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during our offertory period. We
can't wait to connect with you!

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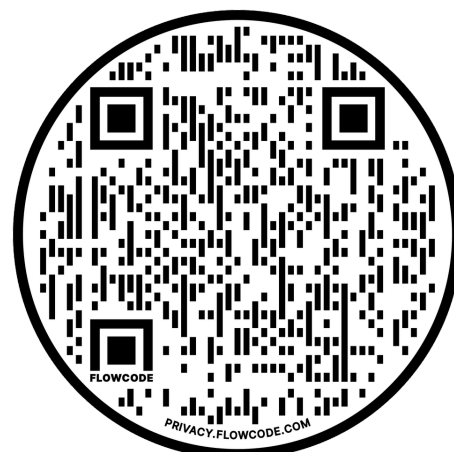
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Giving Affirmation

"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

- 5/3 James & Sharon Foster celebrating 58 years
- 5/3 Glenn & Theresa Moore celebrating 35 years

BIRTHDAYS

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 5/1 Nia Amos | 5/20 Shamekia Garner |
| 5/3 Alexis Harris | 5/20 Brielle McKay |
| 5/4 Myisha Carter | 5/22 Steve Poston |
| 5/4 James Berry | 5/22 Stephanie Martin |
| 5/5 Nelida Bordonaba | 5/23 Zelma Pruitte |
| 5/5 Annette Tramel | 5/24 Rodney Love, Sr. |
| 5/6 Sharra Martin | 5/24 Joshua Watson |
| 5/6 Emmanuel Martin | 5/25 Terrance Moncrief |
| 5/6 Chris Uberas | 5/26 Majia Johnson |
| 5/7 Samantha Weber | 5/27 Jerryale Gillespie |
| 5/9 Frederick Yates | 5/27 Terrence Williams |
| 5/9 Kyle Hill | 5/27 Michael Woods |
| 5/9 Steven Carter | 5/28 Danielle Thomas |
| 5/11 Christina Sempasa | 5/29 Afi Ahonto |
| 5/12 Will Ford | 5/29 Addyson Vidales |
| 5/12 Kisha Banks | 5/30 Ingrid Snapp |
| 5/13 Dennis Beale | 5/31 Ethel Person |
| 5/13 Matthew Deloach | |
| 5/16 Arielle McIntosh | |
| 5/18 Kree Mack | |
| 5/19 Gregory Reeder | |
| 5/19 Geraldine Littlepage | |
| 5/19 Kenovia Haggerty | |



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Children's Ministry Updates

Attention parents and families—here's an important update! On the fifth Sunday for Youth Sunday, there will be no Children's or Youth Ministry.

All youth will join us in the main service, so we encourage you to worship together as a family and support our youth as they lead. We look forward to seeing you there!

Pastor's Anniversary

You're invited to join us on Sunday, May 24 at 11:00 AM for a special worship experience as we celebrate the 8th Pastoral Anniversary of Pastor Wendell Martin and family. Mark your calendars and make plans to worship with us as we honor faithful leadership, service, and dedication. More details coming soon!

May Senior Luncheon

Calling all seniors ages 55 and over! Join us for our Seniors Luncheon on Wednesday, May 27 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM for a time of food, fellowship, encouragement, and connection.

Come enjoy a great meal, meaningful conversation, and help us shape future senior fellowships and activities together. Registration is free, but required. You can sign up in the lobby or visit mtolivejoliet.org for more information. We look forward to seeing you there!

Glam & Grace - Women's Ministry Event

Ladies, this one is just for you! Glam & Grace: Beauty, Confidence, and Christ is happening Saturday, May 30th from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We're bringing in professional makeup artist Angie McNair for a hands-on class teaching the basics of natural beauty—perfect for beginners or anyone looking to refresh their everyday look.

And listen—you do not have to wear makeup to come. This is all about connection, confidence, and community. Registration is open now! It's \$30 if you bring your own makeup, or \$60 if you'd like a beginner-friendly starter kit included. Scan the QR code, sign up online, or grab a flyer in the lobby for more details. Spots are limited—so don't wait. We'll see you at Glam & Grace!

Vacation Bible School – Illumination Station

Vacation Bible School is almost here, and this year's theme is Illumination Station. This year, churches across the Lebanon District are coming together to create one powerful VBS experience for the whole family.

