

TRINITY 9

Sunday, August 1, 2021, 8:30 & 10:00 AM

Mount Olive Lutheran Church & School

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Pastors John J. Petersen & Luke Ulrich | Principal Adam Pavelchik | Evangelical Lutheran Synod

Welcome! In the name of our risen Savior we welcome you to Mt. Olive and thank you for worshipping with us. If you are a guest, please fill out a **“Get Connected!”** card (on the tables at the back of worship area). We invite you to come and worship with us again soon. **Large Print** copies of the order of service from the ELS Hymnary are available from the usher stand in the back of the worship area.

Explanation of the Week: How are we to use the gifts that God has given us? Put them to work. Use them wisely. Trust that He will bless our efforts. Hiding them away and not putting them to use is displeasing to God as we see in Jesus' Parable of the Minas (Luke 19:11-27). King David acknowledged that "All that is in heaven and in earth is Yours; Yours is the kingdom, O Lord....Riches and honor come from You" (1 Chronicles 29:10-13). Knowing this gives us encouragement to live without fear. God is the one who will bless us as we face the needs and challenges of this life. Our attitude can be one of joyful hope in God. God provides for all our needs! Our hearts can reflect this joyful hope as we live not as the lustful idolaters of this world. Instead we live as those who trust in God, who "makes us a way of escape" from temptation (1 Corinthians 10:6-13). He does this through Word and Sacraments, the greatest gifts that we have in this life. As we make use of these gifts, we hear God proclaiming: "Well done, good and faithful servant!"



I. The Service of Preparation

(We prepare ourselves for worshiping God by acknowledging our unworthiness to stand before Him, and by receiving His forgiveness through absolution (forgiveness). We respond with thanks and joy.)

~**Prelude** — *Preservice music & opportunity for prayer*

*(See “Prayers for Worship”
—ELH p. 40)*

~**Hymn 443 vv.1,2 O That I Had a Thousand Voices**

~**Invocation** — *Calling upon the Triune God*

(ELH p. 60; Matt. 28:19)

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

C: ♪ Amen.

~**Confession & Absolution** — *Admitting Our Guilt & Receiving God’s Forgiveness*

(ELH p. 60, II; Ps 124:8, Ps 32:5)

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

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

C: ♪ Who made heav’n and earth.

P: I said, I will confess my transgressions to the Lord;

C: ♪ And You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

P: Almighty God, our Maker and Redeemer, we poor sinners confess unto You that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against You by thought, word, and deed. Therefore we flee for refuge to Your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring Your grace for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

C: O most merciful God, You have given Your only-begotten Son to die for us; have mercy upon us and for His sake grant us remission of all our sins; and by Your Holy Spirit increase in us true knowledge of You, and of Your will, and true obedience to Your Word, to the end that by Your grace we may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

P: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only-begotten Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us all our sins. To all who believe on His name He gives power to become the children of God, and has promised them His Holy Spirit. He who believes and is baptized shall be saved.

C: Grant this unto us, O Lord. Amen.

~**Introit** — *Entrance Psalm*

(ELH p. 62; Psalm 54:1, 4-5)

P: Behold, God is my helper;

C: The Lord is with those who uphold my soul

P: He will repay my enemies for their evil

C: Cut them off in Your strength

P: Save me, O God, by Your name,

C: And vindicate me by Your strength.

~**Gloria Patri**

(ELH p. 62)

C: ♪ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, forevermore. Amen.

~**The Kyrie Eleison**— *“Lord, Have Mercy”*

(ELH p. 63, 1; Mk 10:47)

C: ♪ Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

~**The Gloria in Excelsis Deo**— *“Glory to God in the Highest”*

(ELH p. 64-66; Lk 2:14; Jn 1:29)

P: Glory be to God on high:

C: ♪ And on earth peace, good will toward men. We praise You, we bless You, we worship You, we glorify You, we give thanks to You, for Your great glory. O Lord God, heav’nly King, God the Father almighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. You take away the sin of the world, receive our prayer. You are seated at the right hand of God the Father, have mercy upon us. For You only are holy. You only are the Lord. You only, O Christ, with the Holy Spirit, are most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

~**Salutation** — *The People’s Blessing for the Pastor’s Work*

(ELH p. 66; 2 Tim 4:22)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And with your spirit.

