



The Loop

COLLECT OF THE DAY

"Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical Body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever." Amen.

Facebook LIVE Streaming

Our live streaming schedule:

1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays- 8:00 am service

2nd and 4th Sundays- 10:45 am service

Watch the broadcast of this Sunday's **8 am service** and recordings of prior services. You don't need a Facebook account to watch.

[Watch the Streams](#)

Home Worship Materials for Nov 3rd

[Liturgy](#)

[Service Supplement](#)

All Saints Day (Observed)

- Revelation 7:2-17
- Psalm 149
- 1 John 3:1-3
- St. Matthew 5:1-12



RE:VITALITY
BECAUSE WE'RE THE CHURCH

Update (November 2024)

The Serving in God's Mission team thanks all of you for your continued feedback and guidance as we work to guide Mount Olive into the future. Based on votes collected from the congregation, the draft Mission Statement for Mount Olive is:

Our Church Members

Ellen Stumer, Lenore Sande, Kathie Ruesch, Charlie Thies, Karen Thies, Darlene Ommen, Marylynn Skeehan, Lois Schliske, and Sylvia Zwingleberg.

Jim Ellenberger, recovering from surgery.

Kevin Gordon, recovering from surgery.

Pam McClain, for health issues.

Kathy Leising, as she heals from hand surgery.

Kathy Pelepchan, recovering from a kidney transplant.

Alice Harris, recovering from hand surgery.

Our Friends and Family

We pray for the upcoming election, for all candidates, and that God's will be done.

For Gabriel, who needs God's guidance.

For Matthew, who needs God's guidance.

Safe travel for Sara and Dave, and God's peace and direction.

Thanksgiving that Kathy Bodemann's step-mother, JoAnne, is healing and that she was kept safe during the recent hurricanes.

Jennifer C., relative of Judy York, who is being evaluated for a liver and kidney transplants. We pray that the doctors are able to determine the best outcome.

Those Mourning

Peace and comfort for the family and friends of Evelyn Mohr as she went to heaven on September 27th. **Evelyn's service will be on Friday, November 8th at 10:30 at Mount Olive.**

Peace and comfort for Devonne Domineck's friends Chelsea, Alex and Cody at the loss of their husband/father, Greg.

God's Servants

This Sunday: November 3, 2024

Ushers

Jerry Kelsey
Steve Luedders

JOYFULLY SHARING GOD'S WORD, WHILE GROWING IN HIS GRACE.

The team is now working with different groups within the church to develop Vision Statements for each element of our ministry. The Elders, the Governing Board, Youth Committee, Music ministry, and LWML have all developed Vision Statements to guide their work into the future! We on the SGM team look forward to working with each element of the church in laying a solid foundation for the future of Mount Olive.

As always, please share any feedback with Ben Langenfeld (blangenf@gmail.com) or any member of the planning team (Dennis Bodemann, Devonne Domineck, Harvey Rehwalt, Don Van Dyke, Rosalie Einshpahr, Sandra Sall, or Beverly Findlay).



Thanksgiving Food Donations

We are collecting donations for thanksgiving baskets again this year. You will find the grocery list on the hearth. **Donations can be brought to church by this Sunday, November 3rd.** Please place grocery donations in the empty box in the narthex. **\$25 Safeway and King Soopers giftcards are also welcome.** Please give giftcards to Lyndsay during office hours or to Doris Kilgore. Thank you for your generosity!



Altar Flowers

The flower calendar for 2025 is now available. Please see the sign up binder at the ARK.

Greeters
10:45 am Devonne Domineck

CHILDREN'S Sunday School

Children are welcome to join us each Sunday morning at 9:30.

Youth Confirmation

Our youth confirmation class meets on Sundays from 12-1:15 pm.

Bible Talk

Join us this Wednesday at 10 am.



60th Anniversary Service Projects

As part of the 60th anniversary celebration we are including two service projects.

The first one is visiting all our Mt. Olive shut ins. Many of our shut ins are long time members of Mt. Olive. They may not be able to attend the 60th Anniversary festivities, but we don't want them to be excluded. Please volunteer to visit one or more shut ins and take them a celebration bag during the week of November 10th.

The second project is visiting the veterans at the VA Hospital. We will visit and take cards to the veterans on Thursday, November 14, from 9:00am to 11:00am to thank them for their service. Volunteers can sign up for either or both activities at the ARK. Volunteers will receive the necessary details by November 9th.