Join us June 22–26 from 6:00 to 8:30 PM nightly, with three locations to choose from. Transportation and meals will be provided, and there are classes for children, youth, and adults.

Register today, select your location, and invite someone to join you for this impactful week.

For more info visit: lebanonjoliet.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/3578475

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, May 10, 2026

COUNTDOWN

Worship Screens

VIDEO ANNOUNCEMENTS

Worship Screens

WELCOME VIDEO

Worship Screens

CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister

WORSHIP IN SONG | MEN'S CHOIR

“I made a Step” as ministered by Mighty Clouds of Joy

SCRIPTURE, AND PRAYER

Minister

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

Minister

WORSHIP IN GIVING

WORSHIP IN SONG | MEN'S CHOIR

“God is My Everything” as ministered by Chicago Mass Choir

PREACHED WORD

Reverend Wendell Martin, Senior Pastor

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

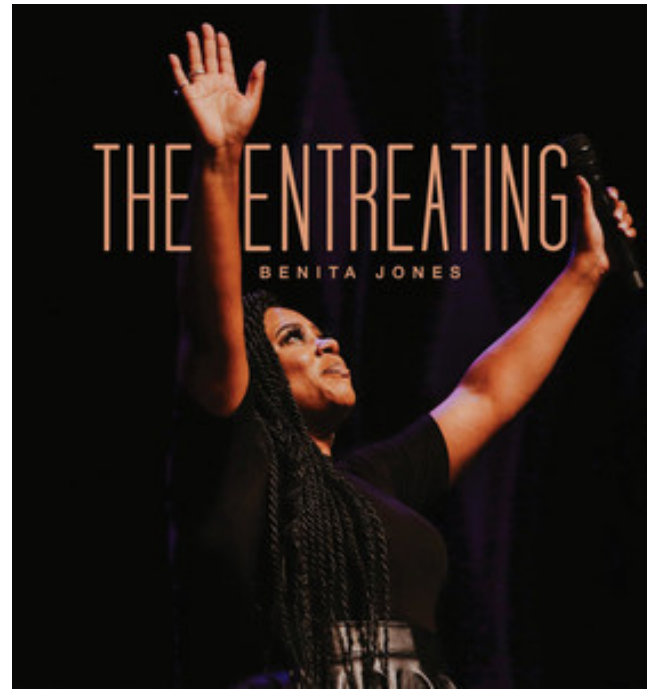
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CLOSING REMARKS & BENEDICTION

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 Entreating (Live)
– Benita Jones**

The Entreating (Live) by Benita Jones is a powerful worship experience marked by deep reverence, passionate prayer, and heartfelt surrender. Recorded live, this project captures the atmosphere of earnest worship and intercession, inviting listeners into intimate moments with God. Known for her rich vocals and authentic worship leadership, Benita Jones leads each song with a spirit of expectancy and devotion. The album blends moments of celebration with reflective worship, creating space for healing, encouragement, and spiritual renewal. The Entreating is more than music—it's an invitation to seek God wholeheartedly and encounter His presence in a fresh way.

ALBUM OF THE WEEK

STUDY OF THE WEEK



**Finding Your Confidence
Teacher: Kierra Sheard-Kelly**

In a world filled with constant opinions, social media pressure, and competing voices, it can be difficult to know where true confidence comes from. In this encouraging and relatable series, Kierra Sheard-Kelly shares how lasting confidence is not found in culture, popularity, or personal achievement—but in God and His Word.

Through honest insight and biblical encouragement, Kierra helps believers learn how to silence the noise around them and discover their identity through Christ. Finding Your Confidence reminds us that when we trust God's voice above every other voice, we can walk boldly, live authentically, and navigate life with wisdom, peace, and assurance. This study is a powerful reminder that real confidence begins when we know who we are in God.



Prayer List

Health Concerns

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

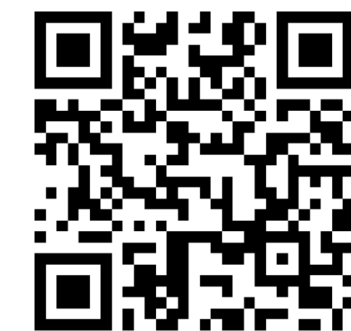
Bereavement

Addyson Vidales & Family



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