

This Week at Our Savior – November 10-17

Sunday	Coffee with Council	9am
	Worship & Sunday School	10am
	<i>Meet & Greet with Bishop Scott Johnson following worship</i>	
	Chuck Rutenbeck Funeral	1:30pm
Monday	Pies-4-You (making dough)	8:30am
	Staff Meeting	10:30am
	Christian Ed Mtg	6pm
	Council Mtg	7pm
	<i>(Foundation Grant Deadline)</i>	
Tuesday	Roy Gramlich Memorial Service <i>(visitation begins at 9:30am)</i>	11am
Wednesday	Joy Circle	2pm
	Confirmation	6-7:30pm
	HS Youth Group	7pm
Thursday	Pies-4-You (making pies)	8:30am
	Kinship Bible Study	3:30pm
Friday		
Saturday	Pies-4-You (making pies)	8:30am
	Worship	5:30pm
Sunday	Fellowship Hour	9am
	Worship & Sunday School	10am
	Congregational Meeting	11:15am

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 November 16 & 17 are Daniel 12:1-3; Psalm 16; Hebrews 10:11-14 [15-18] 19-25; Mark 13:1-8.

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!

Family of Christ, welcome to worship! May you sense Jesus' presence and be strengthened in his love. **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.

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.

WELCOME BISHOP JOHNSON

This Sunday morning we welcome Bishop Scott Johnson to our worship service. Bishop Johnson will bring greetings from the Nebraska Synod and share a message. A time to meet-and-greet will follow the worship service; light refreshments will be served.



21ST ANNUAL PIES-4-YOU!

This is the 21st year of our Pies-4-You Fundraiser that so many Our Savior members can be very proud of. We invite everyone to help with some part of this fundraiser; we have a job for everyone! **We will make crust dough on Monday, November 11, and pies on Thursday, November 14 and Saturday, November 16.**

WSC LUMIN GUESTS IN WORSHIP

Campus Ministry is revitalizing in part because of Pastor Jim Holthus' presence. As a partner congregation, Pastor Jim would like an opportunity to lead worship, preside at the table, and bring his student body along to experience the wonderful worship space of OSLC. ***Please join us next Sunday, November 17, to hear the Good News preached by Pastor Jim and to meet several of the students from WSC.***

QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE FOUNDATION

The fourth-quarter meeting of the Foundation Board of Our Savior Lutheran Church will be held on **Monday, November 18, at 7pm.** **All grant applications need to be turned in by November 11 to be considered.** Applications are available in the Church Office.

IN SYMPATHY

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Roy Gramlich. Roy died on Thursday, November 7. A memorial service will be held here at Our Savior on Tuesday, November 12, at 11am; visitation will be held prior, beginning at 9:30am. Please keep his family in your prayers as they mourn his death.

WELCA CIRCLES AND INTEREST GROUPS

All women of the congregation are always welcome and invited to participate in a Circle and/or Interest group. Joy Circle meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 2pm and Charity Circle meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm. The Visitation Group meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 1pm, the Quilting Group meets twice a month during the spring/summer/fall months at 9am and Caring Cooks contacts participants for meals as needed. For more information about any of these groups, please contact the church office or refer to the monthly Newsletter.

Join us this Wednesday, November 13 for Joy Circle at 2pm. The group will meet in the church social room! Phyllis Rahn will provide a program on Thanksgiving.

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, November 14, 3:30pm. They will not meet on Thursday, November 28 (Thanksgiving Day). Everyone is welcome!

BELL RINGING FOR THE SALVATION ARMY!

Our Savior has taken on the challenge of providing bell-ringers for Friday & Saturday, November 22 & 23 at PacNSave and Quality Foods. A sign-up sheet with the time slots available is at the information desk.

All proceeds raised through the local bell ringing stay in the community. The campaign will help local residents with emergency rent, utilities, prescriptions, etc... This is an excellent service project opportunity for confirmation and high school youth! (If you have questions or would prefer a different date, please contact Phyllis Rahn, 402.369.3464.)

CHURCH DECORATING

Christmas decorating for the church will take place Sunday, November 24, following worship. Everyone is invited to join us in decorating our church home for the Christmas season! Families are encouraged to participate together...there will be ways for everyone to be involved! The Fellowship Ministry Team will provide lunch afterwards.



Please join us for a Thanksgiving Eve service on Wednesday, November 27 at 5:30pm. This short service will include a brief devotion, a litany of prayer, and communion. Join us for this time we set aside to give thanks to God for all he has provided.

2024 RADIO BROADCASTS

Consider sponsoring a radio broadcast. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on KCTY-The City 98.9 FM, 1590 AM and online at waynedailynews.com as well as the Wayne Radio app for iPhone or Android.

The remaining available date for 2024 is December 22. Please contact the church office (kris@oslcwayne.org or 402-375-2899) to reserve a date. Note: we did not have a sponsor this weekend, November 10; if you would like to cover the cost of that broadcast, please let the office know. Thank you to all who support this ministry of the church!

NOTICE OF CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A congregational meeting will be held Sunday, November 17, 2024, 11:15am. The purpose of this meeting is to present the proposed 2025 budget and to vote for church leadership positions—Church Council, the Foundation Board of Directors, and the Nominating Committee. Please plan to attend.

2024 NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

CHURCH COUNCIL: (5 OPEN POSITIONS: 4–3-YEAR TERM, 1–1-YEAR TERM)

Kim Dunklau
Paula Gemelke
Tim Hansen
Amber Labenz
Chris McGuire

FOUNDATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS: (1–5 YEAR TERM)

Karma Magnuson

NOMINATING COMMITTEE: (4 OPEN POSITIONS: 1 YEAR TERM EACH)

Cole Koenig
Reagan McGuire
Chele Simon
Jessica Weiland

Serving on the 2024 Nominating Committee were Liz Hagmann, Melia Hefti, Steve McLagan, Audra Miller, Trisha Peters.



