



MT. OLIVE

— Lutheran Church & Preschool —

Fourth Sunday in Lent

March 15, 2026



Upcoming Events

March 15th

Bible Study 9 a.m.
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Worship Service 10 a.m.

March 17th

Council Meeting 6 p.m.

March 18th

Women's Bible Study 12:30 p.m.
Soup Supper 6 p.m.
Lent Service 7 p.m.

March 28th

Spring Clean Up 9-11:30 a.m.

March 29th

Palm Sunday
Preschool Singing

April 5th

Easter Breakfast 8:30–9:45 a.m.
Easter Service 10 a.m.
Easter Egg Hunt.

Did You Know?

Mite Box offerings support mission grants around the world through the Lutheran Women's Missionary League. Every small gift helps share the Gospel in powerful ways.



**Our Focused Food for the Month of March is
canned Peanut Butter & Jelly**

Birthdays

- Monday, March 16th
Paula Freeman
- Saturday, March 21th
Bruce Meeves
- Sunday, March 22nd
Brad McMacken

Anniversaries

Monday, March 16th
Duane & Linda Holscher

Children & Family Ministry Updates

Vacation Bible School Volunteers Needed

Join us this summer for **Vacation Bible School: Tropical Trek — Jesus Comes to Seek and Save!**

July 20–24 | 9:00–11:30 a.m.

We are looking for 12–15 adult and youth volunteers to help make VBS a wonderful week for the children of our church and community.

- **Unit Leaders and Helpers needed** for preschool–5th grade.
- **No experience necessary**—training provided.
- **Volunteer deadline:** April 12, 2026

For more information, contact: Robyn Cram
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Sunday School Schedule

March 22 No Sunday School

March 29 — Palm Sunday

Regular Sunday School

Students join the preschoolers in the Palm Sunday procession at the beginning of worship.

April 5 No Sunday School

Students help serve & clean up at the Easter breakfast.



Palm Sunday Children's Procession

Our Mt. Olive Preschool children will be singing and processing with palm branches at the beginning of worship on Palm Sunday.

Sunday School students are invited to join them in the procession as we celebrate Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

LWML Mite Box Reminder

The LWML Oregon District biennium ends **March 31, 2026.**

Mite offerings help fund mission grants across the district and beyond.

Thank you for remembering to bring your **mite boxes** and offerings as we continue to support our mission goal.

Church & Community Announcements

Special March Offering



Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School

Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School has received a \$15,000 matching grant to support an important facility improvement project, including sprinkler system upgrades.

During the month of **March**, Mt. Olive will collect a **special door offering** to support this effort.

To multiply the impact of our giving:

- **Mt. Olive's Generosity Fund** will match the total raised by our congregation
- **Forest Hills' \$15,000 grant** will match those funds as well

Because of these combined matches, every dollar given could become four dollars of support for FHLSCS.

Look for the **special door offering** opportunity throughout March.



Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School Employment Opportunity

Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School is seeking a **part-time Junior Technology Technician** (approximately **10 hours per week**) to assist with school technology and media support.

If you or someone you know may be interested, please contact the school office or visit the **FHLCS website** for more information.



Soup Suppers & Lenten Services

Join us during the Lenten season for **Soup Supper and Worship** on

Wednesday evenings: 6:00 p.m.

Lenten Service: 7:00 p.m.

Sign-ups for soup, bread, and dessert are available at the **Information Center**, or simply come and enjoy a meal and fellowship together.

These evenings are a meaningful way to gather as a church family during Lent.



Easter @ Mt. Olive Lutheran Church

Easter Breakfast: 8:30 – 9:45 a.m.

Eggs, pancakes, sausage, and bacon.

Easter Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

Easter Egg Hunt: *Immediately following the service.*

We look forward to celebrating the joy of Easter together!