



The Loop

COLLECT OF THE DAY

"Almighty God, Your Son, Jesus Christ, chose Bartholomew to be an apostle to preach the blessed Gospel. Grant that Your Church may love what he believed and preach what he taught; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever." Amen.

Summer Sunday Worship:

Worship: 9:30-10:30 (Communion at every service)

Fellowship and coffee: 10:30-11:00

Sunday School and Adult Bible Study: 11:00-12:00

New Worship Times Starting September 14th

9:00 -10:00 Traditional worship service
communion on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays of the month

10:00 -10:50 Coffee, Sunday School, and Adult Bible study

11:00 -12:00 Contemporary worship service
communion on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of the month

LIVE STREAM

You can watch our 9:30 am service live each Sunday by clicking the button below.

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Streams](#)

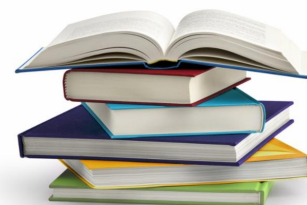
Home Worship Materials

[Liturgy](#)

[Service Supplement](#)

St. Bartholomew

- Proverbs 3:1-8
 - Psalm 121
 - Corinthians 4:7-10
 - St. Luke 22:24-30
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Our Church Members

Ellen Stumer, Lenore Sande, Kathie Ruesch, Charlie Thies, Karen Thies, Marylynn Skeehan, Lois Schliske, Alice Harris, Wanda Shipman, Pam McClain, Pastor Kalthoff, Vicki Woodcock, Russ Shonack, Ray and Pat Sowl.

John Belier, who is suffering from a heart aneurysm.

Thelma Weisbrod, recovering from a procedure.

Kathy Leising, dealing with health concerns.

Our Friends and Family

Thanksgiving for the doctors and nurses, and friends/family that have helped Nancy Kraft through her recent surgeries. We pray that she will gain enough strength and independence to return home in 2-3 weeks.

For Israel and her enemies.

Erin, in need of God's peace and treatment for MS.

Thanks to God for strength for Sara with overwhelming work.

Brandon's son, who has autism.

Thanks to God for mothers.

The Baker family, as their oldest son is going through a bone marrow transplant.

Tyler, the son of Laurie Knight's coworker, who is recovering from surgery.

Reverend Josh Krepel, pastor of Peace with Christ Lutheran Church, who is dealing with ongoing health concerns.

Claudia Humbarger, former member, dealing with health concerns.

Prayers of thanksgiving for Chris Klekamp's recovery from Achilles surgery and continuing PT.

Donna Curry, the Belier's grandson's other grandmother, who is hospitalized with numerous health concerns.

Book Club

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

9/3

Ordinary Grace

by William Kent Krueger

10/1

The Scarlet Pimpernel

by Baroness Orczy

11/5

The Curious Charms of Arthur Pepper

by Phaedra Patrick

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



LWML is having a **Bicycle Roundup** for Orphan Grain Train **this Saturday, August 23rd**. We don't have much storage space, so please bring your bike to church that morning between 8:00 and 10:00 am. We will load them on trucks and take them immediately to OGT in Castle Rock. The bikes can be in any condition. OGT has a volunteer who can repair them. Please sign up at the ARK to let us know how many bikes you're bringing so we have enough transportation. If you can't bring your bike that day, contact Cindy Marschner (cjmarschner@msn.com or 303-582-4651) to make other arrangements.



Mount Olive Lutheran Early Childhood Education Center is now enrolling for the 2025-2026 school year.

Our experienced teachers and engaging

Rob, Laurie Knight's brother, who is healing from a procedure.

Norma Paschich, Robert Woods' wife, who is dealing with cancer.

Doug, Dennis Bodemann's brother, who is battling cancer.

Octavia, the Belier's granddaughter, who is recovering from surgery.

God's Servants

This Sunday: August 24, 2025

Usher

Dennis Opl

Greeter

Devonne Domineck



Sunday, September 7th

Our worship service on Sunday, September 7th will be at 10:30 with communion, followed by our annual church picnic.

Burgers, hotdogs, condiments and drinks will be provided. Those with last names beginning with **A-G, please bring a dessert.** Those with last names beginning with **H-Z, please bring a side or salad.**

Plan to join us for food, fellowship and fun!

Sunday School Rally Day
Sunday, September 7th

As part of our church picnic activities we will kick off our new Sunday School year!

curriculum offer children ages 3-5 the opportunity to learn and grow in a safe, nurturing Christian environment.

For more information, contact Kristi at 303-750-9856 or ecemtolive@gmail.com.



Volunteers Needed

We're looking for help with Live Streaming productions on Sunday mornings at the 9:30am service. No experience needed - we will have training sessions so that you can learn how to minister to homebound members and others that view it every Sunday. Please contact Kathy Pelepchan at finance@mtolc.org. We hope to have 4-6 members so that we can schedule you once a month with backup help available. Thank you so much!

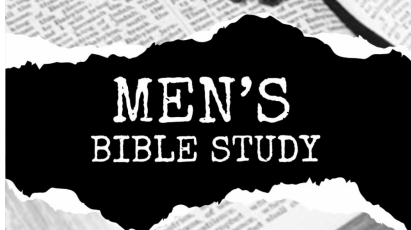


Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities

Sept 20 - Saturday 7:50am-3:30pm
Augustana Homes
(5088 E. Dakota Ave, Denver, CO 80246)
<http://holyhameers.denver.volunteerhup.com>

Please check out the website for our Holy Hammers group:
www.holyhammersdenver.com





Men's Psalm Study

**Sundays at 12:00 p.m.
Beginning on September 14th**
(During confirmation)

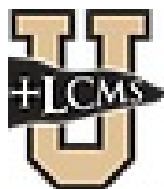
Join the men of Mount Olive this fall as we gather around the Psalms, learning to delight in God's Word, lead with wisdom, and live with purpose.

We'll be using *Blessed Is the Man*, a Christ-centered study of the Psalms of Wisdom and Praise.

Whether you're a young dad, a seasoned grandpa, or somewhere in between, please come and join us!



Do you need a 2026 calendar or have one that you don't need? Come to the library and pick up what you need. Leave what you don't need. Any calendars remaining on November 15th will be given to the VA for their clients.



Conference Opportunity

University Lutheran Chapel in Boulder is hosting a conference on Saturday, September 13th. The topic is *Luther vs. Erasmus: The Medieval Debate about Freedom and Its Continuing Effects on the Modern World*.

For more information and to register, [click here](#).

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.

August suggestion: school supplies

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!



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