

have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. ¹⁵“Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. ¹⁶They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. ¹⁷For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

HOLY GOSPEL Luke 21:25–36

²⁵Jesus said: “There will be signs in sun and moon and stars, and on the earth distress of nations in perplexity because of the roaring of the sea and the waves, ²⁶people fainting with fear and with foreboding of what is coming on the world. For the powers of the heavens will be shaken. ²⁷And then they will

see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. ²⁸Now when these things begin to take place, straighten up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.” ²⁹And he told them a parable: “Look at the fig tree, and all the trees. ³⁰As soon as they come out in leaf, you see for yourselves and know that the summer is already near. ³¹So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. ³²Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all has taken place. ³³Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. ³⁴“But watch yourselves lest your hearts be weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and cares of this life, and that day come upon you suddenly like a trap. ³⁵For it will come upon all who dwell on the face of the whole earth. ³⁶But stay awake at all times, praying that you may have strength to escape all these things that are going to take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.”

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+ **LWML Sunday**



Treasuring God's Truth, Living out His Love

Welcome to worship this autumn morning. I invite you to greet those near you as brothers and sisters in Christ.

I call to mind some people who support me in faith: “[Name], I thank God... as night and day I constantly remember you in my prayers” (2 Timothy 1:3, NIV).

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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: Harriet Gustafson
Counters: Linda V & Melanie K
Sunday 9/25/22 Attendance: 49
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Order of Service

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Hymn: 855 For All The Faithful Women sts. 1, 3-4

Salutation and Collect of the Day

Old Testament Reading: Habakkuk 1: 1-4; 2:1-4

Epistle Reading: Revelation 7:9-17
Stand

Holy Gospel Reading: Luke 21:25-36

Sermon: Waiting and Working

Psalm: 62

2022 LWML Sunday—Litany for Mites

Prayer of the Church

Preface

Sanctus

Lord's Prayer

The Words of our Lord

Service of the Sacrament / Communion

Pax Domini

Hymn: 575 My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less

Hymn: 837 Lift High The Cross sts. Ref-6

Benediction

Announcements

Closing Hymn: Serve The Lord With Gladness (Tune: LSB 662)

Treats in Fellowship Hall

LWML Sunday—is today!



Check out our website!

We are no longer utilizing Google Calendars however, we do have our calendar on our website. We have also updated some information and now you can view current and past bulletins & newsletters. Please let us know if you have any suggestions as to what else you would like to see on our website!

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3. A listing of charities will appear, select "Mount Olive Lutheran Church"
4. Done! From now on, Mount Olive is saved as your preferred charity.

Fire Prevention Open House

The Mound Fire Department will be hosting a Fire Prevention Open House on Wednesday October 5th from 6-8 PM. There will be fun hands-on activities for children, fire truck rides, live fire demonstrations and more!

LWML Fall Gathering



Everyone is invited to a Fall Gathering Saturday, October 8, 2022 (Registration at 8:45) 9:00-11:00am Suggested Registration: \$5 (first timers free) Free Will Offering: for District LWML Program Gifts from the heart: Quilts or Completed Kits Bedding & Bath Kit: Twin sheet set with pillowcase, pillow (new) , bath towel, hand towel, washcloth, bathmat (new) and 10-15 hangers Kitchen & Dining Kit: Silverware (set of 4 knives, forks and spoons), place settings (set of 4 plates and bowls), set of kitchen knives. Located at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 5701 Eden Prairie Rd, Minnetonka 952-934-9633 Bethany Ringdal, Community Formation Coordinator of the International Association for Refugees, Jonathan House presenting: "Shelter, Hope & Healing: Asylum Seeking Refugees in Minnesota" Hosted by the LWML Lake Minnetonka Zone.

Gillespie Center Open House

Thursday October 13th from 5-7 PM. Join us for Beverages, Hors D'oeuvres, Displays, Tours, Passport Game (10 and under), Questions Answered.

MOLC Bazaar & Bake Sale

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.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4

¹The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw. ²O LORD, how long shall I cry for help, and you will not hear? Or cry to you "Violence!" and you will not save? ³Why do you make me see iniquity, and why do you idly look at wrong? Destruction and violence are before me; strife and contention arise. ⁴So the law is paralyzed, and justice never goes forth. For the wicked surround the righteous; so justice goes forth perverted. ¹I will take my stand at my watchpost and station myself on the tower, and look out to see what he will say to me, and what I will answer concerning my complaint. ²And the LORD answered me: "Write the vision; make it plain on tablets, so he may run who reads it. ³For still the vision awaits its appointed time; it hastens to the end—it will not lie. If it seems slow, wait for it; it will surely come; it will not delay. ⁴"Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him, but the righteous shall live by his faith."

EPISTLE Revelation 7:9-17

⁹After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, ¹⁰and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ¹¹And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²saying, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen." ¹³Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" ¹⁴I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They