



† **THE TWNETY THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** †
8:00AM, Sunday, November 8, 2020
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WELCOME TO MOUNT OLIVE LUTHERAN CHURCH!

We are honored to have you in worship with us today and pray God’s blessings on your worship. If this is your first visit to Mount Olive, we hope your worship with us is a blessing and you find friendship and peace in this place. During this difficult time, we want to assure you that Mount Olive is taking all necessary precautions sanitizing our worship space, assuring social distancing, and safely preparing the sacrament. We hope to see you again and are happy to help in any way if you do not currently have a church home or are looking for one. Please ask an usher if you need assistance. We thank you for silencing your cell phones as you enter the sanctuary today.



AS WE GATHER

We hear today these words from the apostle Paul concerning everlasting life: “We will always be with the Lord.” Our Lord makes His presence known today in His Word and in the Lord’s Supper. You have the assurance that when Jesus returns, you will spend everlasting life in His gracious presence.

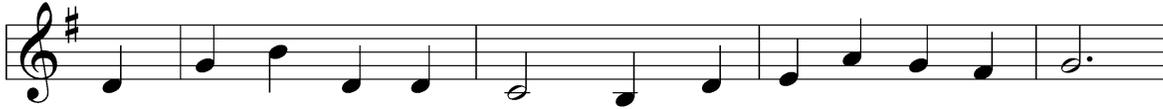
HOLY COMMUNION

You are invited to commune with us by joining in confessing our faith in Christ and His real presence in the Sacrament. We affirm the presence in the Sacrament of Christ’s true body and blood “through and in which we obtain the forgiveness of sins.” During this time of precautions, we will utilize a communion practice called “continuous communion” in which no other human hands will be touching the wafer or the wine. Pastor Jason and the ushers will guide you through the process. If you have questions or are not a member of a Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod congregation, please speak with Pastor Zobel before communing.

PRELUDE	“The Homeland”	Sullivan
WELCOME		
OPENING HYMN	“Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers” (Next page)	<i>LSB 515</i>



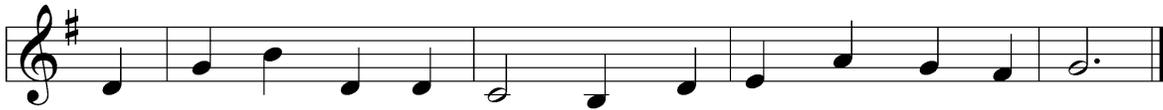
1 Re - joice, re-joice, be - liev - ers, And let your lights ap - pear;
 2 The watch - ers on the moun - tain Pro - claim the Bride-groom near;
 3 The saints, who here in pa - tience Their cross and suf - f'ings bore,
 4 Our hope and ex - pec - ta - tion, O Je - sus, now ap - pear;



The eve - ning is ad - vanc - ing, And dark - er night is near.
 Go forth as He ap - proach - es With al - le - lu - ias clear.
 Shall live and reign for - ev - er When sor - row is no more.
 A - rise, O Sun so longed for, O'er this be - night - ed sphere.



The Bride-groom is a - ris - ing And soon is draw - ing nigh.
 The mar - riage feast is wait - ing; The gates wide o - pen stand.
 A - round the throne of glo - ry The Lamb they shall be - hold;
 With hearts and hands up - lift - ed, We plead, O Lord, to see



Up, pray and watch and wres - tle; At mid - night comes the cry.
 A - rise, O heirs of glo - ry; The Bride-groom is at hand.
 In tri - umph cast be - fore Him Their di - a - dems of gold.
 The day of earth's re - demp - tion That sets Your peo - ple free!

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CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

INVOCATION AND OPENING SENTENCES

P In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness. Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,

C **and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

P O almighty God, merciful Father

C **I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.**

P Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen

SERVICE OF THE WORD

INTROIT

Psalm 84:1, 9-12 ; antiphon: v. 3



P Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may | lay her young,*at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King | and my God.

C **How lovely is your | dwelling place,* O | Lord of hosts!**

P Behold our shield, | O God;* look on the face of your a- | nointed!

C **For a day in your courts is better than a thousand | elsewhere.* I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in the tents of | wickedness.**

P For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord bestows favor and | honor.*

No good thing does he withhold from those who walk up- | rightly.

