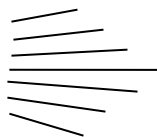




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VOICE



The monthly newsletter of Our Savior Lutheran Church
1103 N Broad St., Mankato, MN 56001

APRIL 2023



Holy Week Worship Schedule

Palm Sunday

April 2
8am & 10:30am

Maundy Thursday

April 6th
1:30 & 6:30pm

Good Friday

April 7th
1:30 & 6:30pm

Easter Vigil

Saturday, April 8th
8pm

Easter Sunday

April 9th
8 & 10:30am

Join the Youth between services on Easter Sunday for Breakfast. They will be serving egg bakes, muffins, and fruit. A free-will donation will be collected.

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Office hours are Monday through Friday (except holidays) from 8:00 am to noon and 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Unless there is an activity or event taking place, please use the Broad Street entrance by the mailbox.

In case of emergency or urgent need, our pastor is available at all hours and all days by calling his cell phone. Please use the office phone for other business. Please also remember that Sunday morning and other worship times are not for bringing church business to other members or staff but for focusing upon the Word and gifts of God. "The seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work." - Exodus 20:10

“But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.”
-1 Corinthians 15:20

The centrality of Jesus’ resurrection from the dead cannot be overstated. It is central to what we might call the historical truth claims of the holy Christian church. That is to say, the fundamental claim of Christians down through the ages is that on the first Easter morning Jesus walked out of his tomb under his own power having been crucified to death a day and a half earlier. From the very beginning it has been very simple to disprove any and all of the claims that the church has made. Simply produce the body of Jesus and all the preaching of the apostles (not to mention the lesser pastors down through the ages) will be for naught.

Jesus’ resurrection is central to the worship life of the church. Just thumb through your hymnal and see how thick the Easter section is! And that simple metric misses all the explicit mentions and the implicit references to the resurrection in so many other hymns. And those are just the hymns! That says nothing of the centrality of the resurrection in the church year, or in the liturgy.

But perhaps most importantly Jesus’ resurrection is central to the peace, comfort, and purpose of every single Christian life. As St. Paul highlights for us above Jesus is risen from death and he is but the firstfruits. Christ died and rose again in order to conquer death for us which means that in him we too will conquer death when we rise from the dead. As mortal creatures death stares us in the face every single day, no matter how much we seek to avoid it. We see death around us in the broken state of our world, in decay, in disease, in old age, and in the death of loved ones. But we have peace and comfort because we

know that we are in Christ and in him death will not get the last word. Our lives are filled with purpose because we know that when Jesus returns, we will live eternally which means that the things we do now will endure into infinity. The love I show, the service I render, the sacrifice I offer to all those who are in Christ will persist along with them into forever.

The resurrection of Jesus is central to our life in the Church. Christ is risen!

Accessions & Losses

There are no accessions or losses to report.



Bradley (Sam) Steven Salzwedel
August 31, 1953 ~ February 18, 2023



Articles for the May 2023 VOICE are due by Friday, April 14th at 4pm. You may drop-off submissions in the office, or e-mail to: contact@oslcmandato.org.

Treasurer's Report Commentary Period Ending February 28, 2023

Income and Expense Summary

	Current Month	Y-T-D
Income	\$37,674.00	\$99,674.73
Operating Expenses	-\$44,474.65	-\$88,052.17
LCEF Mortgage Principal Payment	-\$1,142.29	-\$2,281.14
Net for Period[†]	-\$7,942.94	\$9,341.42

[†]Positive net value indicates we received more than our expenses, a negative number indicates that we have spent more than we have received for that period (deficit).

Cash Summary

	Amount	Notes
Checking Account	\$103,153.06	Daily checking account Pioneer Bank
Joyful Response	\$124,543.06	Joyful Response deposits and loan payments
Library Fund	\$20,107.12	Certificate of Deposit
Accounts Receivable	\$592.00	
Total Cash Assets	\$248,395.24	
Dedicated Accounts	-\$134,567.59	Amount of our cash balance designated for specific activities
Other Liabilities	-\$2,752.41	Accruals for HSA pmts, youth, etc.
Available Cash Balance	\$111,075.24	\$119,018.17 last month

Long Term Debt (LCEF Mortgage)

Current Balance	\$231,807.84
Monthly Payment	\$1,845.99
Interest Rate (Variable Annually)	3.625%
Pay-off Date	5/2036

Additional Comments:

Respectfully submitted,
Doug Haeder, Treasurer



Palm Sunday

April 2

Children are invited to gather in the chapel 10 minutes before the service to carry in the palm branches. Guests are welcome!

The 4th – 6th Grade Sunday School class will be cooking up a hot breakfast to enjoy following the 8:00am service. Kids can start gathering in the kitchen after 7:45am. We'll need help from parents for clean-up.

Palm Sunday, April 2

If you've been curious about different groups or ways to get involved at church, come check out the tables in the Fellowship Hall between services.



You can ask questions, offer to participate, or just say thank you. It is so easy for activities or people to go unnoticed. Let's speak up!



