This Week at Our Savior – Oct 25-Nov 1

Sunday	Fellowship Hour, **Sunday School**	9am
	Worship with Rite of Confirmation	**10am**
Monday	*Staff Meeting*	10:30am
	Alvin Anderson Funeral Visitation	5–7pm
Tuesday	Alvin Anderson Funeral	10:30am
	Cultivate Faith Bible Study	6:30pm
Wednesday	Joyful Noise Rehearsal	6pm
	Confirmation	6pm
	High School Youth Group	7:45pm
Thursday	Book Study Group	10am
	Doris Daniels Funeral (Visitation 10am)	11pm
Friday		
Saturday	*Trunk or Treat with First United Methodist (6th & Logan)*	*4–6pm*
	Worship	**5:30pm**
Sunday	Fellowship Hour, **Sunday School**	9am
	Worship	**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).

READINGS

The lectionary readings for October 31 & November 1 are Revelation 7:9-17; Psalm 34:1-10, 22; 1 John 3:1-3; Matthew 5:1-12.

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

Welcome to worship on Reformation Sunday. We rejoice in God's unchanging Word and saving grace. **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.*

CHILDREN'S OFFERING JAR & DOODLE PAPER!



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

Note: *Children are invited to take forward an offering* ***during the regular offering time. Adults, feel free to send your pocket change with any of the children coming forward.***

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

RADIO BROADCAST

In loving memory of Alden Dunklau from the Mike Dunklau family. 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.

IN SYMPATHY—

Our sympathy is extended to the families of Alvin Anderson and Doris Daniels. Please keep their families in your prayers as they mourn their deaths.

- Alvin died on Tuesday, October 20. A funeral service will be held here at Our Savior on Tuesday, October 27, at 10:30am; visitation will be from 5-7pm on Monday, October 26.
- Doris died on Thursday, October 22. A funeral service will be held here at Our Savior on Thursday, October 29, at 11am; with visitation beginning at 10am.

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.*

REFORMATION–Remembering Our LUTHERAN Heritage



By the end of the seventeenth century, many Lutheran churches celebrated a festival called Reformation. It commemorates Martin Luther's posting of the Ninety-five Theses, a summary of abuses in the church of his time, on October 31, 1517. Who would have thought that the sound of a hammer on a door would be heard around the world and lead to the greatest transformation of religion since Jesus Christ walked the earth, namely the Protestant Reformation. ***This weekend, we remember again the good news that it is by grace through faith that we are justified and set free.***

23RD ANNUAL PIES–4–YOU!

This is the 23rd 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!*** Mark your calendars! We will make the pie crust dough on Saturday, November 7, and pies on Thursday, November 12, and Saturday, November 14.



Charity Circle, Caring Cooks and the church office **will be taking orders until Monday, November 2.** Fill out an order form and return it, along with payment, to any Caring Cook or Charity Circle member or to the Church office. Order forms are available at the information desk or in the church office. Pies are $15 each. We will be making Apple, Peach, Cherry, Rhubarb and Strawberry-Rhubarb pies.



ALL SAINTS' DAY

The first Sunday in November is designated as All Saints' Sunday, a day on which we remember all those who have died in faith since last All Saints' Sunday. Join us next weekend, October 31 & November 1.

DOLLAR DOOR OFFERING—LFS Military & Veterans Services Programs

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 to **Lutheran Family Services' Military and Veterans Services programs**. (For more information go to www.lfsneb.org)

USE THE CHURCH DIRECTORY APP…

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) or there is also the option of uploading it yourself.

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. Please let the office know if you would like to be added to our Prayer Chain (402.375.2899 or 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 provides. A 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.

TRUNK OR TREAT

Because our Saturday worship begins at 5:30pm on October 31, we won't be hosting Trunk or Treat at the church. Instead, we're partnering with our friends at First United Methodist Church for their Trunk or Treat!

OSLC families and church committees are encouraged to take part! Decorate a trunk, bring some treats, and help show our community the welcome of Our Savior Lutheran Church. Come in costume and join us for a safe, fun afternoon.

