

Bishop Oscar E. Brown invites you to join us for our IN-PERSON or VIRTUAL Sunday Worship Experience and Mid-Week Gatherings via Facebook Live @FirstMtOlive or the First Mt. Olive website <u>www.firstmtolive.com</u>

# GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 2025 - SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 2025 STEWARDING THE BIG 5

# PALM SUNDAY

**Today, Sunday, April 13th, Palm Sunday** We gathered to remember Jesus' triumphal entrance into Jerusalem on His way to Calvary, where He would be the payment for our sins.

# HOLY WEEK

Friday, April 18th Good Friday The Church office will be closed.

# **RESURRECTION SUNDAY**

Sunday, April 20, 2025 We will celebrate the Resurrection of our Savior during our Morning Worship Experience

# WOMEN'S MONTH

SISTERS!!! April is Women's Month here at First Mt Olive! Women's Day is Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup>. The Women are Stewarding the Big 5

The Women Overcoming War Women's Ministry is excited about the activities planned for April. You will have several opportunities to come out and meet a sister! Please invite your sisters, mothers, aunts, daughters, granddaughters, coworkers, and neighbors to fellowship with us! We are going to have a wonderful time! **Every Wednesday in April @ 7 PM – W.O.W. Weekly Prayer Call** via Zoom

Women's Day Choir Rehearsal Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 PM and Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 PM Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> Women Focused, Faithful & Favored 1-Day Conference. Cost \$50 Includes continental breakfast, Workshops, a Mindfulness session, lunch, and an in-depth 1-on-100+ session with Bishop Brown. Sunday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 10 AM Women's Day Worship Experience Color of the Day: Shades of Orange For more information and to register visit www.firstmtolive.com Ticketed Events

## TRIBAL TALK

Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> – Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> Tribal Talk Tuesday at 7:00 PM Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> – Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> Wholeness Wednesdays at 11:00 AM

#### **EVENING WORSHIP EXPERIENCE**

Wednesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 PM You are welcome to join Bishop Oscar Brown as Charity Church celebrates the 20<sup>th</sup> Pastoral Anniversary of Pastor Tyrone Thomas. The Church is located at 1710 Gwynn Oak Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21207

## **MYRTLE SUMMER MEMORIAL OUTREACH**

Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> Monthly Food Give-Away The Myrtle Summers Memorial Outreach Ministry will partner with the Men's Ministry for our monthly food giveaway, 10 AM – 12 PM, or while supplies last.

## **EMERGENCY MEETING**

Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM The conclusion/follow-up meeting with ALL Ministry Directors.

## FULL GOSPEL BAPTIST CHURCH FELLOWSHIP INTERNATIONAL

July 8 -10, 2025 The Full Gospel Baptist Church Fellowship International - Livefull 2025 Repositioning Conference in New Orleans, LA. Please visit www.fullgospelbaptist.org to register today. See Flyer

#### **NEW MEMBER'S MINISTRY**

**Sundays at 9:00 AM** New Member's Ministry Classes. If you have not attended or completed your New Member's Class, please visit the Concierge Desk or call the Church Office at 410-728-4383.

#### **MYRTLE GRAY HEALTH AND WELLNESS MINISTRY**

**Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday** The Myrtle Gray Health and Wellness Ministry will be in the First Mt. Olive Health Suite before worship to provide blood pressure screenings and to distribute educational materials. Our mission is, "Empowering People to Wholeness" and our 2025 theme is Stewarding the Big Five in 2025. One of the Big Five is Temple. Let's make sure we are good stewards of our hearts!!

# **BABY DEDICATION**

**Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday** If you want your baby to be dedicated contact the Church office at 410-728-4383.

#### THE CENTER AT REHOBOTH

The Center at Rehoboth has childcare openings for Pre-School, and Before and After-school care. We provide a safe, nurturing, faith-based program. For more information, contact The Center at Rehoboth at 443-312-8428.

## **NOTIFICATIONS OF ILLNESS OR DEATH**

Please call the Church Office at 410-728-4383 to report illness, surgery, or death in the family.

# THANK YOU

Sister Shawna Quarles-Johnson and Sister Grace Jones, and their families would like to thank Bishop and Lady Brown and the entire First Mt. Olive Tribe for your prayers and all acts of kindness shown during their time of bereavement.

# **SPECIAL PRAYERS**

Mother Lois Hawthorne Elder Ava Livas Sister Kristen Massey

Deacon Wallace & Deaconess Marchelle Simpson and family

The Family of **Sister Margaret Scott Hunter** who went home to be with the Lord. She is the mother of Mother Brenda Scott. The arrangements are forthcoming.

The Family of **Shirley Lunn** who went home to be with the Lord. She is the sister of Mother Margaret Smith. The arrangements are as follows:

ALL SERVICES: Vaughn Greene Funeral Services-Randallstown, 8728 Liberty Road, Randallstown, MDViewing:Sunday, April 13, 2025Time:2:00 PM - 6:00 PMServices:Monday, April 14, 2025Wake:10:00 AMHomegoing:10:30 AM

# **PRAISE REPORT**

Sister Patricia Coleman had successful surgery.

# **CELEBRATIONS**

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mother Gracie Smith – 84 Years of Life Happy Birthday to all who are celebrating in April!

# HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Brother Eric & Sister Tracy Collins – 32 Years of Holy Matrimony Deacon Norman & Deaconess Sandra McCoy – 28 Years of Holy Matrimony Brother Melvin, II & Sister Adrienne Bond – 15 Years of Holy Matrimony *Happy Anniversary to all who are celebrating in April!* 

## **ONLINE GIVING**

Bishop Brown and the First Mt. Olive Church thank you for sharing. If this ministry has blessed you and you want to sow a seed, First Mt. Olive has online giving options.

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