

THIS WEEK —November 3-10

SUNDAY	8 & 10:30 AM – Worship w/ Communion 9-9:25 AM – SCRIP 9:15 AM – Bible Study & Sunday School 9:15 AM – Family Growing in Christ	Mount Olive Family Reunion 11:45 AM – Potluck 1 PM - Volleyball 6 PM – Valley Teen Night @ Mount Olive 7 PM – Men’s Basketball
MONDAY		6 PM – Worship w/ Communion 6 PM – Church Properties
TUESDAY		
WEDNESDAY	9 AM – Adult Bible Study 1 PM – Ladies Aid Meeting	4:15 PM – Public School Instruction (PSI) 6:30 PM – Male Chorus
THURSDAY	8 AM – Women’s Bible Study	5:30 PM – Member Ministry 6 PM – Family Growing in Christ 6:30 PM – Stamp Club
FRIDAY	6:30 AM – Men’s Bible Study	NO SCHOOL
SATURDAY	Apple Valley Food Pantry Pickup	5:30 PM – Worship
SUNDAY	8 & 10:30 AM – Worship 9-9:25 AM – SCRIP 9:15 AM – Bible Study & Sunday School 9:15 AM – Family Growing in Christ	1 PM – Volleyball 4 PM – Family Night at the Movies 7 PM – Men’s Basketball

OFFERINGS/OTHER INCOME		BUDGET	ACTUAL
Offerings	Week of 10/28/2024	\$31,475	\$22,107
Offerings	Fiscal Year-to-date	\$500,700	\$494,175
Offerings + Other Income	Fiscal Year-to-date	\$963,081	\$935,077
Forward in Faith 2	Week of 10/28/2024		\$1,531
Forward in Faith 2	Net debt remaining		\$1,117,512

USHERS Saturday 5:30 PM – Michael Hyne (Captain) Bryan & Gavin Reising
Sunday 8 AM – Bryan Thede (Captain) Andy Lawonn, Tom Bader, Michael & Ben Smith
Sunday 10:30 AM– Chad Krowas (Captain) Derek Kritzer, Tom Ermers, Jason Garland
Monday 6 PM – Roger VandenLangenberg (Captain) Josh Enter

GREETERS This Week: (Sat) – Arnold, Hyne, Krueger
(Sun 8AM) – Bader, Enter, Schultz (Sun 10:30 AM) – Strey, Strey, Kesting
Next Week: (Sat) – Arnold, OPEN, OPEN
(Sun 8AM) – Molitor, Molitor, Van De Weghe (Sun 10:30 AM) – OPEN, OPEN, OPEN

COFFEE CAFÉ This Week: (8-10 AM) Tom & Karen Medema (10 AM-Noon) Brad & Laura Waurio
Next Week: (8-10 AM) Nicole & Chase Mignon (10 AM-Noon) Bruce & Kim Willhite

AV TEAM November 2-4: Saturday – Bohlmann; Monday – Julie Neujahr
Sunday (8 AM) – Elijah Leahy, (10:30 AM) – Brayden Kaddatz
November 9-11: Saturday – Louisa Falck; Monday – Julie Neujahr
Sunday (8 AM) – Andrew Fenske, (10:30 AM) – Dane Clausen

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:

Saturday: 124; Sunday: 8 AM 285, 10:30 AM 224; Monday: 71; Online: 117; Total: 821

DIVINE CALLS Mount Olive called Mrs. April Glodowski, currently serving in Kiel, WI, to serve as a flex teacher in the lower grades. Mrs. Brittany Immel has returned her call to serve as a preschool teacher. We will be scheduling another call meeting for the preschool teacher position in November.

NEW BIBLE CLASSES:

The Fruit of the Spirit continues this week. This week's fruit is **Joy**. Join Pastor Raasch in the Commons between services on Sunday. New faces are welcome!

Malachi and the Middle: A Study of the final book of the Old Testament and brief overview of the Intertestamental Period The way God chose the last Old Testament writer, Malachi, to say the last words of the Hebrew Scripture is highly interesting, comforting, and encouraging. Then, God didn't speak through a prophet until John the Baptist, 400 years later! What happened during those so-called silent years, anyway? A lot! The Intertestamental Period is packed with conquest, social upheaval, and faction forming. This will start on **Sunday, November 17 from 9:15-10:15 AM** in the sanctuary led by Pastor Gawel.

A POTLUCK MEAL will be held in the Church Commons at 11:45 AM on Sunday, Nov. 3. If you are planning to attend, please bring a dish to pass. Drinks, plates and utensils will be furnished. Please be seated at one of the tables while you wait for the meal to begin.

VALLEY TEEN NIGHT Mount Olive will host Valley Teen Night this **Sunday, November 3rd from 6-8 PM**. All 8th-12th graders are invited to come for food, worship, discussion, and talk from Pastor Tyler Shinnick called "The Christian and Politics." He'll explore how Christians can, in good conscience, come to different conclusions while remembering our main focus as God's people in this world. Please use the QR code to register so we can plan for food and materials. Thanks!



MOUNT OLIVE'S FAMILY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES Join us on **Nov 10th at 4 PM** for the showing of "The Ark and the Darkness," which was recently in theaters. This movie has incredible CGI depicting the flood along with interviews from scientists and theologians to provide perspective. The Board of Family Ministry will provide popcorn, snacks, and refreshments. The movie is 1.5 hours long, Pastor Gawel will start us off with a quick devotion and end with Q&A. Based on the number of people, it will be shown in the Commons or Fireside Room.