~**Collect** — *The Congregation’s Prayer of the Day*

(ELH p. 66; #99)

P: Let us pray: Lord God, heavenly Father, You have bountifully given us Your blessing and our daily bread: We beseech You, preserve us from covetousness, and so enliven our hearts that we willingly share Your blessed gifts with our needy brethren; that we may be found faithful stewards of Your gifts, and abide in Your grace when we shall be removed from our stewardship, and shall come before Your judgment, through our Lord

Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever.

C: ♪ Amen.

II. The Service of the Word



(After receiving the forgiveness of sins, we thanked God by singing His praises and praying to Him. He now increases our faith through His holy Word which we hear through the Lessons and especially through the Sermon where God's Word is applied to our lives today.)

~Old Testament Lesson

I Chronicles 29:10-13 Therefore David blessed the LORD before all the assembly; and David said: "Blessed are You, LORD God of Israel, our Father, forever and ever. Yours, O LORD, is the greatness, The power and the glory, The victory and the majesty; For all that *is* in heaven and in earth is Yours; Yours is the kingdom, O LORD, And You are exalted as head over all. Both riches and honor come from You, And You reign over all. In Your hand is power and might; In Your hand it is to make great And to give strength to all. "Now therefore, our God, We thank You And praise Your glorious name.

~Epistle Lesson

I Corinthians 10:6-13 Now these things became our examples, to the intent that we should not lust after evil things as they also lusted. And do not become idolaters as were some of them. As it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and rose up to play." Nor let us commit sexual immorality, as some of them did, and in one day twenty-three thousand fell; nor let us tempt Christ, as some of them also tempted, and were destroyed by serpents; nor complain, as some of them also complained, and were destroyed by the destroyer. Now all these things happened to them as examples, and they were written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the ages have come. Therefore let him who thinks he stands take heed lest he fall. No temptation has overtaken you except such as is common to man; but God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the way of escape, that you may be able to bear it.

~Alleluia — "God Be Praised"

(ELH p. 67)

C: ♪ Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

P: Let us confess our holy faith in the words of the 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 the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead; Whose kingdom shall 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 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.

~Hymn 444 *Take My Life and Let It Be*

~Holy Gospel & Sermon Text

Luke 19:11-27 As they were listening to these things, Jesus went on to tell a parable, because he was near Jerusalem, and the people thought that the kingdom of God was going to appear at once. So he said, "A man of noble birth traveled to a distant country to receive a kingdom for himself and then to return. He called ten of his servants and gave them ten minas. 'Conduct business until I return,' he said to them. "But his subjects hated him and sent a delegation after him, saying, 'We do not want this man to be king over us.' "When he returned after receiving the kingdom, he summoned the servants to whom he had given the money. He wanted to find out what they had gained by conducting business. "The first one came to him and said, 'Master, your mina has earned ten more minas.' "He said to him, 'Well done, good servant! Because you were faithful in a very small matter, you will have authority over ten cities.' "The second one came and said, 'Master, your mina has produced five more minas. "So he said to him, 'You will be over five cities.' "And another one came and said, 'Master, here is your mina that I laid away in a piece of cloth. For I was afraid of you, since you are a demanding man.

You take what you did not deposit and reap what you did not sow.’ “He said to him, ‘You wicked servant, I will judge you with your own words! You knew that I am a demanding man, taking what I did not deposit and reaping what I did not sow. Then why did you not put my money in the bank? Then, when I returned, I could have collected it with interest!’ “He said to those standing there, “Take the mina away from him and give it to the one who has the ten minas.’ “But they said to him, ‘Master, he already has ten minas!’ ““I tell you that to everyone who has, more will be given, but from the one who does not have, even what he has will be taken away. Now as for those enemies of mine who did not want me to be king over them, bring them here and kill them in front of me.”

