

This Week at Our Savior – April 7-14

Sunday	GIFT SS, Middle School SS	9am
	Coffee Hour	9am
	Choir Rehearsal	9:15am
	Worship	10am
Monday	Staff Meeting	2pm
	Milkshake Monday	3:30pm
	Ministry Team Meetings	6 & 6:30pm
	Council Meeting	7pm
Tuesday	Bible Study @ Tacos & More	7:30am
Wednesday	Joy Circle	2pm
	Joyful Noise	5:30pm
	Lenten Supper	5:45-6:45pm
	Sr. High Youth and Youth & Family Ministry Meeting	6pm
	Lenten Worship	7pm
Thursday	Bible Study @ Brookdale	10:30am
Friday	Great Bible Stories @ Careage	10am
	Confirmands & Mentors Synagogue Visit	
Saturday	Communion Encounter w/Pr. Kristen	10am
	Worship	5:30pm
Sunday	GIFT SS, Middle School SS	9am
	Coffee Hour	9am
	Choir Rehearsal	9:15am
	Worship	10am

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET

Isaiah 43:20—The wild animals will honor me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people.

Throughout the Bible you see that human beings are not the ONLY living things God is concerned about. Every plant, animal and organism contains God's handiwork, and God's love and concern extends throughout creation.

READINGS

The lectionary readings for April 13 & 14 are Luke 19:28-40; Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16; Philippians 2:5-11; Luke 23:1-49.

BE INVITATIONAL

Invite someone to worship with you. All of us know someone who needs the Lord and a place to worship and serve. In your circle of influence be an influence for Jesus Christ. **Your invitation will make a difference in that person's life!**

Welcome & Announcements

WELCOME!

With joy we welcome your presence among us today and greet you in the name of Christ. Welcome one and all! **We ask all worshippers to please share with us their presence by completing a Worship Register and placing it in the offering plate.** *The Worship Registers can be found in the hymnal racks.*

HEARING ASSISTANCE

Hearing devices are available at the sound tech desk at the back of the sanctuary.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

As a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, we encourage and welcome you to join in Holy Communion. We commune because Jesus told us to do so to remember him. In remembering him, our faith is strengthened as together we "proclaim the Lord's death" for the world and for forgiveness of sins. Communion is received by intinction. Ushers will assist you. **Clear grape juice** is provided for those who prefer an alternative to wine and **Gluten free wafers** are available—please let the communion assistant know.

RADIO BROADCAST

In loving memory of Eldor Henschke from Sandra, Cheryl, Betty, Damon & Tracy and Devan. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on AM 1590 and FM 98.9 on your radio.

JOIN US FOR GIFT

Join us for GIFT (Growing in Faith Together) on Sunday mornings! **Upcoming lessons for April include:**

April 7th: Palm Sunday topic discussion led by Candace Petersen

April 14th: The Last Supper led by Trisha Peters

April 21st: NO GIFT - HAPPY EASTER

April 28th: Celebrate Jesus led by Mary Kuchta

You don't have to be small to attend! We encourage you all to share the child within with our GIFT family. Please note that we will not meet for GIFT on Easter Sunday, April 21st. Take some time to attend one of our services as a family and enjoy your morning together on that very important day in the church year!

It is amazing to see how long our Prayer Chain has grown! Can we make it all the way to the church altar in the next few weeks?? Keep submitting your prayers in the offering plates each Sunday. Please use the colorful strips of paper found in your pews to write your prayers. The prayer chain has served as a great weekly reminder for all of us to take time to pray. Our transition into Holy Week and Easter makes that need ever so important to each of us!

SPRING GATHERING

The Women of the ELCA Spring Gathering will be held Saturday, April 13 at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Plainview. The **Tangible Offering** for this year's gathering is **baby wipes and any size diapers**; a collection box is in the Narthex.

CHARITY CIRCLE NOTE

The Charity Circle meeting on Wednesday, April 17, is to tour the Wayne State College Library. Meet at the church at 7:15 to car pool. Call Nancy Jo Powers for more information (402.375.2391).

