

## What's Happening This Week?

- \*November 24th - Congregational Meeting @ 10:15AM
- \*November 24th - Happy Birthday Jordan Reinitz
- \*November 25th - Happy Birthday Marilyn Lemke
- \*November 26th - Happy Birthday Jerry Kohls
- \*November 26th - Happy Birthday David Sandquist
- \*November 26th - Thanksgiving Service & Pie Social 6-7:30PM
- \*November 28th - Happy Thanksgiving

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## November 24, 2024

### + Last Sunday of the Church Year +

Today we celebrate Christ the King, who declared to Pilate, "My kingdom is not of this world" (John 18:36). May we be open to his countercultural rule.

Welcome to worship.

The busy holiday season is nearly upon us. During this service, God, help me focus on your goodness, peace and love, the heart of all the upcoming celebration.

# MOUNT OLIVE



# LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcome to all our guests and visitors! Please share your contact information with us by signing our guest book, fellowship pad or a connection card. We don't share your information with anyone outside the church. Pastor Mike looks forward to meeting you and answering any questions you may have.

Sunday 11/17/24 Attendance: 46

Sunday 11/17/24 Offerings \$4,080

Sunday 11/24/24 Counters: Rita Kaiser & Brian Podratz

Altar Duty for November: Ed & Danette Isaacs

The world views our attitude toward money and “things” as radical.

“ . . . let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds

and praise your Father in heaven” (Matt. 5:16).

## Divine Service Setting Four Page 203

### Gathering for Worship

Glory Be To God The Father

Hymn 506

Salutation and Collect of the Day

### Worshipping Together

Sharing the Scriptures

Linda Verkennes

Apostles' Creed

O Savior, Precious Savior

Hymn 527

Sermon

Guest Pastor Gerald Schwanke

### Proclaiming The Word

Prayer of the Church

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

The Words of Our Lord / Communion

All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name

Hymn 549

Nunc Dimittis

Post-Communion Collect

Benediction

Announcements

Lift High The Cross

Hymn 837 sts. Ref-1, 5-6

## Sharing The Scriptures

Linda Verkennes

### Old Testament

Isaiah 51:4-6

<sup>4</sup>“Give attention to me, my people, and give ear to me, my nation; for a law will go out from me, and I will set my justice for a light to the peoples. <sup>5</sup>My righteousness draws near, my salvation has gone out, and my arms will judge the peoples; the coastlands hope for me, and for my arm they wait. <sup>6</sup>Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look at the earth beneath; for the heavens vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment, and they who dwell in it will die in like manner; but my salvation will be forever, and my righteousness will never be dismayed.”

### Epistle

Jude 20-25

<sup>20</sup>But you, beloved, build yourselves up in your most holy faith; pray in the Holy Spirit; <sup>21</sup>keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life. <sup>22</sup>And have mercy on those who doubt; <sup>23</sup>save others by snatching them out of the fire; to others show mercy with fear, hating even the garment stained by the flesh. <sup>24</sup>Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, <sup>25</sup>to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

### Holy Gospel

Mark 13:24-37

<sup>24</sup>Jesus said: “In those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, <sup>25</sup>and the stars will be falling from heaven, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. <sup>26</sup>And then they will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great power and glory. <sup>27</sup>And then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the ends of the earth to the ends of heaven. <sup>28</sup>“From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts out its leaves, you know that summer is near. <sup>29</sup>So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that he is near, at the very gates. <sup>30</sup>Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place. <sup>31</sup>Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. <sup>32</sup>“But concerning that day or that hour, no one knows, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. <sup>33</sup>Be on guard, keep awake. For you do not know when the time will come. <sup>34</sup>It is like a man going on a journey, when he leaves home and puts his servants in charge, each with his work, and commands the doorkeeper to stay awake. <sup>35</sup>Therefore stay awake—for you do not know when the master of the house will come, in the evening, or at midnight, or when the cock crows, or in the morning— <sup>36</sup>lest he come suddenly and find you asleep. <sup>37</sup>And what I say to you I say to all: Stay awake.”