

Mt. Olive Herald

The weekly newsletter of Mt. Olive Lutheran School

"The LORD has done great things!"

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**Remember: Work day
Saturday, November 10,
8:00 AM.**

Chapel offerings: India Scooters

\$68.58 was received at the chapel service on 11/07/18. The fund has a balance of \$1231.79, or 82% of a scooter.

Our goal is to raise \$1,500+ needed to buy a scooter. The Lutheran Mission of Salvation - India LMSI has over 22,000 souls, 12 ordained ministers, and over 250 lay ministers. These lay ministers gather monthly for two days of intensive instruction and are given lessons to teach and sermons to preach in their village congregations.

Mrs. Feistner receives email at school@mtolivelutheran.org. She is a notary public and works 7:30 to 5:00, Mon. – Fri. **Mrs. Kephart** is in from 9:00 – 1:00 & receives email at church@mtolivelutheran.org. Both answer the phones.

Dates in This Newsletter

- November 9:** Busing is available AM & PM
 - November 10, 8 AM,** Work day
 - November 11, 5 PM,** Lutheran Pioneers, Peace Lutheran
 - November 12:** Thank the veterans that you meet today!
 - November 12:** Stuff-a-Truck (canned goods)
 - November 13:** No morning busing
 - November 13:** Stuff-a-Truck (boxed goods)
 - November 14:** Stuff-a-Truck (paper goods)
 - November 14, 8:05 AM,** Band plays for chapel
 - November 14, 2:30,** Cheerleading practices begin!
 - November 14, 6:30 PM,** Large-Group PTF meeting. Parents are highly encouraged to attend. Child care provided.
 - November 15:** Stuff-a-Truck (baby, health, hygiene)
 - November 15, 7 PM,** Band concert
 - November 21-23:** No school! Happy Thanksgiving!
 - November 22, 11 AM,** Thanksgiving service
 - November 22, Noon – 1 PM,** Community Thanksgiving dinner
 - December 16, 9:40 AM,** Practice for the Children's Christmas Service
 - December 16, 3 PM,** Children's Christmas Service
- ### Mistakes, part 2
- TOP 20 TRAINING**
THINKING, REBALANCED
- There are two types of responses to making a mistake. You can respond in a positive way or a negative way. One common negative response to making a mistake is to blame someone else for it. We want to teach our students to own their mistake and see what they can learn from it. Blaming someone else for their mistake doesn't help them learn and sometimes it can ruin the rest of their day. Often people don't want to make a mistake or be confused. We want to

celebrate confusion because when people are confused, we know they are learning! Thomas Edison once said, "I have not failed. I've just found 10,000 ways that won't work." Just imagine if he would have given up when he made a mistake! Ask your child for an example of someone who responded in a positive way when they made a mistake this week.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Mathias Barents, one of our fifth graders, for his success in the Fall Chess Tournament November 3 at Dakota Meadows Middle School. In addition to winning in the fifth-grade division, Mathias was the overall champion for the tournament in a field of chess players encompassing grades one through nine.



Sporting News

Uniforms

Uniforms can be handed back into Mr. Z's classroom once they have been washed. Hang them on a hanger provided in the classroom.

Basketball Season

Practices begin next week Monday, November 12. The Boys Basketball teams practice on Mondays and Thursdays. The Boys A goes from 3:00 to 4:30 and the Boys B goes from 4:15 to 5:30. There will be a 15-minute overlap between the two boys' teams practices.

The Girls' Basketball teams practice on Tuesdays and Fridays. The Girls B practices from 2:30 to 4:00 and the Girls A practices from 4:30 to 6:00.

Cheerleading begins Wednesday, November 14 from 2:30-4:00. Practices will be in the gym on Wednesday and we will need to find a location for the Monday practices.

Parents: please be prompt in picking up your child after practice.

Basketball Schedule

Our basketball schedule has already gone through

some changes. The date on the bottom of the current schedule says 11-6-18. Note the change in location for the Saturday, Jan. 12 game with St. John, Redwood Falls. **We are away for those games.**

The schedule can now be found on the school website as well. If any changes are made due to weather, I will update the online schedule first and then send out an email to all teams involved for the day.

"Thank You!" to Our Weekly

Helpers

Lunchroom

Mon., Nov. 12, Erika Lemke
Tues., Nov. 13, _____
Wed., Nov. 14, Keith Eisberg
Thurs., Nov. 15, Mandi Hubbard
Fri., Nov. 16, Cristen Manthe

Library

Nov. 15 AM Terri Westphal & Mary Born
Nov. 15 PM Keri Langhorst & Kristin Lehne
Nov. 16 AM Elli Fisher & Mary Born



HELP! HELP! HELP!

We need your help moving everything, i.e., filing cabinets, chairs, band instruments, piano, desks, shelving, furniture, etc., from the area at the back of the church **Saturday, November 10**, so the contractor can begin the next phase of the building project. With many willing workers, we should be able to complete the task **between 8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.** Thank you in advance for your help.

Our Christmas Outreach Project!

GIFT

of Warmth

To Wellcome Manor Mothers and Kids
and Men of Maxfield Place



Donate gloves,
mittens, hats, scarves
for children 0 - 8 and
their moms, and men
of Maxfield Place



Drop gifts off at
church office.



