

# This Week at Our Savior – June 9-16

<b>Sunday</b>	Coffee with Council <b>Worship</b> with Installation of New Members <i>Welcome reception in the Narthex following worship</i>	9am <b>10am</b>
	Worship at Countryview	1:30pm
<b>Monday</b>	Graveside Service–Bernita Suber Christian Ed Team Meeting	11am 6pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	<i>Cluster Clergy Text Study</i> Council Meeting	10am 7pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	WACAM Joy Circle	10:30am 2pm
<b>Thursday</b>	Kinship Bible Study	3:30pm
<b>Friday</b>		
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Worship</b>	<b>5:30pm</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Donuts with Dad</b> during Fellowship Hour <b>Worship</b>	9am <b>10am</b>

## READINGS

The lectionary readings for June 16 & 17 are Ezekiel 17:22-24; Psalm 92:1-4, 12-15; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10 [11-13] 14-17; Mark 4:26-34.

## DOLLAR DOOR OFFERING

The **June Dollar Door Offering** will go to support Wayne State College Campus Ministry. Together our dollars can help them reach students!

## 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!**

**ONLINE GIVING**—You can give electronically to OSLC—just download the Vanco Mobile app or go to our website at <https://oslcwayne.org/give/>



# Announcements

## WELCOME

The first humans hid from you, God, but you longed to walk with them in the cool evening (Genesis 3:8-9). May we eagerly walk with you, here in worship and all day long. Welcome all who have come to worship.

**We ask all worshippers to please share with us their presence by signing the Welcome to Worship pad as it is passed in the pew.** Prayer Request cards can be found in the hymnal racks.

## HEARING ASSISTANCE

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

## RADIO BROADCAST

In loving memory of Waldo & Anita Johnson by Dennis and Barbara and family. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on AM 1590 and FM 98.9, online at [waynedailynews.com](http://waynedailynews.com) and the Wayne Radio app.

## NEW MEMBER RECEPTION

This weekend we will welcome new members to our congregation. Please join us following worship on Sunday for refreshments and to welcome them to our church family!

## Donuts with Dad

Join us for Donuts with Dad next **Sunday, June 16—Father's Day, during the Fellowship Hour from 9–9:45am.** Come for a treat and fellowship time as we **celebrate Father's Day!** **All are welcome!**



## TRAINING TO BE OFFERED

We would like to offer CPR & AED training for anyone who would like to become certified or would like a refresher course. Training will be led by Angela Nuss; dates will be determined based on interest. A sign-up sheet is at the information desk or contact the church office.

**Note:** We'd also like to create an updated list of congregation members who are currently certified; please contact the church office to let us know.



## PIES FOR SALE

We have a few strawberry rhubarb, rhubarb and cherry pies left from last fall's Pies-4-You event. Pies are \$15 each.

## RHUBARB FOR PIES-4-YOU

If you (or your neighbor!) have rhubarb ready and would like to donate it to the annual Pies-4-You fundraiser, **please chop up into small pieces (ready for a pie) and put into freezer bags.** It can be put in the church freezers (old stage storage area, north freezer). If you have questions, please contact the church office.

## STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET

And looking at those who sat around him, [Jesus] said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.' – Mark 3:34-35

When God gives us opportunities to forge new relationships, whether within and outside of our church and family circles, take the time to cultivate and tend them. We can take the cue from Jesus, who was always expanding his circle of friends and family.

## WHILE YOU'RE AWAY

Taking regular vacations is key to our well-being. It's important to spend time with loved ones, experience physical and mental refreshment, enjoy changes in scenery and routine, and prepare for future productivity.

Just remember: God's work goes on all summer long. When you're on vacation, your friends at church miss you. No one else can fill your unique role in the congregation. Your presence and gifts help the church thrive. So please give your regular offerings before you leave for vacation. And if you have the opportunity, try to attend church while you're away. Have a wonderful summer!

## PRAYER VENTURES

The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America has published daily prayer ventures for us to follow. These prayer petitions are offered as guides to prayer for the global, social and outreach ministries of the ELCA, as well as for the needs and circumstances of our neighbors, communities and world. Printed copies of the monthly Prayer Ventures guide are available in the back of the church; or find it online at: <https://www.elca.org/Resources/Prayer-Ventures>.

