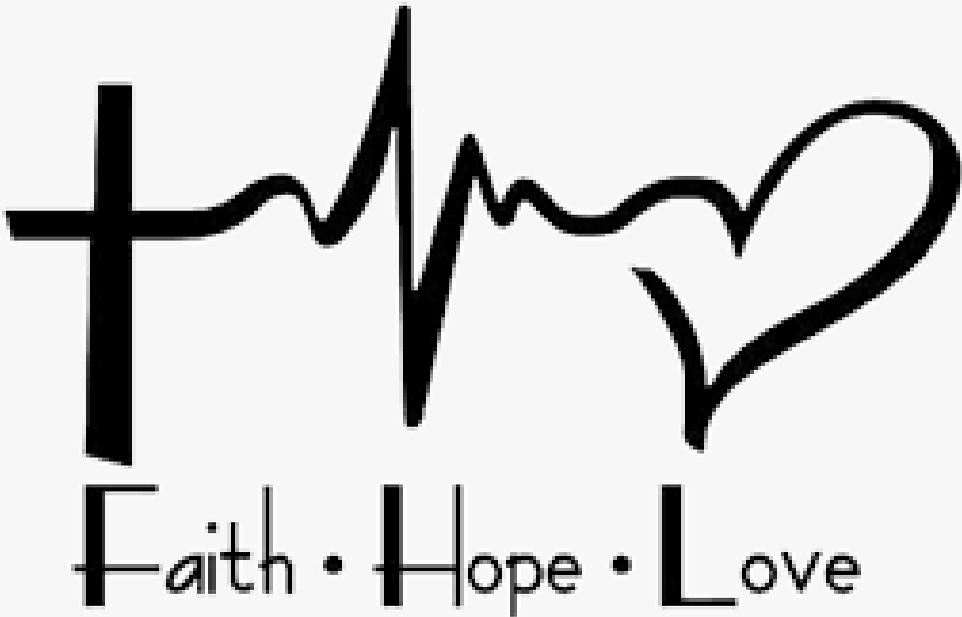


Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost  
October 2, 2022



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*Stand*

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

### Invocation

- P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

### Exhortation

- P** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.
- C** **But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.**

*Kneel/Stand*

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

### Confession of Sins

- P** Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.
- C** **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

### Absolution

- P** Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.
- C** Amen.

*Following the Absolution, the people may greet one another in the name of the Lord, saying, "Peace be with you," as a sign of reconciliation and of the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace (Matt. 5:22–24; Eph. 4:1–3).*

### Kyrie

- A** In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** For the peace from above and for our salvation let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God, and for the unity of all let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise let us pray to the Lord.

**C Lord, have mercy.**

**A** Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C Amen.**

### Salutation and Collect of the Day

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C And also with you.**

**P** Let us pray.

O God, our refuge and strength, the author of all godliness, by Your grace hear the prayers of Your Church. Grant that those things which we ask in faith we may receive through Your bountiful mercy; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C Amen.**

*Sit*

### Old Testament Reading

*Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4*

<sup>1</sup>The oracle that Habakkuk the prophet saw.

<sup>2</sup>O LORD, how long shall I cry for help,  
and you will not hear?

Or cry to you "Violence!"  
and you will not save?

<sup>3</sup>Why do you make me see iniquity,  
and why do you idly look at wrong?  
Destruction and violence are before me;  
strife and contention arise.

<sup>4</sup>So the law is paralyzed,  
and justice never goes forth.  
For the wicked surround the righteous;  
so justice goes forth perverted.

<sup>1</sup>I will take my stand at my watchpost  
and station myself on the tower,  
and look out to see what he will say to me,  
and what I will answer concerning my complaint.

<sup>2</sup>And the LORD answered me:

“Write the vision;  
make it plain on tablets,  
so he may run who reads it.

<sup>3</sup>For still the vision awaits its appointed time;  
it hastens to the end—it will not lie.

If it seems slow, wait for it;  
it will surely come; it will not delay.

<sup>4</sup>“Behold, his soul is puffed up; it is not upright within him,  
but the righteous shall live by his faith.”

