Mount Olivet United Methodist Church

May 8, 2016 Ascension Sunday

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 WELCOME	"Wellspring of Wisdom"	Tommy Midgett
WELCOME CALL TO WORSHIP	"Not I, but Christ"	Chancel Choir
*THE PSALM	Psalm 47	No. 781
*HYMN	"The Old Rugged Cross"	No. 504
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	The Apostle's Creed	No. 881
*GLORIA PATRI		No. 70

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

THE EPISTLE LESSON Ephesians 4:1-6

PASTORAL PRAYER

*HYMN "Nothing but the Blood" No. 362
WORSHIPPING WITH GOD'S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory "My Prayer Rises to Heaven"

*Doxology No. 95

*Prayer of Dedication

ANTHEM "Jesus Built a Bridge" Chancel Choir

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

*THE GOSPEL LESSON John 17:11-16 SERMON "Learning to Live as One"

*HYMN "O Jesus, I Have Promised" No. 396

SENDING FORTH

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Lead Me, Lord" No. 473
*POSTLUDE "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me" Tommy Midgett

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO WITNESS AND SERVE GOD

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church ~ May 8 - 14, 2016

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

Sun	May 8	7:30 AM 8:30 AM 9:45 AM 9:45 AM 11:00 AM	Resounding Praise Team Warm Up & Prayer for Services Contemporary Service Sunday School Confirmation Class at the Cove Traditional Service
Mon	May 9	6:30 AM 7:00 PM	Men's Reunion Group meets in Room "C" Men's Bible Study
Tues	May 10	6:00 PM	United Methodist Men Scholarship Dinner
Wed	May 11	6:00 PM 7:30 PM	Prayer Meeting <u>in the Church Library</u> High School Bible Study
Thurs	May 12	7:00 AM 10:00 AM 6:00 PM 7:00 PM	Youth Breakfast Food for Thought – Join us in packing bags! Resounding Praise Rehearsal Chancel Choir

"Show and Tell": The Cove Mission Trip Fundraiser: May 20th at 7:00 PM



NEW MEMBER SUNDAY: We are having a New Member Sunday May 22nd.

Our confirmation students will be joining the church during the 8:30 service on that date. We will be baptizing several that day, as well.

If you would like to discuss membership or baptism, please contact the Youth Director or Pastor John.

Charge Conference Called:

There will be a Charge Conference on Sunday, May 15, 2016 immediately following the 11:00 AM worship service. The purpose of this Called Charge Conference will be to approve a line of credit for the purpose of repairing and remodeling the church.

^{*}PLEASE STAND AS ABLE

Attendance and Offerings for Sunday, May 1, 2016

Sunday School: 133 Church Services: 229

Budget for 2016	\$615,883.73
Amount Needed Weekly	\$11,843.92
Amount Received May 1, 2016	
Amount Needed to date	\$213,190.56
Amount Received to date	\$205,724.56
Year to date Budget Deficit	\$7,466.00
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73 Capital Campaign Pledges to Date.....\$210,706.00

Amounts Received into Activities Accounts May 1, 2016

Missions\$707.50	Roanoke Island Food Pantry\$87.50
Pastor's Discretionary\$182.00	Capital Improvements Reserve\$20.00
United Methodist Men\$5.00	Every Nations Ministry\$30.00
Discussion Class\$17.00	The Cove Ministry Snacks \$20.00
Forward in Faith Capital Campaign\$2,940.00	Koinonia Class\$9.00
Emmaus\$120.00	

May Ushers: 8:30 AM – Jim & Anne Davis 11:00 AM – Larry & Maxine Thomasson

Altar Guild: Janice O'Neal, Chair; Katherine Bottjen, Lee Petty, & Rita Shaffer

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: May 8 - Tristan Adams, Ronnie Davis

9 - Heidi Burkhart, Leslie Lafferty, Ted Martin, Annah Petty, Kevin Phillips, Ashlee Walker

10 - Todd Daniels, Nettie Midgett 11 - James Fauth, Tina Hodgson, Marjalene Thomas

13 - Les Austin, Craig Fearing, Linda Holmes 14 - Courtney Daniels, Melva Garrison,

14 - James Miller, Sean Paul Rock

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY: May 9: Rufus & Jerri Hopkins - 57 yrs.

May 10: Buddy & Cathy Boyce - 19 yrs.

May 11: Jerald & Darlene Craddock - 32 yrs.

May 12: Mike & Tina Hodgson – 14 yrs.