C **O | Lord of hosts,* blessed is the one who | trusts in you!**

P Even the sparrow finds a home, and the swallow a nest for herself, where she may | lay her young,* at your altars, O Lord of hosts, my King | and my God.



☐ Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

KYRIE

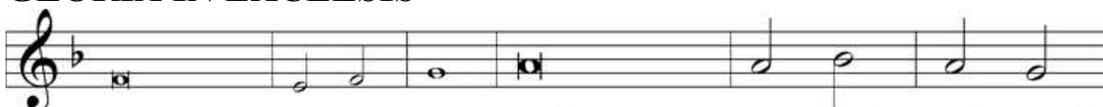


☐ Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS



☐ Glory be to God on high: ☐ and on earth peace, good - will toward

men. We praise Thee, we bless Thee, we wor-ship Thee,
 we glorify Thee, we give thanks to Thee, for Thy great glory.
 O Lord God, heav'n-ly King, God the Fa-ther Al - mighty.
 O Lord, the only begotten Son, Je - sus Christ;
 O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
 that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy up-on us.
 Thou that takest away the sin of the world, re-ceive our prayer.
 Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy up-
 on us. For Thou only art holy; Thou on - ly art the Lord.
 Thou only, O Christ, with the Ho - ly Ghost,
 art most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

SALUTATION/ PRAYER OF THE DAY

P The Lord be with you.

C **And with thy spirit.**

P Lord God, heavenly Father, send forth Your Son to lead home His bride, the Church, that with all the company of the redeemed we may finally enter into His eternal wedding feast; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen**

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Amos 5:18-24*

¹⁸Woe to you who desire the day of the LORD! Why would you have the day of the LORD? It is darkness, and not light, ¹⁹as if a man fled from a lion, and a bear met him, or went into the house and leaned his hand against the wall, and a serpent bit him. ²⁰Is not the day of the LORD darkness, and not light, and gloom with no brightness in it? ²¹“I hate, I despise your feasts, and I take no delight in your solemn assemblies. ²²Even though you offer me your burnt offerings and grain offerings, I will not accept them; and the peace offerings of your fattened animals, I will not look upon them. ²³Take away from me the noise of your songs; to the melody of your harps I will not listen. ²⁴But let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE *1 Thessalonians 4:13–18*

¹³But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. ¹⁴For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep. ¹⁵For this we declare to you by a word from the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will not precede those who have fallen asleep. ¹⁶For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. ¹⁷Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we will always be with the Lord. ¹⁸Therefore encourage one another with these words.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God**

ALLELUIA



☒ Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

HOLY GOSPEL *Matthew 25:1-13*

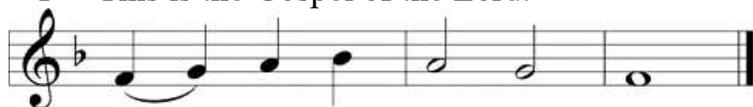
P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty fifth chapter.



☒ Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

¹[Jesus said:] “The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. ²Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. ³For when the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them, ⁴but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. ⁵As the bridegroom was delayed, they all became drowsy and slept. ⁶But at midnight there was a cry, ‘Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.’ ⁷Then all those virgins rose and trimmed their lamps. ⁸And the foolish said to the wise, ‘Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.’ ⁹But the wise answered, saying, ‘Since there will not be enough for us and for you, go rather to the dealers and buy for yourselves.’ ¹⁰And while they were going to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the marriage feast, and the door was shut. ¹¹Afterward the other virgins came also, saying, ‘Lord, lord, open to us.’ ¹²But he answered, ‘Truly, I say to you, I do not know you.’ ¹³Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



☐ Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

HYMN OF THE DAY “Wide, Awake, for Night is Flying” *LSB 516*



1 “Wake, a - wake, for night is fly - ing,” The watch - men on the
 2 Zi - on hears the watch - men sing - ing, And all her heart with
 3 Now let all the heav’ns a - dore Thee, Let saints and an - gels



heights are cry - ing; “A - wake, Je - ru - sa - lem, a - rise!”
 joy is spring - ing; She wakes, she ris - es from her gloom.
 sing be - fore Thee With harp and cym - bals’ clear - est tone.