~Sermon

Investment Opportunities

1. The capital to be invested
2. The gain to be realized
3. The accounting to be faced

~Offertory — *Prayer of Renewal before Offering*

(ELH p. 70-71; Ps 51:10-12)

C: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with Your free Spirit. Amen.

~Offering Prayer

(We take this time to acknowledge and thank God for moving the hearts of His people to continue to support the mission and work of our church. Our ushers will bring the offering plates forward to the altar and the pastor will offer a prayer of thanks. Please Note: You may place any offerings into the plates on the stands at the main aisle entrance to the Sanctuary either before or after the service. Online giving is also available through mtolivelutheran.org or by text message through your smartphone by texting the amount you would like to give to 833-726-3742 (a link will be provided for first-time users to register an account).)

~Prayer of the Church

(ELH p. 71-72)

P: In peace let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

(Special petitions are included)

P: For..., let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord have mercy.

P: O Lord, heavenly Father, by the power of the Holy Spirit we faithfully remember the sufferings and death of Your dear Son, Jesus Christ, for our salvation. We praise You for His victorious resurrection from the dead. We thank You for the strength of grace and majesty of faith which He bestows on the Church by virtue of His ascension to Your right hand, where He intercedes for us as our Advocate and High Priest. Grant that the Holy Spirit will gather us into the company of all the faithful from the ends of the earth, so that we may celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end.

In Your mercy receive our prayers. Deliver us and preserve us. To You alone we give all glory, honor, and worship, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forevermore. Amen.

III. The Service of Holy Communion



(Following Christ's command, we receive His grace to us in the special meal He instituted for the forgiveness of our sins. Here, He feeds with His true body and His true blood in, with, and under the bread and wine. This is the same body which was born of the Virgin Mary, and the same blood which dripped down the wooden cross. This part of the liturgy is one of the oldest parts, dating back to at least the third century AD.)

Questions and prayers to assist in preparing for the Lord's Supper are found in the black hymnal pp. 38-40.)

Guests & Visitors: *We practice "Close" or "Closed Communion" (or "Membership Communion"). We do this out of love and concern for you. We want to make sure that those who take this holy meal receive it as a blessing and not to their harm as Scripture warns. We also understand that those who come forward to take communion are professing a unity of faith with our congregation and are in full agreement with the teachings and doctrines of Mount Olive Lutheran Church and of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod. Therefore, we ask those who have not taken Holy Communion with us before to Speak with a pastor before communing. Thank you.*

~Preface

(pp. 72-73)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And with your 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 good and right so to do.

P: It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God; who with Your only-begotten

Son and the Holy Spirit are one God, one Lord. In the confession of the only true God we worship the Trinity in person and the Unity in substance, of the majesty co-equal. 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** — *“Holy”*

(ELH p. 76)

C: ♪ Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Sabaoth; heav’n and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He, blessed is He, blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest.

~**Lord’s Prayer**

(ELH p. 77-78; Mt. 6:9-13)

P: 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.

C: ♪ For Thine is the kingdom and the pow’r and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

~**Words of Institution**

(ELH p. 78; Mt 26:26-28; Mk 14:22-24; Lk 22:19-20; 1 Cor 11:23-25)

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying: “Take eat; this is My body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.” In the same way also He took the cup after supper, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying: “Drink of it all of you; this cup is the New Testament in My blood, which is shed for you and for many, for the remission of sins. This do as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

~**The Pax Domini** — *“The Peace of the Lord”*

(ELH p. 79; Jn 20:19)

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: ♪ Amen.

~**Agnus Dei** — *“Lamb of God”*

(ELH p. 79ff; Jn 1:29)

C: ♪ O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, have mercy upon us. O Christ, the Lamb of God, You take away the sin of the world, grant us Your peace. Amen.

