



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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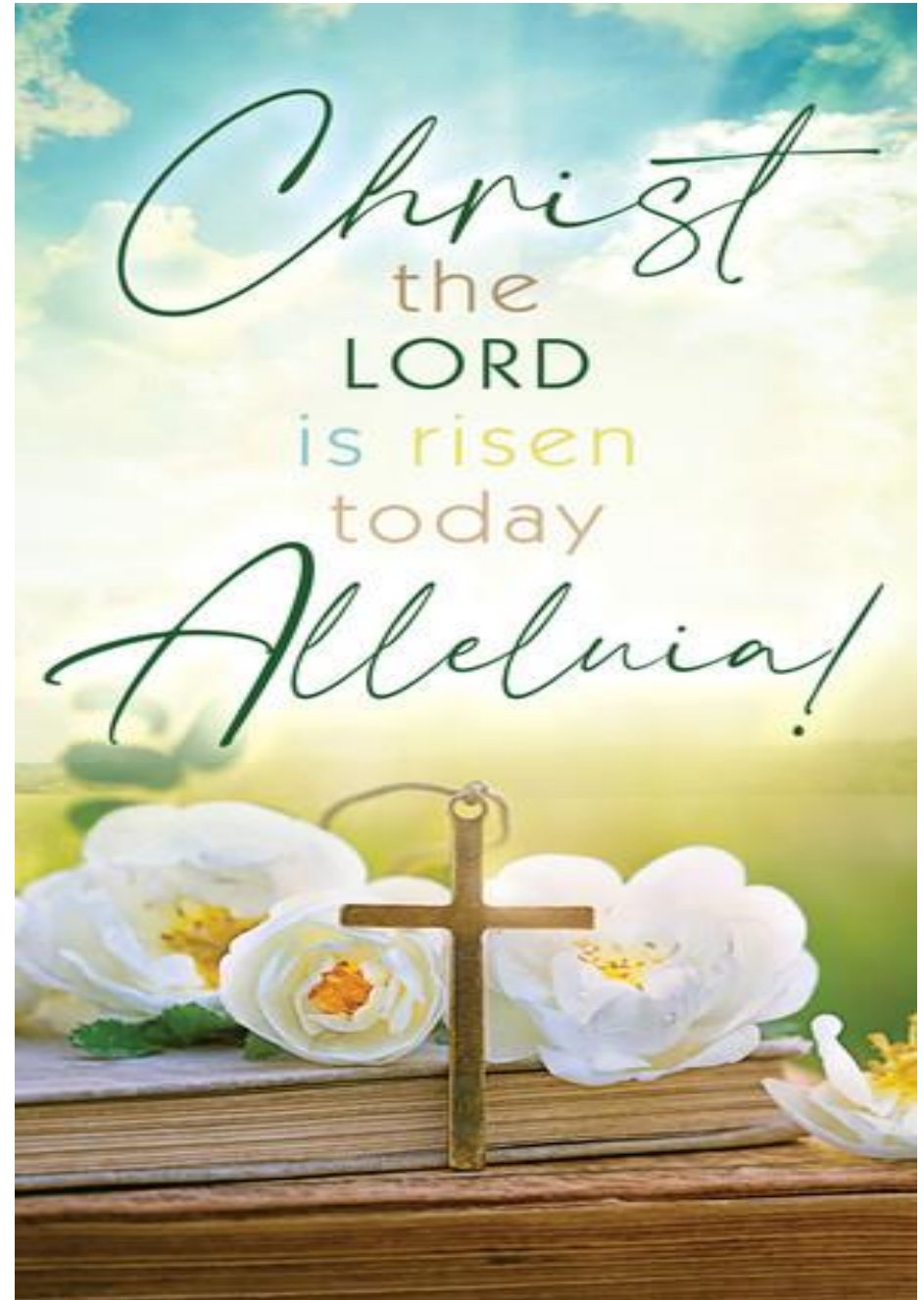
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Give to Olive Branch

April 5, 2026



March 29, 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 Easter Sunday Worship

Song "God So Loved"

Invocation Prayer & Announcements Pastor Roger

Greetings

Song "It Was Finished Upon The Cross"

Song "Because He Lives"

Offertory Prayer Will Gill, Deacon

Sermon "The Napkin Is Still Folded" Pastor Ronnie
John 20:1-7

Song "At The Cross"

Closing Prayer Pastor Roger



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

Children's Church for 1st - 5th 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.



Mecklenburg County
June 14 - 20

Youth who've completed 6th-12th grade
Adult chaperones needed as well
\$163 per OBBC student
\$325 per adult
Financial Assistance is Available

Contact Pastor Roger by **MARCH 29** if you plan to go.



