

HOLY GOSPEL

Luke 24:36-49

³⁶As they were talking about these things, Jesus himself stood among them, and said to them, "Peace to you!" ³⁷But they were startled and frightened and thought they saw a spirit. ³⁸And he said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? ³⁹See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself. Touch me, and see. For a spirit does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have." ⁴⁰And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. ⁴¹And while they still disbelieved for joy and were marveling, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" ⁴²They gave him a piece of broiled fish, ⁴³and he took it and ate before them. ⁴⁴Then he said to them, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." ⁴⁵Then he

opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, ⁴⁶and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, ⁴⁷and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. ⁴⁸You are witnesses of these things. ⁴⁹And behold, I am sending the promise of my Father upon you. But stay in the city until you are clothed with power from on high."

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April 14, 2024

+ **Third Sunday
of Easter** +

Treasuring God's Truth, Living out His Love

Welcome to worship in the name of the God of life, the risen Jesus, and the Holy Spirit who empowers our discipleship. Amen.

The risen Jesus invites us into peace as we touch his scarred body. May we, the body of Christ, share his peace with one another by touching each other's lives with love.

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What's Happening

1. In House services * Personal hearing devices are available at the AV desk.
2. Sunday School September- May (Ages 3 - 6th Grade)
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 9:00 - Noon

In Person and On Line Bible Classes:

1st Wednesday of the month @ 1:00 PM @ LMS
Tuesday's - Men's Bible Study @ 7:00 AM
Wednesday's - Women's Bible Study @ 10:00 AM
Thursday's - Bible Study @ 9:00 AM
Friday's - Harrison Bay @ 2:00 PM

Altar Duty for April: Debbie Connolly & Heather Berthiaume

Counters: Rita Kaiser & Brian Podratz

Reader: Michael Peterson

Sunday 4/7/2024 Attendance: 45

Sunday 4/7/2024 Offerings: \$3,740

Vanco 4/7/2024: \$180

Order of Service

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Ringling of the Bells and Prayer

Hymn: 483 With High Delight Let Us Unite

Gloria in Excelsis

Salutation and Collect of the Day

Old Testament Reading: Acts 3:11-21

Epistle Reading: 1 John 3:1-7

Alleluia

Holy Gospel Reading: Luke 24:36-49

Hymn: 464 The Strife Is O'er, The Battle Done

Sermon

Offertory

Prayer of the Church

Preface

Sanctus

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord

Communion

Pax Domini

Hymn: 392 God Loves Me Dearly

Hymn: 725 Children of the Heavenly Father

Nunc Dimittis

Benediction

Announcements

My Redeemer Lives

Door Offering for "Cancer Companions:

Phil's Friends"

Treats in the Fellowship Hall

We must never take the praise of our prosperity for ourselves.

“You may say to yourself, ‘My power and the strength of my hands have produced this wealth for me.’ But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you the ability to produce wealth. . .” (Deut. 8:17-18).



- *Carol Morrison 4/18
- *Joan Coddon 4/19
- *Millie Morrison 4/20

WOMO Vote Meeting

We will meet in the narthex after service on **Sunday April 14th** regarding allocation of funds.

Door Offering for “Cancer Companions: Phil’s Friends”

We will be taking a door offering for Cancer Companions after service today.

Women of Mt. Olive (WOMO) SAVE THE DATES!

The next quarterly meeting for WOMO will be held **Sunday, May 19** after worship. **Saturday, April 27** beginning at **11 AM** WOMO will host a **Salad Luncheon** for ALL women affiliated with MOLC.

WOMO Salad Luncheon

Unfortunately, WOMO hasn’t hosted a Salad Luncheon since before the pandemic hit and this event was well attended in the past and enjoyed by all the women of MOLC. We

hope to have a great turn out once again! WOMO members will provide desserts and beverages and we ask that all who participate bring a salad to share. Bring a salad of your choosing, be it pasta, greens, fruit, tuna, vegetable, chicken or other. There is a sign up sheet in the Narthex. We plan to play “*The Dice Game*” again too, so you’re encouraged to bring a wrapped gift item of nominal value for some additional fun and “stealing”. Come for an afternoon of fun and fellowship with your sisters in Christ!

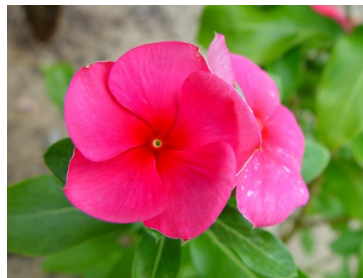


Treasuring God’s Truth and Joining Jesus on His Mission

We truly appreciate all of the volunteer work that goes into running our church. We also love to recognize though people and maybe inspire others to join in! If you have noticed someone going out of their way or above and beyond either within Mount Olive or within our community please send the information to Lindsey to put into the Newsletters!

Give & Grow

Otten Bros. Garden Center & Landscaping is proud to present our community fundraising program called GIVE & GROW. Our goal is to provide an easy way to help local clubs, schools, churches and other community organizations earn money. Shop with us April 15th thru May 31st and 10% of each pre-taxed dollar you spend at any of our two locations and 5% of all signed landscape projects will go to Mount Olive Lutheran Church. It is an easy way to raise funds for your group. Present the flyer that is in the Narthex to the cashiers upon



checking out. We take care of the rest. Take advantage of the GIVE & GROW program as many times as you like until May 31st.

Looney Lutherans

The Looney Lutherans will be coming to St. John’s on **Sunday, April 21, 2024 at 2pm!** Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$15 at the door. Refreshments will be served.

Tickets can be purchased: On Sunday mornings at the Looney Lutheran table, In the church office (open Monday – Thursday 9am – 3pm) or Online.



FIRST READING

Acts 3:11–21

¹¹While the lame man who was now healed clung to Peter and John, all the people ran together to them in the portico called Solomon’s, astounded. ¹²And when Peter saw it he addressed the people: “Men of Israel, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we have made him walk? ¹³The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our fathers, glorified his servant Jesus, whom you delivered over and denied in the presence of Pilate, when he had decided to release him. ¹⁴But you denied the Holy and Righteous One, and asked for a

murderer to be granted to you, ¹⁵and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. ¹⁶And his name—by faith in his name—has made this man strong whom you see and know, and the faith that is through Jesus has given the man this perfect health in the presence of you all. ¹⁷“And now, brothers, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. ¹⁸But what God foretold by the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer, he thus fulfilled. ¹⁹Repent therefore, and turn again, that your sins may be blotted out, ²⁰that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Christ appointed for you, Jesus, ²¹whom heaven must receive until the time for restoring all the things about which God spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets long ago.”

EPISTLE

1 John 3:1–7

¹See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ²Beloved, we are God’s children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. ³And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure. ⁴Everyone who makes a practice of sinning also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. ⁵You know that he appeared to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. ⁶No one who abides in him keeps on sinning; no one who keeps on sinning has either seen him or known him. ⁷Little children, let no one deceive you. Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous.