

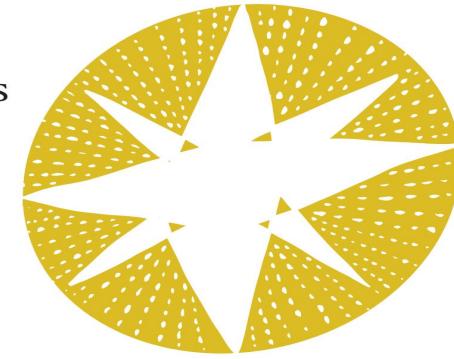


# Bible Quiz



Complete this Bible verse: "The (1)\_\_\_\_ (2)\_\_\_\_ in the (3)\_\_\_\_, and the (3)\_\_\_\_ has not overcome it."

- A. (1) Word; (2) speaks; (3) silence
- B. (1) light; (2) shines; (3) darkness
- C. (1) kingdom of God; (2) reigns; (3) world
- D. (1) Spirit of God; (2) shines; (3) world
- E. None of the above



**Answer:** B (See John 1:5.)

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## MOUNT OLIVE LCMS

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*Treasuring God's Truth, Living out His Love*



Lifted by the hand of Jesus, wrapped in divine love and empowered by the Holy Spirit, let us worship!

"Blessed are those you... bring near to live in your courts! We are filled with the good things of your house" (Psalm 65:4, NIV).

### Current Covid Procedures

\*As of review in July 2022\* Even as transmission rates decline in Minnesota, we are still recommending masks for all (not required) and Social Distancing of 6 feet. Please, consider others and respect comfort zones. Coffee/treats are served after service again. Please join us! If there are any suggestions or concerns contact Jim Merchant. 952-334-2841

### Still Happening

1. In House services
2. Recorded services: Web, YouTube, Facebook
3. Bulletins will be mailed on Wednesday afternoon to those w/o internet services and are unable to attend a service in person.
4. Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 8 -11:30, Friday - drop in for mail.

If you are in need of pastoral care, please call Pastor Mike @ 952-388-3858. Pastor's Drop-In Hours: Tues & Sat 9 - 11. Available by appt.

### Open and On Line:

Bible Classes on Sun, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri.

**Reader:** Linda Verkennes

**Counters:** Terry P & Jan P

**Sunday 10/16/22 Attendance:** 47

**Sunday 10/16/22 Offering:** \$4,263

**Vanco 10/16/2022:** \$160



October 23rd, 2022

**Twentieth Sunday  
after Pentecost**

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\*Personal Hearing devices are available at the AV desk

### **Order of Service**

#### **Divine Service Setting Two Page 167**

**Opening Hymn:** 605 Father Welcomes  
**Baptism of Kaden Ryan Dodds**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Salutation and Collect of the Day**

**Old Testament Reading:** Genesis 12:1-4a

**Epistle Reading:** 1 Peter 2:1-10

**Alleluia and Verse**

**Holy Gospel Reading:** Luke 18:9-17

**Sermon**

**Prayer of the Church**

**Hymn**

**Preface**

**Sanctus**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**The Words of Our Lord**

**Pax Domini**

**Hymn:** 611 Chief of Sinners Though I Be

**Hymn:** 660 Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus

**Thank the Lord**

**Post-Communion Collect**

**Benediction**

**Announcements**

**Closing Hymn:** 588 Jesus Loves Me

**Treats in the Fellowship Hall**

## **Calling ALL Bakers, Makers, Builders, and Creative Types!**

The Women of Mount Olive will be hosting their **Annual Bazaar and Bake Sale** on **Saturday, November 5 from 9 AM to 12 Noon**. Please save the date and please be working on your handcrafted items to help us raise money for local nonprofit organizations serving the Mound Westonka community and various Lutheran mission efforts. There is a sign up board in the Narthex.