~Distribution

(Communicants come at the direction of ushers. During the Distribution, the congregation sings the following hymns:)

Hymn 312 *Bread of the World*

Hymn 313 vv. 8-15 *By Faith I Call Thy Holy Table*

Hymn 325 *O Jesus, Blessed lord, To Thee*

Hymn 327 *O Lord, We Praise Thee*

~Dismissal — *Assurance of blessing for those who have communed* (ELH p. 81)

P: The body of our Lord Jesus Christ, and His precious blood strengthen and preserve you in the true faith to everlasting life. Depart in peace. Amen.

~Collect of Thanksgiving (ELH p. 82)

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

C: ♪ And His mercy endures forever.

P: Let us pray: We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through these salutary gifts, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through them 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 true God, now and forever.

C: ♪ Amen.

~Salutation — *The people's blessing for the Pastor's work* (ELH p. 84)

P: The Lord be with you.

C: ♪ And with your spirit.

~Benedicamus — *Call for blessing* (ELH p. 84; 2 Cor. 13:14)

P: Let us bless the Lord.

C: ♪ Thanks be to God.

~Benediction — *Final blessing for God's people* (ELH p. 84; Num. 6:24-26)

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, amen, amen.

~Hymn 580 *Almighty Father, Bless the Word*

~Postlude — *Opportunity for prayer & to greet one another!* (See "Prayers for Worship" —ELH p. 40)

Officiant: Pastor John Petersen
Organists: 1st: Cassie Johnson /2nd: John Baumann

LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE:
Sunday: 8:30am, 127; 10:00am, 151; Monday: 45
Sunday Live (8:30am) Online Viewing: 26

WE THANK THOSE SERVING OUR LORD THIS WEEK:
Greeter: Keith Anderson, **Media Center:** Adam Pavelchik
Offering Counters: August: Stacey Olsen & Seth Tweit
Altar Guild: Ruth Heidenreich, Terri Westphal

Weekly Financial Update
Given Last Week: \$16,622.11 (includes text & on-line giving)
Fiscal Year-to-Date Surplus (as of 5/31/21): \$35,264

*2 Corinthians 8:9 **For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, that you through His poverty might become rich.***

*Did you know you can give your offering online? Just go to www.mtolivelutheran.org and click on the link, "donate online." If you would like to continue using your assigned envelope, just **write the word "online" on the envelope and drop it in the plate** during the offering.*

Mt. Olive Worship Services on TV:

Mt. Olive services are being shown on local cable channel 181 (Charter) and 7 & 507 (Consolidated Communications) on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM and Thursdays at 11:30 AM.

WEEK AT A GLANCE: August 1, 2021 — August 7, 2021

Sunday, August 1	8:30AM 10AM 2:30PM	Divine Worship w/Holy Communion Divine Worship w/Holy Communion Family Picnic at Duck Lake (No watercraft rentals available this year)
Monday, August 2	9AM 6:30PM 7:00PM	MOMs park playdate at Hiniker Pond Park Divine Worship Board of Education

Tuesday, August 3	9AM 6:00PM 6:30PM	Ladies Bible Study Board Of Deacons Jesus Cares Ministry
Wednesday August 4	10AM	BLC Summer Chapel
Thursday, August 5		
Friday, August 6	1PM-6PM	Red Cross Blood Drive in the Gym
Saturday, August 7	9:45 12:30	MVL Youth work at New 2 You MVL Youth work at New 2 You

ANNOUNCEMENTS—Mt. Olive Lutheran Church & School

Flowers: If you would like to provide flowers or a plant, the Flower Calendar is in the hallway diagonally from the kitchen and the newer band room. Thank you!

Join us today from 2:30-7pm at Duck Lake for food, fun, games, swimming, and other activities! We will be grilling hotdogs at 4:30pm, please bring a dish or dessert to share! All are welcome.

