

**MT. OLIVET BAPTIST CHURCH, 3500 Edwards Mill Road, Raleigh, NC 27612**  
**NEWS & EVENTS – OCTOBER 2026**

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***To Our Friends at MOBC,***

***The church (the people) have been a tremendous blessing to Ron and Sue through all their years! They loved serving alongside you all, being blessed and being a blessing. And MOBC was so very generous in serving the Basham family with all you did for Sue's memorial. Love does endure forever and is a great example of love in action.***

***Love, The Bashams***

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**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES:** Mt. Olivet is collecting boxes for boys & girls ages 2 – 14 from October 17 through Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>. The boxes will be packed on Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup> following lunch at the church & we will also make cards to send for the shoe boxes. Here is a link for gift suggestions for various ages: <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/what-goes-in-my-shoebox-suggestions/>

Items NOT allowed include soap, candy, gum, toothpaste, chocolate, food, drink mixes or juices of any type, vitamins, medicines, lotions, war related toys, breakables, or aerosol cans.

A donation of \$10 is critical to be included with every box to cover shipping & other project costs. Give online through Follow Your Box & discover the destination of your shoebox. Here's the link with instructions to print a special label to put on your box that would enable tracking:

<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/follow-your-box/>

If you can't shop but would like to donate for this outreach, please make your check payable to Mt. Olivet Baptist Church. If you would like to donate some of the suggested items but not pack a box, there are receptacles available. If you have questions or need a shoebox, call the church office (919)787-1910, see information in sanctuary or speak to Mrs. Sharon Gore.

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***For information about Home Bible Study groups just starting, check with Mt. Olivet Missions Pastor José Capiz through church office (919)787-1910 or email [office@mobc.org](mailto:office@mobc.org).***

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**The Sunday Akinsola Foundation for Widows & Orphans ministry in Nigeria –**

For the September meetings in both locations the teaching emphasis was Psalm 91 chapter "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty." The widows were encouraged to remember God's presence, His protection, & His faithfulness. We claim His promises for our lives as we journey through this life. The Kajola ladies celebrated & gave God glory that the ceiling had been completed in the large meeting room. They had snacks & received bus fare.

Ogbomoso widows were given from the onsite garden two bags of cassava that had been ground up that would cost about \$10 each at the grocery store. They had snacks & bottled water.

Abiodun Akinsola's message is to thank God we are moving forward & especially want to thank our donors & for their lives. For the ministry to continue it's a big sacrifice in terms of prayer & funds. Many widow ministries in Nigeria have closed from lack of finances. God has extended His grace & assistance in helping us. Ogbomosho ministry began almost 10 years ago & the Kajola group began Akinsola Foundation meetings using facilities at Good Heritage Church of Lagos in 2010.

We will continue working on the new building as funds become available, but the emphasis now is to provide a nice Christmas for the widows & their families.

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**Fall Inductive Bible Studies – Luke Part 1:** Who is this Man who forgives sins?

The Gospel of Luke is a walk through the events in Jesus' life. Watch how the Son of Man, the Savior, enters the homes of the suffering, visits tax collectors, and dines with sinners. Learn from His words, His walk, and His relationships with common people what it really means "to follow Him." Hear what Jesus taught about the kingdom of God and how you, today, can be prepared for the difficult times ahead and to stand before the Son of Man.

**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... 7:00 pm – 9:15 pm EST, September 14<sup>th</sup> through November 30<sup>th</sup>

**Where:** *In-person at Mount Olivet Baptist Church, 3500 Edwards Mill Road, Raleigh, NC 27612*

**Registration/Order Workbook:**

Monday evening – <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-008817>

***OR***

**When:** Tuesday... 10:00 am – 12:15 pm EST, September 15<sup>th</sup> through December 1<sup>st</sup>

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

**Registration/Order Workbook:**

Tuesday morning - <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-00818>

If you have questions, please contact the church office, 919-787-1910 or email [acstockert@gmail.com](mailto:acstockert@gmail.com)

**Save the Dates – Luke Part 2 – Starting in January 2027.**