

September 12 Tailgate Worship Song Sheet

GATHERING HYMN

“Lift High the Cross”

Refrain

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adore his sacred name.

1 Come, Christians, follow
where our captain trod,
our king victorious,
Christ, the Son of God. *Refrain*

3 O Lord, once lifted
on the glorious tree,
as thou hast promised,
draw us all to thee. *Refrain*

HYMN OF THE DAY *(Please stand.)*

“Will You Come and Follow Me”

1 "Will you come and follow me
if I but call your name?
Will you go where you don't know
and never be the same?
Will you let my love be shown,
will you let my name be known,
will you let my life be grown
in you and you in me?"

2 "Will you leave yourself behind
if I but call your name?
Will you care for cruel and kind
and never be the same?
Will you risk the hostile stare,
should your life attract or scare?
Will you let me answer pray'r
in you and you in me?"

3 "Will you let the blinded see
if I but call your name?
Will you set the pris'ners free
and never be the same?
Will you kiss the leper clean,
and do such as this unseen,
and admit to what I mean
in you and you in me?"

4 "Will you love the you you hide
if I but call your name?
Will you quell the fear inside
and never be the same?
Will you use the faith you've found
to reshape the world around,
through my sight and touch and sound
in you and you in me?"

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5. Lord, your summons echoes true
when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you
and never be the same.
In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow
in you and you in me.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

**C: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those
who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.**

SENDING HYMN

“Heaven is Singing For Joy”

Congregation joins on refrain

1 Heaven is singing for joy, alleluia,
for in your life and mine
is shining the glory of God.

2 Heaven is singing for joy, alleluia,
for your life and mine
unite in the love of our God. *Refrain*

Refrain

Alleluia, alleluia!
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3 Heaven is singing for joy, alleluia,
for your life and mine
will always bear witness to God. *Refrain*

Congregational prayers for healing and comfort ...

- ◆ Mount Olive members and friends who are ill, grieving, or recovering from surgery
- ◆ All Homebound Members
- ◆ Our companions in ministry in Kijota, Tanzania and Bogota, Colombia. May the Spirit of God fill them with faith, hope, and joy, as they live out the good news and proclaim it to all.
- ◆ People suffering with COVID-19 in the U.S. and abroad. Give strength to those who minister to them, and bring hope and healing to all.
- ◆ Our country as we learn to confront and stamp out the curse of racism in our land. Help us to be one in mind and spirit as we go forward together.
- ◆ People suffering from the aftereffects of earthquake, fire, floods, and hurricanes.

Welcome, Worship Guests!

Thank you for joining us for worship today. You are always welcome. You may also visit our website, www.molive.org, to learn about other ways you can be part of life at Mount Olive. You can sign up there to receive our weekly email updates which contain information about upcoming events as well as links to the weekly online services, newsletters, and lots more.



Pastor Glenn's Fall Study Begins

There is still time to join Pastor Glenn's fall Bible study of the book of Genesis. This 8-session study begins this week and will follow the schedule below:

- Wednesdays at **7:30 pm, (note time change)** via Zoom, **September 8** – October 27.
- Thursdays at 10:30 am, in the church library, **September 9** – October 28.

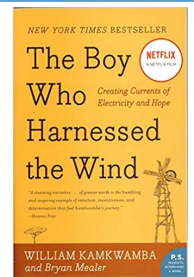
Sign up for the class of your choice and order a study book (\$10) at the table in the entry or email nancy@molive.org.

Family Promise Update

Family Promise continues to use Sign-Up Genius to gather volunteers for providing meals. Please be aware that Family Promise cannot share information about vaccination status of staff and guests, so if you choose to deliver the meal in person, mask wearing is strongly encouraged. For no contact delivery, there is a blue bin right in the front entry way where you can put the food around 6:00 pm. Here is the link for the meal sign-up: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0c4fa4aa22a3f94-prepare>.

Monday Book Group Meets September 13

The **Monday Book Group's** first meeting this fall will be via Zoom on **September 13** at 6:30 pm. This month's selection is *The Boy Who Harnessed the Wind* by William Kamkwamba & Bryan Mealer. If you would like to be added to the email list or receive the Zoom invitation for September, contact Jodi Schoer at mjschoer@charter.net.



Lutheran
World
Relief

Personal Care Kit Collection

In September we will be focusing on completing Personal Care Kits to be distributed through Lutheran World Relief (LWR). Please help our neighbors around the world by donating gifts of dignity and health. Stop by the LWR table in the Gathering area and pick up a card with items needed to complete a Care Kit. You can also find the Care list attached to the LWR bin which will be outside during the Tailgate Worship service. Return kit items to the LWR bin [before October 3rd](#).

Held in the Seasons: Ordinary time after Pentecost

I love autumn. Mostly because change is so evident. As summer bends toward harvest time, what do you notice changing? If you like, right now take a deep, generous breath. What is at play in your life this week? What is ready for change? What is almost but not *quite* ready? The Green Season holds us in all our transitions.





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Stay following Tailgate Worship for "God's work. Our hands." service projects- 11:30 am- 12:30 pm outdoors! (weather permitting) Please look for the posters on the front lawn and near the entry to learn more. There are also projects to pick up and take home and donation envelopes to financially assist some of our ministry partners. Contact Carrie Fletcher at carrie@molive.org with any questions.

Picnic Supper and Concert September 17!

TGIF! Join us on Friday evening, September 17, 5:30 pm as we kick off Rally Weekend by providing an outdoor picnic supper of pulled pork sandwiches, sides, cookies, and lemonade. Then, at 6:00 pm, our own Richard BC will present a concert for all ages with help from Travis. Come for fun songs for kiddos, some singalongs, plus fresh new music that will be featured in worship in the coming year. We'll get to celebrate songs from Richard's new album, "Listening People" as well as new pieces by Travis.



Sunday School and Backpack Blessing Next Sunday

Beginning next Sunday, September 19, we'll have outdoor Sunday School for ages 0-18. Come to check in around 10:15 am. We'll sing great songs, share Bible stories and skits, and do fun activities together. Students are also encouraged to bring their backpack or book bag for a special blessing during Tailgate Worship at 11:00 am. For any questions about Sunday School, please contact Pastor Luke Hollander- luke@molive.org.

New Photo Directory

We're long overdue in providing a new photo directory. Our plan is to self-publish a directory and distribute paper copies or pdf's to all members on Anniversary Celebration Weekend, October 30-31. **Please fill out the information form you received on your way to worship. Stop by the table near the front door to return your form** and get more information about having your new photo taken today or September 19 or 26. Contact Nancy Britson in the church office with any questions – nancy@molive.org or 507-288-1580

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