Mount Olivet United Methodist Church offers Online Giving Options

- $\bullet \;\;$ Go online to mountolive tumc.org – use the online giving tab
- $\bullet \quad \text{Download the app (Joyfully2umc) Find your church (} \underline{\text{\textbf{Mount Olivet UMC}}}) \text{Give}$
- 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

 $Tina\ Hodgson-Director\ of\ Children's\ Ministry \qquad Drew\ Peyton-Director\ of\ Youth\ Ministry$

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: Lee Swain Petty 9:45 AM: Dana Thomason Next Week's Nursery – May 15th

11:00 AM: Lisa Fry

8:30 AM: Paula Oliver 9:45 AM: Dana Thomason

11:00 AM: Brenda Davis

Weekly Bible Study

Men's Bible Study meets at 7:00 PM Monday nights. Please join us as we study Genesis. The only book you need is the Bible and no sign up is required. Come explore God's Word with us!

Missions Opportunities

Roanoke Island Food Pantry thanks everyone for your generous response to our request for used children's books we are amply supplied for now and will let you know when we run low again. Know that the kids/parents are thrilled to get to pick out a book or two while they are waiting for their food to be bagged. Bob & Angela Noffsinger

Cape Hatteras High School has a room available for students in need to "shop" for free items. Donations of clothes & shoes for young men and women would be greatly appreciated. For more information please contact Janice O'Neal 252. 473.1125. Thank you!

The UM Men invite you to join them Tuesday, May 10th at 6:00 pm, for a dinner recognizing the 2016 UMM Scholarship recipients; Rebecca Boyce, C.J. Midgett & Sydney Putnam. This year's 2016 UMM Scholarship honoree is Rev. Adrian Brown, Sr.

The Cost of the Meal Is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple and a sign-up sheet is provided outside the church office. Deadline to sign-up is this Sunday!

Stephen Ministry Gathering - Mount Olivet congregation has been invited to attend a gathering at Kitty Hawk United Methodist Church Thursday, May 12th, 7:00 PM to hear more about Stephen Ministry. Please contact Sarah Benson, 336 420-9227 or the church office; if you are interested in attending. KHUMC would like a tentative head count of those who may like to attend to hear more about this ministry.



Come celebrate new mommy to be, Tina Hodgson at **Tina's baby shower Saturday**, **May 21**st **2:00 PM** in the Mount Olivet Fellowship Hall. **Tina's registry is at amazon.com baby registry under – Mike Hodgson and Tina Hodgson Baby Registry.** For more information email mdtrevino4@aol.com or see Denise Trevino.

Mt. Olivet would like to be able to recognize the **2016 graduates** of both **HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE** on June 5th during the 8:30 service. To be able to do this, we need your help to ensure we have located all those students who are members and/or their parents or grandparents are members of Mt. Olivet or they are active in the Cove Ministries. **We don't want to leave anyone out!** Please call the church office (473-2089) or complete the form provided on the bulletin board outside the church office.



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 "Learning to Live as One"

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 Flowers on the Altar are giving in memory of our mothers; Mrs. Arretta O'Neal and Mrs. Gladys Lowry by Tom and Janice O'Neal

Children's Ministries

3 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.





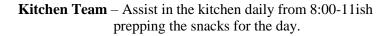
CHILDREN'S CHURCH is offered upstairs in the purple room '200' during the 8:30 AM and the 11:00 AM services. Children's Church is where children Preschool – 3rd grade are invited to worship God on their level. (4Th and 5Th graders are always welcome, by parent's decision.)



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!

Ministry Opportunities with VBS 2016

Registration Team – Assist our guests get assigned to their crew





Crew Leader – Walk with the children to each station helping them stay on schedule and reinforcing the bible points during the day.

Assistant Leader - Second or Third leader for each crew

Recreation Team – Assist on playground for recreation rotation with all age groups.

Contact Children's Director, Tina Hodgson at 252.305.4349 for more details or to join the team!

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 will start back again next week, May 15th. Enjoy celebrating the wonderful mothers in your life today!

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 study God's Word.

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. The last youth breakfast of the school year will be May 26th.

Confirmation Class- continues today and will end next Sunday, May 15th.



Our next fundraiser for the Kentucky mission trip will be "Show and Tell", a talent show and explanation of our mission trip by our students. Please come to the church on Friday, May 20th at 7:00 pm to enjoy an evening of wonderful entertainment and fellowship as well as delicious desserts and coffee. You do not need to purchase tickets for this event, as we are simply asking those who attend to bring a monetary donation with them that night.

Whatever amount that you are able to give will be a blessing to our students. This will likely be our last fundraiser before the trip, so please help spread the word about this event.

Music Ministries

252-473-2089 Ext. 24

nschierer@mountolivetumc.org



CHANCEL CHOIR will meet **THURSDAY** evening this week at 7:00 PM.

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

YOUTH PRAISE TEAM will not meet this evening. We are leading worship NEXT Sunday, May 15.