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Epistle

*2 Timothy 1:1–14*

<sup>1</sup>Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God according to the promise of the life that is in Christ Jesus,

<sup>2</sup>To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

<sup>3</sup>I thank God whom I serve, as did my ancestors, with a clear conscience, as I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. <sup>4</sup>As I remember your tears, I long to see you, that I may be filled with joy. <sup>5</sup>I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that dwelt first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, dwells in you as well. <sup>6</sup>For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands, <sup>7</sup>for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.

<sup>8</sup>Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony about our Lord, nor of me his prisoner, but share in suffering for the gospel by the power of God, <sup>9</sup>who saved us and called us to a holy calling, not because of our works but because of his own purpose and grace, which he gave us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, <sup>10</sup>and which now has been manifested through the appearing of our Savior Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, <sup>11</sup>for which I was appointed a preacher and apostle and teacher, <sup>12</sup>which is why I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that Day what has been entrusted to me. <sup>13</sup>Follow the pattern of the sound words that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. <sup>14</sup>By the Holy Spirit who dwells within us, guard the good deposit entrusted to you.

- A** This is the Word of the Lord.
- C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

### Alleluia and Verse

**C** Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

### Holy Gospel

*Luke 17:1–10*

- P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the seventeenth chapter.
- C** Glory to You, O Lord.

<sup>1</sup>[Jesus] said to his disciples, “Temptations to sin are sure to come, but woe to the one through whom they come! <sup>2</sup>It would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck and he were cast into the sea than that he should cause one of these little ones to sin. <sup>3</sup>Pay attention to yourselves! If your brother sins, rebuke him, and if he repents, forgive him, <sup>4</sup>and if he sins against you seven times in the day, and turns to you seven times, saying, ‘I repent,’ you must forgive him.”

<sup>5</sup>The apostles said to the Lord, “Increase our faith!” <sup>6</sup>And the Lord said, “If you had faith like a grain of mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, ‘Be uprooted and planted in the sea,’ and it would obey you.

<sup>7</sup>“Will any one of you who has a servant plowing or keeping sheep say to him when he has come in from the field, ‘Come at once and recline at table’? <sup>8</sup>Will he not rather say to him, ‘Prepare supper for me, and dress properly, and serve me while I eat and drink, and afterward you will eat and drink’? <sup>9</sup>Does he thank the servant because he did what was commanded? <sup>10</sup>So you also, when you have done all that you were commanded, say, ‘We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.’”

- P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.
- C** Praise to You, O Christ.

### Nicene Creed

- C** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth

**and of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made;  
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven  
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
and was made man;  
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.  
He suffered and was buried.  
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures  
and ascended into heaven  
and sits at the right hand of the Father.  
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,  
whose kingdom will have no end.**

**And I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord and giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,  
who spoke by the prophets.  
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,  
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,  
and I look for the resurrection of the dead  
and the life  $\dagger$  of the world to come. Amen.**

*Sit*

**Hymn of the Day**

**Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing**

**Hymn #475**

**Sermon**

*Sit*

**Offering**

## Offertory



**C** What shall I ren - der to the Lord for all His ben - e-fits to



me? I will of-fer the sac-ri - fice of thanks - giv - ing and will



call on the name of the Lord. I will take the cup of sal-



va-tion and will call on the name of the Lord. I will pay my



vows to the Lord now in the pres-ence of all His peo - ple, in the



courts of the Lord's house, in the midst of you, O Je-ru - sa - lem.

## Prayer of the Church

### Preface

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And also with you.

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** We lift them to the Lord.

**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**C** It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

## Proper Preface

**P** It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who on this day overcame death and the grave and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

## Sanctus



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of  
pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of Your  
glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
Bless - ed is He who comes in the name  
of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Prayer of Thanksgiving

**P** Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth, for You have had mercy on those whom You created and sent Your only-begotten Son into our flesh to bear our sin and be our Savior. With repentant joy we receive the salvation accomplished for us by the all-availing sacrifice of His body and His blood on the cross.