There will be a reception/card shower for Mrs. Beilke in recognition of her retirement from teaching. She retired at the end of the 2020 school year. The reception/card shower will be held in the Social Hall at Mount Olive, at **9:30am on Sunday, August 22nd**. If you are unable to attend, but would like to send a card, you may send it to the Mount Olive office at 1123 Marsh St.

On Sunday, August 8th installation of new Church Council during the 8:30am service.

Confirmation classes for public and home school students entering 7th and 8th grade this fall will begin on **Wednesday, August 25, at 4PM**. Parents: contact the church office (507-345-4966) to enroll your student so that you receive the informational letter that will be mailed this week.

We are now looking for Sunday School teachers and a choir director for Pre K – 6th grade. We try to place two teachers per grade so that there can be some flexibility in scheduling. Contact our Superintendent, Lance Johnson at 507-720-2130 for more details. It's a joy to serve Jesus by serving His lambs!

Volunteer 5-6 Grade Soccer Coach Needed: Mt. Olive Lutheran School is in need of volunteer coaches for our soccer program for this school year. We are in need of at least

1 or 2 coaches for our B Team (5-6 grade). Practices would be from 4:30 to 6:00 at Mt Olive on Mondays and Thursdays. We are in two tournaments in September and play matches during the week usually on practice nights. If you are interested or have any questions please contact Mr. Zibrowski at mrz@mtolivelutheran.org. Thank you.

On the Narthex table: The next edition of Meditations are now available. **August's Olive Press** and *Worship While Away*.

Tax season & Giving Statements! Check for your quarterly giving statement at the narthex table. The office is changing contribution software. Keep this statement for your tax records. Next quarter's statement will have just the third quarter's giving on it.

Parsonage Painting! The trustees are looking to get the parsonage exterior painted this summer. We are looking for someone willing to supervise a volunteer painting crew. Dan Weichmann will prepare the exterior and get the supplies. After we have the supervisor, we'll set the dates and call for volunteers. Contact Juel Merseth at 507-381-3975.

If you need boxes this summer, check with the office. School orders are arriving. Air pillows, packing peanuts, and heavy-duty corrugated boxes are available. The paper order has arrived and photo copy boxes are also available.

Continue to save pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House Charities. All donations can be brought to the After-School Care room or to Mrs. Feistner. Thank you!

Jesus' Lambs at Peace Preschool

Jesus' Lambs at Peace Preschool announces its Back-To-School Picnic, **Tuesday, August 23**, 6:00 – 8:00 PM. Jesus' Lambs at Peace Preschool is located at Peace Lutheran Church, 2090 Commerce Drive, North Mankato. If you would like to enroll your 3-, 4-, or 5-year-old, contact Joslyn at 507-594-8929 or by email joslynmoldstad@gmail.com

Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School

MVL Student Saturday! New 2 You resale store provides 75% of its quarterly profits to Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School to help defray tuition costs. Mount Olive has been asked to provide 4 MVL students and 2 adult volunteers for the morning and afternoon shifts on **Saturday, August 7**, 9:30-12:30, and 12:30-3:00. (This is a great volunteer opportunity for college resumes and for needed National Honor Society member hours!) Any available MVL students should sign up on the table in the Narthex, or call New 2 You at 507-385-1455. Thanks!

MVL Part-time Foodservice Position Open MVL Foodservice is looking for an individual to work 10:00am until 1:30pm most school days. This person would help with simple food preparation, serving lunch, and clean-up. If interested, please contact MVL Foodservice Director Beth Fluegge at 507-993-5195 or foodservice@mvlhs.org.

Pie bakers! The MVL Booster Club holds their annual auction **Saturday, August 21**, at 5 PM at Turner Hall in New Ulm (102 S State St, New Ulm, MN 56073). This year, they're looking for at least 1 pie from each MVL association congregation. If you'd like to bake a pie but cannot deliver it, contact David Bendix at 507.236.9898. He is the Auction Committee Chairman. Pies may be dropped off at Turner Hall between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM Saturday, August 21.

