

SERMON NOTES

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DATE:



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

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can't wait to connect with you!

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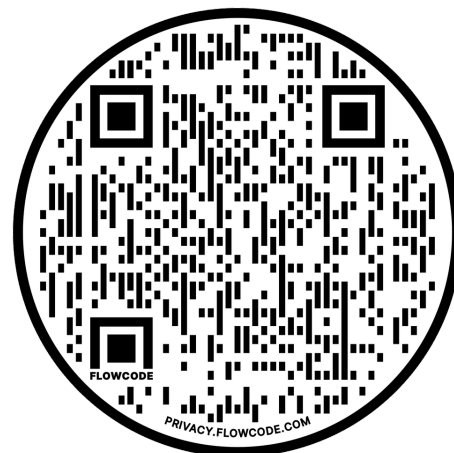
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Giving Affirmation

"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
to be added.

ANNIVERSARIES

- 8/6 Cal & Doris Bruton celebrating 56 years
- 8/20 Eric & Rosalind Lanier celebrating 38 Years
- 8/20 Allan & Theresa Washington celebrating 38 Years

BIRTHDAYS

8/1 Richard Welch	8/22 David Castellanos
8/1 Carolyn White	8/23 Dante Mays
8/6 Larry Hall, Sr.	8/23 Taureon Thompson
8/7 Beverly Porter	8/23 Evelyn Roubisoff
8/8 Armarie Bates	8/24 Leo Morgan
8/8 Rev. Brian Cooper	8/24 Lamorrah Dixon
8/8 Jeyah Malone	8/24 Philip Halliburton
8/10 Jason Rickmon	8/25 Legacies Porter
8/11 David Hampton, Jr.	8/25 Roosevelt Curry
8/11 LeTieles Baker	8/26 Kendall Cobbs
8/13 Genita Hayward	8/26 Amarion Bradley
8/14 Trinity Allen	8/28 Shane Mitchell
8/15 Avalyn Martin	8/29 Reginald Brown
8/15 Theresa Sales-Martin	8/29 Kimberly Philips
8/15 Danny Cochran	8/29 Victoria Charleston
8/17 Kelly Curry	8/29 Kearra Jakes
8/17 Robert Walker	8/30 Corissa Nobles
8/17 Nashantee Amos	8/31 Tia Robinson
8/17 Stetson Martin	
8/19 Nykkia Crane	
8/19 Mary Thompson	
8/20 Taleasha Daivs	
8/21 Isaiah Kerr	
8/21 Susan Brass	
8/22 Stephen Martin	



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Back to School Prayer

Before a new school year begins, let's cover it in prayer. Join us during Morning Worship on Sunday, August 16 at 11:00 AM for our Back to School Prayer. We'll pray over every student, teacher, administrator, school employee, and college student as they prepare for the year ahead, believing God for wisdom, protection, favor, and success.

Whether you're heading to preschool, elementary school, high school, college, or serving in education, this moment is for you. Bring your family, invite a student, and join us as we begin the school year with prayer.

Baptism Sunday

August 23rd 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.

Next Steps Ministry

God is doing something new at Mt. Olive, and you can be part of it! Our Next Steps Ministry is looking for volunteers to help guests and members take their next step in their faith journey—from welcoming first-time guests to connecting people with classes, baptism, small groups, and serving opportunities.

Whether your gifts are in hospitality, teaching, administration, organization, or encouragement, there's a place for you to serve.

Visit mtolivejoliet.org/visionbuilder or visit the table in the lobby.

Save the date! JoyFest is back September 19–20!

JoyFest is all about family, fun, community, and showing the love of Christ beyond the walls of our church. And it all happens because people like you choose to serve.

We're looking for volunteers in every area, and right now we're especially looking for:

- A Marketing and Communications Manager to manages all promotion, PR, and social media.
- A Volunteer Coordinator to recruit, train, and oversee all volunteers.
- A Logistics Manager to oversee setup, teardown, safety, and facilities.

We're also looking for help securing sponsorships. Sponsorship packets are available in the lobby, and we'd love for you to take one and help us connect with local businesses.