## IRIS PRAYER CHAIN

Our Savior's Prayer Chain is shared via our IRIS (*Immediate Response Information System*)...with each participant being notified of a prayer request by receiving a phone call, email or text. If you would like to be added to our Prayer Chain, please let the office know (402.375.2899 or [kris@oslcwayne.org](mailto:kris@oslcwayne.org)).

## SHARE YOUR BLESSINGS

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



**For June:** **paper products**—Kleenex and disposable diapers; **cleaning items**—detergent, laundry soap, hand soap and window, floor and furniture cleaners; **toiletry items**—shampoo, conditioner, deodorant for men and women, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs, hair brushes, and hand and body lotion.

## THE CHURCH DIRECTORY APP...

**IT'S THE PERFECT RESOURCE TO STAY CONNECTED!** Get our church directory on your mobile device! Call and text members easily. Available for Android & Apple devices. Search for "Instant Church Directory" from your App Store. Once installed, you can create a login using your email listed in the directory.



**Note:** We can add/change pictures in the directory at any time and we'd love to update everyone's profile! If you have a new picture you'd like to use, simply email it to the church office ([kris@oslcwayne.org](mailto:kris@oslcwayne.org)) or there is also the option of uploading it yourself.

**YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS VBS 2024!**  
**SIGN UP NOW!!**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL  
Looking for oceans of fun?  
2024

SCUBA  
diving into friendship with God

Register @ [tinyurl.com/rzjkat9j](https://tinyurl.com/rzjkat9j)

we hope to "sea" you there!

NEW FRIENDS | AMAZING EXPERIMENTS | ADVENTURES  
GAMES | SNACKS | MUSIC

Location: **Our Savior Lutheran Church**  
Save these dates: **Mon., July 15 – Thurs., July 18**  
Each day's fun happens from: **5:30–7:30pm**  
\*a light meal will be provided.  
Includes children: **PreK–5th Grade (ages 4–11)**

For more information: **contact Virginia**  
([virginiakniesche@gmail.com](mailto:virginiakniesche@gmail.com)) or the church office ([oslc@oslcwayne.org](mailto:oslc@oslcwayne.org))  
At Scuba, kids explore what it means to have a friendship with God!

**BE A VBS VOLUNTEER!**  
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([oslc@oslcwayne.org](mailto:oslc@oslcwayne.org)) to see how you can help!



## GOSPEL MESSAGE

June 9, 2024  
LECTIONARY 10

### *No Room for Compromise*

Some things seem more trouble than they're worth. People who fish with monofilament line may find that when it kinks, and tangles it isn't worth the effort to pull apart the knots. Likewise for knitters whose balls of yarn unravel into a snarl on the floor. Or when packages of puff pastry can be had from the grocer's freezer case, a baker may well find making it from scratch more bother than benefit and opt for ready-made. Those banking on Jesus' admonition to forgive seventy times seven may find it impossible to make peace with his uncompromising warning that "whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness." Like a foreign-language crossword puzzle, it might seem unsolvable.

Some might find relief in joining the people gathered around Jesus' home who concluded that it would be best to ignore him: "He has gone out of his mind." Others, like his family, stay on the edge of conflict and attempt to restrain him—"Hush, you're making a scene." Tensions are high, not only out among the crowds, not merely *close* to home, but in the *center* of home, the very heart of community and family. The air sizzles with discord. It must have been like the many broken bonds and hollowed-out relationships familiar to us today, at a time roiling with division. Pursuing hope and finding healing might seem not worth the effort.

To that temptation Jesus delivers a scorching, confounding warning: by ascribing his actions to the evil one, rejecting good as though it were demonic, judging the spirit of God's love to be wicked—all of this is to choose *against* forgiveness and mercy. Without recognizing the urgency of love behind Jesus' warning, we may think his words a contradiction to Jesus' commitment to forgiveness. In fact, he uncompromisingly claims that the way of forgiveness belongs to the kingdom of God. Period!

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### In Our Prayers . . . June 8 & 9, 2024

"Be joyful always: pray continually: give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." (1 Thessalonians 5:16-18)

**Hospitalized this week:** Vicki Damme, Harold Fleer

#### **SPECIFIC PRAYER REQUESTS:**

##### **Health Concerns:**

- For those recovering from accidents.
- For Pr. Deb Valentine who is hospitalized following a stroke.
- For Nancy Jo Powers' brother, Doug, who had a stroke.
- For those undergoing treatments for cancer and other health issues.

