



OLIVE BRANCH

Week of January 16, 2026



Upcoming Events

Sunday, January 18th

8:30 am Traditional Worship

Reader: David/Isaiah Ullman

Usher: Paul Brown

10:30 am Contemporary Worship

Reader: Cory Emily

Usher: Cory Emily

Wednesday, January 21st

5:45 pm - GROWZONE Session 2, Week 3

Saturday, January 24th

9:30 - 11:00 am - COFFEE WITH JESUS

Bring a Bible and join us as we dig into God's Word and encourage each other in our faith. All women are welcome!

Sunday, January 25th

CONGREGATION MEETING

Between church services (Approx 9:35 am)

Information presented on prospective Mt. Olive building project (Phase 2)

Sunday, January 27th

5:00 pm - School Board Meeting

If you have an announcement for the Olive Branch please submit to the office (school.office@molcs.org) by NOON ON WEDNESDAYS!



January 21, 2026
Session 2, Week 3

GROWZONE

Schedule

5:45 - 6:15 Worship (Sanctuary)

6:15 - 6:45 Dinner (Lunch Room)

6:45 - 7:30 Groups (Classrooms)



Dinner: Tater Tot Casserole, Rolls, Fruit, Dessert

Cost: \$5/person, children under 10 FREE



YOU'RE INVITED TO A

RETRO SKATE PARTY

29
JAN

PRIZES

6-8PM

SKATE SOUTH
10494 COUNTY LINE RD, DSM

\$12.00 ENTRY WHICH INCLUDES SKATES!

Grandparent Newsletter

We are currently gathering grandparent contact information so we can keep them in the loop on all the exciting things happening at Mount Olive. Grandparents play such a meaningful role in our school community, and we would love to include them in special communications and events throughout the year.

Please take a moment to click the link below and complete the Google Form. This form should be submitted one time per school family and include information for all grandparents connected to your children.

GRANDPARENT INFO



Use the link below or you can scan the QR code:
<https://forms.gle/hf6Syb8T5vadpYBh6>

Scan the QR code to share your family's grandparent information.

Thank you for helping us stay connected and for your continued partnership in all that God is doing at MTO

SAVE THE DATE!

MOUNT OLIVE ANNUAL
AUCTION!

WILD WEST GALA

APRIL 18, 2026

More information to come!

COMING SOON!

Teacher Appreciation Week
Monday, Feb 23 - Friday, Feb 27

VALENTINE'S DAY BABYSITTING NIGHT

Hosted by: 8th Grade Class

Enjoy a night out this Valentine's Day
while we entertain your kids with pizza,
playtime, and a movie!

Friday, February 13
5:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Mount Olive School



- Pizza dinner
- Fun playtime

A family-friendly movie

\$50 per child

\$80 for two children



<https://igit.me/BYs9y>

Teacher Appreciation Wall on Life 107.1

Five of our Mount Olive Teachers have been featured on Life 107.1's Teacher Appreciation Wall... Check out what parents have said about these amazing teachers.



Rebekah Henschen

My Son was diagnosed with type one diabetes the last two weeks of last year. So going into this year, we had a whole new hard to worry about. How do I handle his diabetes at school? He is the only student with type one diabetes, and it turns out his 2nd Grade teacher also has type 1. Miss H not only has the stress of her own type one diabetes, she has helped so much with My Son's type one and getting us acclimated to having a student in a school with type one diabetes. She has gone above and beyond and does so much to help my son have a normal day at school.



Emily Nolte

I went from a child who disliked history to a child who loves history class. From costumes, to music, to current events, to creatively bridging the past into the present, every class is exciting and fun. Emily brings not only a constant positive demeanor, but comedy through her costumes and t-shirts. You can tell she really loves her job and her students. She shines the joy of the Lord everyday.



Danette Gano

Danette made our daughter and myself feel welcome with Kindergarten, when we (mostly me) were apprehensive about enrolling her in full day school. I would have liked our daughter to do half day like our oldest, but she was ready! After a great year in Kindergarten last year, Mrs. Gano moved up to 1st grade and has our daughter again! It's been such a blessing to watch our introverted, studious helper thrive and be connected to her teacher in a unique way. Danette is a God-send!



Rose Nigh

Rose Nigh really likes God. She helps our class learn and grow in both faith and wisdom. In our classes, she has patience as she teaches and gives help in the most reasonable way. In faith, she shows how to lead a life following God. When someone says something in class about a Bible story, we go and look it up to see if it is true or not. Such as if there is a question if the wise men visited a house or stable, we will go read the Bible to learn more. She is kind, caring, helpful, loving, and forgiving.



Maddie Owen

My daughter had a rough second grade. She felt like she had no friends and felt unwanted and unloved. She was so nervous and cried every day during the last few days of summer. Ms. Owens (her third-grade teacher) gave my daughter so much love and has shown my daughter that she is loved no matter what. My daughter used to stutter and struggle to get her thoughts out because of her anxiety about school. Her stutter is completely gone! My daughter comes home and feels like she belongs! Her anxiety has resided! God bless Ms. Owen!