

# SERMON NOTES

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

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WELCOME!

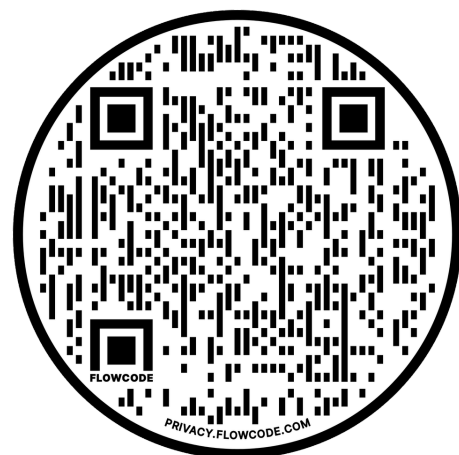
We'd love to get to know you! Please fill out a Connect Card from the back of the pews and drop it in the offering basket during our offertory period. We can't wait to connect with you!

## 5 WAYS TO GIVE

-  **By Mail:**  
1710 Carey St. | Joliet, IL 60433
-  **Text to Give:**  
Text Any Dollar Amount to (833) 800-5897
-  **Online at**  
[www.MtOLiveJoliet.org](http://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

## 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!**

## Welcome our newest members

Alexis Harris  
Samantha Weber  
Linda Jones  
Addyson Vidales  
Kenneth Tyler  
Brad McCullum  
Terell Hill  
Evelyn McGowan  
Timothy Susdorf

## 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](mailto:mtolivejoliet@gmail.com) to be added.

### ANNIVERSARIES

- 6/8 Justin & Domonique Cobb celebrating 7 years
- 6/9 Chester & Shawna Adusei celebrating 19 years
- 6/13 Ronald & Martha Johnson celebrating 56 Years
- 6/13 Cory & Karmen Tyler celebrating 5 Years
- 6/21 Rev. Adrian & Rose Heath celebrating 46 Years
- 6/29 Nate & Tashia Martin celebrating 24 Years
- 6/30 David & Delores Hampton celebrating 25 Years

### BIRTHDAYS

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|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| 6/4 Ciara Gant             | 6/16 Austin Martin           |
| 6/4 Lael Blue              | 6/16 Avery Martin            |
| 6/5 Robin Braxton          | 6/16 Tonja May               |
| 6/6 Angelique Herrod       | 6/17 Caleb Small             |
| 6/6 Alvinia Burgin         | 6/17 Eric White              |
| 6/6 Effy Laby              | 6/18 Latoya Dantzler         |
| 6/7 Catherine Allen        | 6/19 Rev. Theresa Washington |
| 6/8 Sarah Broadnax         | 6/19 Toby Turner             |
| 6/8 Xaviera Williams       | 6/20 Mae Jordan              |
| 6/9 John Gavin             | 6/22 Earvin Hendrick         |
| 6/9 Brianna Baker          | 6/24 Kristina King           |
| 6/9 Cedric Garner          | 6/24 Misty Mitchell          |
| 6/10 Christopher Kimmons   | 6/25 Elijah Martin           |
| 6/11 Chester Adusei        | 6/26 Pat Newsome             |
| 6/12 Dennis Bell           | 6/26 Jaleesa Hobbs           |
| 6/13 Catherine Morris      | 6/27 Adrian Perez            |
| 6/13 Jordon Taylor         | 6/27 Keshia Woods            |
| 6/13 Helen Love            | 6/28 Julie Stewart           |
| 6/14 Dream Blackmon        | 6/29 Jeanette Deloach        |
| 6/15 ChaKeiva McCullum     |                              |
| 6/15 Elder Delores Hampton |                              |
| 6/15 Chase Amos            |                              |
| 6/15 Ivy Carter            |                              |



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Vacation Bible School – Illumination Station**

Illumination Station VBS is quickly approaching, and we're excited about all that God is going to do!