Mid - night hears the wel - come voic - es And at the thrill - ing
 For her Lord comes down all - glo - rious, The strong in grace, in
 Of one pearl each shin - ing por - tal, Where, join - ing with the



cry re - joic - es: “Oh, where are ye, ye vir - gins wise?
 truth vic - to - rious; Her star is ris’n, her light is come.
 choir im - mor - tal, We gath - er round Thy ra - diant throne.



The Bride - groom comes, a - wake! Your lamps with glad - ness take!
 Now come, Thou Bless - ed One, Lord Je - sus, God’s own Son,
 No eye has seen the light, No ear has heard the might



Al - le - lu - ia! With brid - al care Your-selves pre - pare
 Hail! Ho - san - na! We en - ter all The wed - ding hall
 Of Thy glo - ry; There - fore will we E - ter - nal - ly



To meet the Bride-groom, who is near.”
 To eat the Sup - per at Thy call.
 Sing hymns of praise and joy to Thee!

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SERMON *Be Encouraged!*

NICENE CREED

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And on the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Mentioned in the prayers this morning are the following Mount Olive Members who have joined our Lord in Heaven: Alan Houser, Dolores Schlaver

P Let us remember with thanksgiving those who have gone before us with the sign of faith, for they were created by God to offer Him praise and thanksgiving forever. God gave new life to them through Holy Baptism, nourished them in the company of His people at His Holy Table, and in His mercy summoned them to His eternal presence so that they continue to serve Him forever. *(After each name is read, a bell is tolled as a sign of remembrance and of victory in Christ).*

In joyful expectation of the resurrection to life eternal, we remember before You, O Lord, those relatives, friends, and fellow members of this congregation who have gone before us in

faith. We offer thanksgiving for the gift of faith and hold fast to the certainty of Your promise that where You are, there Your servants shall be also.

P Let us pray for the Church around the world, all people in their various circumstances, and ourselves as we all await our Lord's return.

C **Oh sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things!**

P Lord of the Church, strengthen the resolve and increase the joy of clergy and lay leaders as they bear the news of all the marvelous things You have done. Through their efforts and the blessing of the Holy Spirit, grant that many come to faith and rejoice on Your return.

C **All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.**

P In all the nations of the world, heavenly Father, guide those who are in seats of authority. Give them wisdom to rule in compassion and justice and provide for the common good of all their citizens.

C **He has remembered His steadfast love and faithfulness.**

P Heavenly Father, hear the prayers of those in ill health, sorrow, or stress, including . . . bring Your wholeness to them that they return thanks and praise to You.

C **Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.**

P O Holy Spirit, giver of all good gifts, move musicians and poets, artists and actors to use their talents to praise Your name, confront the ills of society, and inspire those who hear and see them to acts of love and good works.

C **Let the sea roar, and all that fills it.**

P Lord Jesus, accompany all who travel on the sea or land, in air or space; give insight to those who must deal with changing weather; and provide for all who farm, transport, and distribute the bounty of Your good creation.

C **He will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.**

P Confident of Your ordering all things, we commend to Your care all for whom we pray, trusting in Your mercy for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

OFFERING

We accept offerings via Pushpay. Text "mountolive" to 77977.

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

PREFACE

P The Lord be with you,

C **And with thy spirit.**

P Lift up your hearts.

