



Mt. Olive Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Our Mission Statement:

"Mt Olive exists to proclaim God's Word in its truth and purity, so that each believer may GROW in their faith in Jesus and be equipped to GO with the good news of Jesus Christ

TO OUR COMMUNITY AND WORLD, SO THAT TOGETHER WE MAY GLORIFY GOD INTO ETERNITY."

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August 5, 2018

Pentecost 11

Worship: Thursday 7P.M. & Sunday 8&10:30A.M.

Growth in the Word: Sunday 9:30A.M.

Welcome...to our visitors and guests who are with us today. We are pleased and privileged to have you join us as we focus our attention on the One Who provides all we need for body and soul. May our gracious God bless us to more fully appreciate what we have in and through the risen and ascended Savior!

For Parents with Small Children: Toddler "Busy Bags" are available for use-located on the west wall of church. The lower west kitchen (near the rest rooms) also contains a speaker system so that you may listen in on the service while attending to the needs of your little one. Please ask if there's any other way we can serve you!

Our Worship:

Opening Hymn of Praise: CW 533 "I Love Your Kingdom Lord" verses 1-5

Liturgy: Service of the Word (p. 38 in the front of the Hymnal)

Scripture Lessons:

Old Testament Lesson: Exodus 16:2-15 (p. 70 in the black pew Bibles)

Hymn CW 539 "In Christ There Is No East or West" verses 1 and 5

Epistle Lesson: Ephesians 4:17-24 (p 1158)

Gospel Lesson: John 6:16-24 (p.1056)

Hymn of the Day: CW 538 "The Church's One Foundation" verses 1-3

Sermon: Ephesians 4:1-6 (p 1155)

THEME: Be Together – God's Amazing New Math

1. One plus One plus One plus One plus One plus One plus One = One
2. Live as One

The Apostles' Creed (p. 41)

Offering of our gifts to help share the Gift of salvation and life with the world!

Hymn: CW 538 "The Church's One Foundation" verse 5 (insert)

Closing Hymn of Praise: LAPPY "They'll Know We Are Christians by our Love" (insert)

Our Week in the Lord at Mt. Olive (God Willing!):



TODAY- 8:00&10:30 AM Worship

9:30AM Bible Study Hour

MONDAY- 6:30 P.M. Board of Education meets

7 P.M. Monday Night Church at St. Mark

WEDNESDAY: No Windcrest Bible Study

6:30 PM Board of Elders meeting

7:00 PM Family Fun Carnival meeting

THURSDAY- 7 P.M. Thursday Evening Worship at Mt. Olive

SUNDAY- 8 &10:30 A.M. Communion Worship

9:30A.M. Bible Study

NEWS-N-NOTES

TO OUR “New Faces” in the Crowd today: Thanks for joining us for worship. We were blessed to have you with us this morning as we gathered in God’s house to be encouraged by His message of love and forgiveness to otherwise lost sinners! Please sign our guest register and please come again!

THANK YOU: We thank Pastor Kronebusch and Jackie Kronebusch, for leading our worship in word and song as we gathered in God’s house to seek guidance and to sing HIS praises!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: August 18th has been chosen as the date to do some needed work in and around the building and grounds. Work will start at 8AM. Extra wheelbarrows and shovels are needed if you have any to bring along. Donuts and juice will be available to keep the energy flowing! If the work lasts past noon, arrangements for lunch will be made. For more details, contact Scott Raasch at 402-730-4733.

MT. OLIVE’S FIRST FAMILY FUN CARNIVAL will be held Sunday, September 9 at 12 PM - 4 PM! Lots of great family activities will be offered. If you’d like to lend your skills and talents, a committee meeting is planned for 7PM this Wednesday. For more details, contact Michelle Bergen.

