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believe. belong. **become.** behold.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR NEXT NEW MEMBERS CLASS

You've Joined, Now Let's Build! Our next New Members Class is happening Saturday, February 21 from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, both in person and online. Come and learn more about what it means to be a part of the body of Christ here at Mt. Olive.

We'll walk through our mission, our vision, our story, and how you play a part in it all. Register in two easy ways: visit our website or scan the QR code on your pew. We're excited you're here. Let's grow together!

CALLING ALL WOMEN OF MT. OLIVE!

The She Shed Women's Ministry is officially kicking off and sis, you're invited! Join us Saturday, February 28th for our very first event, "Sisters in Love" – a Galentine's celebration. This is the launch of our monthly women's gatherings, happening every last Saturday of the month, each with a new theme, new conversations, and new connections.

Our focus? Loving God, loving ourselves, and loving others — anchored in 1 Corinthians 13. We'll have a panel of women from different ages and stages of life, real talk about relationships and friendships, light eats, laughs, and lots of love.

Please make sure you register , so that we can have a headcount for food. Scan the QR code, visit the website, or sign up in the lobby. Bring a friend, bring your sister, bring your bestie! We'll see you at the She Shed!

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY PLANNING TEAM

Do you have an eye for detail and a passion for event planning? Are you looking for a place to serve? We'd love for you to be part of our Church Anniversary Planning Team! Our Church Anniversary is just around the corner in March, and we're excited to get started.

Join the team by stopping by the table in the lobby after worship or visit our website at mtolivejoliet.org

KEEP YOUR INFORMATION UPDATED

Help us stay connected with you! Please take a moment to ensure your contact and household information is current in the Church Center system. Keeping your profile updated allows the church to communicate important updates, events, and ministry information.

How to Update Your Information in the Church Center App

- Tap your profile picture or initials in the top right corner.
- Select My Profile & Settings.
- Tap My Profile & Household.
- Use the Edit buttons to update or add your contact details.
- Tap Save, then Update to finalize your changes.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, February 8, 2026

COUNTDOWN

Worship Screens

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Screens

WELCOME VIDEO

Worship Screens

WORSHIP IN SONG | PRAISE TEAM

"Hallelujah You're Worthy" as ministered by Judith McAllister

CALL TO WORSHIP, SCRIPTURE, AND PRAYER

Minister

Congregational Hymn

"Because He Lives"

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS & DISMISSAL OF STUDENTS

Minister

WORSHIP IN GIVING

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST SPEAKER

Minister

WORSHIP IN SONG | PRAISE TEAM

"He is Exalted" as ministered by JJ Hairston & Youthful Praise

GUEST SPEAKER

Rev. Peter J. Williams
The Progression Church | Chicago, IL

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Minister

CLOSING REMARKS & BLESSING

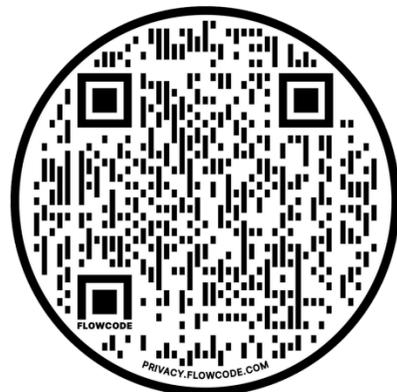
Ministers, Deacons, and Deaconess are available at the altar after each worship gathering for those in need of special prayer.

NEW HERE?
WELCOME!

We'd love to get to know you!
Please fill out a Connect Card
from the back of the pews and
drop it in the offering basket
during our offertory period. We
can't wait to connect with you!

