

SERMON NOTES

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

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SATURDAY MORNING PRAYER

Join us Saturday, February 3 at 8:00 AM as we come together for our Monthly Prayer—a powerful time of unity, faith, and seeking God together. You can join us in person in the sanctuary or by phone.

☎ Dial-in: 312-626-6799 | 📄 Meeting ID: 814 5776 0320

Come expecting, come believing, and come ready to pray. We can't wait to gather with you!

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Join us as we celebrate 117 Years of Kingdom Impact during our Church Anniversary Celebration, March 13th through the 15th, 2026! Our theme is “Let it Shine” - Matthew 5:14-16

We kick things off Friday, March 13th at 7PM with a powerful Worship Celebration featuring special guest speaker Pastor Moses B. Herring, Sr. of Faith Movers Church in University Park, Illinois.

Then on Saturday, March 14th from 9AM to 2PM, we're building legacy! Don't miss our Legacy Builders Financial Empowerment Workshop, sponsored by NuMark Credit Union. Hear from dynamic speakers Demetrius and Karla Davis of Young & Debtless from CityPoint Community Church, along with Moses and LaCresha Herring of Faith Movers Church. This is a day of practical tools, financial wisdom, and generational impact.

And we close the celebration Sunday, March 15th at 11AM with our Anniversary Worship Celebration and Brunch — featuring powerful music, fellowship, and a relevant word that will inspire and uplift.

117 years of shining the light of Christ — and we're just getting started. For more information, visit mtolivejoliet.org.

LEGACY BUILDERS FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT WORKSHOP

It's time to build what lasts. Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church presents the Legacy Builders Financial Empowerment Workshop — sponsored by NuMark Credit Union. Join us Saturday, March 14th from 9AM to 2PM for a powerful day of practical financial tools, biblical stewardship principles, and strategies to help you build generational wealth God's way.

We're honored to welcome dynamic speakers Demetrius Davis and Karla Davis of Young & Debtless from CityPoint Community Church, along with Moses B. Herring, Sr. and LaCresha Herring of Faith Movers Church.

Seats are limited, so be sure to sign up in the lobby today or scan the QR code to register. Let's build legacy. Let's build wisely. Let's build together.

SENIOR LUNCHEON

Seniors 55 and better, please join us Wednesday, March 25th at 11am for a delightful afternoon of games and prizes, laughter and information sharing at our upcoming Senior Luncheon.

It will be the perfect opportunity to catch up with old friends, meet new friends, and share your thoughts about future presentations and gatherings designed just for you.

At Mt. Olive, we value our seniors and the wisdom you bring to our church family. Please RSVP by signing up in the lobby or by visiting our website. We look forward to seeing you there!

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, March 1, 2026

COUNTDOWN

Worship Screens

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Screens

WELCOME VIDEO

Worship Screens

WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE

“Call Him Up Medley”

CALL TO WORSHIP, SCRIPTURE, AND PRAYER

Minister

Congregational Hymn

“O the Blood of Jesus”

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS & DISMISSAL OF STUDENTS

Minister

COMMUNION

WORSHIP IN GIVING

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST SPEAKER

Minister

WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE

“Grateful” as ministered by Hezekiah Walker

PREACHED WORD

Rev. Wendell Martin, Senior Pastor

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Minister

CLOSING REMARKS & BENEDICTION

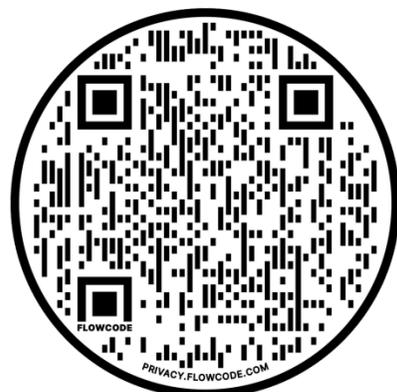
Ministers, Deacons, and Deaconess are available at the altar after each worship gathering for those in need of special prayer.

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!

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

- 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 to be added.

ANNIVERSARIES

- 3/3 Archie & Bettye Gavin celebrating 42 years
- 3/14 David & Laurie Veasy celebrating 32 years
- 3/27 D'Andre & Ashley Blackmon celebrating 5 years

