This Week at Our Savior – October 20-27

Sunday	Coffee with Council Worship & Sunday School	9am 10am
	Worship at Countryview	1:30pm
Monday	Sleeping Mat Ministry Staff Meeting Worship & Music Team Mtg Funeral Visitation for Paul Dangberg	9am 10:30am <i>5</i> pm 5–7pm
Tuesday	Paul Dangberg Funeral	10:30am
Wednesday	Joyful Noise Rehearsal Confirmation HS Youth Group	6pm 6-7:30pm 7pm
Thursday	Kinship Bible Study	3:30pm
Friday		
Saturday	Wayne Food Truck @ Journey Christian Church Fall Property Work Day Worship	9am 9am-noon 5:30pm
Sunday	Fellowship Hour Worship & Sunday School	9am 10am

OCTOBER IS CLERGY APPRECIATION MONTH

The month of October is considered Clergy Appreciation Month. Take the opportunity to say thanks, pray for and encourage your pastor(s).

CHILDREN'S DOODLE PAPER

Little Lutheran Doodle Pads are available at the activities shelf near the sound board. Children are welcome to use this paper during worship service.

READINGS

The lectionary readings for October 26 & 27 are Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 46; Romans 3:19-28; John 8:31-36.

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!

Beloved of Christ, welcome to worship, faith education and Christian fellowship this day. May you sense the embrace of God's love through the people you interact with here. **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

Honor and remember all who have battled breast cancer. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on AM 1590 and FM 98.9, online at waynedailynews.com and the Wayne Radio app.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

As a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, this is an open table, all are welcome to come and celebrate 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. *Clear juice is provided for those who prefer an alternative to wine and Gluten free wafers* are available.

IN SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to the families of Chuck Rutenbeck and Paul Dangberg. Chuck died on Thursday, October 10. A funeral service will be held here on Sunday, November 10, at 1:30pm. Paul died on Sunday, October 13. A funeral service will be held here on Tuesday, October 22, at 10:30am. Please keep their families in your prayers as they mourn their deaths.

PROPERTY WORK DAY

The Property Team will hold a **Fall Work Day** next **Saturday**, **October 26**, **beginning at 9am**. There are a variety of things that need attention...something for everyone to do! Bring your usual **indoor cleaning tools...gloves**, **rags**, **buckets**, **etc... All help is welcome!**

CELEBRATE REFORMATION!

Christians celebrate the reformation movement which grew up around Martin Luther beginning in the year of 1517. It continues to be a time to reflect on the gift of the Church given to us by Christ himself and the inspired leadership that Luther gave to those who sought to renew the Church according to the Word of the Gospel of Jesus in a time of frequent abuse and misuse of church power and authority.

Lutherans especially celebrate the date, October 31, 1517, as the day when that Reformation began. It was on that evening that Martin Luther nailed his 95 thesis (protests) to the door of the famous Wittenberg Cathedral. That event opened the way for discussion, controversy and profound changes in the life of the Church throughout Europe at the time.

Celebrate your Lutheran Heritage by celebrating Reformation next weekend, October 26th & 27th!

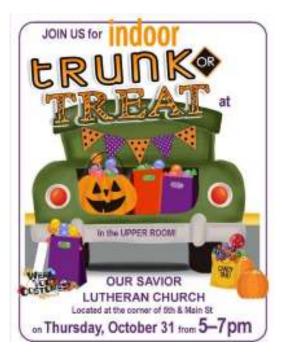
BIBLE STUDY AT KINSHIP

Bible Study at Kinship meets on the 2nd & 4th Thursdays, at 3:30pm. This study led by Sharon Garvin uses Lectionary readings and a resource from the ELCA entitled, *Daily Discipleship*. Join them this **Thursday**, **October 24**, **3:30pm**. Everyone is welcome.

CONNECTIONS WEEKEND

Have you ever wondered what the OSLC's **Ministry Teams** do throughout the year? Have you wanted to ask questions but didn't know who to talk to? You're in luck; our various ministry teams will set up tables in the Narthex on **Saturday, October 26, and Sunday, October 27**, to talk about their teams and the work they are doing.

This *Connections Weekend* would be an excellent opportunity to see how the church works in our community, doing the work that Christ has called and commissioned us to do. Please take some time before or after worship to stop by the tables and hear how God is moving through each of our lives.



TRUNK OR TREAT

Our Savior Lutheran Church will be hosting an Indoor Trunk or Treat on Halloween,

Thursday, October 31. It would be GREAT to have the Upper Room full of trunks (tables) as this is a great opportunity for outreach into the community and to meet new people. Each Ministry Team will host a "trunk"; but all are welcome to have a "trunk" (decorated or not) with treats or a game to play! Please sign up at the information desk so that we know how many tables to have available, or you may bring your own.

Can't come? That's ok, you can help by donating bags of candy. In the past, we've had over 300 children come through, so that requires

a LOT of candy. Candy can be dropped off in the office.

21ST ANNUAL PIES-4-YOU!

This is the 21st year of our Pies-4-You Fundraiser that so many Our Savior members can be wery proud of. We invite everyone to help with some part of this fundraiser;

we have a job for everyone! Mark your calendars! We will make crust dcugh on Monday, November 11 and pies on Thursday, November 14 and Saturday, November 16.

Orders for pies can be placed now! Charity Circle, Caring Cooks and the church office will be taking those orders until Monday, November 4. Order forms were included in the October newsletter and are also available at the church. Pies are \$15 each. We

will be making Apple, Peach, Cherry, Rhubarb and Strawberry-Rhubarb pies.

DOLLAR DOOR OFFERING—Pink Flamingo Nite

Each month our Dollar Door Offering (offering plate in center of the Narthex) goes to support the efforts of a different ministry. The October offering will go towards funds raised by Pink Flamingo Nite/PMC Foundation.

