

SERMON NOTES

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2025 THEME:

THE YEAR OF
ACCELERATION
RETURN. REFOCUS. RESTORE.

WELCOME

Our Vision:

Our vision is to be a place where people can freely worship God, connect with an authentic community of believers, spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ, impact our community, and fervently study the Word of God.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday Morning Manna

Join us every Monday at 6:00 AM for a time of prayer, encouragement, and spiritual nourishment to fuel your week. We meet on Zoom, so you can join us from wherever you are!

Dial-In Number: 312-626-6799 | Meeting ID: 837 4387 9921

Baptism Sunday

Next Sunday is the 4th Sunday and you know what that means here at Mt. Olive...it's BAPTISM SUNDAY! If you've received Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and are ready to make an outward declaration of your inward conviction, scan the QR code today or visit mtolivejoliet.org to register.

Parent Volunteers Needed for M.O. Town

Do you have a heart for children and a few hours to give? We're looking for parent volunteers to serve once a month in M.O. Town, our vibrant children's ministry! Whether it's helping with check-in, snacks, or classroom support, your presence makes a huge difference. Let's work together to build strong foundations for our kids! Sign up at M.O. Town Check-In Station.

Attention Joliet residents!

The City of Joliet is working on its new comprehensive plan — and your voice matters. If you live within the Joliet city limits, we invite you to take part in the official survey. Take the survey today — and be part of building Joliet's tomorrow. Visit: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JolietCompPlan> or scan the QR code on the back of the pew.

Worship in Pink

Save the date for Mt. Olive's annual Worship in Pink Sunday on October 19th. This is a special day of worship, hope, and breast cancer awareness.

We are honored to have our very own Minister of Music, Sis. Barbetta Neil—a breast cancer survivor—bringing the morning message.

Wear pink as we celebrate survivors, remember loved ones, and stand together in faith for healing and strength. Invite your family and friends and join us for this powerful worship experience

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, September 21, 2025

COUNTDOWN

Worship Screens

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Screens

WELCOME VIDEO

Worship Screens

WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE

“Every Praise” as ministered by Hezekiah Walker

CALL TO WORSHIP, SCRIPTURE, AND PRAYER

Ministers

MORNING CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

“I am on the Battlefield”

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS & DISMISSAL OF STUDENTS

Rev. Wendell Martin

WORSHIP IN GIVING

Minister

WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE

“Perfect Praise/How Excellent” as ministered by Walt Whitman & the Soul Children

PREACHED WORD

Rev. Wendell Martin, Senior Pastor

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Minister

CLOSING REMARKS & BENEDICTION

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!

5 WAYS TO GIVE



By Mail:
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Text to Give:
Text Any Dollar
Amount to
(833) 800-5897



Online at
www.MtOLiveJoliet.org



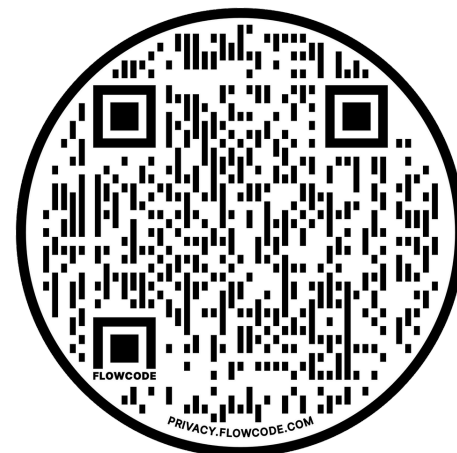
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your offering in
the secure
dropbox next to
the main entrance



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App Store or in
Google Play

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."



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OUT A CONNECT CARD, GIVE ONLINE, CHECK IN
FOR M.O. TOWN, FIND SMALL GROUPS, AND
MUCH MORE!

