

## THIS WEEK — August 20-27

SUNDAY	8 AM – Worship w/ Communion 9-9:15 & 9:45-10 AM – SCRIP 9:15-9:45 AM – Bible Study 10 AM – Worship w/ Communion	7 PM – Men’s Basketball	
MONDAY	8 AM-12:30 PM, 3-6 PM Forms & Fees Day/School Supply Drop-off	6 PM – Worship w/ Communion 7 PM – Church Council	
TUESDAY			
WEDNESDAY	First Day of School 8:15 AM – Opening Service	6:30 PM – Male Chorus	
THURSDAY			
FRIDAY			
SATURDAY		5:30 PM – Worship	
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OFFERINGS/OTHER INCOME		BUDGET	ACTUAL
Offerings	Week of 8/14/2023	\$30,475	\$22,659
Offerings	Fiscal Year-to-date	\$169,650	\$175,491
Offerings + Other Income	Fiscal Year-to-date	\$278,874	\$188,370
Forward in Faith 2	Week of 8/14/2023		\$4,610
Forward in Faith 2	Total Campaign to-date		\$2,107,677
USHERS	Saturday 5:30 PM – Keith Wundrow (Captain) Steve Wunderlich, Bill Harold, Brad & Murphy Beyer Sunday 8 AM – Dale Flunker (Captain) Jerry Evansen, Mark Schmidt, Rich Mueller Sunday 10 AM – Jay Vanderhoof (Captain) Randy Kreuscher, Todd Volkman, David Sievert Monday 6 PM – John Hoh (Captain) Roger VandenLangenberg, Bruce Thede, Bryce Dux		
GREETERS	This Week: (8 AM) – Seth & Becky Jaeger, Judy Korth & Bailie Korth (10 AM) – Fred Strey & Karen Strey, Bryan & Jennifer Hass Next Week: (8 AM) – Nina Daane, George & Barb Green (10 AM) – Randy & Val Kreuscher, Ken & Carol Richmond		
COFFEE CAFÉ	This Week: (8-9:45 AM) – OPEN (9:45-11:30 AM) – OPEN Next Week: (8-9:45 AM) – Sarah Raasch, OPEN (9:45-11:30 AM) – OPEN		
AV TEAM	August 19-21: Saturday – Steve Priebe; Monday – Aaron Tollefson Sunday (8 AM) – Sam Nielsen, (10 AM) – Brayden Kaddatz August 26-28: Saturday – Jack Bohlman; Monday – Ben Haupt Sunday (8 AM) – Molly Bixby, (10 AM) – Evan Pastorek		

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **WORSHIP ATTENDANCE:**

**Saturday: 102; Sunday: 8 AM 256, 10 AM 227; Monday: 94; Online: 121; Total: 800**

**CALLED TO GLORY** The Christian funeral for our Mount Olive family member John Lecker, was held on Saturday, August 19th. Blessed are those who fall asleep in Jesus.

**HOLY BAPTISM** The Affirmation baptism for Lillian Mielke, daughter of Caleb & Theresa Mielke, will take place Saturday, August 19th at the 5:30 PM service. The Affirmation baptism for Carter Kunding, son of Cody & Jasmine Kunding, will take place Sunday, August 20<sup>th</sup> at the 10 AM service.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL AID & DONATIONS** The new Sunday school year is right around the corner! To help make it a great year, we need your help. If you are interested in being a classroom aid, please contact Joshua Lecker or Pastor Gawel. We also need toys appropriate for ages 1-4. If you have any that are clean and in good condition, please consider donating to the Sunday school 1-4 year-old room. Donations can be brought to the Church Office.

**FALL SPIRITUAL GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES** Please pick up a yellow brochure in the pews or back of church or go to our [website](#) to view all the opportunities and to sign up!

**MEDITATIONS** The new devotion booklets, August 27 – December 2, 2023, are now available in the Narthex. Suggested donation of \$3 is appreciated.

**TABLE & CHAIR RESERVATIONS** Mount Olive has a limited number of tables and chairs for our members to borrow. Please contact the church office to make this reservation and to be sure they are available. Thank you!