Join us June 22–26 from 6:00 to 8:30 PM for an unforgettable week of faith, fun, and fellowship. This year, churches across the Lebanon District are coming together to create one powerful VBS experience with classes for children, youth, and adults.

Here's how you can help: We are still looking for volunteers to serve in a variety of areas. Whether you can help for one night or the entire week, there's a place for you.

And if you plan to attend, don't wait—register today! We need every child, youth, and adult participant registered as soon as possible so we can prepare classes, materials, meals, and t-shirts.

Sign up today and help us get ready for an incredible week at Illumination Station VBS! Stop by the VBS table in the lobby or visit: [banonjoliet.churchcenter.com/registrations/events](http://banonjoliet.churchcenter.com/registrations/events)

### **Calling all 2026 Graduates!**

Class of 2026... this moment is for YOU! Mt. Olive wants to celebrate our graduates and honor all of your hard work and accomplishments this year. High school, college, trade school, certification programs — we want to recognize YOU!

To be included in our Graduate Celebration:

- Text “Join Graduate” to 877-217-5602
- Scan the QR code on the pew
- Or visit [mtolivejoliet.org](http://mtolivejoliet.org)

Don't wait — submit your information today!

### **You don't have to walk through it alone.**

At the conclusion of service, members of our Prayer Team will be available at the front of the sanctuary to pray with you and for you. No matter what you're facing, if you need prayer, encouragement, or simply someone to stand in faith with you, we invite you to come. We're here for you.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### **Sunday, June 7, 2026**

**COUNTDOWN**  
Worship Screens

**WELCOME VIDEO**  
Worship Screens

**CALL TO WORSHIP**  
Minister

**WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE**  
“Enter His Gates” as ministered by Timothy Wright

**SCRIPTURE, AND PRAYER**  
Minister

**CONGREGATIONAL SONG**  
“This Is The Day”

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS  
(and Dismissal of Middle & High School Students)**  
Minister

**VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
Worship Screens

**COMMUNION**

**WORSHIP IN GIVING**

**WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE**  
“Revelation 19:1” as ministered by Stephen Hurd

**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.\*\*\*



**THE CHRISTIAN LIVING CORNER**



**Album of the Week:  
The Hymns – CeCe Winans**

The Hymns by CeCe Winans is a beautiful collection of timeless songs of faith, reimagined with her signature warmth, elegance, and worshipful spirit. Drawing from some of the most beloved hymns in Christian history, CeCe breathes new life into these treasured classics while preserving their rich theological truths and enduring messages of hope.

With stunning vocals and inspiring arrangements, this album invites listeners to reflect on God's faithfulness, grace, and unfailing love. Whether you're revisiting familiar favorites or discovering these hymns for the first time, The Hymns provides a worship experience that connects generations and points hearts toward Christ.

ALBUM OF THE WEEK



**RightNow Media Study of the Week:  
The Book of Jeremiah  
Teacher: Dr. Nicole Martin**

What do we do when hope seems lost? The book of Jeremiah takes us into one of the most heartbreaking seasons in Israel's history—a time when God's people turned away from Him and experienced the consequences of their rebellion. Through the life and ministry of Jeremiah, a reluctant yet faithful prophet, we witness both the seriousness of God's justice and the depth of His compassion.

In this twelve-session series, Dr. Nicole Martin walks through the powerful message of Jeremiah, exploring God's repeated calls to repentance, the fall of Jerusalem, and the promise of restoration that follows. While the book confronts sin and its consequences, it also reveals a God who refuses to abandon His people. The Book of Jeremiah reminds us that even in seasons of disappointment, uncertainty, and loss, God is still at work. His promises remain true, His mercy endures, and He continues to bring hope and renewal to those who trust Him.

STUDY OF THE WEEK



*Heathh Concerns*

David Hampton  
Faye Devers  
Sis. Fredia Fairley  
Mary Patterson  
Deacon James Berry

*Bereavement*

Addyson Vidales & Family  
Sis. Doris Bruton & Family  
Gracie Porter & Family  
The Family of Sis. Ida King



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