



*Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 23 B
September 5, 2021
9:00 and 11:00 a.m.*

Welcome to Worship at Mount Olive!

Mount Olive is a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. It is a community in and of the city where all are welcome in every aspect of congregational life. We believe that worship is central to our life together, that our weekly gathering around Word and Sacrament strengthens us for our work as people of God in this and in every place.

An elevator to the lower and street levels can be found at the northwest corner of the education wing. Restrooms are located on the main floor and lower level. Turn right as you exit the narthex, then turn left. Restrooms are at the end of the hall, next to the elevator. Please ask an usher if you need assistance!

Mount Olive is equipped with a hearing assist loop. If you use a hearing aid equipped with a T-Coil, switch your device to T-Coil to access. If your aid does not have that option, small headsets are available. Ask an usher for assistance.

Helps for following the liturgy: Numbers marked with the word “page...” in small case are in the front portion of the hymnal at the bottom left and right corners of the page. Numbers marked with the word “HYMN...” are in the back portion of the hymnal in the upper left and right corners of the page. Note that the psalms are numbered as hymns 1-150.

Focus on the Season: 15th Sun. after Pentecost, Lect. 23 B

James criticizes showing favoritism in the congregation, treating wealthy guests with more honor than poor ones. But Jesus himself seems to show partiality in his first response to the Syrophenician woman. Was he testing her faith? Or did she take him by surprise with her reply and move him into a new insight? Either way, the story says God shows no partiality. All who bring their need to Jesus are received with equal honor as children and heirs.

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The Entrance Liturgy

PRELUDE: Three Settings of “Liebster Jesus wir sind heir”
David Cherwien, Paul Manz, J. S. Bach

AT THE PROCESSION *Facing the cross as it is carried into the nave*
“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” HYMN 858
Stanza 3 may be sung in harmony

GREETING

- ☐ The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
- ☑ **And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

- ☐ Let us pray. Gracious God, throughout the ages you transform sickness into health and death into life. Open us to the power of your presence, and make us a people ready to proclaim your promises to the whole world, through Jesus Christ, our healer and Lord.
- ☑ **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING: Isaiah 35:4-7a *(seated)*
Response: ☑ **Thanks be to God.**

PSALMODY: Psalm 146

The antiphon is sung by all at the beginning, and after verses 4, 7, 10.

David Cherwien



I will praise the LORD as long as I live!

The verses sung by all, using the following tone:

ELW Tone 2 alt.



SECOND READING: James 2:1-17

Response: **☩ Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Sung before and after the reading.

(standing)

“Alleluia...”

HYMN 175

HOLY GOSPEL: Mark 7:24-37

Response after the announcement: **☩ Glory to you, O Lord.**

Response after the conclusion: **☩ Praise to you, O Christ.**

The Alleluia is sung again by all.

Please remain standing until the invocation is pronounced.

SERMON

Vicar Andrea Bonneville

A brief silence follows the sermon.

HYMN OF THE DAY

(standing)

“Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service”

HYMN 712

Stanza 1 – All

Stanza 2 – All, in harmony

Stanza 3 – In canon; Women begin

Stanza 4 – All

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

(kneeling)

Response: **C** hear our prayer.

PEACE

You are invited to share the peace with one another. Please consider bowing to each other as a sign of God’s presence and an offering of Christ’s peace, a long-standing practice at Mount Olive and in the greater Church.

The Liturgy of the Eucharistic Meal

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

“Father, We Thank You”


(standing)

HYMN 478

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Response: **C** Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING



P The Lord be with you. C And al-so with you.



P Lift up your hearts. C We lift them to the Lord.



P Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.



C It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of pow'r and
might, Heav'n and earth are full of your — great glo - ry. Ho - san - na
in the high - est. Bles-sed is He who comes — in the
name — of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the — high - est.

Tune: Plainsong, harm. J. S. Bach

Eucharistic Prayer

P Holy God, our Bread of life, . . . the Lord's death until he comes.

C **Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

P Remembering, therefore . . . everlasting feast.

C **Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

P Send your Holy Spirit . . . body of Christ in the world.

