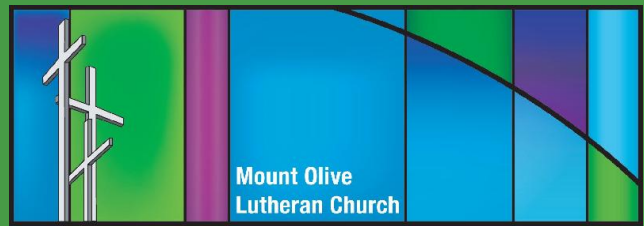


The Loop



Hospitality is one of those concepts that is difficult to define but easily perceived when experienced. Several biblical writers encourage the people of God to be hospitable, including Paul as he writes to his young follower Timothy; likewise, Peter in his First Epistle, and also the writer of the Letter to the Hebrews who counsels: “Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for thereby some have entertained angels unawares” (Hebrews 13:2). Viewing people attending worship who are not known to us personally as “angels in disguise” may give us a right perspective as we interact with them and make them welcome in our midst. “Seek to show hospitality,” Paul writes in his Letter to the Romans (Romans 12:13). His directive is for us to heed as much as it was for his original readers in Rome.

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, Lenore Sande,

Readings for September 24/25:

Amos 6:1-7

1 Tim. 6:6-19

Luke 16:19-31

Readings for October 1/2:

Hab. 1:1-4, 2:1-4

2 Timothy 1:1-14

Luke 17:1-10

Kathy Pelepchan, Kathie Ruesch, Mike Ashby, Karen and Charlie Thies, Sean Henninger, Ivan Weisbrod, Jerry Cobb, Darlene Ommen, Chuck Belier, Pat Sowl, John Cross, Katie with cancer

- Thanksgiving for successful back surgery for Nancy Kraft
- Peace and comfort for Linda Kelsey at the passing of her mother
- Thanksgiving for prayers answered and progress for Bill Holland who will move to sub-acute rehab soon



The ECEC is celebrating 50 years of Christian Education this year. Please join us on **Sunday September 25** as we celebrate our 50th Anniversary. The children will be singing in church and we will have a cake reception following the service.
Soaring into a love of learning and love of Christ!



Games

September

#OCCernofthemoon

Operation Christmas Child

Donations requested for September are **games**. There is a donation box in the coat closet.



Confirmation to begin at 1PM on September 25th, 2022 at Mount Olive Lutheran Church

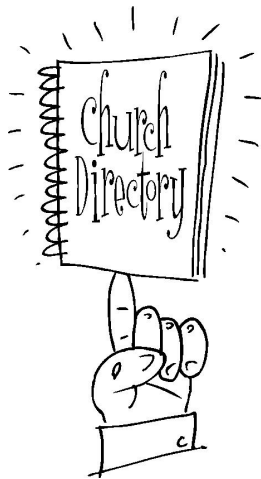
What is Confirmation?

Confirmation is a public rite of the church preceded by a 2-year period of instruction designed to help baptized Christians identify with the life and mission of the Christian community. The rite of Confirmation provides an opportunity for the individual Christian, relying on God's promises given in Holy Baptism, to make a personal public confession of the faith and a lifelong pledge of fidelity to Christ.

Note: Prior to admission to the Lord's Supper, it is necessary to be instructed in the Christian faith (1 Corinthians 11:28).



We are looking for a Sunday School coordinator to work with Vicar Stewart. It's not a difficult job but it is rewarding. You will get to help with announcements, recruiting teachers and kids, and making sure the students have all they need for Sunday School and Confirmation class in their classrooms. Please contact the office or Vicar James.



**If you haven't yet,
please call to make an
appointment! 303-400-
6023**

This class is traditionally geared toward Middle School aged children (6th-8th grade). A new member's class will be offered by the church at a later date to accommodate those interested in joining the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS) and becoming a member of the congregation at Mount Olive.

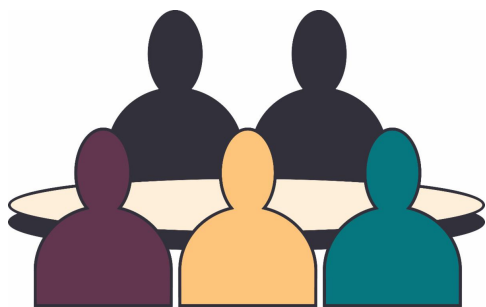
Classes will begin with an introductory meeting in the Fellowship Hall at Mount Olive Lutheran Church at 1PM on September 25th to finalize scheduling and to answer all questions regarding Confirmation.

We look forward to seeing you next weekend!

