

Announcements 4-21-24

At 9:25 Read the Following:

The Lord be with you... I was glad when they said unto me, "Let us go into the house of the Lord!"

Let us pray: Lord, bless all who are here today, and all those on Zoom. May we spend the next few moments in silent prayer and personal reflection as we prepare ourselves to hear your message. May peace be within each one of us. Amen.

[Then sit down!]

At 9:30, Give the Announcements:

Good morning and welcome to worship on this glorious day! My name is _____. To all of you here in the sanctuary, and all of you on Zoom, we welcome you to our loving church with open arms, hearts, and minds, especially those who are here for the first time.

- You'll find our regular announcements on the back of the bulletin, and our website has more information on all things Olivet. We're proud to say we make sure all is up to date!
- On Sunday, May 5th at 11:00 AM, there will be a new members class in the meeting room of the GNC with Pastor Alex. If you've been thinking about membership, grab some coffee and a snack and come to the meeting to learn more.
- Our May 5th, Cinco de Mayo Project Echo menu has openings for seasoned meat filling, salsa & sour cream, Spanish rice, and dessert. You can sign up in the back on your way out if you'd like to donate something.

- Our Ripple Center friends will be at Olivet for its bi-annual Spring worship and potluck on Friday, May 10th. We'll need helpers for those with limited mobility and vision, and we'll need food donations for the potluck. We'll have a sign-up sheet next week for helpers and/or food contributors.
- For those who would like to attend Pastor Alex's ordination and share in her joy on May 31st, please sign up on your way out. The service will be at 2:00 PM at the Hilton Hotel in Baltimore. Free bus transportation will be provided, and lunch will be on you. Deadline to sign up is Sunday, May 5th. So be sure to sign up with Pastor Alex on your way out.
- **Let us go where no one has gone before!** Your children and grandchildren will have an **OUT OF THIS WORLD** experience at this year's VBS, June 17-21. Registration is live on our website. A planning meeting will be held this Thurs, the 25th at 6:30 PM, so please come if you'd like to participate. Last year we had almost 50 kids participating, so we really do need the help. WE assure you; **VOLUNTEERS** will have an **OUT OF THIS WORLD EXPERIENCE, TOO!**
- Please be sure you've signed the attendance sheet before you leave, and if the spirit moves you, sign up to be a worship assistant.
- After service, if your schedule permits, come fellowship with us across the with beverages and snacks.

OVER...

Are there any **other announcements?**

**Now...come, Holy Spirit, prepare our hearts
and minds for worship on this EASTER
SUNDAY! Amen**