C **Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.**

P Join our prayers . . . both now and forever.

C **Amen**

Lord's Prayer

Our Fa - ther, in heav - en, hal-low-ed be your name, your king - dom come,

The first system of musical notation consists of a treble and bass staff. The treble staff contains a melody of quarter and eighth notes, while the bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes.

your will— be done on earth as in heav - - - en. Give us to-day our

The second system of musical notation continues the melody and accompaniment. It features a treble and bass staff with notes and rests corresponding to the lyrics.

dai - ly bread, and for - give us our sins— as we for-give those who

The third system of musical notation concludes the visible portion of the prayer with a treble and bass staff.

sin a - gainst us. Save us from the time of tri al and de -

liv - er us from e vil. For the king - dom the pow - er, and the

glo - ry are yours, now and for - ev - er. A - men, a - - men.

N. Kedrov, Sr.
Ed. David Cherwien

AT THE COMMUNION

(seated)

All are welcome. The Eucharist will be distributed to one side of the church at a time; the ushers will direct. Please remain in single file as you come up the center, keeping distance from others.

The presider will intinct the bread for each communicant. Please do not take it with your fingers, but cup your palms and it will be placed there. Wait until you are at the corner, turning into the side aisle, to take down your mask and commune. Gluten-free bread is available.

If you are unable to come forward, please alert an usher, and the ministers will bring the meal to you.

“Lamb of God”

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“Word of God, Come Down on Earth”

HYMN 510

Stanza 2 may be sung in harmony.

TABLE BLESSING

(standing)

Response: ☩ Amen.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Response: **Amen.**

The Liturgy of Sending

BLESSING

Response: **Amen.**

DISMISSAL

Go in peace to love and serve as Christ.

Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE: Improvisation

*New members will be received into the Mount Olive congregation
at the 11 a.m. liturgy on Sunday, September 19.
If you are interested in becoming a new member, please speak to Pastor Crippen,
Vicar Bonneville, or contact the church office.*

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

- **Please pray throughout the week for the following persons:** Julia Adams; Joe & Elizabeth Beissel, Susan Cherwien; Mary Dodgson; Charlotte Erlandson; Nancy Flatgard; Leila Froehlich; Leanna Kloempken; Merwyn Larson; Mary Lee; Carla Manuel; Carolyn Mowery; Rhoda Nelson; Jerry Ostlund; Evelyn Royce; Pariann Schenk; Susan Snow; James Wilkes; *Adalyn Lerum*, relative of Nancy Anderson; *Tommie and Susie Hunter*, *Danna Nelson*, *Jacques*, friends of Jim Bargmann; *Tom McCarr*, friend of Keith Bartz; *Sara Brunette*, daughter-in-law of CJ Brunette; *Arthur Kaemmer*, friend of David Bryce; *Lela Frazier*, sister of Irene Campbell; *Klarrisa Ramirez*, friend of Gretchen Campbell-Johnson; *James & Miranda White*, nephew and niece of Allen & Lora Dundek; *Greg Eklund*, *Ryan Snelling*, son and friend of Harry & Jeanette Eklund; *Susan Bary*, friend of Judy Graves; *Dolores & David G. Gutierrez, Sr.*, *Chris and David Gutierrez, Jr.*, parents and brothers of Consuelo Gutierrez-Crosby; *Carol Halter* (missionary in Hong Kong), friend of Eunice Hafemeister; *Tami Huisinga*, relative of Wes Huisinga; *Craig Cunningham*, brother-in-law of Brian Jacobs; *Bob Adamson*, relative of Jerry Jones & Robbie Ross; *Robert Crumpton, Jr. and Roger Bradford*, friends of Mary Rose Kalihier; *Barbara Dahl*, sister of Carla Manuel; *Dani Olson*, *Harper Linquist*, *Steve Camper*, relatives and friend of Julie Manuel; *Jan McCuen*, mother of Matt McCuen; *Brenda Frankman*, friend of Rachel Meurett; *Martha Johnson*, sister of Rhoda Nelson and aunt of Sherry Nelson; *Kathleen Austad*, sister of Jerry Ostlund; *Vince DeLusia*, friend of Cynthia Prosek; *Sue Smith and Steve Swanson*, friends of Dwight Penas & Kathy Thurston; *Rudd Rayfield*, *Jolie Meshbesh Hassler*, *Katelyn Bowden*, *Cindy Williams*, father and friends of Robin Rayfield; *Leila Jeffers*, mother of Lynn and Lisa Ruff; *Miranda Alvis*, niece of Tim Sneer; *Carrie*, friend of Paul & Melissa Stone; *Mary Peterson*, friend of Kathy Thurston; *David Duran*, friend of Kevin Vazquez; *Andrew Wiechman*, son of Grace Wiechman; *BJ Wilkes*, *Joshua Wilkes*, *LaTrell Wilke*, *Julius Underwood*, and *Lonnell Wilkes*, son, nephews, grandson and brother of James Wilkes; *Anne-Marie Lundberg*, cousin of Eric Zander, *Karen Lange Dock*, *Tommie & Susie Hunter*; *Barbara C. Johnson*, friends of Mount Olive.
- **At the death of:** *Randy Vogt*, cousin of Grace Wiechman.
- **For those celebrating their baptism anniversaries this week:** Steve Peterson, Catherine Torgeson, Katherine Hanson, Donald Johnson, and George Ferguson.
- **Prayers** for all in the health care system here and around the world who put their lives at risk to care for those infected with COVID 19 and caring for all others who are ill as well.
- **Our continual prayers are offered for peace:** We pray for all of the world's governments, leaders and peoples, especially for those who work overseas toward peace: *Ross Chambers*, nephew of Berta & Bob Wick; *Solveig & Philip*, daughter and son-in-law of Karen Johnson; and *Tyson Crosby*, relative of the Crosby family.
- **We remember the saints who have gone before us:**
September 9: *Peter Claver*, priest, missionary to Colombia, died 1654 - Born into Spanish nobility, Claver became a Jesuit missionary, and served in present-day Colombia. His ministry was focused on the slaves who arrived there. He gave them food and medicine, learned their dialects, and taught them Christianity.

