Happenings at Mount Olive! <u>Sunday In-Person Worship & HC @ 8 & 10 a.m.</u>

Mount Olive Website Reveal! Come and enjoy our user-friendly, info-packed portal for the world!!

- Sunday, May 4th
- 9 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Remain following worship for a brief presentation of our new website. Become familiar with the digital Mount Olive, our online presence in the world.

Theology On Tap -- Monday, May 5th, 6:30-7:30 p.m.: Come and enjoy a beer, glass of wine, or a cocktail as we gather in a casual, safe space to talk about life, our experiences, and the presence of God through it all. Theology on Tap will be a great time to build friendships in a relaxed atmosphere. The atmosphere and an adult beverage will help us discuss anything the Holy Spirit brings to our hearts. Join us at Badger Burger in Mukwonago. Theology on Tap is open to anyone over 21. Relax with friends while discussing your experience of life and God. Please let Debbie know if the office if you wish to attend. Peace be with you always, Steve Bogie, Pastor.

<u>New Members:</u> If you would like to become a Mount Olive member, you are invited to join us on **Sunday, May 25th.** We will be welcoming new members at both services. Please contact Pastor Steve or the church office if you would like to attend.

"What Are the Grads Doing?" We will be blessing our graduating students on May 25th and June 15th as they move into the next phase of their lives. If you have a family member of any age graduating any time from the fall of 2024 through the spring of 2025 from high school, technical school, military training, college, or grad school, please inform the church office regarding their plans for the future. This includes those headed away or remaining in the Mukwonago area. Please help us celebrate our grads in a meaningful way! And if you have any questions, please contact the church office at 262-363-8251 or mto@mountolive-elca.net.

<u>Don't Miss Magical, Musical May! -- Sunday, May 18th:</u> Neighborhood picnic on the MTO green space with hot dog lunch provided by MTO. Invite your neighbors and friends!

- 11:30 Puppet Show with **Fred and Friends**
- 12 Noon "A variety of popular music by the duo of Fred and Ginger"

Mark your calendars, invite your friends and be sure to attend!!

<u>Street Angels: Lunch for later:</u> If you are available on **Tuesday, May 27th, at 2 p.m.,** put your culinary skills to work preparing bag lunches for Street Angels ministry. Sign up on the bulletin board across from Pastor's office. Thank you! A Thrivent Action Grant sponsors this project.

Service Team Update: Something new for Mt. Olive: The Bible Exchange -- Many of us are familiar with the "Little Free Library" boxes, where you can take a book or share a book. "The Bible Exchange" is like that, except it is just for Bibles, or for children, it could be a Bible Story book. Over the years, many of us have gotten different Bibles. Often, for various reasons, some Bibles go on the shelf and gather dust while we prefer to use others. Instead of letting your Bibles gather dust, bring them to "The Bible Exchange" and share them with others. Or, if you have children's Bible Story books that your children no longer use, bring those in to share. If you don't have a Bible or are looking for a different translation or maybe a study Bible, devotional book, or want a Bible Story book for you child or grandchild, check "The Bible Exchange". Take a Bible. Share a Bible. Share the Good News!

<u>Sleep in Heavenly Peace:</u> Walworth County SHP will be holding build days on Saturday, July 19th. To volunteer, go to the Walworth County SHP website: <u>WI-Walworth Co - Sleep in Heavenly Peace</u>.

The next Service Team meeting will be Monday, May 5th, at 5:30 p.m. We will be working on the blankets for our graduates. Anyone is welcome to join us. See you then.

Little Free Pantry/Kitchen Kupboard Food Pantry Needs: Located in the lower level of Mount Olive, we are grateful for the Kitchen Kupboard Food Pantry and their ministry to those in need in our community. Also, Mount Olive's Little Free Pantry is located outside the lower doors of MTO and is available 24 hours a day/7 day a week. Please note the items listed below and drop off in the basket marked Food Pantry, located in the Narthex: Mac & cheese boxes, potato and noodle boxes, dry goods, cereal, shelf-stable milk, granola bars, tuna, canned soups, canned fruits and vegetables, laundry soap, and deodorant. Thank you for working to fight food insecurity in our community! ** Canned food items with pull tops are especially appreciated!