

Olive Branch Fellowship

A Baptist Faith Community

2nd Sunday of Lent
Worship of Our Lord
March 12, 2006

PRELUDE

*CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP

*My sheep hear My Voice, and I know them,
and they follow Me.*

*And I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish;
neither shall anyone snatch them out of My hand.
My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all;
and no one is able to snatch them out of my Father's hand.*

From John 10:27-29

*HYMN MEDLEY 688, 689 *"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"*
"Lead Me, Lord"

*INVOCATION

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 4:18-25

HYMN 734 *"Be Strong in the Lord"*

A TIME FOR CHILDREN

*OFFERTORY HYMN 572 *"Blessed Assurance"*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / SILENT CONFESSION

OFFERTORY MEDITATION

*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

SCRIPTURE READING Genesis 18:1-15

SPECIAL MUSIC

SERMON *"Laughter in the Darkness"* Dr. Chuck Strong

*COMMITMENT HYMN 305 *"Jesus Paid It All"*

*BENEDICTION

PARTING HYMN *"We Are One in the Bond of Love"*

*We are one in the bond of Love,
We are one in the bond of Love;
We have joined our spirits with the Spirit of God,
We are one in the bond of Love.*

**You are invited to stand as you are able*

**Join us Wednesday night for:
Fellowship Meal 6 p.m.
Prayer Meeting/Bible Study 6:30 p.m.**

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Our Vision

Olive Branch Fellowship is committed to helping people discover and fulfill their God-given mission within a Baptist faith community.

Our Mission

The mission of Olive Branch Fellowship is to invite people in the greater Olive Branch community to experience the kingdom of God, cultivating a relationship with Jesus Christ that will guide them through a lifelong journey of personal growth and service to others.

Our Core Values

Olive Branch Fellowship is, above all, committed to proclaiming the Gospel of Christ.

We seek to practice our faith according to the historic Baptist principles such as

The priesthood of all believers;

The autonomy of the local church;

The separation of church and state; and

The freedom of each individual to interpret the Bible as guided by the Holy Spirit.

Our Ministry Partners

Olive Branch Fellowship is thankful to work in partnership with:

Trinity Baptist Church, Cordova, Tennessee

First Baptist Church, Memphis

Cooperative Baptist Fellowship

CBF of Mississippi and Tennessee CBF

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