

Welcome to the Parent & Family Newsletter!

The fall semester is underway! Students are finding their rhythms and routines with classes and life on campus. To see the most recent story recapping our first week, <u>click here</u>.

Whether your student is starting their first year or their final year, our hope is that this newsletter gives you the insight, tools and resources to help you stay attuned to what's happening on campus!

Please take note of all the announcements, workshops, and activities that your student can take advantage of; and there's some things just for you! We can't highlight everything so feel free to check out our News and Events pages on the main website.

I hope that the enclosed information is helpful to you. If you have any questions about the content or recommendations for items to include in the next bi-monthly newsletter, please email ONUcares@olivet.edu. You can also feel free to reach out with any questions or if you just need some advice, direction, or prayer!

In the meantime, <u>I wanted to share this video</u> of Dr. Jason Stephens, Vice President of Student Development with a message that he shared with parents during move-in weekend. Also, please check out our resources for parents on our website: <u>Parent Resources</u>.





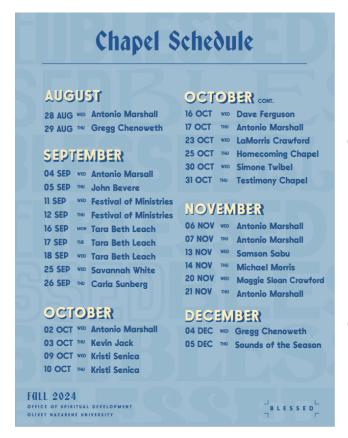
From the Office of the Registrar:

- If your student has questions about their major, classes, or other academic items and isn't sure who to ask . . . Encourage them to stop by the Registrar's Office in Burke or email us at registrar@olivet.edu
- Graduation and Commencement details will be updated regularly on the Commencement webpage: <u>olivet.edu/commencement</u>
- If you have a Junior or Senior, encourage them to complete the Graduation Application in Self-Service to ensure they are on track to complete their degree.
- All students can track their degree progress in Self-Service, which can be accessed through the My Olivet portal. Students may confirm that transfer credits, dual credits, and AP credits have been applied to their Olivet transcript.
 - **For Freshmen and Transfers**, academic advisors are assigned. Students need to know their advisor in preparation for registration for Spring courses.
- Important dates and information are sent by email and the official Instagram page @olivet registrar



Join our faculty, staff, students and alumni for a very special weekend. Check out the calendar of activities - including art exhibits, planetarium shows, athletic games, reunions, and more. This year join us for our first ever 5th Quarter Fair on Friday night October 25 which will include a 50-foot ice cream bar! There is something for everyone to enjoy on campus!

Family Weekend Tickets and Info



Join us for Chapel

This semester we will go back to the origins of the word "blessed." We will take a look at the timeless truths of the "Sermon on the Mount" and allow it to guide our thinking, our actions, and our desires.

We invite you to join us for these special moments within our campus community by streaming services online. Talk with your child about what is standing out the most as we explore this idea of being "blessed" as a state of well-being and right-relationship with God that provides true joy and happiness.

Watch Chapel

Looking Ahead at the Academic Calendar...

- September 20 Final Day to drop Block I courses
- October 14-15 Fall Break (no classes)
- October 20 Online Block I courses end
- October 21 Block II courses begin
- October 25-27 Homecoming
- November 8 Final day to drop semester-length courses
- November 15 Final day to drop Block II courses
- November 27-December 1 Thanksgiving Holiday (no classes)
- December 2 Classes resume at 7:30 a.m.
- December 11-13 Final examinations
- December 15 Online Block II courses end

From One Parent to Another...

Pray that they would be given the confidence to seek out new opportunities and connections with others. Community is crucial and we hope that your students feel a sense of belonging here!

Celebrate the small milestones and victories of the semester with them.

Encourage them to introduce themselves to their professors and faculty members. They are there to help your students!



Does your student need academic or counseling support? Encourage them to check out these resources below.

Academic Support

Counseling Services



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