The wider variety of items we have to sell, the more inviting our sale is and the more funds we raise! Whether you knit, crochet, sew, do woodcrafts, create spruce tip planters, make jewelry, bake, paint, or put together enticing gift baskets, your contributions would be greatly appreciated. Please be working on whatever creative contributions you can make for the sale as it helps the local community. Donation items may be dropped off on **Friday, November 4 from 4-7 PM. Please make sure ALL items are labeled and priced!**

Also, back this year (barring any pandemic restrictions that could potentially arise) will be conversation tables for enjoying fellowship with the community. Coffee, tea, and treats will be available at no charge, but there will be a vessel for accepting any freewill offerings you may wish to contribute. Invite your friends and family and enjoy time visiting and shopping. Hope to see you all there! Please speak with Sandi Woytcke, Marianne Meyer, or Jan Preble if you have questions.

## **DONATIONS NEEDED FOR SPRUCE TIP PLANTERS FOR THE BAZAAR**

### **WOMO is seeking donations!**

Members of WOMO are assembling spruce tip planters to sell at the bazaar and are seeking donations (**must be at church by Sunday, October 30**) of the following items:

- A bundle/or bundles of spruce tips (or a contribution toward purchasing them as they cost \$33 per bundle at the reduced price we are receiving & we'd like to assemble a

minimum of 10 pots)

- Birch branches not to exceed 2" in diameter. They may be 18" - 48" in length
- Assorted "stake style" seasonal/Christmas decorations
- Red twig dogwood branches
- Tall, dried hydrangea
- Cloth wired ribbon or mesh ribbon of all widths (silver, gold, blue, white, red, natural, burlap style) that can withstand the outdoor elements
- Cedar boughs
- Clean planter pots 14" - 24" in diameter

**Gift cards to Hobby Lobby or Michael's to buy supplies (must be received by today, Sunday, October 23)**

## **October is Pastor Appreciation Month**

There is a basket in the narthex where you may leave notes/cards/gifts of appreciation and thanks for Pastor Mike.

**Baptism** Kaden Ryan Dodds will be baptized today. Born 6/23/2022. Kaden is the great grandson of former church member Harvey Schultz. Parents, Jay & Jaimie were married at Mount Olive. Mom Jaimie and big sister Kennedy were all baptized at Mount Olive. Sponsors: Tiffany Kirsch, Chris Gibson, and Kayla Skochenski. Welcome into the Kingdom of God.

## **Lutheran Heritage Foundation**

Today we welcome Rev. Mark Moss, mission engagement associate at the Lutheran Heritage Foundation, as our guest preacher. Join us during Bible class, when Rev. Moss will tell about LHF's mission work around the globe, and how God is calling people to faith through the Lutheran literature available in their own languages. To support this important mission effort, you may use the special offering envelope attached to the enclosed LHF brochure.

## **MOLC Bazaar & Bake Sale**



through Jesus Christ. <sup>6</sup>For it stands in Scripture: "Behold, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious, and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame." <sup>7</sup>So the honor is for you who believe, but for those who do not believe, "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone," <sup>8</sup>and "A stone of stumbling, and a rock of offense." They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do. <sup>9</sup>But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. <sup>10</sup>Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

## **HOLY GOSPEL Luke 18:9-17**

<sup>9</sup>Jesus also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and treated others with contempt:

<sup>10</sup>"Two men went up into the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector.

<sup>11</sup>The Pharisee, standing by himself, prayed thus: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even like this tax collector. <sup>12</sup>I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I get.' <sup>13</sup>But the tax collector, standing far off, would not even lift up his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me, a sinner!' <sup>14</sup>I tell you, this man went down to his house justified, rather than the other. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted."

<sup>15</sup>Now they were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them. And when the disciples saw it, they rebuked them. <sup>16</sup>But Jesus called them to him, saying, "Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. <sup>17</sup>Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it."

<sup>1</sup>Now the LORD said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. <sup>2</sup>And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. <sup>3</sup>I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." <sup>4</sup>So Abram went, as the LORD had told him, and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran.

## **EPISTLE 1 Peter 2:1-10**

<sup>1</sup>So put away all malice and all deceit and hypocrisy and envy and all slander. <sup>2</sup>Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up to salvation—<sup>3</sup>if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. <sup>4</sup>As you come to him, a living stone rejected by men but in the sight of God chosen and precious,<sup>5</sup>you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God