Giving Affirmation

"LORD IT IS WITH A
CHEERFUL HEART THAT I
JOIN YOU WHERE YOU ARE
WORKING AND SOW THIS
SEED TODAY. I GIVE IT AS
AN ACT OF WORSHIP WHILE
MEETING THE NEED'S OF
THIS LOCAL CHURCH FOR
THE EXPANSION OF YOUR
KINGDOM BECAUSE I KNOW
YOU WILL RESPOND. I
DECREE THAT THE NEEDS
OF MY FAMILY ARE MET
SPIRITUALLY, PHYSICALLY,
AND FINANCIALLY.
IN JESUS' NAME, AMEN."



SCAN THE QR CODE TO VIEW THE BULLETIN, FILL
OUT A CONNECT CARD, GIVE ONLINE, CHECK IN
FOR M.O. TOWN, FIND SMALL GROUPS, AND
MUCH MORE!

5 WAYS TO GIVE

- By Mail:**
1710 Carey St. |
Joliet, IL 60433
- Text to Give:**
Text Any Dollar
Amount to
(833) 800-5897
- Online at**
www.MtOLiveJoliet.org
- Dropbox:** Place
your offering in
the secure
dropbox next to
the main entrance
- Download the**
"Church Center"
App in the Apple
App Store or in
Google Play

Welcome our newest members

Wilma Crisp
Shamekia Gwin
Cedric Garner
Roosevelt Curry
Scherri Wilson
Connie Martin
Brianna Baker
Keyana Brooks
Patricia Newsome

LET'S CELEBRATE

Is Your Birthday or Anniversary Missing?
Let us celebrate with you! If your special
day hasn't been listed in the bulletin, please
email the church office at
mtolivejoliet@gmail.com
to be added.

ANNIVERSARIES

- 2/3 Kevin & Tonya Ware celebrating 7 years
- 2/4 Ricky & Angela Moffett celebrating 41 years
- 2/6 Joe & Tianna Wilson celebrating 1 year
- 2/13 Robert & Kimberly O'Neal celebrating 13 years

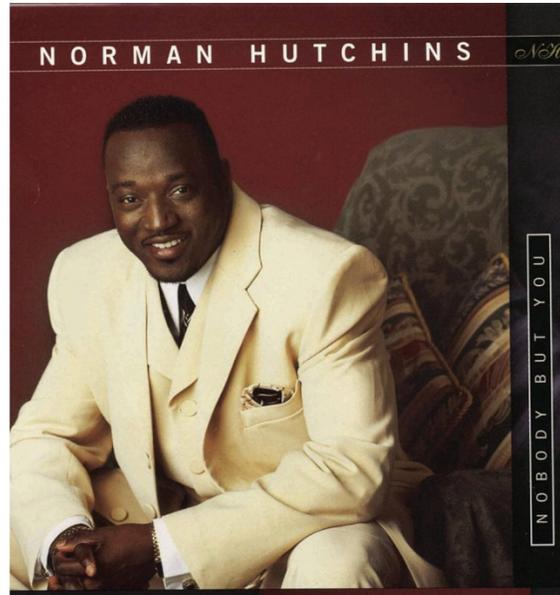
BIRTHDAYS

- 2/1 Steve Broadway, Sr.
- 2/2 Maurice Clemons
- 2/2 Zion Anderson
- 2/2 Robert Booker
- 2/3 Jharvell Barnes
- 2/4 Pastor Wendell Martin
- 2/4 Brittney Holman
- 2/5 Siara Hall
- 2/6 Aaron Johnson
- 2/7 Rita Cross
- 2/7 Carmyn Brown
- 2/7 Loria Ware
- 2/8 Robert Gatson
- 2/8 Tianna Wilson
- 2/9 Layoni Pierce
- 2/11 Chase Barton
- 2/11 Armeatia Gray
- 2/13 Aleshia Smith
- 2/14 Lauryn Gildon
- 2/15 Glenn Moore
- 2/16 Jessica Hines
- 2/17 Diane Thomas
- 2/18 Brooklynn Tucker
- 2/19 Frankie Washington
- 2/19 Kendall Stevens
- 2/19 Wilma Crisp
- 2/20 Tonya Ware
- 2/21 Rose Trent
- 2/21 Michelle Justice
- 2/22 Jared Williams
- 2/23 Christina Moran
- 2/24 Trevion Boswell
- 2/25 Clantha Bates
- 2/25 Joshua Little
- 2/26 Cailyn Cage
- 2/26 Mary Patterson
- 2/26 Aaron Johnson, Jr.
- 2/28 Mary Lee
- 2/29 Sandra Davenport





