



First Sunday in Lent

March 6, 2022 + 8:00 & 10:45 a.m.

Mount Olive Lutheran Church

Minneapolis, Minnesota

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. Worship is central to our life together, and 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.

Hymns 901-1100 are found in the purple hymnal supplement, *All Creation Sings*, and are indicated as “ACS HYMN ...”

Focus on the Season: The First Sunday in Lent, year C

These forty days called Lent are our yearly return to the wilderness that we might re-focus, like Jesus. That we might re-center ourselves on the God who rescues, receive the gifts of God’s grace, believe once again with the heart and confess with the mouth the wonder of God’s love in Jesus, and resist temptation at every turn. This is a life-long pilgrimage on which we embarked in baptism. Christ, our pilgrim guide, comes near in bread and wine, water and word, to uphold and sustain us.

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The assembly gathers in silent preparation.

The Entrance Liturgy

AT THE PROCESSION

(Stand at the sound of the bell.)

Kyrie *(An improvisation will precede each bid.)*

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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. O Lord God, you led your people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide us now, so that, following your Son, we may walk safely through the wilderness of this world toward the life you alone can give, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

☞ **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING: Deuteronomy 26:1-11

(seated)

Response: ☞ **Thanks be to God.**

PSALMODY: Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16

(10:45) *An antiphon is sung by the choir at the beginning and after verses 2, 12, and 16.
The verses are sung by all using the following tone:*



SECOND READING: Romans 10:8b-13

Response: **☩ Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

(standing)

(8:00) “Glory and praise...”

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(10:45) *Sung by the choir*

*Choir: One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes
from the mouth of God.*

HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 4:1-13 (14)

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

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

Please remain standing until the invocation has been pronounced.

SERMON

What You Want

Pastor Joseph Crippen

Silence for reflection follows the sermon.

HYMN OF THE DAY

(standing)

“When We Are Tested”

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CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

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*As our Lenten journey calls us back to our baptismal waters for nourishment and
cleansing, we confess our sins and turn to the Triune God for grace, mercy, and life.
All may kneel following the invitation to confession.*

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

(remain kneeling)

Response: **☩ hear our prayer.**

PEACE

(standing)

You are invited to share Christ's peace with one another.

The Liturgy of the Eucharistic Meal

AT THE OFFERING

(seated)

(10:45) "Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days"

Zebulon Highben

Lord, who throughout these forty days for us did fast and pray,

Teach us with you to mourn our sins and close by you to stay.

As you with Satan did contend and did the victory win,

O give us strength in you to fight, in you to conquer sin.

As you did hunger and bear thirst, so teach us gracious Lord,

To die to self and always live by your most holy word.

And through these days of penitence, and through your Passiontide,

Forevermore in life and death, O Lord, with us abide.

Abide with us that when this life of suffering is past,

And Eastertide of unending joy we may attain at last! - Claudia F. I. Hernaman, alt.

OFFERTORY

(standing as the gifts are brought forward)

"Create in Me a Clean Heart"

HYMN 188

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Response: **☩ Amen**

GREAT THANKSGIVING, PREFACE, AND SANCTUS

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Eucharistic Prayer

P Holy God, holy and mighty . . . we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

☩ Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P With this bread and cup . . . sins and sorrows will be no more.

☩ Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P Send your Holy Spirit . . . bounty with all the world.

☩ Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

P Receive our praise and petitions . . . in your holy Church, now and forever.

☩ Amen.

Lord's Prayer

chanted by all

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AT THE COMMUNION

(seated)

All are welcome to God's Table of grace. Receive the bread, and then the wine by drinking from the first cup or dipping the bread in the second cup. The bread is gluten-free.

Please keep your mask on until you are ready to eat or drink, and put it back on right away.

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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“A Mighty Fortress Is Our God”

HYMNS 503/504

Stanza 1 – HYMN 503, All, in unison

Stanza 2 – HYMN 504, All, in harmony

Stanza 3 – Organ

Stanza 4 – HYMN 503, All in unison

“The Glory of These Forty Days”

HYMN 320

Stanzas 2 and 3 may be sung in harmony.