In Christ,
Vicar James Stewart
720-839-1337
Jstew1972@msn.com

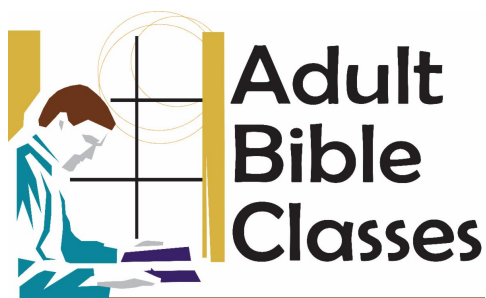


College students are returning to class and we're resurrecting the Cookie Cans for College Students project. If you have a child, grandchild, niece, nephew, friend or neighbor who's going to college



BOARDS & COMMITTEES

[The August Governing Board minutes are available here!](#)



What would it take to get *you* to come to Adult Bible Class or Sunday School? We are truly interested to know. One suggestion I heard was for coffee and donuts in Skidmore Hall. I am sure there are many more. Drop your thoughts into the 'prayer request' box on the hearth or email Pastor Harmon, I would love to hear from you.



and would enjoy a Cookie Can, please send their address to Cindy Marschner (cjmarschner@ [msn.com](mailto:cjmarschner@msn.com)). We can send them a can even if they are living at home. The cans have homemade cookies along with other treats and encouraging notes. It's ours way of reminding college students that people care about them.



LWML Fall Rally – South Central Zone

“Through love serve one another” Galatians 5:13b

Saturday, September 24, 9:00 am

Mount Olive Lutheran Church
Pastor Harmon officiating
11453 East Wesley Ave
Aurora, CO 80014

Registration \$5.00
Free Will Offering for food expenses
Light breakfast and lunch provided

Election of officers

Afternoon, Mission Project:
Bookmarks - Pastor Widmer's
Prison Ministry, Pagosa Spgs

SOAR

Theme : Speaking To The Heart

Date: Saturday, September 24, 2022 9 AM

Location: Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Keynote Speaker. Rev. Dr. Thomas J Egger, President Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, MO



WHEN IS THE LAST TIME YOU SANG YOUR HEART OUT AT A HYMN FESTIVAL?

Well, here's your chance to sing festive hymn arrangements with organ, choir, brass, percussion and bells. Led by internationally renowned Dr. Michael Burkhardt, Artist-Professor of Organ at Eastern Michigan University, the concert will feature his fine art of improvisation and composition. Dr. Burkhardt will lead us through many seasons of the church year using eleven

RE:VITALITY

BECAUSE WE'RE THE CHURCH

Our church is exploring participation in an LCMS revitalization program called Re:Vitality. Our participation in Re:Vitality will provide opportunities to strengthen our congregation for years to come. In order to make the most of this program, we need your input to know where to start. We *want* your opinion.

We are asking everyone to go online and fill out a simple survey about our church. We want input from every one of you. It makes no difference if you have been a churchgoer all your life, or whether you just started coming this week; whether you are a member, guest, or regular attendee – We want to hear from each one of you.

To access the survey, simply go online to

<http://lcms.cadds.alchemer.com/s3/&cong=C44688>



We meet in the library on the first Wednesday of each month from 5:45-6:45pm.

different genres of hymns from all over the world. The (free) hymn festival is on **Friday September 30 at 7:30 p.m.** and there is a hymn playing workshop for organists the next day from 9-11 a.m. Childcare is provided at the concert. Both the festival and workshop are at **Ascension Lutheran Church in Littleton, 1701 W. Caley Ave.** (303-794-4636). You can even sing with the choir if you can attend a rehearsal on Thursday. For information about that or more information about the hymn festival please contact Ascension's Director of Music Ministries, Michael Zehnder at musicmikealc@gmail.com.



**Saturday, October 29
2-4 PM**

CHANGE
October 5 – Moloka'i by
Alan Brennert

November 2 - The Book of
Lost Friends by Lisa
Wingate

December 7 - Lil's Bus Trip
by Judy Leigh



Aurora Interfaith

There is a donation box in the coat closet. Thank you for your generosity!



We are partnering with Arapahoe County aging this year for our Thanksgiving Food Baskets. Don't feel you have to buy all of the items! Please bring donations **by October 24**. In each basket there are
1 LARGE BOX OF INSTANT MASHED POTATOES

1 LARGE BOX OF STUFFING
 2 CANS OF GREEN BEANS
 2 CANS OF CORN
 2 CANS FRUIT
 1 LARGE BOX JELLO or PUDDING
 1 LARGE CAN OF YAMS
 1 PACKET OF TURKEY GRAVY MIX
 1 CAN OF CRANBERRY SAUCE
 1 BOX OF CORNBREAD MIX
 \$25 DOLLAR GIFT CARD TO KING
 SOOPERS , SAFEWAY or WALMART
 (for TURKEY/HAM or other essential
 items)
 1 LARGE REUSABLE TJ
 MAXX/MARSHALLS/SIERRA BAG

FUN EXTRAS: snack size items-
granola bars, squeeze apple sauce,
cheese its, easy mac, etc.

NO PERISHABLES ITEMS (FROZEN
PIES, FRESH FRUIT OR
VEGETABLES, ETC.) and NO
OPENED FOOD ITEMS.



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