



OLIVE KNOLLS
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

EASTER SUNDAY * APRIL 5, 2026

PASTOR: KEVIN HARDY

Worship Sundays: 8:30 am and 10:15 am

Celebrate Recovery: Fridays: 1st Friday dinner 5:45pm;

Weekly: service 6:30pm

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WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

We are so glad you are here today. If you need anything please contact a greeter in the lobby. They will be happy to help you. We hope you picked up today's sermon notes, found on the tables in the rear of the sanctuary. They will help you follow the morning message. Please take a moment to complete our **Connect Card**, with the **TAP app**, found on the back of the sanctuary chairs, so we know you joined us today. We have a small gift we would like to mail to you for visiting with us. We hope you enjoy your time at Olive Knolls.



Sermon

The Road, The Guide, & The Ground Beneath Your Feet

Text

Matthew 7:13-28

"Whether you walked in here with rock-solid faith or a head full of doubts, you have three things in common with everyone else in this room — you're on a road, you're listening to someone, and you're building something. Today we're going to talk about why the empty tomb changes everything about all three."

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

FRIDAYS | 6:30 pm | Gathering Place
Preschool childcare available with reservation

YOUTH CONNECTIONS

SUNDAY

Junior High Group | 8:30 am | 2nd floor worship center

High School Group | 8:30 am | 2nd floor worship center

Breakfast Club | 7th & 8th grade

TUESDAY | 6:30 am | Starbucks on Calloway & Snow

Youth Group | 7th - 12th grade

WEDNESDAY | 6 - 8 pm | Gathering Place

Breakfast Club | 9th & 10th grade

THURSDAY | 6:30 am | Starbucks on Calloway & Snow

Breakfast Club | 11th & 12th grade

FRIDAY | 6:30 am | Starbucks on Calloway & Snow

Contact Pastor Kyle, kkrumbsick@oliveknolls.com, for all Youth Group related questions.

CONNECT 56

SUNDAY

5th & 6th Grade | 10:15 am | Middle School Chapel

CONNECTING ON WEDNESDAY

5th & 6th Grade | 6-8pm | enter Gathering Place

CHILDREN'S CONNECTIONS

SUNDAY MORNINGS

Nursery - 4 th grade | 8:30 am & 10:15 am

Age appropriate activities for all children each week.

Contact Katey Wood, kwood@oliveknolls.com, with all Children's Ministry related questions.

Olive Knolls Church exists to make more and better disciples of Jesus Christ by building an attractive community for our active reach as we **REACH, GROW, SERVE, and GO.**

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NEWCOMERS DINNER

Tuesday, April 21 | 6 pm

Are you new to Olive Knolls Church? We'd love to get to know you! Join us for a catered meal where you can get to know our pastoral staff and we can get to know you. It is a casual evening where the whole family is invited to come. Sign up on with the **Connect Card - TAP**, if you will join us.

ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Sunday, April 26th | 2pm Shotgun Start

Riverlakes Ranch Golf Course

REGISTRATION is open

\$125 - Individual Golfer or \$450 - Foursome 4 Person Scramble Format

Funds support Youth Summer Camp and Mission Trip.

Registration Includes: Green Fee, Cart, Range Balls, BBQ Meal, Beverages, Sleeve of Balls, Tees, Gift Bag, Entry into Long Drive Competition, and Two Closest to the Pin Competitions. We will also have a putting challenge contest, top 3 team awards, and golf simulator game. Registration Deadline is April 19th. Use the **TAP** to register. Contact Pastor Brent Kall, brentkall1@mac.com.

PRIMETIMER POTLUCK

Monday, April 13 | 5:30 pm

All adults (55+) join us for dinner and fellowship. Invite a friend, bring a dish to share and, enjoy a wonderful time together. This month Lori Tolleson will be our guest speaker. She'll share about health & nutrition. Contact Pastor Chris Schwartz, cschwartz@oliveknolls.com, with questions.

VBS * SNEAK PEEK

June 8-12 | 9 am - 12 pm

Rainforest Falls-Exploring the Nature of God.

Kids 4 years - 5th Grade

Registration is Open. It's always the best week of the summer. Your kids won't want to miss it! Use the **TAP - VBS** to sign your kids up today. Watch next week for volunteer opportunities. Contact Jane Hardy, jhardy@oliveknolls.com or 410-925-4736 with any questions.

STRAWBERRY FUNDRAISER

It's strawberry season & our youth are doing a strawberry fundraiser. If you enjoy delicious spring strawberries order a 1/2 or full flat in the Gathering Place & support our youth NYC trip. Today's the last day to order. Contact Pastor Kyle, kkrumbsick@oliveknolls.com, with questions.

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MENS BREAKFAST

Saturday, April 11 | 8 am

Men of all ages, join us for fellowship, food, worship and, the word. A \$5 suggested donation is requested. Use the **Connect Card - TAP** - to sign up. Contact Jim Pentico, jimbigred1@gmail.com with questions.

YA BEACH DAY

Saturday, April 11 | 6 am

Young adults (18-30's) Start your day with community, faith, and the ocean. Meet at 6 am at Olive Knolls and carpool to Manhattan Beach. Sign up with the **Connect Card - App**, or contact Pastor Jorgino - 661.510.2923 so we don't leave without you.

CORE CLASSES

Saturday, April 18 | 9am - 12pm

CORE Classes help you connect to Olive Knolls and deepen your walk with Christ. In April we are offering all 4 of our CORE classes.

101 - Discovering the Mission and Vision of Olive Knolls - An introduction to the values, beliefs, strategy and structure of the church. Led by Pastor Kevin Hardy.

201 - Discovering My Spiritual Maturity - Topics: Daily Time with God, Prayer, Giving, Small Groups and other basic disciplines of the Christian life. Led by Pastors Rob and Debie Songer.

301 - Discovering My Gifts & Ministry - This class will help you plug into ministry by helping you find your S.H.A.P.E. and area of service. Led by Lori Tolleson.

401 - Discovering My Life's Mission - You will be equipped to share your faith with confidence. Afraid to share your faith or not sure how? Come learn strategies to make a difference in the lives of others. Led by Pastor Diane Ussery.

Breakfast will be provided. Childcare is available but, needs to be reserved in advance. Use the **Connect Card - TAP** to let us you will attend.

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MONTHLY

Tithes & Offerings budgeted (3/01/26-3/31/26).....\$135,000

Tithes & Offerings received (3/01/26-3/31/26).....\$131,090

ANNUAL

Tithes & Offerings Annual Budget (9/1/25-8/31/26).....\$1,465,000

Tithes & Offerings YTD Budget (9/1/25-3/31/26).....\$895,000

Tithes & Offerings Received YTD (9/1/25-3/31/26).....\$915,186

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