

# Oliver Church of Christ

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## Schedule of Services

### Sunday

Bible Study 9:00 AM  
Worship 10:00 AM  
Worship 5:00 PM

### Wednesday

Bible Study 6:30 PM

## Minister

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## WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 22, 2024

Announcements . . . . . Billy Leone  
Song Leader . . . . . Randy Pyle  
Opening Prayer (AM) . . . . . Larry Turpen  
Closing Prayer (AM) . . . . . Johnny Wilbanks  
Opening Prayer (PM) . . . . . Daniel Ridinger  
Closing Prayer (PM) . . . . . Allen Goode  
Usher . . . . . Raymond Sandlin

### Lord's Table

Preside AM & PM . . . . . Wade Stinnett

Audio . . . . . Lonnie Butler  
Building Security . . . . . Johnny Wilbanks  
Communion Prep . . . . . Diane Jackson

### THURSDAY DECEMBER 26, 2024

Song Leader . . . . . Max Chandler  
Scripture Reading . . . . . Tommy Parker  
Opening Prayer . . . . . David Wilbanks  
Invitation . . . . . David O'Connell  
Announcements . . . . . David O'Connell  
Closing Prayer . . . . . Allen Goode

## WORSHIP ASSIGNMENTS

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 29, 2024

Announcements . . . . . David O'Connell  
Song Leader . . . . . Daniel Ridinger  
Opening Prayer (AM) . . . . . Larry Turpen  
Closing Prayer (AM) . . . . . Allen Goode  
Opening Prayer (PM) . . . . . Randy Pyle  
Closing Prayer (PM) . . . . . Johnny Wilbanks  
Usher . . . . . Raymond Sandlin

### Lord's Table

Preside AM & PM . . . . . Max Chandler

Audio . . . . . Lonnie Butler  
Building Security . . . . . Johnny Wilbanks  
Communion Prep . . . . . Diane Jackson

### WEDNESDAY January 1, 2025

Song Leader . . . . . David O'Connell  
Scripture Reading . . . . . Max Chandler  
Opening Prayer . . . . . Allen Goode  
Invitation . . . . . Daniel Ridinger  
Announcements . . . . . Randy Pyle  
Closing Prayer . . . . . Tommy Parker



## What Could We Do This Christmas?

1. *Seek out a forgotten friend and write a love letter.*
2. *Dismiss suspicion and learn to trust.*
3. *Share a treasure and give a soft answer.*
4. *Manifest loyalty in word, in deed, and encourage youth.*
5. *Find the time to do what needs to be done and keep our promises.*
6. *Forgive an enemy and forego a grudge.*
7. *Listen, understand, and apologize, if we are wrong.*
8. *Be gentle, kind, and so act as to deserve confidence.*
9. *Learn to laugh and take up arms against malice.*
10. *Do not become complacent. Express your gratitude.*
11. *Gladden the heart of a child, welcome a stranger, and take pleasure in beauty and wonder of the earth.*
12. *Speak your love. Speak it again. Speak it still once again, our holiday will be a happy day.*

G. K. Wallace, *Gospel Advocate*, December 15, 1966

## From My Heart to Your Heart

We wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a healthy, Happy New Year!

Sister Iris Posey has been at Mitchell-Hollingsworth Rehab. Her daughter has recently purchased a home in Florence, and sister Posey will be moving in to live with her in the near future. We have been asked to pray for Betty Swan, the next door neighbor of Nelda Hinton. She has recently had surgery for breast cancer. Please continue to pray for Jim Gough, who is the brother of Karen Goins. He has cancer, and the situation is very serious.

Amy Hardeman had day surgery last Friday to remove some metal in her knee from a previous surgery. Tommy Butler continues to have cancer treatments but is in very serious condition. Please keep him and Enid in your prayers. Marcia Chandler is recovering very well at home from her knee surgery. Neal Trousdale is recovering from a stroke at home. Chuck Moore's sister, Contessa Moore, has a benign spindle cell in her breast. Surgery is not planned at this time. Please pray for her. Daniel McClellan's mother, Sylvia McClellan, has had increasing problems with dementia. Karen Vaughn, a coworker and friend of Tracie Trousdale, has stage 4 lung cancer, and it has spread to her brain.

We are so proud that Chuck Moore is doing extremely well. Patricia Moore's mother, Belle Graham, is healing from her broken shoulder. Gene Britnell is doing well at home. Willodyne Gibbons is still having back pain.