C **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

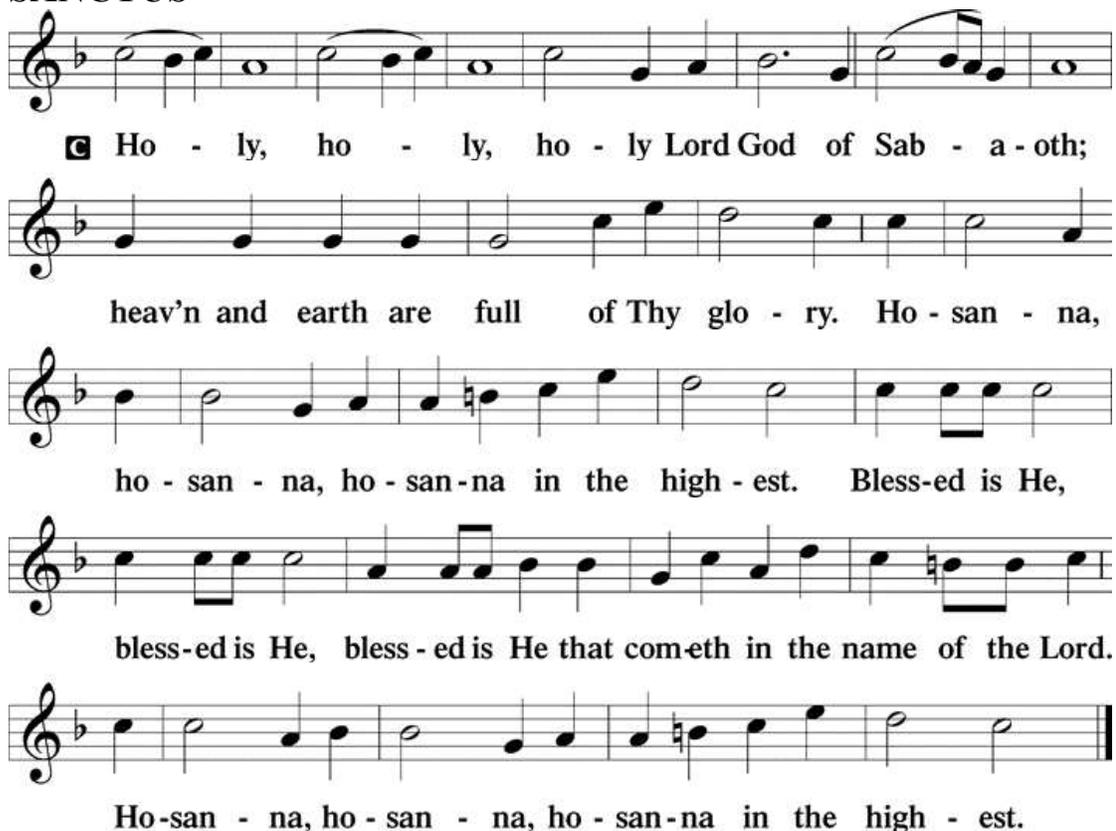
P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C **It is meet and right so to do.**

P It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of

everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

SANCTUS



C Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,
ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,
bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

LORD'S PRAYER

Matthew 6:9-13

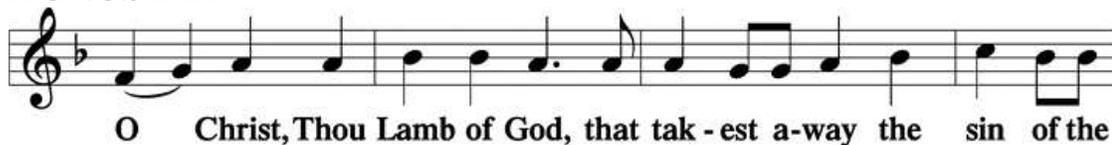
C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

PAX DOMINI

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C Amen.

AGNUS DEI



O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the

world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that
 tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.
 O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the
 world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

DISTRIBUTION HYMN "God of Grace and God of Glory"

LSB 850

1 God of grace and God of glo-ry, On Your peo-ple
 2 Lo, the hosts of e-vil round us Scorn the Christ, as -
 3 Cure Your chil-dren's war-ring mad-ness; Bend our pride to
 4 Save us from weak res-ig-na-tion To the e-vils

pour Your pow'r; Crown Your an-cient Church's sto-ry;
 sail His ways! From the fears that long have bound us
 Your con-trol; Shame our wan-ton, self-ish glad-ness,
 we de-plore; Let the gift of Your sal-va-tion

Bring its bud to glo-rious flow'r. Grant us wis-dom,
 Free our hearts to faith and praise. Grant us wis-dom,
 Rich in things and poor in soul. Grant us wis-dom,
 Be our glo-ry ev-er-more. Grant us wis-dom,

grant us cour-age For the fac-ing of this
 grant us cour-age For the liv-ing of these
 grant us cour-age Lest we miss Your king-dom's
 grant us cour-age, Serv-ing You whom we a -



hour, For the fac - ing of this hour.
 days, For the liv - ing of these days.
 goal, Lest we miss Your king - dom's goal.
 dore, Serv - ing You whom we a - dore.

