



Mount Olive
LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Sunday, June 22nd, 2025

Weekly Calendar

June 23rd–June 29th

Monday (6/23)

9:00 am – Quilters

Tuesday (6/24)

6:30 pm – Females in Faith

Wednesday (6/25)

10:00 am – Today's Light Bible
Study

Saturday (6/27)

7:30 am – Early Risers

Sunday (6/29)

9:00 am – Divine Worship with
Communion
10:00 am – Coffee Hour
10:30 am – Voter's Meeting

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@mountolivemadison
or on our website
www.molc.us

New around here? Welcome to Mount Olive!

We're so glad to see you! We hope you are blessed today as we worship the Lord together. Please fill out an attendance/communion card located in the pews and drop it in the offering plate. We invite you to stay for fellowship and Adult Education Hour following our service. We're glad you're here and hope to see you again.

We Pray for . . . Prayers of healing for Hank Barrington's dad, Jerry, Faye, George, Misti, Jane, Russ, Joni, Jane, Matt, Jerry, James and Mark, and our homebound shut-in members.

This Week's News

Weekly Attendance: June 15th - 97

Coffee Hour Host – The Torkelson's

Altar Flowers – In Celebration of Brian & Connie LaRowe's 48th Wedding Anniversary!

LIFE TOGETHER: Today we look at excerpts from Dietrich Bonhoeffer's book, *Life Together*, where he chronicles the basics of Christian communion in light of starting an underground seminary in Nazi Germany. Despite the historical circumstances, Bonhoeffer is fixed on the historical Church and those things that make for a strong community. This will be our last Adult Bible Study until September.

Please join us for our Voters Assembly Meeting on June 29th, 2025 at 10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will review restructuring, board reports, update on District Convention and Status of the Church.

The highest administrative authority in our congregation is given to the Voter's Assembly. This assembly oversees the work of our congregation boards and staff and is the ultimate decision-making body in determining our future plans and actions. For the congregation to move forward in our mission and ministry in the spirit of Jesus Christ it is important that our voting members be committed to our Lord and willing to take upon themselves the responsibilities of discipleship. Such discipleship involves a commitment to prayer, concern, and work for the advancement of the mission of the congregation and the Church-at-large. *Applications are due by June 29th, 2025, and are located on the Narthex.*

The last day for Office Manager, Theresa Rowe will be June 25th, 2025.

Thank you to the kind souls who welcomed me and patiently answered questions since I started at Mount Olive in December of 2023, a few weeks before Christmas. I will be transitioning to working full time at Revelations

Barbershop in Mount Horeb, Wisconsin. Stop by and say hello if you're in the Trollway Community! I'd love to see you! I am right down the hall from blissful Driftless Chocolates.

LUTHERAN WITNESS SUBSCRIPTIONS:

Do you want to receive a monthly subscription for the Lutheran Witness for September 2025 - June 2026 (11 issues per year), the church has a bulk subscription price of \$ 20.65 per year. That is a savings of about 18% versus the individual subscription price of over \$26.00. The Lutheran Witness will be sent directly to your home.

If you wish to take advantage of the reduced price, please give your check to Jerry Sander, or place it in the offering plate by July 6th. I will also need your mailing address to put on the form that is sent to Concordia Publishing House. If you have any questions, please call Jerry at (303) 961-0340 or email him at jlsander70@gmail.com.

Serving Next Week – June 29th, 2025 – 9:00 am

Altar Guild: Yana Ostendorf
Elder: Dave Gaston
Greeter: Youth Group
Lector: Youth Group
Organists: Bethany Torkelson and Jonathan Torkelson
Usher Team: Matt Dierks
Camera: Jordan Braasch
Audio/Visual: James Fenske

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:9b-21

Epistle: Gal. 5:1,13-25

Holy Gospel: Luke 9:51-62

Tour of Madison - Badger Internationals is looking for Volunteers! The sign up sheet is available in the Narthex. **Deadline to register as a volunteer is Friday August 23, 2024.** If your spouse or friends plan to volunteer, you each need to register separately.

Volunteer Roles:

- DRIVER – (1:00 – 6:00 PM)
- READER – who reads a script while another person drives (1:00 – 6:00 PM)
- BACK-UP DRIVER/READER – who will be notified a day or two before the Tour, depending on the number of student registrations (1:00 – 6:00 PM)
- HOST HOME – open up your home and provide a light snack to 20 – 30 people at the end of the Tour (4:00 – 6:00 PM)
- REGISTRATION ASSISTANT – welcome the students and other volunteers as they arrive (12:30 – 3:00 PM)
- WHERE MOST NEEDED – you are willing to fill any role, wherever the help is most needed for the event.

Card Shop:

Wedding, Anniversary, Get Well Cards and many others are stocked in the card shop.

All single cards are \$1 unless marked differently. Thank you for your support and donations to LWML.

Prayer Requests

For prayers to be added to the prayer chain please call or text Barb Koehler at (608)335-6589.

*Any announcements, notices, acknowledgements, etc. need to be submitted to the church office by noon on Thursday of each week.
Thank you!*

Our Staff

Rev. Dan Torkelson, *Senior Pastor*
Rev. Mark Baldwin, *Visitation Pastor*
Andrea Troia, *Preschool Director/Lead Teacher*
Kathy Germanotta, *Preschool Assistant*
Theresa Rowe, *Office Manager*



are available from the ushers as you enter the church. They have games and pictures, themed with today's Gospel.



Thy Strong Word

Hosted by Pastor Phil Booe



Coming soon on *Thy Strong Word*:

June 23, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. CT

The Rev. Daniel Torkelson
will be on the air discussing

Genesis 44:1-34
Joseph Tests His Brothers

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