BIRTHDAYS

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 3/1 Makara Rickmon | 3/23 Faye Devers |
| 3/3 Cornell Lurry, Jr. | 3/23 Shiranda Turner |
| 3/3 Laurie Veasy | 3/24 Walter Houston |
| 3/3 Jaron Moulton | 3/25 Nacole Engram |
| 3/4 Kevin Wood, Sr. | 3/26 Yurlaunda Taylor |
| 3/4 Patsy Boykin | 3/26 Ieshia Meade |
| 3/4 Jeanette Johnson | 3/26 Jacquelynn Adams-Davis |
| 3/4 Richard Moffett | 3/26 London Johnson |
| 3/4 Sherri Barlow | 3/27 Paris Butler |
| 3/4 Tyran Pruitte | 3/27 Sharon Foster |
| 3/5 Alicia Tyler | 3/28 Theresa Moore |
| 3/6 Bennye Brown | 3/28 Sharon Williams |
| 3/6 Natasha Nelson | 3/28 Shantel Stewart |
| 3/6 Ruth Mat | 3/29 Patricia Davis |
| 3/6 Xavier Sempasa | 3/29 JaRon Haggerty |
| 3/8 Loretta Travis | 3/29 Cleopatra Cook |
| 3/9 Dariana Randale | 3/20 Shewana McDavis |
| 3/10 Amaree Dixon | 3/31 Charles Green |
| 3/11 Jessica McNeal | 3/31 Nai Santiago |
| 3/12 Aaliyah Loggins | 3/31 Joan Williams |
| 3/13 Valerie Williamson | |
| 3/13 Kenneth Tyler | |
| 3/14 Yvonne Smith | |
| 3/15 Mia Adams | |
| 3/17 Eva Agnew | |
| 3/17 Leonard Littlepage | |
| 3/18 Robert Williams, Jr. | |
| 3/18 Ida King | |
| 3/18 Melvin Williams | |
| 3/18 Martin Mbani | |
| 3/18 Ellen Murray | |
| 3/22 Jalae Booker | |





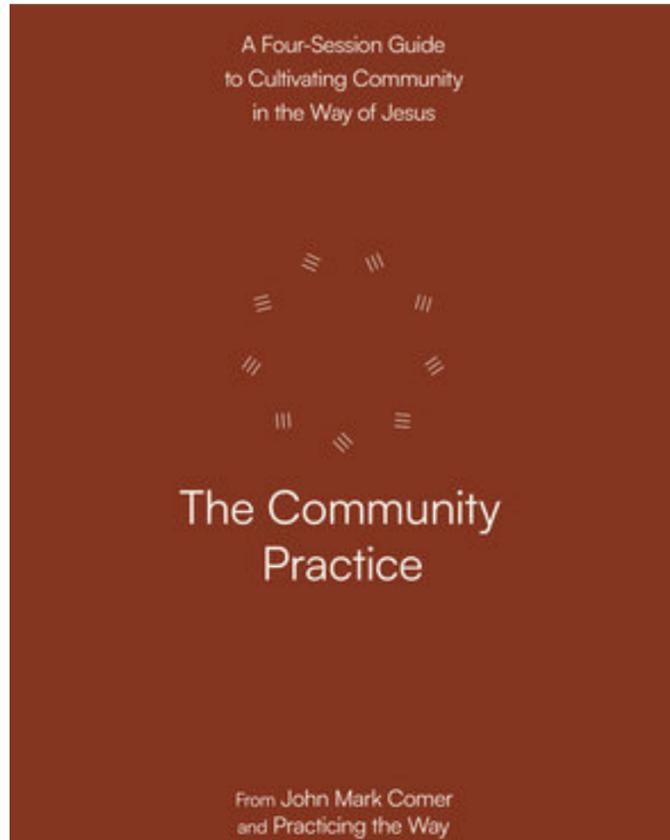
THE CHRISTIAN LIVING CORNER



**Album of the Week:
Sweet, Sweet Spirit
– Ron Carter & Ricky Dillard**

Sweet, Sweet Spirit brings together the anointed musicianship of Ron Carter and the dynamic gospel sound of Ricky Dillard in a powerful celebration of worship. Rooted in traditional gospel excellence yet energized with contemporary flair, this project captures the joy and reverence of a Spirit-filled atmosphere.

With rich choir arrangements, vibrant praise, and heartfelt moments of adoration, Sweet, Sweet Spirit invites listeners to experience the refreshing presence of God. Each track reflects the beauty of unified worship and the unmistakable power of the Holy Spirit moving among His people. This album is both a tribute to gospel heritage and a fresh expression of praise for today.



**RightNow Media Study of the Week: The Community Practice
Teacher: John Comer**

Despite living in one of the most connected eras in history, genuine community is becoming increasingly rare. Isolation, constant movement, and surface-level relationships can hinder our growth and formation as people shaped by love. The Community Practice invites us to rediscover the kind of deep, committed relationships that reflect the heart of God. Through Jesus, we are welcomed into a new kind of family—one marked by intimacy, joy, healing, and covenant commitment. This study explores how intentional community forms us spiritually and emotionally, helping us grow into mature disciples who love well. The Community Practice challenges us to move beyond convenience and step into the rich, life-giving relationships God designed for His people.



Sick & Shut in

David Hampton
Faye Devers
Christina Moran
Sis. Doris Bruton

In Bereavement

Bro. Bennye Brown & Family
Sis. Irma Brookins
Latoya Danzler & Family

Hospitalized



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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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