

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 3, 2023 + 10:00 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. 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.

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

Focus on the Season: 14th Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 22 A

The prophet Jeremiah speaks of the incurable wound of his suffering, yet finds in God's words the delight of his heart. When Peter doesn't grasp Jesus' words about suffering, Jesus tells the disciples they will find their lives in losing them. Such sacrificial love is described by Paul when he urges us to associate with the lowly and not repay evil with evil. In worship we gather as a community that we be strengthened in our faith and life in order to offer ourselves for the sake of our suffering world.

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 2.2 A September 3, 2023 + 10:00 a.m.

The Entrance Liturgy

PRELUDE

Suite for Organ Grazioso, Bourree, Ayre Georg Philipp Telemann

AT THE PROCESSION Standing to face the cross as it is carried into the nave "Come Follow Me, the Savior Spake" HYMN 799

Stanza I – All Stanza 2 – Low voices Stanza 3 – Treble voices Stanza 4 – All

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 God, we thank you for your Son, who chose the path of suffering for the sake of the world. Humble us by his example, point us to the path of obedience, and give us strength to follow your commands, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

C Amen.

The Liturgy of the Word

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 15:15-21 Response: **G** Thanks be to God. (seated)

PSALMODY: Psalm 26:1-8

Sung by all, using the following tone:



SECOND READING: Romans 12:9-21 Response: **C** Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION "Alleluia..." (standing) НУМN 175

(kneeling)

HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 16:21-28

Response after the announcement: G Glory to you, O Lord.
Response after the conclusion: Praise to you, O Christ.
The Acclamation is sung again.

Please remain standing until the invocation is pronounced.

SERMON

A brief silence follows the sermon.

НУМN OF THE DAУ "Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song" Stanza 3 may be sung in harmony.	(standing) НУМN 808
APOSTLES' CREED	page 105

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Response: **G** hear our prayer.

PEACE

You are invited to share God's peace with those around you.

The Liturgy of the Eucharistic Meal

OFFERING	(seated)
OFFERTORУ "Now We Join in Celebration"	(standing) НУМN 462
OFFERTORY PRAYER Response: 🖸 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 thanksandpraise.	



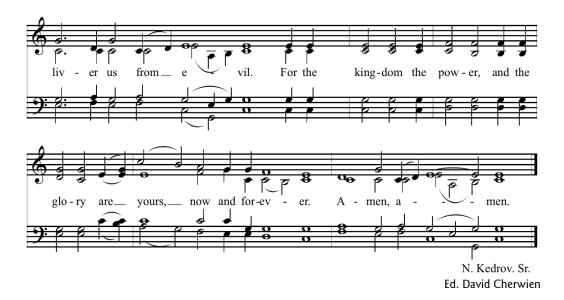
Tune: Plainsong, harm. J. S. Bach

Eucharistic Prayer

- ▶ Holy God, our Bread of Life . . . until he comes.
- **G** Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.
- **P** Remembering, therefore, . . . everlasting feast.
- Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
- ▶ Send your Holy Spirit . . . Christ in the world.
- Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.
- **P** Join our prayers . . . now and forever.
- Amen

Lord's Prayer





AT THE COMMUNION

(seated)

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.

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

"Jesus, Lamb of God"	НУМN 199
"Spirit, Open My Heart"	ACS HYMN 1043
"Hope of the World" Stanzas 2 and 4 may be sung in harmony.	ACS НУМN 1085
TABLE BLESSING Response: 🖸 Amen.	(standing)

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Response: **G** Amen.

The Liturgy of Sending

SENDING OF COMMUNION MINISTERS

The Sacrament of our Lord's Body and Blood may be sent to those unable to be present at our celebration.

- We send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that our sisters and brothers may also share in the communion of Christ's body and blood.
- **•** We who are many are one body in Christ, sharing one bread, one cup.

BLESSING

DISMISSAL

- ℙ Go in peace to love and serve as Christ.
- **G** Thanks be to God!

POSTLUDE	Allegro from 4 th Concerto	J. S. Bach
	8 ,	J

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God by Tricia & Chandler Molbert, in celebration of their 17th wedding anniversary. and by Paul and Sharon Odlaug, in celebration of their 51st wedding anniversary.

Beginning next Sunday, September 10, we resume our regular Sunday Eucharist schedule, two liturgies each Sunday morning at 8:00 and 10:45 a.m.

WORSHIP LEADERS

* Presiding Minister & Preacher	The Rev. Beth Gaede
* Organist	Reid Peterson
Sacristan	Al Bipes
Assisting Minister	Vicar Lauren Mildahl
Livestream / Audio Mix	Jan Harbaugh / Ken Schulz
Acolytes	Dixie Berg, Eric Zander
Lector	Brian Jacobs
Ushers	Andrew Andersen, Lisa Nordeen,
	Jerry Duncan
Communion Ministers	Al Bipes, Judy & Walt Hinck
Altar Guild	Paula Carlson, Candy Husemoller
Coffee Host	Marlene Sorenson

* Cantor Cherwien is on vacation through September 5. * Pastor Crippen is on vacation through September 4.