E-GIVING: Want to stay consistent with your offerings even during the inconsistent “vacation months” of summer? Why not check into “E-giving?” – the electronic giving program which takes care of your offerings for you via an automatic withdrawal system. You set the amount and days/duration and let the system take care of the rest. Talk to Rod Wasserman if you have any questions. “On the first day of every week, each one of you should set aside a sum of money in keeping with his income...” I Corinthians 16:2

SERVING IN GOD’S HOUSE TODAY/THIS WEEK:

Early Service

Altar Care: Candace Meyer, Lynne Costin

Ushering: J&I Meyer, J Landis, D Jung

Cleaning God’s House This Next week: Downstairs-Donahoe, Upstairs-Foster, Narthex-Duran

Mowing: Justin, Billy, Eddie Walters

In God’s House 7/26 & 7/29: 107

Late Service

Emma Gettemy, Shawna Fox

B Satherthwaite, S Raasch, J Mattox

GOD’S WORD FOR PENTECOST 11

Exodus 16:2-15 ²In the desert the whole community grumbled against Moses and Aaron. ³The Israelites said to them, “If only we had died by the LORD’s hand in Egypt! There we sat around pots of meat and ate all the food we wanted, but you have brought us out into this desert to starve this entire assembly to death.”⁴ Then the LORD said to Moses, “I will rain down bread from heaven for you. The people are to go out each day and gather enough for that day. In this way I will test them and see whether they will follow my instructions. ⁵On the sixth day they are to prepare what they bring in, and that is to be twice as much as they gather on the other days.”⁶ So Moses and Aaron said to all the Israelites, “In the evening you will know that it was the LORD who brought you out of Egypt, ⁷and in the morning you will see the glory of the LORD, because he has heard your grumbling against him. Who are we, that you should grumble against us?”⁸ Moses also said, “You will know that it was the LORD when he gives you meat to eat in the evening and all the bread you want in the morning, because he has heard your grumbling against him. Who are we? You are not grumbling against us, but against the LORD.”⁹ Then Moses told Aaron, “Say to the entire Israelite community, ‘Come before the LORD, for he has heard your grumbling.’”¹⁰ While Aaron was speaking to the whole Israelite community, they looked toward the desert, and there was the glory of the LORD appearing in the cloud.¹¹ The LORD said to Moses, ¹²“I have heard the grumbling of the Israelites. Tell them, ‘At twilight you will eat meat, and in the morning you will be filled with bread. Then you will know that I am the LORD your God.’”¹³ That evening quail came and covered the camp, and in the morning, there was a layer of dew around the camp. ¹⁴When the dew was gone, thin flakes like frost on the ground appeared on the desert floor. ¹⁵When the Israelites saw it, they said to each other, “What is it?” For they did not know what it was. Moses said to them, “It is the bread the LORD has given you to eat.

Ephesians 4:17-24 ¹⁷So I tell you this, and insist on it in the Lord, that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their thinking. ¹⁸They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts. ¹⁹Having lost all sensitivity, they have given themselves over to sensuality so as to indulge in every kind of impurity, and they are full of greed. ²⁰That, however, is not the way of life you learned ²¹when you heard about Christ and were taught in him in accordance with the truth that is in Jesus. ²²You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; ²³to be made new in the attitude of your minds; ²⁴and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

John 6:16-24 ¹⁶When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, ¹⁷where they got into a boat and set off across the lake for Capernaum. By now it was dark, and Jesus had not yet joined them. ¹⁸A strong wind was blowing and the waters grew rough. ¹⁹When they had rowed about three or four miles,^[a] they saw Jesus approaching the boat, walking on the water; and they were frightened. ²⁰But he said to them, “It is I; don’t be afraid.” ²¹Then they were willing to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the shore where they were heading. ²²The next day the crowd that had stayed on the opposite shore of the lake realized that only one boat had been there, and that Jesus had not entered it with his disciples, but that they had gone away alone. ²³Then some boats from Tiberias landed near the place where the people had eaten the bread after the Lord had given thanks. ²⁴Once the crowd realized that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they got into the boats and went to Capernaum in search of Jesus.