LENTEN SERIES & SUPPERS

This week we will wrap up our **Wednesday evening Lenten drama series** called “**The People vs. Judas Iscariot.**” Each week we have watched a courtroom drama as attorneys present evidence against Judas based upon the Bible and tradition.

This week’s supper, served before the service from 5:45–6:45pm, is provided by the Mission Team. *There is no charge for the meal, but a freewill offering is taken with proceeds going to the group or organization providing the meal.*

MILKSHAKE MONDAYS—FOR YOUTH K–6TH GRADE

- If you could only have one super power, what would it be?
- Would that super power be more helpful to yourself or to others?
- What super power do you think would help the most people?

Come to Milkshake Mondays and learn more about the super power God has given each one of us!



April 8th - learn to use your Super Cape!

April 15th - learn about Holy Communion -- God's food for Christian super heroes!

Each of these Mondays there will be a team member from OSLC Christian Education Ministry who **will be available to walk children from school to church.** You have the option to sign your child up to be a part of the walking group or you can simply drop off your child at 3:30pm at OSLC. All pick-up is at 5:00pm. **Please RSVP to the OSLC office (402-375-2899) for each Monday that your child(ren) will attend and indicate if they will be walking with the group.** If you have any questions about Milkshake Mondays, please don't hesitate to call the church office or email Pastor Jeanne or Pastor Kristen. Bring a friend!

YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY

The Youth of Our Savior have an active schedule throughout the Lenten and Easter Seasons! Mark your calendars to make sure you don't miss any of the exciting plans in which the youth will be taking part:

April 10th: Gather at 6pm; enjoy conversation and supper as a group before Lenten service.

April 17th: Supper with Saints of Our Savior hosted by Jay & Erica Fink at 6:30 p.m.

April 24th: Pizza & Pickup on the Walking Trail. Meet at the Softball Complex at 6pm.

SPONSOR A RADIO BROADCAST

Consider sponsoring a radio broadcast. We continue to offer the option of having a co-sponsor for the weekend broadcast. If you would prefer to be the only sponsor for the weekend; the cost is \$75. If you would like to share the broadcast with another sponsor; the cost would be \$40 for each sponsor. Please contact the church office (402-375-2899) for more information or to reserve a date. A sign-up sheet is also available at the information desk.

The first available dates are April 14 and May 12 & 19, 2019. Additional dates are available later in the year. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on AM 1590 and FM 98.9 [on your radio.](#)

EASTER VISIT

The first Easter visit to the Northeast Nebraska Juvenile Services Center in Madison NE was in March 1995. And the tradition has continued over the years with the dedication of many faithful church members. Please consider joining the group on **Tuesday, April 16 (4:45pm).** What better way to celebrate the Easter season than to share the Good News with those who may not have heard it! Call the church office or Nancy Jo Powers for details.

PALM SUNDAY—APRIL 14

A special service of music and readings will be held next weekend, on **Palm Sunday, April 14** at 10am. The service will include the brass ensemble, **A Touch of Brass**, choir, and congregational hymn singing.

MAUNDY THURSDAY—APRIL 18

A Maundy Thursday worship service will be held at Our Savior on **Thursday, April 18 at 7pm.** It is on this day that the Christian community gathers to share in the holy supper Christ gave the church to reveal his unfailing love for the human family. Services will also be held at Brookdale at 1pm and Careage at 2pm.

GOOD FRIDAY—APRIL 19

On **Good Friday**, April 19, we will have two services. Our 12:00 noon service will be centered in scripture reading, prayer and song; a light lunch will follow the service. That evening, we will hold our traditional Good Friday service at 7pm.

EASTER VIGIL & EASTER WORSHIP—APRIL 20 & 21

Saturday night on the **eve of Easter** there are two worship opportunities. **Traditional Saturday evening worship at 5:30 and at 8:00 we will celebrate the Great Easter Vigil.** On **Easter Sunday**, we will celebrate with two services; **one at 7am as well as 10am. Easter Breakfast** will be served following the sunrise service until 9:30am. The children will receive a visit from the Easter Bunny at 10am worship.