WORSHIP LEADERS

* Presiding Minister	The Rev. Beth Gaede
Preacher	Vicar Andrea Bonneville
Organist	Cantor David Cherwien
Sacristan	Lora Dundek
Assisting Minister	Art Halbardier

	<u>9:00</u>	<u>11:00</u>
Lectors	Rob Ruff	Rod Olson
Acolytes	Robin Rayfield, Kat Campbell Johnson	Amy Thompson, David Bryce
Ushers	Hannah Crippen, Stephanie Obdiaru	Nerheim family
Altar Guild	Lynn Ruff	Bonnie McLellan

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

Presiding Minister & Preacher	Pastor Joseph Crippen
Organist	Cantor David Cherwien
Sacristan	Al Bipes
Assisting Minister	Consuelo Crosby

	<u>9:00</u>	<u>11:00</u>
Lectors	Steve Berg	Sherry Nelson
Acolytes	Adam Krueger & Thomas Fenner	Eric Manuel, Steve Manuel
Ushers	Paul Sundquist, Chuck Reyer	Donna Wolsted, Leif Johnson
Altar Guild	Bob Christenson & Beth Gaede	

THIS WEEK AT MOUNT OLIVE

Sunday, September 5 – *Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 23 B*

9:00 am **Holy Eucharist**

11:00 am **Holy Eucharist** (also streamed online.)

Monday, September 6

Labor Day holiday - Church offices closed

Tuesday, September 7

Noon Bible Study (in person and online)

7:00 pm Missions Committee meeting

Wednesday, September 8

10:00 am Staff meeting

7:30 pm Cantorei rehearsals resume

Thursday, September 9 - *Peter Claver, priest, missionary to Colombia*

7:00 pm New Member Information session

8:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous

Saturday, September 11

9:00 am Gardening Day

10:00 am Book Discussion Group

Sunday, September 12 – *Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 24 B*

9:00 am **Holy Eucharist**

11:00 am **Holy Eucharist** (also streamed online)

Please observe social distancing when visiting with others.



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