Gathered in the name and the remembrance of Jesus, we beg You, O Lord, to forgive, renew, and strengthen us with Your Word and Spirit. Grant us faithfully to eat His body and drink His blood as He bids us do in His own testament. Gather us together, we pray, from the ends of the earth to celebrate with all the faithful the marriage feast of the Lamb in His kingdom, which has no end. Graciously receive our prayers; deliver and preserve

us. To You alone, O Father, be all glory, honor, and worship, with the Son and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### The Words of Our Lord

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

### Proclamation of Christ

**P** As often as we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim the Lord’s death until He comes.

**C** Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

**P** O Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, in giving us Your body and blood to eat and to drink, You lead us to remember and confess Your holy cross and passion, Your blessed death, Your rest in the tomb, Your resurrection from the dead, Your ascension into heaven, and Your coming for the final judgment. So remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

### Lord’s Prayer

**C** Our Father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name,  
Thy kingdom come,  
Thy will be done on earth  
as it is in heaven;  
give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom  
and the power and the glory  
forever and ever. Amen.

### Pax Domini

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** Amen.

**Agnus Dei**

**C** Lamb of God, You take a-way the sin of the world;  
have mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, You take a-way the  
sin of the world; have mer-cy on us. Lamb of  
God, You take a-way the sin of the world;  
grant us peace, grant us peace.

*Sit*

**Distribution**

*The pastor and those who assist him receive the body and blood of Christ first and then distribute them to those who come to receive, saying:*

**Left Column**

Take, eat; this is the true body of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, given into death for your sins.

**Amen.**

Take, drink; this is the true blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, shed for the forgiveness of your sins.

**Amen.**

*In dismissing the communicants, the following is said:*

## The Dismissal

- P** The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen and preserve you in body and soul to life everlasting. Depart  $\text{✠}$  in peace.
- C** Amen.

## Distribution Hymn

## How Deep the Father's Love for Us

All

How deep the Father's love for us. How vast beyond all measure  
That He should give His only Son, To make a wretch a treasure  
*How great the pain of searing loss. The Father turns His face away*  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One, Bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon the cross, My sin upon His shoulders  
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice, Call out among the scoffers  
*It was my sin that held Him there, Until it was accomplished*  
His dying breath has brought me life, I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything, No gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection  
*Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer*  
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom

*Stand*

## Thank the Lord

**C** Thank the Lord and sing His praise; tell ev-'ry-one what  
He has done. Let ev - 'ry-one who seeks the Lord re -  
joice and proud - ly bear His name. He re-calls His prom-is-  
es and leads His peo - ple forth in joy with shouts of thanks -  
giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

## Post-Communion Collect

**A** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## Benediction

**P** The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

**C** Amen.

## Hymn to Depart

Forever

All

Give thanks to the Lord, Our God and King

His love endures forever

For He is good, He is above all things

His love endures forever

Sing praise; Sing praise

With a mighty hand, And an outstretched arm

His love endures forever

For the life, that's been reborn

His love endures forever

Sing praise; Sing praise

Sing praise; Sing praise

Forever God is faithful, Forever God is strong

Forever God is with us, Forever, Forever

From the rising to the setting sun

His love endures forever

And by the grace of God, We will carry on

His love endures forever

Sing praise; Sing praise

Sing praise; Sing praise

Forever God is faithful, Forever God is strong

Forever God is with us, Forever, Forever

His love endures forever

Sing praise; Sing praise

# Sing praise; Sing praise Forever and ever, Forever Forever and ever, Forever

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## Serving Him this week as...

Worship Leader	Pastor Daniel Vang
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Reader	Gary Kilbourne, Bruce Betts, Eric Baer, Norma Ceccardi, <b>Kyle Swan</b> , Amy Swan and Krista Hess
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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Sunday Service with Communion**

Please join us for Sunday service at 10am. We will be following current county mandates regarding at our indoor worship services. *Toddler care is available in the Cry Room during service.*

If you are not able to join us in person, our Sunday Services will be available on YouTube or Facebook. You can access the links on our website at [www.mountolivefolsom.com](http://www.mountolivefolsom.com).

### **Bible Study**

**Men** – Saturday at 7:30am in Fellowship Hall – Gary Kilbourne 916-203-7556

**Women** – Ladies' Bible Study is Tuesday mornings at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall. We will be studying The Letter of Paul to the Romans.