SHARE YOUR BLESSINGS

In an effort to provide continued support to the Wayne Food Pantry; each month we designate particular items that the pantry provides. A blue basket is available in the Narthex to collect the donated items.

For April: canned soups—large family size or medium size; all kinds; **canned fruit**—peaches, pears, fruit cocktail, mixed fruit, mandarin oranges, applesauce; **canned meats**—salmon, chicken, ham, tuna, stews, macaroni with meat, or cheese, such as spaghetti O's or mac & cheese, spaghetti sauces.

Additional items of need include: Bath soap, Crackers, Instant potatoes, Instant rice. Jello & pudding mixes, Jelly/jam, Pancake mix & syrup, Paper towels, Peanut butter, Pork n beans. Thank you for your support!

DOLLAR DOOR OFFERING—Wayne Food Truck

Each month our Dollar Door Offering (offering plate in center of the Narthex) goes to support the efforts of a different ministry. The April offering will go to the Wayne Food Truck.

Worship Assistants

This Weekend (4/6 & 7)

Organist/Pianist-Connie Webber
5:30 p.m.

Greeters-Amy Bloomquist

LWA & CA-Jean Blomenkamp

Acolyte-Alexis Frye

Projection-Melissa Rabbass

Sound-Dave Baier

Ushers-Cheryl Roberts, Jeremy Bauermeister,
Duane Blomenkamp

Altar Guild-Sharon Fler, Mary Stalling

10:00 a.m.

Greeters-Ron & Pat Carnes

LWA & CA-Treyton Blecke

CA-Carolyn Vakoc, Dorothy Wert

Acolytes-Easton Blecke, Kenna Blecke

Projection-Kris Robinson

Sound-Sarah Gunion

Ushers-Steve McLagan, Pete Reeg

Altar Guild-Teri Koenig, Lynette Lentz

Wednesday (4/10), 7:00 p.m.

Greeters-Kevin & Teri Koenig

LWA-Steve McLagan

Acolyte-Megan Magnuson, Reagan McGuire

Projection-

Sound-

Ushers-Dave Olson, Chris McGuire, John
Magnuson

Next Weekend (4/13 & 14)

5:30 p.m.

Greeters-Sandra Henschke

LWA & CA-Tyler Frevert

Acolyte-Alexis Frye

Projection-Sarah Gunion

Sound-Randy Bargholz

Ushers-Dorothy Wert, Marsha Roth, Thelma
Moeller

Altar Guild-Dorothy Wert, Karen Zach

10:00 a.m.

Greeters-Daryl & Amy Mundil

LWA & CA-Madge Brufat

CA-Saralou Danielson, Kathy Johnson

Acolytes-Easton Blecke, Kenna Blecke

Projection-Kris Robinson

Sound-Jerry Robinson

Ushers-Don Liedman, Ron Magnuson, Chad
Spahr, Jude Milliken

Altar Guild-Vera Longe, Cynthia Miller

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The Mission of Our Savior:

That all may know Christ,

Grow in Christ,

and joyfully go with Christ



Welcome

April 6 & 7, 2019

Fourth Sunday in Lent

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Ministers:

The People of Our Savior

Pastors:

Rev. Jeanne Madsen

Rev. Kristen Van Stee

Program Staff:

Deb Hammer, Chaplain

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Connie Webber
Director of Music

Order of Worship

Prelude

Joyful Noise (Sun)

Welcome & Announcements

Gathering Song: ELW 641

Confession and Forgiveness

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Hymn of Praise: ELW 767

Children's Time

First Reading: page 659
Deuteronomy 15:7-11

Psalms: Psalm 126

Second Reading: page 1070
Philippians 3:4b-14

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel: page 980
John 12:1-8

Message

Hymn of the Day: ELW 583

Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing the Peace

Offering

Offering Song & Prayer

**Great Thanksgiving, Preface &
Holy, Holy, Holy**

Eucharistic Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion

Communion Hymns

Agnus Dei

Joyful Noise (Sun)

ELW 335

**Blessing, Song & Prayer after
Communion**

Parting Blessing

Sending Song: ELW 805

Dismissal

Postlude

End of Worship. Beginning of Service.