##### **Guidance:**

##### **Spiritual Healing/Strength:**

##### **Prayer of Thanksgiving:**

- For the new members who have join our church family.

##### **Deaths:**

- For the family of Bernita Suber.
- For the families of Bev Etter and Miron Jenness.

##### **Other Prayers:**

- Blessings for the marriage of Riley Prokop and Karlee Woehler.
- All prayers placed in the Prayer Bowl.



Take a prayer rock; say a prayer. Place the prayer (rock) in the Prayer Bowl. Each week prayers in the Prayer Bowl are lifted to the Lord.

*...but God has surely listened and heard my voice in prayer.* Psalm 66:19

## Worship Assistants

### **This Weekend (6/8 & 9)**

**Organisht/Pianist:** Connie Webber

**5:30pm**

**Greeters-**Karen Zach  
**LWA & CA-**Kathy Becker  
**Acolyte-**Tyler Daniels  
**Projection-**Margaret Hansen  
**Sound-**Duane Blomenkamp  
**Ushers-**Dave & Joan Baier  
**Altar Guild-**Karen Zach, Melia Hefti

**10am**

**Greeters-**  
**LWA & CA-**Karma Magnuson  
**CA-**Saralou Danielson, Lynette Lentz  
**Acolyte-**  
**Projection-**Kenna Blecke  
**Sound-**Jerry Robinson  
**Video-**Kris Robinson  
**Ushers-**Dave Anderson, Dave Olson,  
Brad Wieland  
**Altar Guild-**Lynette Lentz, Cynthia Miller

### **Next Weekend (6/15 & 16)**

**Organisht/Pianist:** Connie Webber

**5:30pm**

**Greeters-**Jean Blomenkamp  
**LWA & CA-**Jim Hansen  
**Acolyte-**Tyler Daniels  
**Projection-**Margaret Hansen  
**Sound-**  
**Ushers-**Rod & Melia Hefti  
**Altar Guild-**Janet Sievers, Joan Baier

**10am**

**Greeters-**Pat Carnes  
**LWA & CA-**Roger Lentz  
**CA-**Kim Dunklau, Dorothy Wert  
**Acolyte-**Hadley Dunklau  
**Projection-**Leslie/Tyler Johnson  
**Sound-**Trisha Peters  
**Video-**Tom Hansen  
**Ushers-**Steve McLagan, Ron Carnes,  
Alex Phelps  
**Altar Guild-**Trisha Peters, Martina Swanson

## Our Savior Lutheran Church

*A congregation of the  
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*We are the church that shares a living, daring  
confidence in God's grace.—The Evangelical  
Lutheran Church in America.*

# Our Savior Lutheran Church

### **The Mission of Our Savior:**

*That all may know Christ,  
grow in Christ,  
and joyfully go with Christ*



## *Welcome*

**June 8 & 9, 2024**

*Third Sunday after Pentecost*

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### **Ministers:**

The People of Our Savior

### **Pastor:**

Rev. Chad Rademacher

### **Program Staff:**

Connie Webber  
*Director of Music*

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Virginia Kniesche

*Coordinator of Children's Ministry*

## Order of Worship

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Announcements**

**Gathering Song: ELW 521**

**Confession & Forgiveness**

**Greeting**

**Prayer of the Day**

**Hymn of Contemplation: ELW 638**

**First Reading:** pg. 3

Genesis 3:8-15

**Psalms:** pg. 562

Psalms 130

**Special Music (Sun)**

**Second Reading:** pg. 1053

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

**Gospel Acclamation**

**Gospel:** pg. 912

Mark 3:20-35

**Message**

**Hymn of the Day: ELW 619**

**Creed (Sat)**

**Receive New Members (Sun)**

**Prayers of Intercession**

**Sharing the Peace**

**Offering**

**Special Music (Sun)**

**Offering Song & Prayer**

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

**Eucharistic Prayer**

**Lord's Prayer**

**Invitation to Communion**

**Blessing & Prayer after Communion**

**Parting Blessing**

**Sending Song: ELW 504**

**Dismissal**

**Postlude**

*End of Worship. Beginning of Service.*