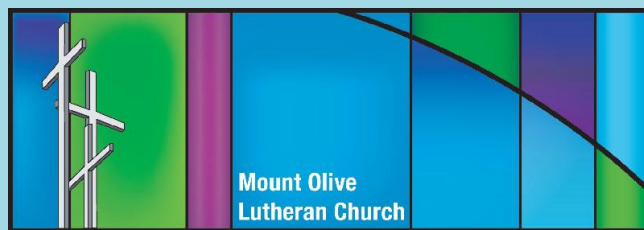


# The Loop



Though much is made of the smallness of the mustard seed, the focus of Jesus is on outcome—the plant that becomes large enough to give nest and shade to all the birds of the air. The kingdom of God seems small and even irrelevant in the face of large problems, challenges, and problems of this mortal life, and yet it is the kingdom of God that is great. God gives to us the forgiveness that makes a clear conscience, the life that is stronger than death, and the joy that is greater than every joy this world can deliver. In this way, the small seed makes for a great plant, large enough for us to find refuge and a home in its shade. How the kingdom of God grows may seem part of the mystery, but we know that it is a seed planted in the good soil and fed and nourished by God's grace to the day when the harvest delivers us into His presence forevermore.

**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!**



- Muriel Heller, Ellen Stumer, Shirley Becker, Diana Harmon, Roy and Lenore

## Readings for June 12/13:

Ezek. 17:22-24

2 Cor. 5:1-17

Mark 3:26-34

## Readings for June 19/20:

Job 38:1-11

2 Cor. 6:1-13

Mark 4:35-41

Sande, Kathy Pelepchan,  
Kathie Ruesch, Mike  
Ashby, Joe McCoy, Karen  
and Charlie Thies

- Strength and comfort for Ingrid Chernet at the sudden death of her sister
- Strength and healing for Sean Henninger, son of Don Henninger
- Prayers for a job for David, brother of Ben Langenfeld, and prayers for Hannah, David's wife, as she supports him in this search
- Strength and healing for Leora Horst, aunt of Denice Jacot, with rectal cancer, and the chemo isn't working
- Strength and healing for Kent Van Stone
- Praises for a wonderful recovery for Len Liss from artery and vein surgery
- Peace and comfort for the family of Marcile Keck, mother of Kris Van Dyke, at her passing
- Relief from back spasms for Audria, daughter of Marilyn Eisenach



Junior and senior youth is taking a break for the summer. See you in September!

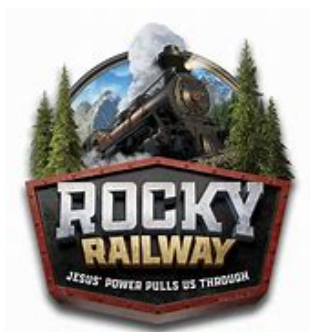


### Holy Hammers news

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

**Please come to our annual book picking party!**  
**June 30, 2021 at 5 PM at Mount Olive. Bring a salad or dessert to share! Please RSVP to Jennifer or Shelley (office) for planning purposes.**

Submit (up to 5) book suggestion summaries to Jennifer Klekamp by email ([djcklekamp@msn.com](mailto:djcjklekamp@msn.com)) by 5pm on Saturday, June 26, 2021



**Supply Donations needed!**  
 Please take a tag from the board for supplies for VBS and return the supply in the Tupperware box below the board **by June 17!**

### **Volunteer Training**

- June 13 @ 9:15 in fellowship hall between services
- June 20 @ 9:15 in fellowship hall between services
- June 20 @ 12:00 in fellowship hall after late service
- If these times do not work for your schedule we can arrange individual times,



**The ECEC is now enrolling for the Fall!** We have openings in our 3s, 4s, and Jr Kindergarten class. Registration forms and rate sheets are out in the Narthex by the fireplace.

**The ECEC will again be offering summer LEAP sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays for the month of July.** Information on the themes and registration is out in the Narthex by the fireplace.



Mt Olive Bridge Group  
 We have resumed bridge games for the 3rd Friday. of each

contact Natalie Sowl at 303.324.9262 or by email [zuckie25@gmail.com](mailto:zuckie25@gmail.com).

### VBS Decorating

- June 20 @ 12:15 in fellowship hall after late service/volunteer training
  - Snacks will be served
  - Station leaders can decorate their rooms
  - Volunteers needed to decorate sanctuary and halls



### Operation Christmas Child

Donations for June are small toys. Please leave your donation in the box in the coat closet!

**FAITH DAY AT THE  
COLORADO ROCKIES**

month. Meeting in the church library, . time 12 noon to ~ 3pm. Please sign up in the ARK. Next few dates would be **June 18, July 16, August 20.**

Questions, call Edie Brady or church office.

## CONTACT information



We are updating our files and email lists. Please send an email to the office, or use the Connection Card in your bulletin on Sunday to make sure we have the right email and to give us any address changes.

**The old email list will not be used after August 15.**



### Aurora Interfaith

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.

Sunday, August 9. Game time is  
1:10 PM



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