allison Martin
<i>Children’s Church is offered next to the nursery with Sarah Smith.</i>	

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

PRAYER OF CONFESSION		
JOYS AND CONCERNS		
WORSHIPPING WITH GOD’S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS		
Offertory	“Something Beautiful”	Tommy Midgett
*Doxology		No. 95
*Prayer of Dedication		

ANTHEM	“Revive Us Medley”	Chancel Choir
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PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON	Acts 5:27-32	pg. 947
SERMON	<i>What Next?</i>	Matt Seals
*HYMN	“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”	No. 382

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION		
*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE	“Freely, Freely” (Refrain)	No. 389
*POSTLUDE	“O Jesus, I Have Promised”	

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

\*PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

**NURSERY** is on the first floor.

If you need help finding the nursery, one of our ushers would be happy to assist you.

**This Sunday, April 28**

**Next Sunday, May 5**

**8:30 Joyce Edwards, Paula Oliver**

**11:00 Lisa Fry, Lynn Tugwell**

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CONNECT IN  
**Small GROUPS** *9:45 – 10:45 Sunday mornings*

**KOINONIA CLASS – Room A, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

Discussion based, covering a variety of topics

**DISCUSSION CLASS – Room B, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

Bible Study Format

**MEN'S BIBLE CLASS – Room C, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

Bible Study Format

**LUCETTA WILLIS CLASS – Library, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

Bible Study Format

**YOUTH 6<sup>th</sup>– 12<sup>th</sup> The Cove, across the street**

Join us for fellowship and studying God's Word

**JOY CLASS – Room 208, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

Bible Study Format. Community involvement.

**COVENANT CLASS – Room 204, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

Discussion based, covering a variety of topics

**S.W.I.F.T - Room 202, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

Join us as we dive into the book of Ephesians in this exciting study by J.D. Greer. Come as we challenge ourselves to live out the gospel in our day to day lives.

**CHILDREN 4yrs – 5<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor**

Head upstairs to meet our amazing teachers

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**Sunday, April 21, 2019**

**Sunday School: 88 ~ Church Services: 374**

2019 Budget - \$607,988.00

Received to date - \$170,303.84

Needed Weekly - \$11,692.08

Needed to Date - \$187,073.28

Received April 21, 2019 - \$8,940.25

Year to date Budget Deficit- (\$16,769.44)

**Amounts Received into Activities Accounts on April 21, 2019**

Choir Fund - \$30.00

Pastor's Discretionary Fund - \$100.00

Discussion Class - \$7.00

Book Fund - \$65.00

After Prom - \$420.00

Koinonia Class - \$2.00

Missions - \$385.00

Nannie Midgett Circle - \$87.90

United Methodist Men - \$10.00

Forward in Faith Capital Campaign - \$10.00

Costa Rica Mission Trip Gifts & Fundraisers - \$2,909.00

God's House Repairs - \$85.00

Gifts to the Karen Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund

# Mount Olivet United Methodist Church



*Established 1887*

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*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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