

# Weekly Calendar October 7-13

**Monday** (10/7) 9am Quilters 6:30pm Men @ Work

**Tuesday** (10/8) 5pm Olive Branch Rehearsal 6:30pm Females In Faith 7pm Property Board Meeting

Wednesday (10/9) 10am Today's Light 5pm LOGOS 6pm Health & Wellness Bd Mtg 6:15pm Youth Board Meeting

**Saturday** (10/12) 7:30am Early Risers Bible Study

Sunday (10/13) 8am Traditional Worship 9:20am Sunday School 9:30am Bible Study 10:30am Contemporary Worship †

† Communion offered

#### Prayer Requests

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# Sunday, October 6

Office Hours: 9am-3pm (M-F) office@molc.us (608) 238-5656 Emergencies: (608) 228-4134 (Pastor)

#### **This Week's Prayers**

**We Pray for** Pastor Joel Brandt, Emily, Hallie Jo Black. **We Pray for the family of** Helen Hill (Chuck Bils' sister), who passed away this week.

#### This Week's News

Attendance: Sunday, September 29 Early 112 Late 58

**Opening Worship Pastors Conference:** We are hosting the opening worship for a Pastors Conference **TOMORROW at 1pm.** If you are willing to offer some help ushering, handing out bulletins, etc, please see Pastor Jason!

**Blood Drive Thank You!** Mount Olive hosted its Fall Red Cross Blood Drive on Sept 25<sup>th</sup>. All totaled, 16 units were collected from 15 donors. 4 of the units were "power red" which is great. We also had one first-time donor. Yay! **Please save the date for our Spring Blood Drive, which is on Mar 25<sup>th</sup>.** Thank you!

**Preschool Butter Braid Fundraiser:** Please consider supporting the preschool with our Fall Butter Braid Fundraiser. Each braid is \$13 (checks to Mount Olive) and comes frozen. Order forms available at Welcome Center. Our goal is to sell 200 braids with profits going towards our new library cart, cones for the parking lot, and new trikes for the gym. Braids arrive on **Wed**, **Nov 6**<sup>th</sup>. See Laurel Zobel if interested or have questions. Thanks for supporting the kids from our preschool!

Marriage Enrichment Workshop: Married couples - join us Sat, Oct 19, 10am-2pm! Pastor Jason and Sarah Maleck will lead this workshop that will help you find ways to increase effective communication, conflict resolution skills, and connect with your partner. There will be no pressure to share personal info. Sign up at the Welcome Center, or if you have questions, email Sarah at sarah.maleck@gmail.com.

**Fun, Fire & Fellowship:** This fun event for all members will be held in the church parking lot on **Sat, Oct 19 at 5:30pm**. There will be fire pits for roasting marshmallows and hot dogs. There will also be hot chocolate, and s'more fixins. Please bring a snack to share, hot dogs (if you would like) and your own chairs. Please call the church office if you would like a ride.

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**"Heavenly Sunshine":** "Heavenly Sunshine" is a piano concert with Mr. Roger Stauter. Mount Olive is sponsoring this concert on **Thur, Oct 24 at 7pm** in the auditorium at Oakwood Village University Woods (6025 Mineral Point Rd). Mr. Stauter enjoys playing Gospel Songs for his audiences. Each attendee for this FREE evening of music will receive a free CD as well!

**Care Net Banquet:** Celebrate Life at Care Net's annual Fundraising Banquet! Join us **Thur, Nov 14 from 7-9pm** at the Monona Terrace. Keynote speaker Scott Klusendorf will equip guests with talking points to "make a gracious and persuasive case for life." For more information and to make a reservation for the banquet, contact Carol White at (608) 445-9144 or <u>carolindawhite44@gmail.com</u>. Thank you for your continued support of Care Net.

**LWML Service Day:** Join our group of ladies heading over **Sat, Oct 26, 9am-2pm** to join the ladies of Monona Lutheran (4411 Monona Dr). They are hosting a day of fellowship and sewing. Pillowcases will be transformed into dresses for young girls in developing countries. Sign up at the Welcome Center.

**Calvary Turns 100 in 2020!** Calvary Lutheran Chapel wants to plan a series of events to celebrate this occasion over the course of the year 2020, culminating in a big celebration in October. They're looking for alumni and/or people who like to plan events and activities. If interested, please contact Jeremy Bluhm at jeremy.bluhm@gmail.com.

**Auction Help:** We are in need of someone to head up the Auction. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve. Maybe you AND a friend could do it! Contact Gary Strohm at <u>gstrohm@strohmballweg.com</u> or Cindi Troia ASAP at (608) 444-1999 if interested.

Advent By Candlelight Coordinator: We need someone to coordinate Advent By Candlelight, an evening of fellowship for ladies of all ages. The ABC Coordinator is responsible for managing table sign-ups, volunteer coordination, and more. We would welcome a co-coordinating situation as well! Contact the office for more info or if interested.

**St. Olaf Orchestra Concert:** Under the direction of Steven Amundson, the St. Olaf Orchestra will perform at Middleton Performing Arts Center on **Sat, Oct 12 at 7:30pm.** Tickets are free for students and \$10 for adults. Purchase at <u>www.stolaf.edu/tickets</u> or 800-363-5487.

# **Stewardship Corner**

"So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.' " (Luke 17:10)

We can never put God in our debt. Even if we lived in perfect compliance with the Law, we would still only be unworthy servants. Our giving to the Lord's work in the Church is a sign that we recognize our role as servants. Furthermore, we give because we recognize our own need for that work of the Lord in the Church. And what a blessing it is to give to the Church so that the ministry of His Word and Sacraments may reach all in the community.

### Just a Note

**Card Shop:** All occasion greeting cards for 75 cents each. All have a Bible verse and your purchases support the missions of Lutheran Women's Missionary League. Come see us in the Library, next to Nursery.

### **Volunteers Needed!**

Please prayerfully consider and contact the office if interested!

- Offering Counters
- Ushers
- Coffee Hour/Altar Flowers

#### **Our Staff**

Rev. Jason Zobel, *Senior Pastor* Rev. Mark Baldwin, *Dir of Family Life* Laurel Zobel, *Preschool Director* Derek Handley, *Office Manager*