COMMUNION 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:

“Ein Feste Burg”

Johann G. Walther

Flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Wes Huisinga, in memory of his parents, Robert & Verlenne, remembering their wedding anniversary.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Presiding Minister & Preacher	Pastor Joseph Crippen
Organist	Cantor David Cherwien
Sacristan	Adam Krueger
Assisting Minister	Kat Campbell Johnson
Eucharistic Minister	Vicar Andrea Bonneville
Livestream	Reid Peterson

	<u>9:00</u>	<u>11:00</u>
Lectors	Adam Krueger	Judy Graves
Acolytes	Al Bipes, Thomas Fenner	Nicholas Johnson, Eric Manuel
Ushers	Michael Lansing, Hans Tisberger	David Anderson, Chuck Reyer
Altar Guild	Cynthia Prosek Katherine Hanson	Mary Crippen

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 13

Presiding Minister & Preacher	Pastor Joseph Crippen
Organist	Cantor David Cherwien
Sacristan	Al Bipes
Assisting Minister	Mark Pipkorn
Eucharistic Minister	Vicar Andrea Bonneville
Livestream	Carolyn Hellerich

	<u>8:00</u>	<u>10:45</u>
Lectors	Cynthia Prosek	Sue Browender
Acolytes	Wes Huisinga, Dave Hellerich	Consuelo Crosby, Sedona Crosby
Ushers	Lisa Ruff, John Bjork	Irene Campbell, Sue Browender
Altar Guild	Lynn Ruff Bob Christenson & Beth Gaede	Katherine Hanson

THIS WEEK AT MOUNT OLIVE

Sunday, March 6 – *First Sunday in Lent*

8:00 am **Holy Eucharist**

10:45 am **Holy Eucharist** (also streamed online)

Monday, March 7 – *St. Perpetua and St. Felicity and companions, martyrs at Carthage*

7:00 pm Vicar Committee

Tuesday, March 8

Noon Bible Study (in person and online)