If you're ready to be part of what God is doing through JoyFest, scan the QR code or visit mtolivejoliet.org/joyfest.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, August 2, 2026

COUNTDOWN

Worship Screens

WELCOME VIDEO

Worship Screens

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister

WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE

“Everybody Clap Your Hands”

SCRIPTURE, AND PRAYER

Minister

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS

Minister

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Screens

COMMUNION

WORSHIP IN GIVING

WORSHIP IN SONG | VOICES OF PRAISE

“Marvelous Things”

PREACHED WORD

Rev. Wendell Martin, Senior Pastor

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

Minister

CLOSING REMARKS & BENEDICTION

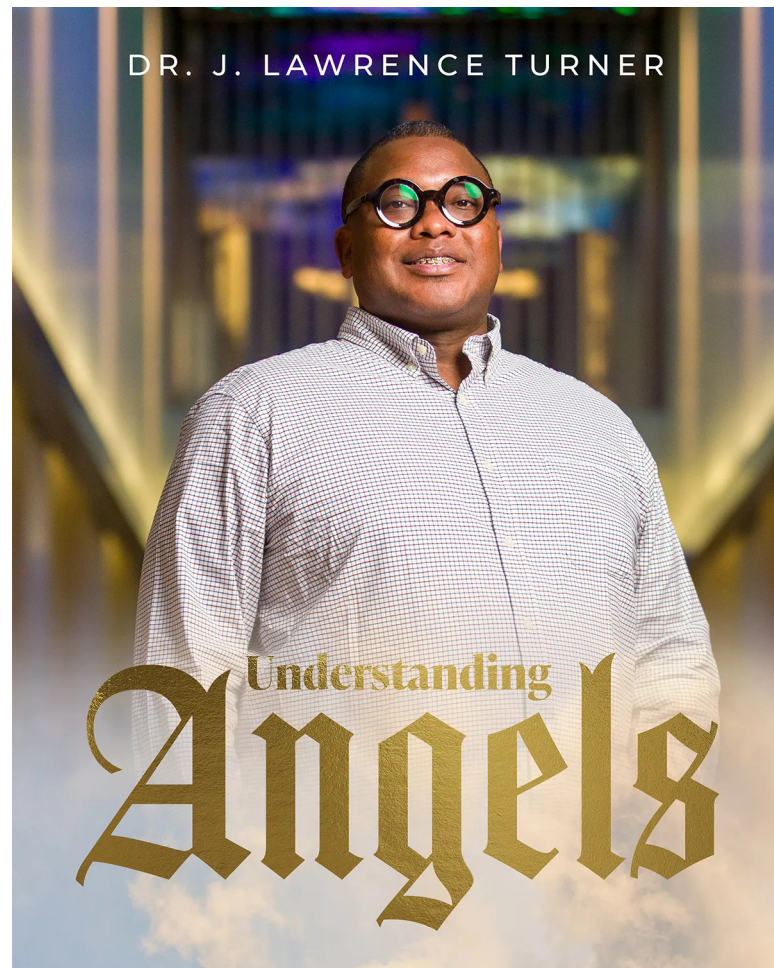
The Intecessory Prayer Team is available at the altar after each worship gathering for those in need of special prayer.

THE CHRISTIAN LIVING CORNER



Album of the Week:
Dreams, Revelations & Moments
William McDowell

Experience a powerful atmosphere of worship with Dreams, Revelations & Moments by William McDowell. This live album is filled with passionate praise, heartfelt worship, and songs that encourage deeper intimacy with God. Whether you're spending time in prayer, devotion, or simply reflecting on His goodness, these anthems will strengthen your faith and remind you of God's presence and promises.



RightNow Media Study
of the Week:
Understanding Angels
Jason Lawrence Turner

Gain a biblical understanding of angels and their role in God's plan. In this five-session study, Jason Lawrence Turner explores what Scripture teaches about these heavenly messengers, how God uses them to accomplish His purposes, and what their ministry reveals about His power, protection, and glory. Deepen your faith by discovering the truth about angels through the lens of God's Word.



Prayer List

Health Concerns

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

Bereavement

Lonnie Brass & Family
Rev. Ronald & Donald Johnson and Family
Yvonne Smith & Family
Sis. Jessica McNeal & Family
Sis. Natasha Nelson & Family



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