



The Loop

COLLECT OF THE DAY

"O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever." Amen.

Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

- Jeremiah 17:5-8
- Psalm 1
- 1 Corinthians 15:1-20
- St. Luke 6:17-26



Our Church Members

Ellen Stumer, Lenore Sande, Kathie Ruesch, Charlie Thies, Karen Thies, Darlene Ommen, Marylynn Skeehan, Lois Schliske, Kathy Pelepchan, Alice Harris, and Pam McClain.

John Belier, dealing with health issues.

Our Friends and Family

Rory Simpson, 1 1/2 year old friend of the Belier family, who is having heart issues.

Tyler, friend of the Ludwigs, who is dealing with a serious infection.

Bev Findley's brother, who continues to fight an infection.

Bob Wood's son, Ryan, for healing.

Elizabeth Belier, daughter of Rita and John (Trinity's birth mother), as she is having complications with her pregnancy.



Ladies Spring Tea

Saturday, March 29, 2025
11:00 am

Watch for additional information
in a few weeks.



Replenishment of Funds

The contributions in the Christmas Decorating Memorial Fund have now been depleted so we are asking for donations to replenish these funds for future purchases. Checks should be made out to Mt. Olive and designated to "Christmas Decorations."

Thank you,
Christmas Decorating Committee

God's Servants

This Sunday: February 16, 2025

Wanderers

The Mt. Olive Wanderers announce two tours for 2025.

Ushers
Mike Brown
Dennis Opl

Greeters
Rosalie Einspahr (10:45)



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 on Wednesdays at 10 am.



Young at Heart

Wednesday, February 19, 2025
Potluck Lunch at 11:30

Wendy Bleeke will give a presentation about her 2023 bicycle trip through Montana and North Dakota.
Come enjoy this fun and informative program.

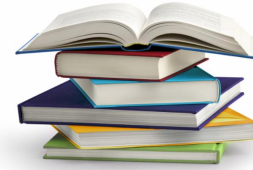


Pigeon Forge & the Smoky Mountains
(9 days/\$1415 ppdo)
April 26-May 4.

Atlantic City, Cape May, and Philadelphia
(11 days/\$1805 ppdo)
September 12-22.

Detailed information is available in the Wanderers' notebook at the ARK.

Questions? Please call Phyllis Eifler, 303-333-6893.



Book Club

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

3/5

Lessons in Chemistry by Bonnie Garmus

4/2

The Sewing Girl's Tale: a Story of Crime & Consequences in Revolutionary America
by John Wood Sweet

5/7

The Women by Kristin Hannah

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



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

Youth Sleep Over/Lock In

We will be having a MOLC Youth **Sleep Over / Lock in** on Friday 2/28 and Saturday 3/01 for all the youth of MOLC. Dinner and breakfast will be provided. We will have fellowship, play games and make angel/blessing bags.



Donations Needed

Our youth will be making angel/blessing bags during their lock-in. We are asking members to help provide the following items. Our goal is to make 60 bags, so 60 of each item is needed:

- Travel size bars of soap
- Travel size shampoo and conditioner
- Wash cloths
- Deodorant
- Toothbrush / Toothpaste
- Combs
- Socks
- Hand warmers
- Hats
- Gloves
- Granola Bars
- Beef Jerky sticks
- Fruit Snacks
- Chapstick
- Mints / Gum
- Bottle Water
- Hand Lotion
- Band-Aids
- Money donations to buy New testament

Paperback bibles (60 at \$3.19 each or \$191.00)

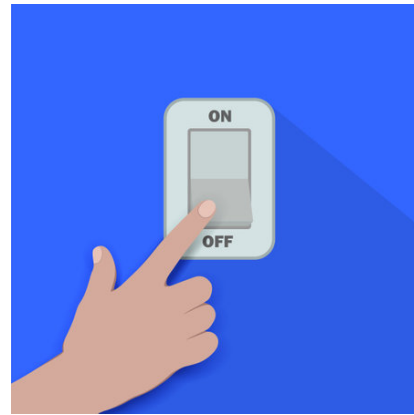


an hour, and leave it at the west end of Mt. Olive, by the pallets.