Daniel Ridinger is now making monthly trips for his treatments at M.D. Anderson in Houston. Marilyn Patterson is having physical therapy and continuing to recover at home. We have been asked to pray for Billy Barnes, who has cancer. He was Kathryn Miller's brother-in-law.

Randy and Glenda Pyle are helping with his mother at least once a month. James Robbins is continuing to have trouble with his feet and has other health issues. Please continue to pray for Julie Fretwell. We have been asked to pray for Calvin Gifford, who is the son-in-law of Jackie Miller Poss. Becky Clanton is still dealing with congestive heart failure at home. Tracie Trousdale's father, Bill Corum, is not doing well at this time.

Please pray for Kathryn Miller's brother-in-law, William (Bill) Miller, as he undergoes chemotherapy. Wade Stinnett's cousin, Mike Stinnett, also needs your prayers. Annie Sandlin's sister, Diane Ridgeway, has serious medical problems and needs our prayers. Please continue to pray for those who are fighting cancer: Jennifer Allison, Billy Barnes, Jim Gough, Ken and Beth Hawkins, Bill Miller, John O'Neill, and Jerry Page.

At the recent Men's Business Meeting, it was decided to send \$2,000 to Todd Barrier, the preacher in Falkville who recently lost his wife, Jonna. The Barriers have six children.

Thank you to Billy and Marla for purchasing the Christmas candy bags for our senior saints and widows. We also want to thank everyone who helped to deliver these bags.

David O'Connell

*In Search of the Lord's Way* - Fox 54 Sunday Mornings at 7:30 AM

## OUR RECORD



Sunday	Dec 15 2024
Bible Study	32
Worship AM	46
Worship PM	39
Contribution	\$2827
Weekly Budget	\$2300
Wednesday	Dec 18, 2024
Bible Study	33

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec 26 Midweek service rescheduled for Thursday, December 26, 6:30 p.m.



### Happy Birthday!

4	Marla Leone
5	Max Chandler
6	Krystal McClellan
6	Annie Sandlin
10	Stan Stanford
20	Enid Butler
24	Patricia Moore
24	Lucas Trousdale
27	Coaston Wilbanks
29	Bentley Moore

### Happy Anniversary!

9	Jeff & Tracie Trousdale
13	Tommy & Enid Butler

## In Our Prayers

**Oliver Members:** Tommy & Enid Butler, Marsha Chandler, Becky Clanton, Lella Mae Hamilton, Chuck Moore, Kathryn Miller, Marilyn Patterson, Sandra Porter, Daniel Ridinger, James Robbins, Ray & Annie Sandlin, Hazel Wilbanks, Patsy Wilbanks.

**Family and Friends:** Jennifer Allison (Hazel's niece's daughter), Billy Barnes (relative of Kathryn Miller), Jonna Dean Barrier, Gene Britnell, Charles Butler, Amy Chandler (Max & Marsha's daughter-in-law), Rex Chandler (Max & Marsha's nephew), Tim & Sherri Clutts, Eugene Coco (Chuck Moore's friend), Rick Crill, Bill Corum (Tracie Trousdale's father), Pam Dahlstrom & Faith Reed, Julie Fretwell, Willodyne Gibbons, Calvin Gifford (son-in-law of Jackie Miller Poss), Paula Gilliam (Hazel Wilbanks' niece), Jim Gough (Karen Goins' brother), Belle Graham (Patricia Moore's mother), Vincent Graham (Patricia's nephew), Faye Pettus Hale (Annie Sandlin's cousin), Danonda Hardeman, Ken and Beth Hawkins (uncle & aunt of Chuck), Martha Hawkins, Earline Hinton (Nelda Hinton's mother), Robert Huffaker, Sylvia McClellan, Bill Miller, Contessa Moore (Chuck's sister), Sean Mosley (Chuck's cousin), Jimmy Moss (uncle of Annie Sandlin), John O'Neill, Jerry Page, Vera Pyle, Diane Ridgeway (Annie Sandlin's sister), Mike Stinnett, Betty Swan Nelda Hinton's neighbor), Kim Sztanyo, Neal Trousdale, Karen Vaughn.

*The Gospel of Christ* - Fox 54 (Direct TV) Sunday Mornings at 7:00 AM