



# OLIVE BRANCH

Week of November 17, 2024



## Upcoming Events

### Sunday, November 17

8:30 am Traditional Worship with Lord's Supper

Elder: Danley Schumann

Ushers: David Ullmann

Reader: Lois Schumann

9:40 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Study

10:30 am Contemporary Worship with Lord's Supper

Elder: Danley Schumann

Usher: Ken Discher

Reader: Reggie Schoen

Message: "The Forgiveness Effect"

Scripture Readings: Daniel 12:1-3

Colossians 3:12-17

Mark 13:1-13

1:00 pm Grounds Clean Up

### Monday, November 18

6:00 pm School Board Meeting

### Tuesday, November 19

4:00 pm Basketball Practice

### Wednesday, November 20

5:00 pm Worship Band Rehearsal

6:00 pm The Young & Devoted

\*\*If you have an announcement you want included \*\*  
in the Olive Branch, please email it to Amber (school.office@molcs.org) by Noon  
on Wednesdays!

## ALTAR FLOWERS

Flowers this week are donated by Linda Light and family to  
praise God for the many family celebrations during  
November.

## THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"Cast all your anxieties on Him, because He cares for you."

1 Peter 5:7

No matter what your concerns are today, bring them to  
your Heavenly Father, give them to Him, and ask Him to  
work where you cannot.

## GROUNDS CLEAN UP DAY

Join us Sunday, November 17 from at 1:00 pm as  
we do some trimming and raking leaves. Bring your  
trimming tools, rakes, and tarps if you have them.

Contact Jeff Rains

(515-314-8696) with any questions.

## *LADIES NIGHT OUT*

Ladies, hungry for some comfort food?  
Come join us on Thursday, November 21st,  
6:00 pm as we check out Chelsie's  
Courtyard Diner, 300 West Martin Luther  
King Jr Pkwy, Des Moines (off 3rd Street  
just south of downtown, near Principal  
Park) for a fun and relaxing Ladies Night  
Out. Enjoy a casual evening of  
encouraging conversation and some  
great food. All women are welcome! Bring  
a friend - or come and meet some new  
friends. Please call or text Becky at  
515-988-5832 to let us know you're  
coming. (And let us know if you'd like to  
carpool with someone else.)

## WEDDING INVITATION



*You are cordially invited to the wedding  
of Sandi Christofferson and Mike Overkamp on  
Saturday, Nov. 23rd at 4.00 pm, at Mount Olive  
Lutheran Church. Your presence is the only gift we  
request.*

Want a fun, easy way to get involved at  
Mount Olive? Sign-up to volunteer in the  
kitchen during lunch!  
Link below!



NOVEMBER 2024				
Mount Olive Lutheran School				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Pizza Friday Cheese or Pepperoni Garlic Bread Fruit Salad 1
Chicken Nuggets Baked Beans Fruit Roll 4	Taco Tuesday Beef Tacos Beans Cilantro Lime Rice Fruit 5	Teriyaki Chicken White Rice Pork Egg Roll Fruit 6	Conferences NO SCHOOL 7	NO SCHOOL 8
Scrambled Eggs Sausage Patty Cinnamon Roll Fruit 11	Taco Tuesday Beef Tacos Beans Cilantro Lime Rice Fruit 12	Spaghetti Green Beans Fruit Roll 13	Boneless BBQ Wings Tater Tots Baked Beans Fruit 14	Pizza Friday Cheese or Pepperoni Garlic Bread Fruit Salad 15
Hot Dogs Baked Beans Chips Fruit 18	Taco Tuesday Beef Tacos Beans Cilantro Lime Rice Fruit 19	Ham Sliders Chips Fruit Carrot Sticks 20	Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Fruit 21	Pizza Friday Cheese or Pepperoni Garlic Bread Fruit Salad 22
Chicken Alfredo Buttered Noodles Broccoli Fruit 25	Taco Tuesday Beef Tacos Beans Cilantro Lime Rice Fruit 26	THANKSGIVING BREAK 27	THANKSGIVING BREAK 28	THANKSGIVING BREAK 29

**LUNCH CHANGE**

Nov. 21 Turkey Meal with mashed potatoes, green beans, & fruit

**Thanksgiving & Black Friday Blitz**

**BUY SCRIP TO PURCHASE YOUR THANKSGIVING FOOD AND BLACK FRIDAY DEALS**

STOP BY THE OFFICE TO BUY GIFT CARDS FOR YOUR FAVORITE RETAILERS INCLUDING:

- HY-VEE
- FAREWAY
- WAL-MART
- TARGET
- AMAZON
- BEST BUY

YOU EARN A PERCENTAGE BACK & SO DOES MOUNT OLIVE!

**PURCHASE DURING PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES OR BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL**

**COUNSELOR CORNER** With Mrs. Lepeltak

**How To Be A Calm Parent?**

- Walk away and breathe.
- Don't talk to your child when you're angry.
- Have a simple routine.
- Have quiet time.
- Lower your expectations.
- Don't lose yourself in parenting.
- Don't compete.
- Hangout with friends and family.
- Be easy on both yourself and child.