PRAYER REQUEST

1. Kay Drake – in Clarksville Rehab. (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 – home recovering from pulmonary embolism. (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 – waiting for results from biopsy for cancerous mass. (Deacon – Daniel Thrasher)
8. Joane & Owen Toler – Owen is in the Hundley Center for rehab for his back pain/issues and Joane is home dealing with chronic back pain. (Deacon – Will Gill)
9. Cheyenne Townsend – in the loss of his mother Kathy Ivey and uncle Jerry Barnette. (Deacon – Denia Paquette)



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)



MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Tuesday

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Choir Practice Fellowship Hall

Wednesday

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Prayer Gathering Class Room 11

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS WORSHIP SERVICE SCHEDULE

Date	9:00 Babies/Toddlers	10:00 Babies/Toddlers	11:00 <u>Babies/Toddlers</u>
Apr. 5	- -	- -	Megan Ittner Janeva Hutcheson
Apr. 12	Brittney Sneed Elizabeth Powell	Brittney Sneed Sarah Ittner	Brittney Sneed Vance Wright
Apr. 19	Janeva Hutcheson Elizabeth Powell	Janeva Hutcheson Cindy Clevinger	Janeva Hutcheson Wanda Watson
Apr. 26	Brittney Sneed Janeva Hutcheson	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 1st - 5th grade (Rm. 8) will be dismissed during the 11:00 worship service.



ANNIE ARMSTRONG EASTER OFFERING

We will begin collecting for the Annie Armstrong Easter offering in March which is a special offering for North American missions. All of your gifts go to support Southern Baptist missionaries who are proclaiming the gospel to the lost in North America. Ways you can give are: on the church website, OBBC app or there are offering envelopes in the pews and Welcome Center. Our goal this year is \$1,500. We have collected \$1,888.13 so far!

PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN CHILDRENS CHURCH NEWS

There will be no Pre-K/K Sunday School or Children's Church on April 5th due to the Easter Service. We hope that you are able to celebrate Jesus' resurrection as a family!

SENSORY ROOM

We are excited to introduce our new Sensory Room, a welcoming space for anyone who may feel overwhelmed or needs a quiet space during the services or Sunday School. This space offers comfortable seating and a variety of sensory-friendly resources. This is located in the first classroom on the right in the Educational Wing. We do ask that an adult or caregiver accompanies the individual at all times.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SPRING BREAK!

The Awana and D3 Youth will NOT meet this week Wednesday, April 8th due to Spring Break! Enjoy our week.

YUGO MISSION TEAM NEWS

The YUGO Mission Team has 6 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.

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.

BABY/CHILD DEDICATION SUNDAY

We will have a baby/child dedication service on Sunday, May 3rd. If you would like your child dedicated, please contact Pastor Ronnie or Pastor Roger, or call/email the church office by Monday, April 27th.

GRADUATION RECOGNITION

We will recognize OBBC High School, College, and Military graduates on Sunday, May 17, 2026. If you are a graduate, please submit the following information to the church office or Pastor Roger by May 10th:

- Graduate Name (First/MI/Last)
- School or Branch of Service
- Degree and Area of Study
- Which worship service you plan to attend
- Please submit a graduation photo (or equivalent) on a flash drive OR via email to Pastor Roger at pastorroger@obbcbblackridge.com. We would like high school students to submit 6-12 photos panning across birth to your senior year of high school.

THANK YOU!

Patrick and Taylor Bain would like to thank everyone for their prayers and well wishes on the birth of their son, Declan Henry Bain. A special thank you to the choir for the beautiful flower arrangement.

MISSIONARY SPEAKER AT JAMES SQUARE BAPTIST

Madison Archer, a missionary from Guatemala, will be at James Square Baptist Church on Wednesday, April 8th at 6:30 pm. Everyone is invited to come and meet Madison as she shares her work on the mission field in Guatemala. James Square Baptist Church is located at 9440 Christanna Hwy, Lawrenceville, VA 23868.

METS SENIOR MINISTRY

Spring is upon us and we will be celebrating the arrival of the season on Thursday, April 16th! We hope you will join us at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary to hear a wonderful spring concert performed by the La Crosse Elementary Chorus led by Elizabeth Taylor! Laurie Wright will also be joining us in our devotion and talk about the Impact Mecklenburg mission! We hope you will join us. Please sign up in the Welcome Center or contact the church office by Sunday, April 12th.

2026 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

This year's VBS theme is "Emerald Crossing". It will be the week of Monday, July 13th – Friday, July 17th 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 or the church office if you can volunteer.

