

## COMMUNION

A note to our guests: As Lutheran Christians we believe in the real presence of Christ in the Sacrament. Here we receive His body and blood in our mouths in, with, and under the bread and wine for the forgiveness of our sins. We desire to be strengthened in our faith through this sacred meal. If you have any questions about this practice, please visit with one of our Elders or the Pastor. Thank you.



A nursery is offered for young children in the 3yo preschool room during each worship service.

Restrooms are located to the right of the front entrance. A changing table is provided in both men's and women's restrooms.

Please contact the church office if someone in your family is sick or in the hospital or if you would like a prayer request in the Olive Branch.

Deadline to submit information for the Olive Branch is **noon on Wednesday**.

*Lauren, 277-8349 or lauren.prunty@molcs.org*

To join the MTO prayer chain. Please contact : *Lori, 979-3474 or dischk@yahoo.com*

## THIS WEEK AT MOUNT OLIVE

### Wednesday, February 6

8:45am Chapel Service

### Saturday, February 9

10:00am Coffee with Jesus

5:00pm Worship Service led by Pastor Mark Kleckner

### Sunday, February 10

9:00am Worship Service led by Pastor Mark Kleckner

10:15am Sunday School

11:30am Valentine's Potluck

### Sunday School

**Pre k- Kdg** students—3yo preschool classroom

**1st- 4th** students—4th grade classroom

**5th-8th** students— school library

**High School students-** - Board Room

### Contact Information for

#### Pastor Kleckner

**Email:**

**mark.kleckner@molcs.org**

**Work ph. 515-277-8349**

**Cell Ph. 515-721-4737**

### Mount Olive Book Club

You are invited to join us in the gathering area on Wednesday, February 27th, 2019 from 6:30-7:30pm as we discuss Where the Fire Falls by Karen Barnett. The stunning Yosemite National Park sets the stage for this 1920 historical romance mystery adventure.

Come once or every month; you are always welcome. Guaranteed to be a relaxing time to share good

### Food Pantry

Return your non perishable items to the basket near the restrooms. Thanks for helping serve others in our community.



# Olive Branch February 2 & 3

Our Vision:

Living Christ's Love Through  
**ACTION**

## WELCOME TO MOUNT OLIVE!

Welcome! If you are a visitor, we are honored to have you with us and pray that your time here will encourage you and strengthen your relationship with Jesus. Please fill out the yellow attendance card and place it in the collection plate during the offering.

### WEEKEND WORSHIP SERVICES

Traditional Liturgy with organ accompaniment

Saturday at 5:00 pm

Worship Service led by the Praise Band

Sunday at 9:00 am

#### Sermon

**"Living in Jesus' Living Word"**

**Pastor Mark Kleckner**

#### Scripture

**Jeremiah 1:4-19,**

**1 Corinthians 12:31b-13:13,**

**Luke 4:31-44**

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ALTAR FLOWERS

In celebration of Joan Koch’s Birthday and God’s many blessings.

WEEKLY OFFERING

\$3,765.33

LAST WEEK’S ATTENDANCE

Saturday 5:00pm– 36 Sunday 9:00am–88

Join us for a Grand View Women’s Basketball Game!

The game is on Saturday, February 23rd at 2:00pm, against Baker University. We will meet at the Johnson Wellness Center, 1500 Morton Ave (just off E. 14th) at the ticket office at about 1:40pm. Free parking, tickets are just \$5. Sign up in the Gathering Area. Questions? Call Betsey at 974-7875.

Monday Afternoon Ladies’ Bible Study

On Monday, February 25th, 4:30pm, we will gather again in the conference room to begin a 6 week study, Entrusted: A Study of 2 Timothy by Beth Moore. Entrusted is a video based Bible study in which we’re encouraged to guard what God has entrusted to us, further His kingdom by sharing Christ with others, and pour into future generations. All women are welcome! Contact Polly Maly (polly.mally@gmail.com) by February 11 to be included in a group order for study guides which are \$16.

If you would like to send a card: Updated address

LeRoy Hanson  
829 197th Pl.  
Pella, IA 50219

Ian Thompson  
Brio Rehab Center  
6901 Peckham St.  
Johnston, IA 50131

Monday Evening Women’s Bible Study

We will be studying Beth Moore’s “The Quest”; learning more about our relationship with God through prayer and keeping a journal. If you would like a book for \$18, contact Sara Stafford @ 515-210-9820 or sstafford37@gmail.com. We will begin meeting, March 4th, at 6:30pm at my house ( 2910 54th St.).

Mount Olive Valentine Potluck

Join us for a Valentine-themed potluck downstairs on Sunday, February 10th following Sunday School and Bible Study ( about 11:30). Please invite friends and extended family to join us! We are asking for volunteers to bring main dish, side dish or dessert– sign up is in the Gathering Area. Lemonade, water, coffee, and all tableware will be provided. Questions? Call Betsey at 974-7875.

February shut in/partial shut in birthdays:

Pastor Roland Pillack (2-4-32)  
4048 42nd St. Des Moines, IA 50310

Gretchen Versteeg  
3107 90th St. Urbandale, IA 50322

Bill Witt  
2824 E. 16th St. Apt D-333 Des Moines, 50316

Coffee With Jesus

Ladies, join us for Coffee with Jesus Saturday, February 9th from 10-11:15am. We’ll meet in the Gathering area for coffee and a casual time of Bible Study and prayer. Be sure to bring a Bible! For more information , contact Donna Foltman (515-868-8794).

PRAYERS

For the health of:

**Roland Pillack– blood clot in his leg**

**Thelma Lenz**

**Margaret Clayton**

**David West**

**Debbie Holseid**

**Gretchen Versteeg**

**Kelsie Boyd-**

**Ian Thompson**

**Gene Joslin-total hip replacement Jan. 21st**

Sympathy to LeRoy and family in the death of

Naomi Hanson on

January 26th

**Fred Wutzke**

Sympathy to the family of former member, John

Goranson, in the death of his mother

Fundraiser for Mexico Mission Trip Project

Help me build a house in Tijuana, Mexico! Next Saturday and Sunday, February 2nd and 3rd, Donna Foltman will be sharing information during the services on her upcoming mission trip to Tijuana, Mexico, and highlighting ways you can help. My mission team, Spirit Midwest Ministries, will be heading back to Tijuana, February 16th through the 23rd, and will again this year be building a house for a needy family in Tijuana, as well as doing VBS and other outreach projects in the same neighborhood. Come hear about my trip, and find out how you can be a part.

SERVING MOUNT OLIVE

**Elders** This Week **G. Scheiwe**  
Next Week **G. Davison**

**Organist** This Week **J. Behrens**  
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**Ushers** This Week **5:00 F. Squires & D. Curtice**  
Next Week **5:00 F. Sturgeon**

**9:00 S. Honold**  
**9:00 K. Koch & J. Rains**

**Acolytes** This Week **5:00 A. Leyhe**  
Next Week **5:00**

**9:00 D. Dunlap**  
**9:00 D. Rains**

**Readers** This Week **9:00 D. Schumann**  
Next Week **9:00 J. Hoffman**

**Media** This Week **N. Powell**  
Next Week **N. Rains**

**Sound** This Week **9:00 E. Rains**  
Next Week **L. Tegtmeier**

**Counters** This Week **Sungrens & S. Honold**  
Next Week **P. Davison & R. Hilken**