ADULT VOLLEYBALL starts this Sunday! Men and women, high school age and older, are welcome. We'll meet every Sunday at 1 PM. If the Packers play at noon, we'll start at 3PM. Players are asked to carry in the shoes they'll use on the court. Join us for fun and exercise!

MOUNT OLIVE LUTHERAN SCHOOL VETERANS DAY PROGRAM on **Monday, November 11.**

The program will begin at 1:00 PM in the gym. The featured speakers will be Daniel and Jessica Mueller. All are welcome to attend.

INSTRUMENTAL ALL PLAY Any Mount Olive member who has an instrument and would like the opportunity to play (grade school, teens and adults), please join us in the church balcony Thursday, **November 14th from 6:30 - 7:15 PM.** Please register so we have enough music prepared for everyone. Reach out with any questions to Kari Falck at (414) 526-2068 or kari.falck@mountoliveappleton.com.



CULTIVATING CONNECTIONS Moms, please join us for our **Pop-In and Play** event in the Commons on **Saturday, November 16th from 9-10:30 AM!** This is a casual morning of visiting for moms with the opportunity for their children from Grades K-3 to run off some energy in the gym (siblings are welcome too!). Sign up with the QR code.



ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT Come for worship and fellowship on **Sunday, December 1 at 4 PM.**

This is a special event for women and young ladies to join us in the sanctuary for song and scripture to prepare our hearts for Christmas. After that we will have fellowship in the Commons with light catered refreshments. Please sign up in the Atrium or by scanning the QR code. There will be an opportunity at the event to donate to defray the food costs.



COFFEE CAFÉ Are you interested in serving at the Coffee Cafe? Come find out what it is all about on **Thursday, November 7, at 5:30 PM.** We'll take you through what happens during each shift. This training is for anyone who is interested and there is no obligation to sign up if you decide it is not for you! If this time doesn't work, contact Jennifer Klemp at <mailto:jklemp31@gmail.com> to set up a different time.

ATTENTION MOL SKIERS/SNOWBOARDERS It is time for pre-planning the MOL school 2025 Ski trip to Ski Brule. Ben Haupt and Holly Pautz who have helped organize this trip the past few years for MOL are looking to “pass the baton” so we can keep this family fun event continuing. If you have interest in learning what this entails and potentially taking this over, please reach out to Ben Haupt at marqtlawman@gmail.com.

FVL NEWS

- **Registration is open** for boys & girls in grades 5K-8 who are interested in wrestling. Go to fvlhs.org/youth-sports for information.
- **Special School and SCRIP Office hours** on Wednesday, November 6 from 8 AM-2 PM (virtual learning day).
- **FVL's Annual Veterans Day Breakfast & Service** is set for Monday, November 11, from 8:30-10:30 AM. Veterans from the FVL Federation and their family members are invited. Information and registration are online at fvlhs.org/news. Please register by the end of the day on Sunday, November 3.
- **8th Grade Scheduling Nights** are Monday, November 4, and Thursday, November 14. Parents enrolling 8th graders at FVL for 2025-26 — please complete the Enrollment Application at fvlhs.org/enroll. Within three business days of completing the Enrollment Application, you will receive a link to set a scheduling appointment on the evening of November 4 or 14, or to request a different date that fits your schedule.
- Join us for the **Timothy Trout Sports Center Dedication and Open House** on Sunday, November 10, from 1:30-2:30 PM. Weather permitting, the event will begin outside with a brief Dedication, after which all are invited to walk through the new facility.
- **The FVL Schools Band Concert** is on Monday, November 11, at 6:30 PM. Join us (or youtube.com/@FVLFoxes/streams) to enjoy the performance of our grade 5-8 bands! All three FVL Schools Bands will be performing: Cadet, Concert Winds, and Wind Ensemble.
- Whether retirement is less than 5 years or more than 25 years from today, you have this special opportunity to hear from experts and get questions answered. **Join us for the Retirement Planning seminar at FVL on Tuesday, November 12, at 6:00 PM.** Go to fvlhs.org/seminar to register and get information.
- All are welcome to join us for our annual **FVL High School Band Concert** on Thursday, November 14, at 6:30 PM! Hear from our FVL Concert and Symphonic Bands. Enjoy the concert in person or stream online on the FVL YouTube channel: youtube.com/@FVLFoxes/streams.

SAINTS TRIUMPHANT

We thank God for his grace in bringing members of our church family home to him in heaven this past year.

<u>Brother/Sister in Christ</u>	<u>Born</u>	<u>Entered Eternal Life</u>
Karen Bork	June 24, 1944	November 6, 2023
Myrtle Siegler	February 12, 1924	November 29, 2023
John Truby	March 26, 1948	January, 11, 2024
Sandra Freis	September 8, 1938	February 26, 2024
Louise Ebert	November 26, 1941	April 18, 2024
Merlin Putz	November 24, 1935	May 24, 2024
Willis Loeck	June 10, 1937	June 12, 2024
Elleanor Zimmer	March 3, 1924	June 19, 2024
Ellen Wolfrath	July 2, 1938	August 21, 2024
James Wolfer	November 1, 1933	September 17, 2024
Jerry Gronholz	October 13, 1939	October 4, 2024