MVL Routes with Palmer Bus Service: Palmer Bus Service provides safe and reliable transportation for students. We are now hiring school bus drivers for MVL routes, especially for Redwood Falls and Mankato. We are also looking for "activities" drivers for competitions and events. Full-time and part-time positions available with paid training! Contact Site Manager Ray Vulcan today at rayv@palmerbusservice.com to learn more.

Community Opportunities

YOUTH VALLEY FAIR TRIP AUGUST 5TH Peace Lutheran Church's August youth group event is a trip to Valley Fair on Thursday, **August 5th**. This event is for youth entering **8th to 12th** grades and includes both the amusement park and waterpark. We will be meeting at Peace at 9am and be returning home around 9pm that evening. The cost is \$30. **Payment to Pastor Moldstad is due TODAY**, cash is preferred. To register go to peacemankato.com/valleyfair. Adults can contact Pastor Moldstad if they'd like to help chaperone: pastormoldstad@gmail.com

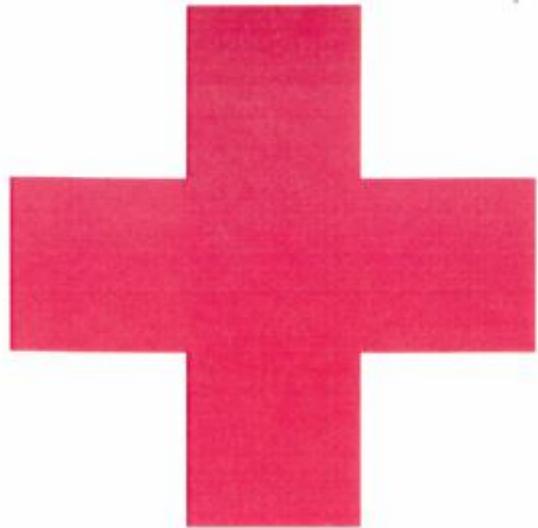
You are invited to the **Annual Corn Feed** at Trinity-Smiths Mill (Hwy 14 and Cty Rd 37) on Wednesday, August 4th, 5-7 pm. The menu will include: corn on the cob, BBQs, hot dogs, desserts, and beverages. A freewill offering will be accepted.

Jesus Loves Me Learning Center in North Mankato, MN, is hiring for jobs as assistant teachers and teacher aides in our infant, toddler, and preschool rooms. Teaching experience is encouraged but not required. We look for applicants with friendly dispositions, reliability, and flexibility. Wages up to \$14 per hour depending on experience and education. Please contact LaShawn Smith at directorjlm@stpaulsnorthmankato.com or (507) 508-2041.

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AUGUST 28
9AM - 1PM**

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Mt. Olive Lutheran Church

CONCESSIONS

BREAKFAST 9 - 11AM

Muffins, Donuts, Coffee & Juice
Pastry & Beverage: \$3

LUNCH 11AM - 1AM

Hot dog, chips & drink: \$5/meal

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Contacts: joni.moldstad@blc.edu OR mpavelchik@mtolivelutheran.org



Jesus Cares Ministries

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Mt. Olive has a Jesus Cares Program

What is the “Jesus Cares Ministry”?

A ministry that brings the **Gospel message** to developmentally delayed people in our congregation and the community.

When and where does Jesus Cares meet?

The Jesus Cares group meets on the first and third Tuesday of **every** month in the Social Hall at Mt. Olive from 6:30 to 7:30 PM.

Some of the things done at Jesus Cares:

Each evening:

- begins with a devotion
- is followed by a greeting and the lesson for the week
- has singing of appropriate songs
- ends with a craft project that may be taken home

What might you do to help with this ministry?

- Be a door greeter
- Assist members in doing the art project**
- Volunteer to play the piano
- Keep this ministry in your prayers

If you would be interested in helping in any way, please email or contact Mary Born 388-9220, mborn@mtolivelutheran.org

** At our last meeting we had 13 participants and really **needed** more help doing the craft project. What a privilege to work with these precious people.