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>.

PRAYER TIME

This month's "Prayer Time" in the November Newsletter features *Living a Grateful Life*. "Living a grateful life has many benefits to our overall well-being. It starts with just noticing the good in life. People who are grateful experience higher levels of happiness. They feel more positive emotions and enjoy good experiences. Grateful people feel less pain, less stress, and less fatigue. They benefit from better physical health, better sleep, stronger immune systems, and are able to express more compassion and kindness." Our Savior's Newsletter is mailed out each month; a copy can also be found on our website: www.oslcwayne.org.

DOLLAR DOOR OFFERING—JSC IN MADISON

Each month our Dollar Door Offering (offering plate in center of the Narthex) goes to support the efforts of a different ministry. The November offering will go to the Northeast Nebraska Juvenile Services Center in Madison. (Monies raised will be delivered to the center in December when members go for the annual Christmas visit.)

GOSPEL MESSAGE

November 10, 2024

LECTIONARY 32

God's Generosity Brings New Life

As we cross a busy street, a stranger's cry of "WATCH OUT!" will certainly send our heart racing. Such an outburst may not be what we expect to hear, but it is the warning needed for us to get out of the way of an approaching threat. Jesus catches our attention with a similar word today: "Beware." Beware the violence of a system that devours widows' houses while hiding behind prayers and piety; there is danger here! But this is not the only relationship Jesus urges his followers to pay attention to today. He also invites them to be aware of how one widow in their community is responding: she gives—and gives generously. What might that mean for us?

God gives generously too. We often talk about God's generosity being rooted in God's love for us. From the moment we were baptized, we have been reminded of such love that goes with us through death and into the new life God brings. This love takes seriously all the things that tear apart our lives and world—and pays attention to where healing and repair might take hold.

God is always rooting *for us*, and we trust that Christ's resurrection life will bring us through hardships when death has done its worst. What a gift it is to be gathered into the worshiping community week after week, to again be centered around Christ's table and its generous promises of grace that renew us and make us whole: "The body of Christ, given for you; the blood of Christ, shed for you." This is generosity! This is new life!

Yet we do not stay at the table. We are sent from it, together. Where do we go from here? Where might we share such grace and love this week? Perhaps not only "Beware" but also "Be aware" are our invitations to generosity as Jesus draws our attention to all the important relationships around us.

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In Our Prayers... November 9 & 10, 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: Cheryl Roberts, Pr. Bill Koeber

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 the many gifts of talent we receive.
- For the nourishing rains You sent.

Deaths:

- For the family of Roy Gramlich.
- Continued prayers for the family of Chuck Rutenbeck.

Other Prayers:

- Blessing upon the marriage of Garrett Adams & Vanessa Vietor.
- May we be united in harmony to serve You.
- 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 surely listened and heard my voice in prayer. Psalm 66:19

Worship Assistants

This Weekend (11/9 & 10)

Pianist: Sue Olson

5:30pm

Greeters-Melia Hefti
LWA & CA-Jean Blomenkamp
Acolyte-Mason Nelson
Projection-Margaret Hansen
Sound-Duane Blomenkamp
Ushers-Dorothy Wert, Marsha Roth
Altar Guild-Dorothy Wert, Karen Zach

10am

Greeters-Betty Heier
LWA & CA-Norah Armstrong
CA-Roger & Lynette Lentz
Acolyte-Hadley Dunklau
Projection-Barb Stenwall
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Video-Kris Robinson
Ushers-Ron Magnuson, Pete Reeg, Kelvin Puntney
Altar Guild-Lynette Lentz, Cynthia Miller

Next Weekend (11/16 & 17)

Musician: Alan Bruflat

5:30pm

Greeters-Amy Bloomquist, Sophia Petersen
LWA & CA-Nancy Breittkreutz
Acolyte-Sophia Petersen
Projection-Jim Hansen
Sound-Jim Hansen
Ushers-Rod & Melia Hefti
Altar Guild-Joan Baier, Denise Broders

10am

Greeters-Sue Denton
LWA & CA-Dave Anderson
CA-Dorothy Wert, Steve McLagan
Acolyte-Nash Hansen
Projection-Amber Labenz
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Video-Kris Robinson
Ushers-Roger Lentz, Stan Stenwall, Larry Lueders
Altar Guild-Trisha Peters, Martina Swanson

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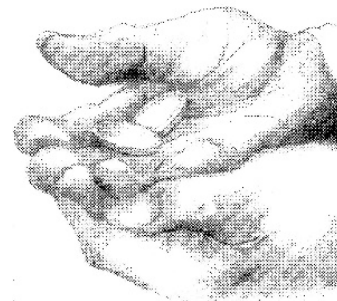
Our Savior Lutheran Church

The Mission of Our Savior:

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

**"...she... put in
everything -
all she had..."**

Mark 12:44



Welcome

November 9 & 10, 2024

Twenty-fifth 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

Gathering Song: ELW 679

Confession & Forgiveness

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Hymn of Praise: ELW 638

Children's Time (*Sun*)

First Reading: pg. 320

1 Kings 17:8-16

Psalms: Psalm 146

Second Reading: pg. 1094

Hebrews 9:24-28

Gospel Acclamation: ELW 172

Gospel: pg. 924

Mark 12:38-44

Message

Hymn of the Day: ELW 583

Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing the Peace

Offering

Offering Song & Prayer

Dialogue, Preface & Holy, Holy,
Holy

Eucharistic Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Communion

Blessing & Prayer after Communion

Parting Blessing

Sending Song: ELW 434

Dismissal

Postlude

End of Worship. Beginning of Service.