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NUNC DIMITTIS



Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant de - part in peace ac-



cord - ing to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation,



which Thou hast pre - pared be - fore the face of all people,



a light to light - en the Gen - tiles and the glo - ry of Thy



peo - ple Is - ra - el. Glo - ry be to the Father and



to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the beginning,



is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good.

C **and his mercy endureth forever.**

P Let us pray. We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

P The Lord be with you.
 C **And with thy spirit.**

BENEDICAMUS/BENEDICTION

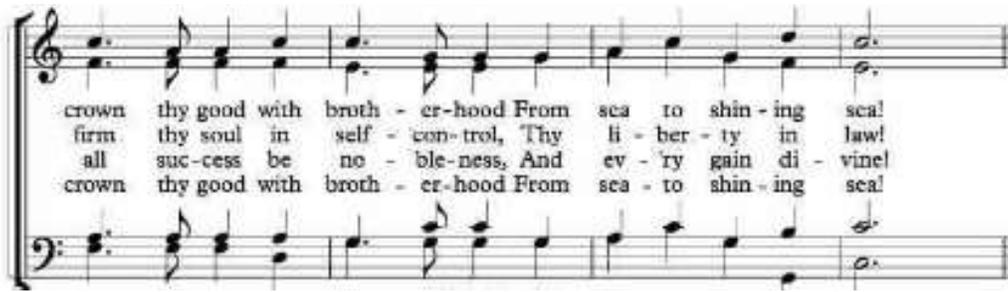
P Bless we the Lord.
 C **Thanks be to God.**
 P The Lord bless you and keep. you The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.
 C **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN “America the Beautiful”

O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, For am - ber waves of grain, For
 O beau - ti - ful for pil - grim feet, Whose stern im - pas - sioned stress, A
 O beau - ti - ful for he - roes proved In li - ber - a - ting strife, Who
 O beau - ti - ful for pat - riot dream That sees be - yond the years, Thine

pur - ple moun - tain maj - es - ties A - bove the frui - ted plain! A -
 thor - ough - fare for free - dom beat A - cross the wil - der - ness! A -
 more than self their coun - try loved, And mer - cy more than life! A -
 al - a - bas - ter ci - ties gleam, Un - dimmed by hu - man tears! A -

mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God Shed His grace on thee, And
 mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God mend thine ev - 'ry flaw, Con -
 mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! May God thy gold re - fine, Till
 mer - i - ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed His grace on thee, And



Verse 5

O beautiful for men of faith, Who founded this great land
 Proclaimed for us “In God we trust,” and held to God’s strong hand.
 America! America! Gid shed his grace on thee.
 Till lives confess His righteousness From sea to shining sea!

POSTLUDE

“America The Beautiful”

Reginald Martin

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ALTAR FLOWER SPONSORS

We are blessed with two flower arrangements this morning. One is sponsored by Sharon Klawitter for her parents 90th birthdays. Her mom, Arlene, celebrated on October 20th, and her dad, Hib, celebrated on October 31st. The second arrangement is in honor of our Veterans. Thank you for your service.

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Preacher Rev. Jason Zobel, *Senior Pastor*
 Liturgist Rev. Mark Baldwin, *Family Life Director*
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Sunday, November 8

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Weekly Calendar November 9-14

Monday (11/9)

9am Quilters
6pm Board of Elders Meeting

Tuesday (11/10)

9am-2pm Communion
5pm Olive Branch Rehearsal
6:30pm Females in Faith (Zoom)

Wednesday (11/11)

10am Today's Light Bible Study
2pm-6pm Communion
5:30pm LOGOS
6pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
7pm Choir Rehearsal
7:30pm Brass Ensemble Rehearsal

Saturday (11/14)

7:30am Early Risers Bible Study

Sunday (11/15)

8am Divine Worship* †
9am Fellowship Hour
9:20am Special Voters' Meeting
10:30am Divine Worship* †
11:30am-1pm Communion

† Communion offered

* Available on Facebook Live also

Prayer Requests

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This Week's Prayers

We Pray for . . . Karl Fels, Kathryn Hanson, Bob Troia, Tim Koehler, Dave Stansfield, George Krug, Duane Neitzel, The family of Mike Peterson, Hib & Arlene Klawitter in celebration of their 90th birthdays, Paul Kolberg,

This Week's News

Weekly Attendance: Sun, November 1 - 57/30

First Communion: Celebrating their first communion over the coming weeks are: Tristan Rademacher, Eli Brandt, Amari St. Martin, Eva Morgan, Emma Boyle, Marina Restrepo, and Isabela Restrepo.