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

Lutheran Witness Subscriptions

Because of a mixup in the billing system at Lutheran Witness last year, you are paid up for your subscription through July, 2025. At that time we will send out a renewal notice with current pricing. Thank you.



Help us Save Electricity

Xcel will begin billing the church using their Time of Use rates soon. This means that we will pay more for electricity from 1-7 pm on weekdays.

You can help us keep energy costs down by **turning off lights** if you are the last to leave an area. If you use a machine, tv, or other electronic appliance, please make sure it is **off** when you are finished using it.

Thank you for your assistance!

California Wildfires

We've all seen the pictures and read the stories about the devastating wildfires in California. You and I have an opportunity to share the love of Jesus for the many victims of these horrible fires.

To give online: go to lcms.org and click on the banner when it cycles at the top of the LCMS home page.

You can also mail a check: please send it to The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, or

Vacation Bible School - Save the Date

Our Vacation Bible School, Epic Australian Adventure, will be June 9-13, 2025. We look forward to seeing many participants and volunteers. Registration will open in April.

King Soopers Community rewards

Thank you to everyone who is participating in the King Soopers Community Awards program. The latest quarterly report shows that with 22 households participating between October and December, we earned \$229.58. If you are not participating and would like to please go to the King Soopers website and go to the community awards program to link your rewards card. Our community code is NL518 or you can search for Mount Olive Lutheran ECEC.



Service Times

Ash Wednesday

March 5th at 10:30 AM and 7 PM

Midweek Services

March 12, 19, 26, April 2, & 9
10:30 AM and 7 PM

Lenten Lunches



Meals will be served after all the early (10:30am) services throughout Lent, beginning on Ash Wednesday, March 5th.

Help with Lenten Lunches - If you can plan, prepare, and/or help with a Lenten meal, please sign up in the ARK. Questions - contact the

LCMS, at P.O. Box 66861, St. Louis, MO 63166-6861. On the memo line, write "Disaster Response—Wildfire (NM8020-26020)."

Finally, you can also give to Mount Olive and let us know your gift is for the wildfires and we will send it in for you.

Thanks for helping and please continue to pray for the families and for everyone to know how much Jesus loves and cares for them.



Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

Mar 29 - Saturday 9am-4pm

Production Shop

(430 S. Navajo St., Denver, CO 80246)

Apr 26 - Saturday 8:50am-4:30pm

Augustana Homes

(5088 E. Dakota Ave, Denver, CO 80246)

May 10 - Saturday 8:50am-4:30pm

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Please check out the website for our Holy Hammers group:

www.holyhammersdenver.com

To volunteer, please visit this link:

<https://vhub.at/HolyHammers>



Year-Round Gift Ideas

You can help us collect items year-round for the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. Click [here](#) for a month-by-month guide.

February suggestions: accessories like hair ties, necklaces, sunglasses, watches

church office or Edie Brady.



NEW - Ladies Bible Study

Young women are invited to join a Ladies Bible Study, which is meeting on Sunday afternoons at 1 pm in the church library. Our next meeting will be February 23rd. For more information, please contact Wanda Johnson at 303-879-5890.



Are you interested in learning CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) and how to use the AED (automatic external defibrillator)? An instructor from the American Heart Association will come to our church to teach a class for 6 or more. The class duration is 2 hours with a cost of \$75.00 per person. If interested or if you have questions, please contact the office or Kristine VanDyke (number in the directory). Please let me know by February 21st.

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

AURORA INTERFAITH COMMUNITY SERVICES

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



Address: 11453 E Wesley Ave., Aurora, CO 80014

Website: <https://mtolc.org/>

Office Hours: Mon & Wed 9-2:30, Thurs 9-1

Phone: 303-755-9123

Email: office@mtolc.org

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

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