Welcome our newest members

Frances Moulton

Melissa Parker

Cathy Robinson-Walker

Robert Walker

Trevion Boswell

LET'S CELEBRATE

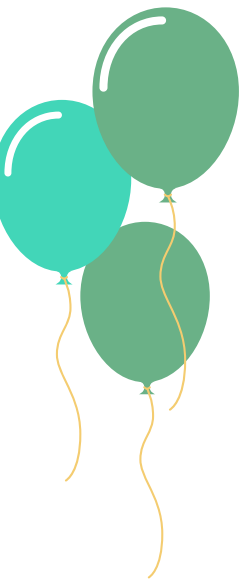
Is Your Birthday or Anniversary Missing?
Let us celebrate with you! If your special
day hasn't been listed in the bulletin, please
email the church office at
mtolivejoliet@gmail.com
to be added.

ANNIVERSARIES

- 9/4 Samuel & Shantel Stewart celebrating 5 years
- 9/5 Martell & Paris Butler 5 celebrating years
- 9/10 Stetson & Stephanie Martin celebrating 4 years
- 9/20 Johnnie & Amy Wallace celebrating 35 years

BIRTHDAYS

9/1 Patricia Childs
9/4 Dominique Cobbs
9/5 Donna Stepney
9/6 Tyler Jenkins
9/7 Chanel Pinnick
9/8 Monica Broadway
9/9 Cardale Brown, Jr.
9/9 Frances Moulton
9/9 Irma Brookins
9/9 Jaden Ware
9/10 Jim Lassin
9/10 Justin Williamson
9/11 Donald Brown
9/11 Cheryl Monita
9/15 Latoya Street
9/15 Yolanda Jenkins-McCullum
9/15 Jhu'Niyah Williamson
9/16 Crystal Hilliard
9/16 Shirley Taylor
9/17 Eric Lanier, Jr.
9/18 Chandra McElrath
9/18 Kisa McElrath
9/18 Zion Tucker
9/19 Shawna Adusei
9/20 Antionette McCullum
9/22 Keyona Jones
9/22 Michael Nicholson
9/22 Anthony Ross
9/23 Adonis Cobbs
9/23 Angela Moffett
9/24 Delois Jenkins
9/24 Rosie Holloman
9/25 Na'Riah Autman
9/25 Keilila Williams
9/26 Micah Puckett-Reeder
9/28 Jennencia Sutton
9/29 Charita Patten
9/30 Benjamin Latham
9/30 Carlos Davis



THE CHRISTIAN LIVING CORNER



Album of the Week:
Setlist: The Very Best of
Hezekiah Walker Live

Hezekiah Walker, often called the “Pastor of Hip-Hop Gospel,” brings together some of his most powerful and beloved live recordings in Setlist: The Very Best of Hezekiah Walker Live. This collection highlights the choir-driven energy, spirited worship, and unforgettable anthems that have defined Walker’s ministry for decades. With classics like “Every Praise,” “I Need You to Survive,” and “Grateful,” this album is both a celebration of gospel music history and a fresh invitation to lift your voice in worship. Setlist is a must-have for anyone who wants to experience the passion and power of live gospel at its very best.

STUDY OF THE WEEK



RightNow Media Study of the Week:
The Book of Revelation
Teacher: Dr. Tony Evans

When you hear about the “end times,” do you feel more anxious than hopeful? In this ten-session series, Dr. Tony Evans walks verse by verse through the book of Revelation, uncovering God’s final plan for human history and the eternal destiny of His people. Far from being just a mysterious book of symbols, Revelation is God’s preview of what is to come—given so that we can live with confidence, not fear. Dr. Evans shows how this prophetic book is ultimately a call to worship God, trust His promises, and remain faithful in the present while looking ahead to His victorious future.

If you’ve ever struggled to understand or apply Revelation, this study will help you see it as an inspiring message of hope, assurance, and the glory of God’s kingdom.



Prayer List

Sick & Shut in

Pastor C.C. Jackson
David Hampton
Faye Devers
Kia Adams

In Bereavement

Sis. Barbetta Neil
Sis. Doris Bruton
Sis. Ethel Person & Family
Sis. Addyson Vidales
Bro. Percy Martin
Rev. Ron & Martha Johnson

Hospitalized

Dea. Dennis Houston



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Text to Give

Take advantage of our text-to-give option. Simply text any dollar amount (example: \$5 text 5 or \$100 text 100) to (833) 800-5897 and follow the prompts.***



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