Bible Reading Challenge: Pastor Mark is challenging the congregation to a chronological reading of the Bible in One Year! It began on June 1, 2020 and ends on May 31, 2021. Here are the daily readings for this week: **November 9:** Proverbs 22-24 **November 10:** 1 Kings 5-6 2 Chronicles 2 **November 11:** 2 Chronicles 3-4, 1 Kings 7-8 **November 12:** 2 Chronicles 5-7 **November 13:** Psalm 134, 136, 146 **November 14:** Psalm 147-150 **November 15:** 1 Kings 9, 2 Chronicles 8, Proverbs 25 A list of the November readings for our chronological reading of the Bible are available for you to pick up on the Information Booth.

Special Voters' Meeting: A special Voters' Meeting will be held on **Sunday November 15th** in between services to discuss extending a call to a teacher/administrator for the school. A Zoom option will be available for those who can't attend in person!

Females in Faith: Females in Faith is starting a new study and we would love for you to join us! We will be starting **Sermon on the Mount** by Jen Wilkin on November 10 at 6:30pm. We meet via Zoom. Contact Andrea Black (608-220-7260) with any questions.

Mount Olive Concert Series: Thank you to all who attended the organ dedication concert on October 25! Mark your calendars, "Lessons and Carols" is set for Sunday December 20!

Sound Booth Volunteers: We are currently looking for volunteers to help in the sound booth during both the 8:00 and 10:30 services. If you are interested, please let the office know!

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A Man Named Martin: Join us during education hour as we study the life of Martin Luther. Part 2 of “A Man Named Martin” begins today in the Fireplace room! Missed a session or want to look ahead? Part 1 and part 2 materials will be available on Mount Olive’s website! www.molc.us/bible-study

Honor Quilt: The quilters have finished this year’s honor quilt and it will be presented today at the 8:00 service!

Carenet Baby Bottle Campaign: This year’s baby bottle campaign will run during the month of November. Grab a bottle from the Welcome Center! As you fill it with loose change, cash, or checks, you help provide life affirming resources to women and men facing unintended pregnancies through the ministry of Care Net Pregnancy Center. Contact Connie LaRowe connielarowe@gmail.com or Carol White carolindawhite44@gmail.com for more information.

Sunday Bulletins/Recordings: If you or someone you know is “shut in” and would like a bulletin and/or CD recording of the Sunday services, please let us know! Bulletins/CDs are sent out every Monday.

Holy Communion: If you would like to take communion at church during the week, there are three different days you can sign up to do so. **Sundays 11:30am-1:00pm, Tuesdays 9:00am-2:00pm, Wednesdays 2:00-6:00pm.** Just contact the office at office@molc.us or (608) 238-5656, and Luke will set you up with a 15-minute time slot.

COVID-19 Assistance: If you are considered “at risk” and would like assistance getting groceries or with other errands, please contact the office. Our food pantry is also available to you during office hours.

Stewardship Corner

“[I always thank God] ... because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now.” (Philippians 1:5)

God doesn’t need anything we have. Yet He invites us to give so that we can indeed become “partners in the Gospel.” This is a gift of His grace: inviting us to do significant work in the Kingdom of God.

Just a Note

Card Shop: Bless those near and far with Thanksgiving and Christmas cards. Nice selection now on display, plus all occasion greeting cards for wedding, anniversary, birthday, sympathy, and much more. Continue to self-serve when you visit the Card Shop located in the Library. Individual cards are 75 cents each. Thank you for supporting the missions at LWML with your purchases.

Altar Flowers: If you are interested in providing flowers, please contact Denise Sliter at altarflowers@molc.us or at (608) 354-7244. Payment of \$35 can be made via check or pay online molc.us/connect. Please make sure to email or call, or your order may be missed!

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