**ADULT CHOIR** All are invited to join us in raising our voices in song. Practice will begin on Wednesday, September 6 at 6:30 PM in the church balcony. For more information, call Klint Kaddatz at 920-815-3697 or email Pastor Priewe at [pastor.priewe@mountoliveappleton.com](mailto:pastor.priewe@mountoliveappleton.com).

**MALE CHORUS** The purpose and goal of the Male Chorus is to aid the people of God in their worship, linking them to their God through song. We invite all male members of the congregation, high school age and older to join us. The first rehearsal is August 23, 6:30 PM in the church balcony. If you have any questions, please call Jerry Gronholz at (920) 732-0081.

**COLLEGE STUDENTS** We'd love to keep in touch while you're away! Please make sure to let the church office know your college address and cell phone number for the upcoming school year by emailing the church office at [church.office@mountoliveappleton.com](mailto:church.office@mountoliveappleton.com).

**STAY CONNECTED** Mount Olive sends out a weekly email called the Mount Olive Connected. This email contains the bulletin, announcements, newsletter and so much more. If you are not receiving the Mount Olive Connected emails, please send an email to [communications@mountoliveappleton.com](mailto:communications@mountoliveappleton.com) and include your first and last name. Then you will receive our e-newsletter on a weekly basis.

**REMEMBER** that you can watch or listen to services you either missed or want to revisit by checking out Mount Olive Lutheran Church on YouTube and Facebook. Please like and subscribe to help more people to find Mount Olive online. Sermons are also available in audio-only format on Spotify when you search for “A Family Growing in Christ”.

### **MOUNT OLIVE SCHOOL NEEDS:**

**Lunch Volunteers**, 11 AM - 1:30 PM on school days. Here is the link to sign up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050C45AEA828A0F58-lunch>

Thank you for the generous donations to help our school. The only items still needed for the start of the school year are masking tape and blue painters tape.

**AFTER-SCHOOL CARE** Mount Olive is looking for a high school student or older to assist in our school's After-School Care program. This paid position runs from 3 PM (or whenever you can get here after school) until 5:30 PM every day school is in session. Your job is to supervise the children to ensure safety, but you also get to have fun with them! You can work each day, only a few days, only one day, or whatever works for you. If interested, please contact Principal Zacharyasz as soon as possible (<mailto:principal@mountoliveappleton.com>).

**VALLEY TEEN NIGHT** Fox Valley's local churches have teamed up to create Valley Teen Night! Valley Teen Night will be an opportunity for teens from the Fox Valley area to gather together, worship God, discuss topics in the light of God's Word, and have fun playing games and eating food. Anyone from grades 8-12 is welcome to come! **September 10th [6:00-8:00pm] @ Mount Olive “Vocation-What Do I Do with My Life?” w/Ezra Blumer & Cameron Schroeder.** Pre-registration is recommended.

<https://922ministries.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1887633>



**DASH DOWN NASH 5K RUN/WALK** Saturday, September 9 everyone is invited to participate or cheer on walkers/runners of all ages at Bethlehem Hortonville's annual Dash Down Nash 5K Run/Walk. Door Prizes, face painting, food and fun for all. Find out more at <https://www.bethlehem-wels.com/dash-down-nash>.

**GRIEF SHARE** The Core (820 W. College Ave, Appleton) will be hosting GriefShare sessions September 11 - December 4 from 6:30 - 8:30 PM. Additional information and registration are available online at <https://922ministries.churchcenter.com/groups/922-groups/grief-share>.

#### **FVL NEWS**

- **Now Hiring!** - FVL is seeking to hire a Custodial Supervisor. Go to [fvlhs.org/about/employment](http://fvlhs.org/about/employment) for details.
- **FVL's Boys Hoops Club (Gr. 3-8), Nothin' But Net (Gr. 3-8), a 9/30 fall Softball Clinic (Gr. 3-8), and a 9/30 Cheer Camp (5K-8)** have opened their registrations. Go to [fvlhs.org/youth-sports](http://fvlhs.org/youth-sports).
- **MLC Student Teacher Housing Needed** - Two MLC student teachers will be on campus from October 16-December 22, and are in need of housing. Please contact Principal Alan Nolte for details ([principal@fvlhs.org](mailto:principal@fvlhs.org)).