Mount Olive

Lutheran Church and School

Call for Questions

507-345-4966

Collection Nov. 26th - Dec. 7th

1123 Marsh St. Mankato



Dear Parents and Grandparents,

Our book fair goal this year was **\$2,500**, and because of your participation, “**we did it!**” Lots of new books will be going into the Mt. Olive Library. Enjoy reading as a family.

Have you ever wondered...

- *How can I serve my neighbor?*
- *What does it mean to "help without hurting"?*
- *What is my evangelism style?*
- *How do I connect with people from a different culture?*



Join Us For:

Community Volunteer Orientation

Everyone is welcome.

There is no registration fee. Breakfast will be provided.



Working Together, Sharing the Gospel

For more information, contact:
Kristi Sebald, US Program Manager
ksebald@kingdomworkers.com, 602-663-0996

Saturday
November 17, 2018
8 AM - Noon
@The Beacon

Lutheran Campus Ministry
1506 Warren St.
Mankato, MN 56001

STUFF-A-TRUCK 2018



Please help
**ECHO Food
Shelf**
by donating
non-perishable food
items.

as well as paper products, baby products, and health/hygiene products.

November 12-15

Monday-canned goods

Tuesday-boxed goods

Wednesday-paper products

**Thursday-baby products and
health/hygiene products**

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From Last Week But Still Relevant ***Mt. Olive Band News***

Mount Olive's band performs for chapel Wednesday, November 14. Plan to attend the band's first concert Thursday, November 15, at 7:00 PM in our sanctuary. Mark your calendars for the band's performance in the ***Children's Christmas Service Sunday, December 16, at 3:00 PM in our gym.***

Knitters, Crocheters, Sewers!

The Evangelism Committee is looking for those who knit, crochet, or sew fleece to make hats for chemo patients. These hats would be given to the Andreas Cancer Center across the street in the hospital. Chemo patients could choose their favorite hat and take it home.



The only stipulations for making the hats are for the safety of the patient:

1. The hat must be made in a PET-FREE environment
2. The hat must be made in a SMOKE-FREE environment.

**nothing was said about avoiding certain chemicals or dyes. Maybe that could be noted on the hat if you made one free of those things.

Let Michelle Graham (mmka71490@gmail.com or 507-720-7258) know that 1) you're interested and 2) whether you prefer to gather in a group OR to work alone. Thank you for your prayerfully consideration to this project.

Opportunity for Speech Coach!

MVL is looking for a speech coach for the 2018-19 season that runs from December-early April. Practice is determined by the coach's availability. This is a paid position. For more information, contact Craig Morgan at cmorgan@mvlhs.org or 507-233-8658.

All Are Invited

The Mt. Olive PTF holds their Fall Large-Group Meeting Wednesday, November 14, at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. This meeting reviews the PTF budget. Babysitting is provided! See you there!

Charger Challenge Thank You Postcards are Here!

Thank-you postcards were sent home with students (inside Charger Challenge packets) earlier this week. Take advantage of the three-day weekend and write a nice thank you to all your sponsors. Extra postcards and envelopes are available in the school office.

Charitable contribution receipts for tax purposes were mailed out by the Charger Challenge committee (unless indicated on your Charger Challenge Packet). If you have any questions, contact Kristen Lukasek at 507-382-7963 or mattlukasek@yahoo.com.

Thank you, again, for your participation in our 2018 Charger Challenge! What a blessing to have the funds to purchase a new active board, classroom furniture and loft for the upcoming new kindergarten room, and gaga ball pit for the playground. In addition, we will be able to fund the PTF events/programs for the 2019-2020 school year that serve to enhance the Mt. Olive school experience.

Join us Wednesday evening, November 14, at 6:30 PM, for the PTF large-group meeting! Childcare is provided. ~ PTF

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Reference Section

Loop-side Drop-off

To shorten the line of waiting vehicles in the street for morning drop-off & afternoon pick-up, pull forward to the sanctuary doors when you can. The children still use 'Mr. Beilke's door' USING the sidewalk for safety, please. (And, every driving parent says, "Thank you.")

Early Morning Arrivers

Enter at Mr. Beilke's ENTRANCE, place your things in your lockers, and return to the interior open area NEAR the ENTRANCE until 7:45 (when the classrooms officially open).

All About Scrip

To earn big and get credit towards tuition, create an account on ShopWithScrip.com if you don't have one yet. All participants need to sign up for PrestoPay to order. This also allows your eGift cards and reloads to get to your physical gift cards faster.

For businesses, check the Scrip website at <https://shop.shopwithscrip.com/shop/product/browse#?saved>.

Physical Gift Cards — These are the same gift cards you get at the store. Use them instead of cash or a credit card!

Reload and ReloadNow® — Some physical gift cards are available for either Reload or ReloadNow. Register an eligible gift card you purchased from ShopWithScrip and add funds to it when the balance is running low. Funds are added overnight for cards that offer Reload, and instantly for ones that offer ReloadNow when you pay with PrestoPay™.

ScripNow® — ScripNow is an eCard that you can buy and receive instantly. You can print off ScripNow, or redeem it on your mobile device for certain retailers. They are immediately available when you pay with PrestoPay.

Start earning today

1. Go to ShopWithScrip.com and select **Join a Program**.
 2. Enter our organization's enrollment code:
 3. Link your bank account to enroll in online payments and place your first order.
scrip@mtolivelutheran.org
- Have a question? Contact our coordinator at: _____

***Send your pictures to
school@mtolivelutheran.org***