There is no need to sign up; just show up and participate in the fun!



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AND Our Savior Lutheran Church, 5th & Main St, Wayne NE

COMING UP NEXT WEEKEND…



Reminder…**Daylight Savings Time ends on November 1st.** Be sure to set your clock back one hour before retiring on Saturday night.

GOSPEL MESSAGE

October 25, 2026
REFORMATION SUNDAY

Always Reforming

A core teaching for Martin Luther and other church reformers in the sixteenth century was that God grants us salvation not because of our good works but by God's grace through faith. Our good works flow out as our response to God's great gift.

The work begun by Luther and others has continued through the years. The church in North America may appear to be in decline today, but do not lose heart. The church is always in the process of reformation, and the Holy Spirit is always at work in the church.

The church's mission to bring good news to all also continues. Out of gratitude for God's gifts to us, we go out to proclaim the gospel, work for justice and peace, and love our neighbors in all parts of the world. For some, good news comes in the form of word and sacrament. For others, good news is food, clothing, housing, advocacy, disaster relief, caring conversations, and much more. Wherever we go, we meet people where they're at.

On this Reformation Day, take time to pray for the church, for its ongoing reformation, for the healing of divisions, for the renewal of faith and mission, and for the strength to persevere in these efforts. How might you or your congregation support or participate in this important work?

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In Our Prayers . . . October 24 & 25, 2026

"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:

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:

Deaths:

- For the family of Alvin Anderson.
- For the family of Doris Daniels

Other Prayers:

- Open our hearts to your Word, O Lord, and renew our faith by your truth. May we worship with grateful spirits and follow Christ with courage, humility and joy.
- 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 has heard my prayer. Psalm 66:19

Worship Assistants

This Weekend (10/24 & 25)

Organist/Pianist: Connie Webber

5:30pm

Greeters-Melia Hefti
LWA & CA-Nancy Breitkreutz
Acolyte-
Sound-Jim Hansen
Projection-Margaret Hansen
Ushers-Dave Baier
Altar Guild-Melia Hefti, Janet Sievers

10am

Greeters-Kevin & Teri Koenig
LWA & CA-Kimberly Havranek
CA-Kim Dunklau, Amy Bloomquist
Acolyte-Logan Peters, Luke Peters
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Projection-Tyler Johnson
Video-Tom Hansen
Ushers-Ron Magnuson, Kelvin Puntney
Altar Guild-Teri Koenig, Lynette Lentz

Next Weekend (10/31 & 11/1)

Organist/Pianist: Connie Webber

5:30pm

Greeters-Dorothy Wert
LWA & CA-Jim Hansen
Acolyte-
Sound-
Projection-Margaret Hansen
Ushers-Dave Baier
Altar Guild-Myrna Wacker-Tuttle, Dorothy Wert

10am

Greeters-Ron & Corliss Krusemark
LWA & CA-Dave Anderson
CA-Lynette Lentz, Sue Olson
Acolyte-Camilla Wendte, Chloe Nelson
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Projection-Barb Stenwall
Video-Kris Robinson
Ushers-Roger Lentz, Stan Stenwall, Larry Lueders
Altar Guild-Cynthia Miller, 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.*



Welcome

October 24 & 25, 2026

Reformation
Affirmation of Baptism

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High School Youth Coordinator

Order of Worship

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Gathering Song: ELW 504
Confession & Forgiveness
Greeting
Prayer of the Day
Hymn of Praise: ELW 632
Children's Time *(Sun)*
First Reading: pg. 721
Jeremiah 31:31-34
Psalm: Psalm 46
Special Music *(Sun)*
Second Reading: pg. 1026
Romans 3:19-28
Gospel Acclamation
Gospel: pg. 975
John 8:31-36
Message
Hymn of the Day: ELW 654
Creed *(Sat)*
Affirmation of Baptism *(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 652
Dismissal
Postlude

End of Worship. Beginning of Service.