



## Guest/Connect Card

Olive Branch was founded in 1879. Over the years we have always worshiped God, taught His Word, cared for each other and reached out to share the love and gospel of Jesus Christ. Today the three words below describe our core values as we continue the ministry started years ago.

- **Multigenerational** - We are strongly committed to having a church with all ages. That's shown in our different music styled worship services and commitment to youth and children's ministry.
- **Excellence** - Excellence is doing our best with what God has given us. We will do whatever it takes to do things well so that more people will come to faith and grow in their faith in Jesus Christ.
- **Presence** - Love is shown by our presence! Therefore, we make it a priority to leave the church building and show the love of God in our actions to our community and the world.

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### OBBC App

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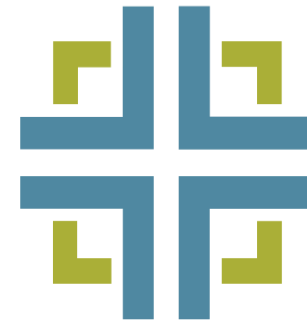
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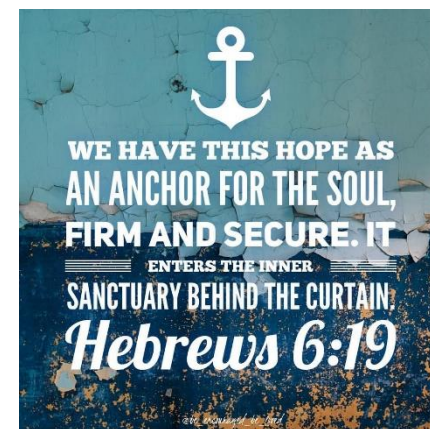


### Give to Olive Branch

April 26, 2026



**OLIVE BRANCH**  
 BAPTIST CHURCH



EXCELLENCE PRESENCE MULTIGENERATIONAL

**April 26, 2026**

**WELCOME!** We greet you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and pray that as you worship today His love and grace will strengthen you. First time guests please complete the printed Welcome Card or the online one which you can access by scanning the QR code on the back of this bulletin so we can send you more information about Olive Branch Baptist Church.

**11:00 AM Combined Worship Service**

**Prelude** – “How Deep the Father’s Love is for Us” Jan Vaughan  
**Call to Worship: Hymn # 18** “Let’s Just Praise the Lord”  
**Invocation Prayer & Announcements** Pastor Roger  
**Greetings**  
**Song** “This Is the Day”  
**Song** “How Great Is the Greatness of God”  
**Offertory Prayer** Frank Seamster, Deacon  
**Offertory** – “My Jesus, I Love Thee” Jan Vaughan  
**Doxology # 815** Jan Vaughan  
**Special Music** “Bow the Knee” Sanctuary Choir  
Drums – Will Gill, Flute - Sarah Ittner, Guitar – Paul Bailey  
**Sermon** “The Anchor Still Holds” Pastor Ronnie  
Hebrews 6:19  
**Invitational Song** “Come Jesus Come”  
**Closing Prayer** Pastor Roger  
**Postlude** Jan Vaughan

There will be a Special Called Business Meeting immediately following the service. You are invited to a luncheon/reception in the CLC afterwards.

Child care for babies - toddlers is available for both worship services.

Children's Church for Pre-K - K, and 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade is available during the 11:00 hour. An usher will be glad to help direct you to the appropriate classroom.

Hearing devices are available for all services. If you would like to use one of these devices, please see an usher for assistance.

Please, no food or drinks except water, in the Sanctuary.

**CAMP CONCORD SUMMER CAMPS**

There are camps for Pre-K to 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Brochures and registration forms are available online at [www.campconcordva.com](http://www.campconcordva.com) or you can pick one up in the Welcome Center. Camp scholarships are available from the Missions Committee and are in the Welcome Center.