SLEEPING MAT MINISTRY

Sleeping mats are made from plastic shopping bags. This is a great way to recycle all those plastic grocery bags! (A basket is available in the narthex to collect CLEAN bags.) There are several steps to preparing the bags before the mats can be crocheted...so there are opportunities for all to participate! Join us on this Monday, October 21, from 9–11am.

Consider being a part of this wonderful ministry; both the VA in Omaha and Orphan Grain Train look forward to receiving the mats!

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 blue basket is available in the Narthex to collect the donated items.



For October: 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.

STEWARDSHIP SNIPPET

Mark 10:42-44—Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all.

Jesus gives us a reality that's topsy-turvy from what we know! We achieve greatness by serving others? Why is this so hard? What kind of heart-transformation does it require?

GOSPEL MESSAGE

October 20, 2024 LECTIONARY 29

Savior from Scratch

Have you ever made something from scratch—a cake, a meal, a table? There is something special about the words "I baked this cake from scratch" or "It's a family recipe" or "This is a hand-crafted solid-oak table." You could have bought the cake from the store, ordered the same meal for delivery, or bought a table from a manufacturer, but you chose to give of your time and effort to make it yourself.

God made a savior from scratch. God could have popped into Jerusalem and declared, "Everyone is saved!" Or even had a full-grown man formed out of the dust ride into Jerusalem and get crucified. The gospels would be a lot shorter if this were how God worked. All those chapters and details about God's Son that come before the Holy Week accounts are there to tell us something important about God and what God wants us to learn from Jesus: relationships.

In today's gospel reading, you can almost see Jesus rolling his eyes over the disciples' lack of understanding. James and John are acting like teenagers in a school cafeteria, trying to reserve themselves the best seats next to the coolest kid.

But Jesus says to them, "You do not know what you are asking." Jesus shares with them the key to being his followers: it's not about being first, coolest, or at the top of the hierarchy; it's about serving. Once again, Jesus points us to relationships.

The cake is special because it was crafted carefully with love for someone special. The meal is so delicious because it was cooked with a family recipe passed down from generation to generation through relationships. Jesus is who he is because he built relationships with the disciples and those he met along the way. He sat with the woman at the well, held little children, and went fishing with his friends. Loving relationships that led him to the cross to make salvation from scratch.

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In Our Prayers... October 19 & 20, 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: Bonnie Baird, Carol Bauermeister, Jeannine Anderson, Linda Young

SPECIFIC PRAYER REQUESTS:

Health Concerns:

- For those recovering from injury or illness.
- For those undergoing treatments for cancer and other health issues.

Guidance:

Spiritual Healing/Strength:

Prayer of Thanksgiving:

- For all who supported Pink Flamingo Nite in any way...planning, attending, donating...thank you!
- For watching over and guiding our loved ones.

Deaths:

- For the family of Chuck Rutenbeck.
- For the family of Paul Dangberg

Other Prayers:

- For the safety of all those who work in agriculture during the harvest season.
- 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 surly listened and heard my voice in prayer. Psalm 66:19

Worship Assistants

This Weekend (10/19 & 20)

Organist/Pianist: Connie Webber

5:30pm

Greeters-Amy Bloomquist, Sophia Petersen

LWA-Kathy Becker
Acolyte-Sophia Petersen
Projection-Jim Hansen
Sound-Jim Hansen
Ushers-Rod & Melia Hefti
Altar Guild-No Communion

10am

Greeters-Ron & Pat Carnes
LWA-Steve McLagan
Acolyte-Mason Wendte
Projection-Amber Labenz
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Video-Kris Robinson
Ushers-Tom Hansen, Tim & Trisha Peters
Altar Guild-No Communion

Next Weekend (10/26 & 27)

Organist/Pianist: Connie Webber

5:30pm

Greeters-Paula Gemelke
LWA & CA-Jim Hansen
Acolyte-Hadley Woehler
Projection-Margaret Hansen
SoundUshers-Dave & Joan Baier
Altar Guild-Peggy Hank, Cheryl Henschke

10am

Greeters-Bill & Rhonda Blecke
LWA & CA-Madge Bruflat
CA-Lynette Lentz, Karma Magnuson
Acolyte-Nash Hansen
Projection-Kennasyn Blecke
Sound-Amber Labenz
Video-Tom Hansen
Ushers-Dave Anderson, Dave Olson,
Brad Wieland
Altar Guild-Madge Bruflat, Julie Grone

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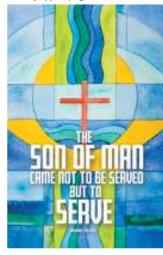


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Our Savior Lutheran Church

The Mission of Our Savior:

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



Welcome

October 19 & 20, 2024
Twenty-second Sunday after
Pentecost

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Ministers:

The People of Our Savior

Pastor:

Rev. Chad Rademacher

Program Staff:

Connie Webber Director of Music

Bridget Vaith
Coordinator of Youth & Family Ministry

Virginia Kniesche Coordinator of Children's Ministry

Order of Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Temple Talk

Gathering Song: ELW 714

Confession & Forgiveness

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Hymn of Praise: ELW 720

Children's Time (Sun)

First Reading: pg. 670

Isaiah 53:4-12

Psalm: pg. 537 Psalm 91:9-16

Special Music (Sun)

Second Reading: pg. 1091 Hebrews 5:1-10

Gospel Acclamation: ELW 473

Gospel: pg. 922 Mark 10:35-45

Message

Hymn of the Day: ELW 659

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Prayers of Intercession

Sharing the Peace

Offering

Special Music (Sun)

Offering Song & Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Parting Blessing

Sending Song: ELW 715

Dismissal Bostlado

Postlude

End of Worship. Beginning of Service.