**All** – Sunday at 9am in the Annex – Pastor Daniel Vang

**Sunday School for School Aged Children** – Sunday 9am Contact Elisse Tweet 916-216-8722 with any questions.

**Confirmation Class** – Sunday 11:15-12:15 in the Annex – Pastor Daniel Vang

### **Special Congregational Meeting**

We will be having a Special Congregational Meeting after the worship service on Sunday, October 16, 2022. Mark your calendars now to be sure to attend.

### **October Newsletter**

Check your email inboxes for the latest Olive Leaf Newsletter, or you can pick up a copy from the back counter of the sanctuary. There is lots of information on upcoming events both here at Mount Olive and at neighboring churches.

### **Senior Lunch**

Dear Christian Friends, starting on Thursday, October 20 at 12pm, we will reignite our senior luncheons. Bring your own lunch - tuna sandwich, peanut butter and jelly or a Big Mac with fries!

#### Agenda

- 1 A new title (creative) bring one with you if you wish
2. Any ideas you may have we can discuss as to the format moving forward.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact John Rogolino at 916-989-4800

## **LWML**

The LWML has Franklin Graham's Operation Christmas Child. Please take one or more to fill and return to Mt. Olive. Instructions pertaining to what to put in them are in the boxes. Thanks for your help in this worthwhile project!

The mighty mites have funded 2022-2024 funded Grant #3. Fort Wayne Seminary Food Co-op - \$2,500, Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, Indiana. The Co-op is vital to the livelihood of many seminary students, providing 80-85% of the family's food and household needs at no cost. How wonderful is God's timing to fund this grant just as the new fall school year is starting?

We are now collecting mites to fund Grant #4. **Hmong Lent Family Retreat – \$13,000** for the Hmong Outreach of Redeemer Lutheran, Fresno & St. Paul Lutheran, Merced, California.

LWML meets the first Saturday of the month at 10am in the Fellowship Hall.

## **LWML Zone 19 Event-October 15, 2022**

Faith Lutheran Fair Oaks 9 A.M.-2 P.M.

The grass withers, the flowers fade, but the Word of our God will stand forever. Isaiah 40:8  
Speakers: Jan Froh-Mission grant sewing machines, Kenya Town and Country Mission grant portable showers.

Ingathering for shower ministry: Men and women t-shirts and underwear, socks, clothing, towels, shampoo, body wash, and cleaning detergent for showers. Hygiene kits with comb, toothbrush paste, mini lotion, and nail cutter. Bicycles, back packs, food and fruit at sites. All are welcome to attend. Please RSVP with Sherry Clifton at [sherry@elegantminis.com](mailto:sherry@elegantminis.com)

## **Wood Chips**

Are you in need of wood chips for landscaping? If so, you are in luck! We have a few piles of chips available to anyone in need. The chips are located on the church property near the food bank garden. Bring a truck and a shovel and help yourself!

## **Therapeutic Stretch Class**

Stretch Class will resume on Thursdays at 3pm. This class is free If you have any questions, please call Jo Wazac 530-601-8251

## **Prayer Requests and Praises**

*If you have a prayer request, please feel free to call the office to add it to the prayer chain as well as the Prayer Request/Praise section of the weekly announcements.*

### **Mount Olive Update**

Mt Olive is so blessed to have a wonderful new Pastor to shepherd our congregation. The Church Council wants to be sure everyone understands what is needed in order to continue our Mission here in Folsom, so we are including this section in the Bulletin each week to keep you informed on our financial status. Please keep Mt Olive in your prayers, as we know that God will provide a way forward according to His plan.

<b>August 2022</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Variance</b>
Congregation Offerings	\$15,348		
Facility Use Donations	1,190		
Total	\$16,538	\$20,921	(\$4,383)
Expenses	\$19,155	\$18,733	422
Net Income	(\$2,617)		
Cash on Hand	\$23,683		

<b>Year to Date</b>	<b>Jan-Aug 2022</b>
Income	\$135,660
Expense	\$150,520
Net Income	(\$14,860)