MT. OLIVET BAPTIST CHURCH, 3500 Edwards Mill Road, Raleigh, NC 27612 <u>NEWS & EVENTS – OCTOBER 2024</u>

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We extend sympathy to Jim Plyler and family in the death of his wife, Ann Hilliard Plyler, on September 20th. Ann was a long-time member of Mt. Olivet and thought of highly.

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

Both locations continued the teaching emphasis from Psalm 23 that God is the Shepherd & protector. Since September through December have seemingly been a season of more accidents & sicknesses, they were encouraged to focus on the Scriptures, prayer, & trusting God. To mark a milestone on her birthday, a woman in the U.S. donated enough fabric for each lady in both locations to have a new dress.

A special "In Remembrance" program at Kajola included four widows who shared their testimonies & experiences of how they had persevered through difficult circumstances. The ministry gave them each an honorarium of \$12. They were a real encouragement for the others. The widows have grown spiritually. The widows in both locations were given sodas, bottled water, & cookies which they took home. In Kajola a gift of a couple dollars & in Ogbomosho one dollar since bus fare is less in smaller town.

With limitations of space & finances, the leadership requested that the older ladies who had been attending for years just attend for special holidays that Christmas & Easter to make room for young widows who needed discipleship.

Construction for the second floor to continue when more funds are received. The estimated amount needed is approximately \$8,000 for the roofing - then next plastering, windows, & finishing both floors inside.

Prayer points from Abiodun:

- *For completion of the 2-story Widows Chapel.
- *A bus needed that would hold about 20 people.

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<u>Summer/Fall Inductive Bible Studies</u> - Hebrews Part 1 (Consider Jesus Your Merciful High Priest) Precept upon Precept Bible study - In these last days, God has spoken to us in His Son. What does He say about Jesus, angels, and our great salvation? Learn about Jesus' superiority to all in this exciting study of **Hebrews chapters 1- 4** that enlightens and enlivens Old Testament law and prophecy.

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 EDT, August 12th through November 18th

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-006101

OR

When: Tuesday...10 am - 12:15 pm EDT, August 13th through November 19th

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

Registration/Order Workbook:

Tuesday morning - https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-006102

If you have questions, please contact the church office, 919-787-1910 or email precept@mobc.org

<u>Save the Dates for Hebrews Parts 2 and 3 Inductive Bible Studies</u>: Watch for details. Mark your calendar for January through March 2025 for Part 2 (Jesus, Our High Priest Forever) and April through May 2025 for Part 3 (Jesus, the Author and Perfecter of our Faith).

"Back to Our Roots": Precept Info Sessions with David Arthur - We have a special weekend of Precept ministry updates taking place at Mt Olivet Baptist Church on Friday and Saturday, October 11-12. There will be two sessions filled with teaching with David, Bible study demonstrations, and vision casting for Precept. The details including the link to register are included below. The event is free but we do need you to register so we will have adequate materials, refreshments and seats. REGISTER NOW to join us.

^{*}Two canopies each \$550 (in U.S. called tents) to have a crusade at each location (60 people).