Wednesday, March 9

9:00 am Staff meeting

Noon Midweek Lenten Eucharist

7:00 pm Lenten Vespers

7:30 pm Cantorei rehearsal

Thursday, March 10 – *Harriet Tubman and Sojourner Truth, renewers of society*

3:30 pm **Victor Price Interment**

7:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous

Friday, March 11

7:00 pm Recovery Group

Saturday, March 12 – *St. Gregory the Great, Bishop of Rome*

10:00 am Book Discussion Group

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OUR LIFE TOGETHER

- **Please pray throughout the week for the following persons:** Julia Adams; Joe & Elizabeth Beissel, Dennis Bidwell; Mary Dodgson; Nancy Flatgard; Leila Froehlich; Leanna Kloempken; Mary Lee; Carla Manuel; Carolyn Mowery; Rhoda Nelson; George Oelfke; Jerry Ostlund; Russ Pearson; John Salveson; Pariann Schenk; John Wall; James Wilkes; the family of Jake and Dannielle Lerum, relatives of Nancy Anderson; Tommie and Susie Hunter, Danna Nelson, Gerry Coleman, friends of Jim Bargmann; Tom McCarr, friend of Keith Bartz; Sheryl Greife, friend of Sabrina Bipes; Cassandra Thompson, friend of Al Bostelmann; Sara Brunette and Marna Dahlgren, daughter-in-law and friend of CJ Brunette; Arthur Kaemmer, friend of David Bryce; Lela Frazier, sister of Irene Campbell; Mattisyn, friend of Kat Campbell Johnson; Kristin Eklund-Johnson, Greg Eklund, Ryan Snelling, daughter, son, and friend of Harry & Jeanette Eklund; Aimee Engebretson; Joyce Schoenfield, sister of Marilyn Gebauer; Joe & Brenda Patnaude, friends of Tom Graves & Ginny Agresti; David G. Gutierrez, Sr., Chris and David Gutierrez, Jr., father and brothers of Consuelo Gutierrez-Crosby; Carol Halter (missionary in Hong Kong), friend of Eunice Hafemeister; Hilde Dobberpuhl, sister of Eunice Hafemeister and aunt of Linda Hafemeister; Cat Robinette, friend of Emily Hellerich; Maribeth, friend of Peggy Hoeft; Steve Horsfield, friend of Mount Olive; Tami Huisinga, relative of Wes Huisinga; Craig Cunningham, brother-in-law of Brian Jacobs; Marvolyn Refsland and Michael Uthe, cousin and friend of Mary Rose Kaliher; Kevin Lyndsley, former member of Mount Olive; Barbara Dahl, sister of Carla Manuel; Dani Olson, Harper Linquist, Steve Camper, relatives and friend of Julie Manuel; Jan McCuen, mother of Matt McCuen; Brad Krider, friend of Rachel Meurett; John Lee Molbert, father of Chandler Molbert; Martha Johnson, sister of Rhoda Nelson and aunt of Sherry Nelson; Kathleen Austad, sister of Jerry Ostlund; Sigrid Johnson, friend of Jean & Doug Parish and Donna & Mike Wolsted; Vince DeLusia, friend of Cynthia Prosek; Sue Smith and Steve Swanson, friends of Dwight Penas & Kathy Thurston; Jolie Melana Meshbesh, friend 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; Julius Underwood, grandson of James Wilkes; Tommie & Susie Hunter; Barbara C. Johnson, friends of Mount Olive.
- **For those in hospice care:** Evelyn Royce.
- **For those celebrating their baptism anniversaries this week:** Peggy Hoeft, Merwyn Larson, Mark Ruff, Thomas Graves, Anders Amala, and Brian Burmeister.
- **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: 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:**
The commemorations are listed on page 11 of worship folder.

When We are Tested



1. When we are test - ed and wres - tle a - lone,
2. When in the des - ert we cry for re - lief,
3. When we are temp - ted to bar - ter our souls,
4. When, we have strug - gled and searched through the night,



fam - ished for bread when the world of - fers stone,
plead - ing for paths marked by cer - tain be - lief,
trad - ing the truth for the pow'r to con - trol,
sort - ing and sift - ing the wrong from the right,



nour - ish us, God, by your word and your way,
lift us to love you be - yond sign and test,
teach us to wor - ship and praise on - ly you,
Sav - ior sur - round us with cir - cles of care,



food that sus - tains us by night and by day.
trust - ing your pres - ence, our on - ly true rest.
seek - ing your will in the work that we do.
an - gels of heal - ing, of hope, and of prayer.

Text: Ruth Duck, b. 1947. ©1996 Hope Publishing Co.
Tune: *TEMPTATION*, David M. Cherwien

The Commemorations

March 7: *St. Perpetua and St. Felicity and companions, martyrs at Carthage, died 202* - Vibia Perpetua, a noblewoman, and her slave Felicity, were catechumens at Carthage, northern Africa. They, with four other catechumens, had defied the Roman emperor who had forbidden conversions to Christianity, and were put to death in the amphitheater.

March 10: *Harriet Tubman, died 1913; Sojourner Truth, died 1883; renewers of society* - Harriet Tubman, born into slavery, helped about 300 others to escape slavery until the institution was abolished. Sojourner Truth, whose birth name was Isabella, was freed after slavery was abolished, and discerned a call to be a preacher. Taking the name Sojourner Truth, she set out on an evangelistic journey, where people found her testimony to be deeply moving.

March 12: *St. Gregory the Great, Bishop of Rome, died 604* - Born into wealth and power, Gregory was for a time the chief administrator of the city of Rome. Giving this up for a life in the church, he was elected pope in 590. He influenced public worship through the establishment of a lectionary and prayers to correlate with the readings. Gregorian chant is named in his honor.

New members will be received into the congregation on
Sunday, March 27, at the 10:45 liturgy.
If you are interested in becoming a member of Mount Olive,
please speak with Pr. Crippen, Vicar Bonneville, Lora Dundek
(evangelism@mountolivechurch.org),
or call the church office.



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