WORSHIP LEADERS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

Presiding Minister Preacher Organist Sacristan Assisting Minister Communion Minister Livestream / Audio Mix (10:45) Choir

Pastor Joseph Crippen Vicar Lauren Mildahl Cantor David Cherwien Tom Olsen Beth Gaede Larry Duncan / Ken Schulz Cantorei

	<u>8:00</u>	<u>10:45</u>
Acolytes	Kat Campbell Johnson,	Amy Thompson, Tim Pipkoen
	Tim Sneer	
Lectors	Dale Kruse	Judy Graves
Ushers	John Bjork, Michael Lansing	Sue Browender, Elena Molbert,
		Chuck Reyer
Altar Guild	Cynthia Prosek	Kristine Carlson, Paula Carlson
	Beth Gaede & Bob Christenson	
Coffee Hosts	Hosts Needed!	Hosts Needed!

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

- Please pray throughout the week for the following persons: Julia Adams; Anne Bartz; Joe & Elizabeth Beissel; family of Joel Crandall & Angel Scott; Brad Holt; Leanna Kloempken; Steve Lenius; Carla Manuel; Jude Mostek; Rhoda Nelson; Renee Ollikain; Jerry Ostlund; Russ Pearson; Mike Rader; Robin Rayfield; Pariann Schenk; Rodney Schrank; Don Shifflet; David Tabis; Brenda Turner; Grace Wiechman; James Wilkes; Rhonda Fish, friend of Andrew Andersen; Gerry Coleman, friend of Jim Bargmann; Sheryl Greife, friend of Sabrina Bipes; Cassandra Thompson, friend of Al Bostelmann; Sara Brunette, daughter-in-law of Cl Brunette; Arthur Kaemmer, friend of David Bryce; Randy Caverly, nephew of Marcia & Dan Burow; Lela Frazier, sister of Irene Campbell; Mattisyn, friend of Kat Campbell Johnson; Marilyn Volker, sister of Allen Dundek; Greg Eklund, son of Harry & Jeanette Eklund; Jon Jrocki, friend of David Engen; Joyce Schoenfield, sister of Marilyn Gebauer; Bill Irwin and Dennis Fisher, brothers-in-law of John Gidmark; Joe & Brenda Patnaude, friends of Tom Graves & Ginny Agresti; Carol Halter (missionary in Hong Kong), friend of Eunice Hafemeister; lim and Gina, grandfather and aunt of Vicar Mollie Hamre; Quentin Hamilton, friend of Judy Hinck; Ethan Holtmeier, grandson of Patsy & John Holtmeier; Steve Horsfield, friend of Mount Olive; Tami Huisinga, relative of Wes Huisinga; the Klapushynski family (of Ukraine), friends of Jim & Judy Johnson; Michael Uthe, friend of Mary Rose Kaliher; Cavin Horton, friend of Kathy Kruger; Ann Richards, friend of Carol Martinson; Jan McCuen, mother of Matt McCuen; Stan & Darlene Nelson, parents of Brad Nelson; Martha Johnson, sister of Rhoda Nelson and aunt of Sherry Nelson; Tim Gaudineer, brother-in-law of George & Marlys Oelfke; Jennie Kobylinski, niece of Dwight Penas & Kathy Thurston; Fred Prosek and family, relatives of Cynthia Prosek; Jolie Melana Meshbesher, friend of Robin Rayfield; John Seboldt, brother of Gayle & Ken Schulz; Miranda Alvis, niece of Tim Sneer; Greta Sterner, daughter of Martha Sterner and sister of Kate Sterner; Pat McCabe, friend of Melissa Stone; Brylee Tabis, granddaughter of David & Shirley Tabis; Keith Van Ee, father of Tricia Van Ee Molbert; David Duran, friend of Kevin Vazquez; Eileen Weiss, mother-in-law of John Wall; Andrew Wiechman, son of Grace Wiechman; Pat Faunce and Conrad Kunz, friends of Eric Zander (and Dennis Bidwell); Barbara C. Johnson, friend of Mount Olive.
- For those celebrating their baptism anniversaries this week: Catherine Torgeson.
- For those in hospice care: Mary Lee.

• We remember the saints who have gone before us:

September 9: *St. 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.

THIS WEEK AT MOUNT OLIVE

<i>Sunday, September 3</i> – Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 22 A		
10:00 am	Holy Eucharist, followed by coffee and conversation	
<u>Monday, Sept</u>	t ember 4 – Labor Day holiday (Church offices closed)	
7:00 pm	Monday Night WAVE (N.A. group)	
<u>Tuesday, Sep</u>	tember 5	
Noon	Bible Study	
7:00 pm	Global Ministry Committee meeting	
Wednesday, S	September 6	
10:00 am	Staff meeting	
7:00 pm	Y2 Confirmation	
7:00 pm	Cantorei rehearsals resume	
Thursday, September 7		
7:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous	
Friday, September 8		
7:00 pm	Recovery Group	
Saturday, September 9		
10:00 am	Book Discussion	
<u>Sunday, September 10</u> – Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Lect. 23 A		
8:00 am	Holy Eucharist, followed by coffee and conversation	
9:30 am	Education for all ages	
	Bread for the World Offering of Letters	
10:45 am	Holy Eucharist, followed by coffee and conversation	



Mount Olive Lutheran Church (ELCA)

3045 Chicago Avenue • Minneapolis, MN 55407 Phone: (612) 827-5919 • Fax: (612) 827-4557 Musical, Liturgical, Welcoming + A Reconciling in Christ Congregation Email: welcome@mountolivechurch.org Website: www.mountolivechurch.org

<u>Staff</u>

 Pastor – Joseph Crippen
 Cantor - David Cherwien

 Vicar – Lauren Mildahl
 Administrative Assistant – Cha Posz

 Coordinator of Neighborhood Ministry – Jim Bargmann