These activities will only take a small amount of your time, but they will mean a whole lot to the people you visit. Thanks.

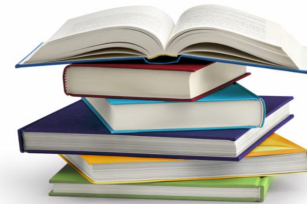


Butter Braid Fundraiser

It's Butter Braid time again. The ECEC is selling Butter Braids with the goal of raising \$2,000 towards general funds. To order, you can either click on the link below and choose Kristi B as your seller and order online or you can order on the paper form at the ARK. Please make sure to include payment in the envelope by the paper form. Please order by Sunday, November 10th. Butter Braids will be delivered on Wednesday, November 20th and can be picked up here at the church.

Thank you so much for supporting the ECEC.
Kristi Bower - Director of ECEC

<https://store.myfundraisingplace.com/c2c7f2d8-cba8-478d-ab76-fb5e7816f364>



Book Club

We meet the first Wednesday of each month from 5:45-6:45 pm. Please join us.

11/6/24

The Light in Hidden Places by Sharon Cameron

12/4/24

The Only One Left by Riley Sager

1/8/25

Good Night, Irene by Luis Alberto Urrea

Questions? Please contact Jennifer at djcklekamp@msn.com or 303-564-8531.



Back to the 1960's Potluck

**Saturday, November 9, 2024
Noon**

Mt. Olive will soon celebrate its 60th anniversary so we're starting off with a 1960's potluck on Saturday, November 9th at noon in the Parish Hall. In the 1960s, it seemed like every church event included a potluck. So, bring your favorite potluck dish (if it's a recipe from the 1960s, that's even better). Dress in 1960s clothing – bell bottoms, vests, tie dye, flower power etc. We'll listen to 60s music, and we might even try to dance The Twist, The Mashed Potato or The Locomotion.

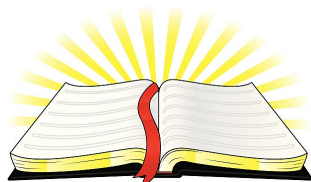
Come join us for some groovy fun. We're going to party like it's 1964!



Join Us!

Join us for a divine service to celebrate on **Sunday, November 17th at 10 am.** Pre-service music will begin at 9:45 am. A banquet will follow the service by invitation only.

Please note: There will be no Saturday evening service on November 16th.



Help make Mt. Olive Beautiful!

The MOLC Landscape Committee needs plain corrugated cardboard (i.e., no shiny pictures) to smother existing grass along our Iliff Avenue face so that new plantings will be able to "take". Please ask for cardboard at grocery stores, restaurants, and elsewhere. Please remove tape and labels by applying a wet rag for about an hour, and leave it at the west end of Mt. Olive, by the pallets.

Thank you! And be looking forward to a more beautiful Mt. Olive this spring.



All of the following volunteer opportunities will be at 5088 E. Dakota Ave. Denver (near Augustana Lutheran Church).

Upcoming Volunteer dates:

Nov. 9 8:50am- 4:30pm

Please check out the website for our Holy Hammers group:

www.holyhammersdenver.com

To volunteer, please visit this link:

<https://vhub.at/HolyHammers>



**AURORA INTERFAITH
COMMUNITY SERVICES**

Daily Bible Reading Plan

The Lutheran Service Book contains a list of daily Bible readings. You're invited to join in reading the verses each day, or as often as you can.

Next week's readings (Nov. 3-9th):

11/3 - Jeremiah 3:6-4:2; Matthew 22:1-22
11/4 - Jer. 5:1-19; Matt. 22:23-46
11/5 - Jer. 7:1-29; Matt. 23:1-12
11/6 - Jer. 8:18-9:12; Matt. 23:13-39
11/7 - Jer. 11:1-23 (12:1-19:15); Matt.24:1-28
11/8 - Jer. 20:1-18; Matt. 24:29-51
11/9 - Jer. 22:1-23; Matt. 25:1-13

A printed list of the readings is available at the Welcome center, or if you have a Lutheran Service Book at home, you can reference the readings starting on page 299. Let us treasure the Lord's Word!

Donations of non-perishable items for the food bank can be placed in the bin in the coat closet. Thank You!



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Questions? Comments? Click "reply" to The Loop email to contact the church office directly.

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Paper copies of this email are available at the Welcome Center. Feel free to grab a few copies, especially to share with our members who don't have email.

Please send items to be included in The Loop by 1pm each Wednesday to office@mtolc.org

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