

**MT. OLIVET BAPTIST CHURCH, 3500 Edwards Mill Road, Raleigh, NC 27612**  
**NEWS & EVENTS – DECEMBER 2020**

**FROM THE PRAYER CLOSET...**

*Don't be too busy this Christmas season to spend quiet time with Jesus.  
Ask Him what He wants for a present.  
After all, it is His Birthday!*

*Blessings,  
Edith Jackson*

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**Christmas play “The Birth of Jesus” presented by the Children’s Ministries followed by our annual Candlelight Christmas Eve Service.  
6:00 – 7:00 PM, Thursday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at Mt. Olivet Baptist Church.**

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**If you are unable to attend Mt. Olivet’s 11 AM Sunday worship service in person, can go to website [www.mobc.org](http://www.mobc.org) and click on “Worship Services” for live streaming or to watch prior messages.**

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**Winter Inductive Bible Studies (2021) – Kinsman Redeemer (Ruth) - Don't Despair. There's Hope. You Have a Kinsman Redeemer!** - If you were a slave, who would buy your freedom? If you had an enemy, who would come to your defense? In the Old Testament, this buyer-defender known as a "kinsman - redeemer" was usually a close relative. If you're a believer, you already have one - Jesus Christ! This rich study shows how Jesus both bought us (redeemer) and advocates (defends) for us, offering us an opportunity to rebuild our broken lives. *This is a great short study to introduce friends to a taste of inductive Bible study.*

**Who:** Anyone who has a desire to experience the Bible's life-changing power and to personally engage with the Word through the inductive study method. (Coed)

**When:** Monday...7 pm – 9:15 pm est  
January 4<sup>th</sup> through January 25<sup>th</sup>  
**OR**  
Tuesday...10 am – 12:15 pm est  
January 5<sup>th</sup> through January 26<sup>th</sup>

**Where:** *Meeting Online (details will be provided when you sign up)*

**Registration/Order Workbook:**

- **Monday evening** - <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-001009>
- **Tuesday morning** - <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-001010>
- If you have questions, please contact the church office, 919-787-1910, or email [precept@mobc.org](mailto:precept@mobc.org)

**SAVE the DATES: February 15<sup>th</sup> through April 5<sup>th</sup>** (Mondays at 7pm est) or **February 16<sup>th</sup> through April 6<sup>th</sup>** (Tuesdays at 10am east). **Judges - Driving Out Your Enemies** - Nothing has changed from the days of the Judges - people still do what is right in their own eyes. Absolutes are shoved aside and the result is bondage to sin. Only God's truths and moral principles bring peace and freedom from bondage. **Note:** The Judges classes are already listed on Precept website as **online classes** Monday evening <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-001011> or Tuesday morning <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-001012> .

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**IRON ACADEMY RETAILER FUNDRAISING WITH NO ADDITIONAL EXPENSE TO YOU:**  
<https://www.ironacademy.org/current-families/retailer-fundraising>

Here’s a couple of opportunities from the website:

If you previously had your **Harris Teeter VIC card** linked to Iron Academy, you have to renew that at the beginning of each school year. Just ask the clerk or customer service to link your card to school #2367 which will give them credit.

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