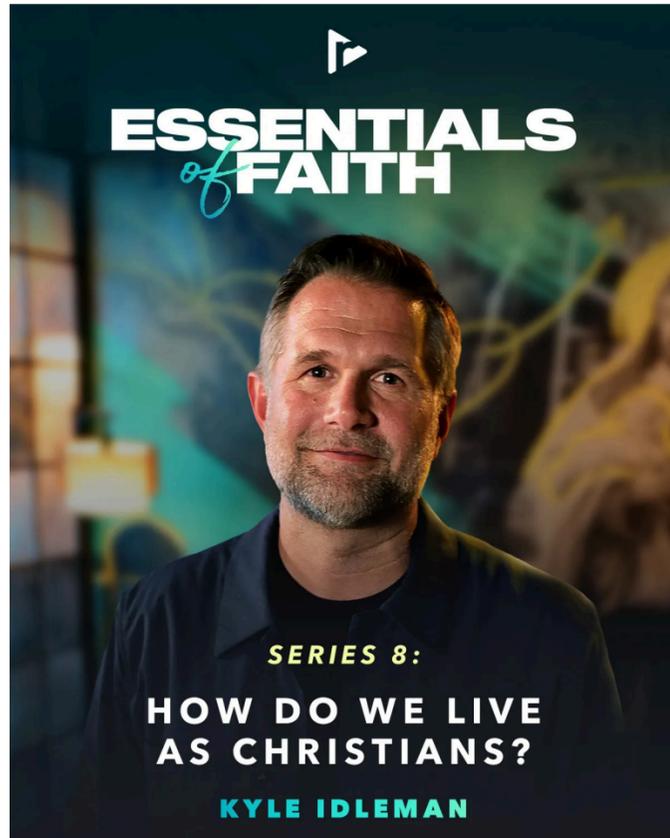
THE CHRISTIAN LIVING CORNER



**Album of the Week:
Nobody But You
- Norman Hutchins**

Nobody But You is a heartfelt worship album from gospel veteran Norman Hutchins that centers on total dependence on God. With passionate vocals and sincere praise, this project declares that there is no substitute for God's presence, power, and faithfulness.

Each song invites listeners into moments of reflection and worship, emphasizing surrender, gratitude, and trust in God alone. Rooted in traditional gospel worship with a timeless sound, Nobody But You reminds us that in every season of life, our help, hope, and joy come from God—and Him alone.



**RightNow Media Study of the Week: How Do We Live as Christians?
Teacher: Kyle Idleman**

Following Jesus sounds simple—"Follow me" is one of His clearest commands—but what does that actually look like in everyday life? In this six-session series, pastor and bestselling author Kyle Idleman helps believers explore what it truly means to live as Christians.

How Do We Live as Christians? goes beyond the surface of belief to address the practical questions that come with following Jesus: Who are we following? Where is He leading us? And how should our faith shape the way we live, love, and make decisions? No matter where you are on your faith journey, this study offers biblical guidance and practical insight to help you live faithfully and intentionally as a follower of Christ.

ALBUM OF THE WEEK

STUDY OF THE WEEK



David Hampton
Faye Devers
Christina Moran
Sis. Doris Bruton

In Bereavement

Sis. Mary Patterson & Family
The Family of Alice Bell
Sis. Arthetta Reeder & Family
Sis. Cathy Smith-Harris
Bro. Bennye Brown & Family

Hospitalized



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