**2026 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

This year's VBS theme is "Emerald Crossing". It will be the week of Monday, July 13<sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 pm – 8:30 pm. We need volunteers! We need help with crafts, music, food, teachers, and teacher assistants. Sign up in the Welcome Center on the table or contact Pastor Roger, [pastorroger@obbcbblackridge.com](mailto:pastorroger@obbcbblackridge.com) or the church office if you can volunteer.



**PRAYER REQUEST**

1. Kay Drake – home recovering. (Deacon: Tim Ittner)
2. Dora Belcher – going through breast cancer treatments.
3. Betty Jean Peterson (Judy Kidd’s sister) – home recovering from a stroke.
4. June Wells – strength and energy. (Deacon: Curtis Tyler)
5. Alice Fenaux – in VCU-CMH will be going to nursing facility. (Deacon: Wayne Paynter)
6. Maude Brooks – in Chase City Rehab and will be getting a pacemaker when she gets stronger. (Deacon: Curtis Tyler)
7. Rex Watson – received his first chemo on Thursday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>. (Deacon – Daniel Thrasher)
8. Joane & Owen Toler – Owen is home getting therapy for back pain/issues and Joane is home dealing with chronic back pain. (Deacon – Will Gill)
9. Lenwood & Jennifer Conner Jr - in the loss of Lenwoods father, Lenwood Conner Sr. on April 17, 2026. (Deacon: Cheyenne Townsend)

**PRAY FOR HOMEBOUND, REST HOMES, REHAB, & MISSIONS**

10. Gideon International – That doors will continue to be opened to place His Word to reach the lost.
11. Georgie Rudd – Home (Deacon: Daniel Thrasher)
12. Lib Brady – Home (Deacon: Tim Ittner)
13. Bill Wells – Home (Deacon: Curtis Tyler)



**NURSERY VOLUNTEERS WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE**

<b>Date</b>	<b>9:00</b> Babies/Toddlers	<b>10:00</b> Babies/Toddlers	<b>11:00</b> <u>Babies/Toddlers</u>
Apr. 26	- -	Brittney Sneed Cheryl Parrish	Brittney Sneed Mackenzie Salmons

**Note:** Children's Church is available at 11:00 am for Pre-K & K (Rm. 1) and 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> grade (Rm. 8) will be dismissed during the 11:00 worship service.

**PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE UPDATE, SPECIAL CALLED BUSINESS MEETING & RECEPTION LUNCH**

The Pastor Search Committee has provided the following update to church leaders, “We believe the Lord is calling Pastor Ronnie West to serve as our next Senior Pastor”. In response to that, Chairman of Deacons, Steve Carroll, has scheduled a Special Called Business Meeting for the purpose of the church membership to vote on Pastor Ronnie’s acceptance as our new Senior Pastor. The business meeting will take place after the 11:00 am Worship Service on Sunday, April 26<sup>th</sup>. The schedule that Sunday will be changed, with Sunday School at 10:00 am and Worship at 11:00 am. There will be NO 9:00 am Worship Service that Sunday. After the business meeting there will be a luncheon/reception in the CLC. The church will provide the meal and the **church members are asked to bring their favorite dessert.**

**YUGO MISSION TEAM NEWS**

The YUGO Mission Team has 3 spots that have come available for the upcoming trip in July. Please contact Laurie Wright if you are interested in filling a spot at 434-774-7947 or email her at [lauriewright5749@gmail.com](mailto:lauriewright5749@gmail.com).

The YUGO Team is also selling raffle tickets to help with expenses if you would like to purchase one please see any YUGO Team member to purchase.

**METS SENIOR MINISTRY**

METS will gather for their last time this season on Thursday, May 14<sup>th</sup> in the Fellowship Hall from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. We hope you will join us for a devotion, a celebration of our nation’s 250<sup>th</sup> Birthday, and an all-American meal! To RSVP please sign up in the Welcome Center or contact the church office, via phone or email, by Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>! Our first gathering of our 6<sup>th</sup> year of METS will be Thursday, September 10, 2026.



