The Loop



Though Easter is a season and not merely a Sunday, it can be hard to sustain the enthusiasm when attendance drops on "low Sunday." That said, the source of our joy is not in the size of the crowd but the greatness of the gift that Christ has given us. We have the forgiveness of sins, and where there is forgiveness for our sins, there is also life and salvation. We are held captive to fear, to the guilt of our sin, and to the power of death until Christ enters our locked rooms, shows Himself to us, and we, by the power of the Holy Spirit, rejoice in our Lord and God.

We are now providing a Facebook LIVE streaming broadcast of the Sunday 8:00 am service.

https://www.facebook.com/mtoliveaurora/live/

You don't need a Facebook account to watch!



Dear Mount Olive family,

At a time like this, thank you seems to be grossly inadequate. It is with deep gratitude that I say I deeply appreciate your prayers, cards, words of comfort, and even the hugs given these past several weeks. Your love and support for me and my family conveys joy in the midst of sorrow that is ours through the faith which lives in us. I continue to remember you in my prayers which prove to be a comfort to me in that through those prayers I recall your love for my wife, Jo.

I would like to give a special thanks to our beloved Pastor and the prayers and ministry extended to me and the members of my family.

May the love of God continue to be shown to each other as we have celebrated the victory of faith, a victory which we shall also experience at that time appointed by our beloved Father in heaven.

Once again, thank you and may the Lord bestow upon us all joy and comfort in the promises of life everlasting.

Pastor Glenn and family



- Leone Schonack, Muriel Heller, Ellen Stumer, Shirley Becker, Diana Harmon, Roy and Lenore Sande, Kathy Pelepchan, Kathie Ruesch, Mike Ashby, Joe McCoy, Karen and Charlie Thies
- Strength for Drew, son-inlaw of Klekamp's, as he undergoes cancer treatments
- Strength and healing for Kathy Pelepchan, in the hospital with COVID
- Prayers for all the nurses and doctors who are still on the front lines and witnessing sickness and death
- Comfort for Frank, friend of Bodemanns, at the loss of his wife
- Comfort for Nick and family, friends of Bodemanns, at the loss of Nick's brother
- Strength and healing for Pat Chapman, neighbor of

Readings for April 10/11: Acts 4:32-35 1 John 1:1-2:2 John 20:19-31 Readings for April 17/18: Acts 3:11-21 1 John 3:1-7 Luke 24:36-49



Glory Circle will meet on Thursday evening , April 8th at 7PM at Mt. Olive in the Parish Hall. All ladies welcome!



Bible Talk has resumed! Wednesdays at 10 AM! Henningers, with cancer

- Healing for Jim, nephew of Shirley Becker, in ICU in Nebraska with COVID 19 pneumonia
- Comfort for Gloria Keller, mourning the passing of her husband Ed, brotherin-law of the Kilgores
- Healing for Sean, son of Don Henninger, in Wisconsin, with abdominal issues
- Comfort and healing for Laura Kay Unruh's father, in serious condition in Wyoming



Fellowship time returns this week! We still need a couple of families/individuals to help with the coffee one weekend a month. Call the office if you're willing to help!



Due to recently updated COVID restrictions we have moved to ZOOM



Thank you to all who donated lilies for our Easter services. What a joyful way to celebrate our Savior's resurrection! He is risen indeed!



Holy Hammers news

You're invited to attend the virtual **Breakfast for Humanity -April 21.** To sign up register at **https:**<u>www.habitatbreakfast.</u> <u>org</u> In the drop down box select Holy Hammers table & if you choose to give a donation, be sure to designate Holy Hammers. Thanks for considering this program. It is always well done & inspirational. meetings until further notice. Contact Liz Rehwalt or Jennifer Klekamp to be added to our zoom invitation.

May 5 - *Mrs. Sherlock Holmes* by Brad Ricca

June 2 - *The Bee Keeper of Aleppo* by Christy Lefteri

June 30 - pick new books!



Aurora Interfaith

We donated 225 pounds of food to Interfaith this cycle! Thank you for your generosity!

Place all donations in the blue container in the coat closet by the Narthex. (You don't need to give every month. Please give when you can, what you can.) Thank you for all your donations.



Save the date! VBS will be held June 21-25! Watch for

This year we are helping to sponsor a new build in the area called Aria. We have dates of **May 22, June 5 & 18, and July 17**. the numbers of volunteers are being kept low along with other safety precautions. To volunteer register at http:<u>holyhammers.denver.volunt</u> <u>eerhub.com</u>. Affordable housing is needed more than ever. Thanks for any help you can provide.



Hi Families,

We are having a **Family Portrait Fundraiser on May 8th**. It will be outside the school/church. You will prepay for a choice of 8x10, 11x14 or 16x20. A large portion of this price is funded to our school.

Please go to this website and set your appointment and order your print. After viewing your images, you will have the choice to purchase more. A percentage of anything over and above the above choice will also go toward your school.

Schedule your portrait time:

opportunities to help!

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Operation Christmas Child

Donations for April are stuffed animals. Please leave your donation in the box in the coat closet!

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