“It is good to praise the Lord and make music to your name, O Most High” Psalm 92:1

Special Music Schedule for April:

April 2: Handbells

April 6: Handbell Quartet (6:30)

April 7: Choir (6:30)

April 9: Choir

April 23: Trio

April 30: Intro Choir

Back to Regular Rehearsal Schedule:

Intro Choir: 5:15-5:45

Intro Bells: 5:50-6:20

Vocal Choir: 7:00-7:30

Handbells: 7:30-8:00

Blessings,

Suzie Gangi

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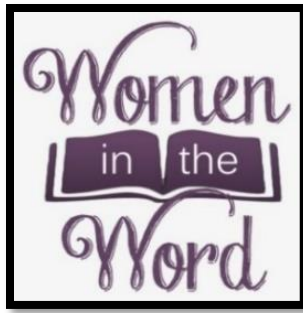
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**Watch Our Savior's Sunday
Worship**



Our Savior's Sunday 8am and 10:30am worship is livestreamed. Go to: www.oslcmandato.org and click on the "Livestreaming & Videos" menu item. From there you can go directly to YouTube to watch the service, view the Order of Service, and keep up with church activities in the Bulletin Announcements.

Watch Tuesday at 7pm or Wednesday at 2pm on the Public Access Channel KTV (Consolidated Communications channel 7, Spectrum Cable channel 181).



Bible Study Circles

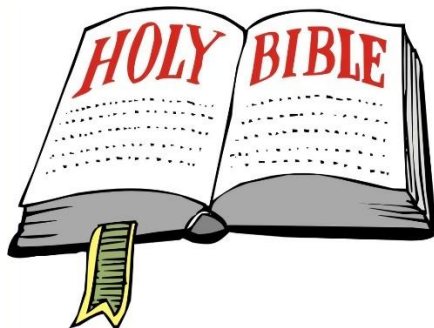
- Welcoming You -

Easter - Salvation - Promises Kept. A good time to know our Suffering Savior. God's Chosen People, yesterday and today.

Ruth/Lydia Bible Study Circle is Thursday, April 6th in the Fireplace room. Meet at 9:30am for fellowship and refreshments, Bible Study begins at 9:45am. We welcome all guests. Our study will be "God's Chosen People" on pages 16-17 in the LWML Spring Quarterly.

Mary Circle Bible Study meets on Friday, April 21st at 1:30pm in the Fireplace Room. Our study is from the Winter Quarterly, pages 16-17, "Transforming Faith". Hostess: Ruth Prins, phone 507-388-7155. Guests and visitors are welcome!

See you at church often during these days. God is Good!





Prayer Shawl

Simply put, a prayer shawl is a shawl that may give you comfort knowing you are in the prayers and thoughts of others.

If you or someone you know may find comfort in a Prayer Shawl, please call Marcella B. Eilders at 507-317-4127.

*Happy
Birthday*

The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod's 176th Birthday

The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod celebrates its birthday on April 26th. Initial members, including 12 pastors representing 14 congregations from Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Michigan, New York, and Ohio, signed the church body's constitution on April 26, 1847 at First Saint Paul Lutheran Church in Chicago, Illinois.



ATTENTION MEN! The men of Our Savior gather in the fireplace room on the second Thursday from 7:30-8:30 of each month for study together. In April we will begin to study Song of Solomon together. If you are interested in this please speak with Pastor Matheny.



Book Club



The Our Savior's book club meets from 4:30-6 in the fireplace room on the second and fourth Sundays of each month. We read good books and then discuss them together from our shared Christian perspective. If you enjoy books, or if you would like to learn to enjoy them more then this is the group for you as our discussion will help you to better understand what you have read and offer new and fresh perspectives that you likely won't have considered on your own. Keep an eye on the bulletin announcements to hear about our next book, and please speak with Pastor Matheny if you have any questions.



TSNT meets Sunday April 23rd at 6:30pm in the Fireplace room. We will begin with time in God's Word, and then play games together. All youth in grades 7 - 12 are invited!

On Saturday, April 8th, we'll meet in the in the kitchen at 2:30pm to prepare for the Easter breakfast, and also set up the Easter Garden. Seventh - 12th graders and parents are needed to help.

If you are donating food for the Easter Breakfast, please bring your items by April 7th. Thank you for supporting the youth of Our Savior's!

Young Adult Bible Study

Mondays, April 10th and 24th

Young Adults (late high school college, early-ish workforce) are invited to join us in the Fireplace Room at 7pm on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. Contact Karee Bless with questions, 507-381-3826, kbless@blc.edu.



Quilting meets the 2nd and 4th Mondays each month, October through May. Just once in April due to our work day falling on Ester Monday. Join us in the Youth Room, Monday, 24th from 9am - noon to sew fronts, middles, and backs together and tie them. No experience necessary, all are invited to join us as we make quilts to be distributed to local, national, and international people in need of a warm quilt.

If you have any questions, contact Julie at 507-388-7533.

Potluck Dinner & Bible Study

Do you like bread? How about the Bread of Life? At our potluck Bible study you can have both!

Join us from 5:30-7:30 in the Fireplace room on April 27th for food, fellowship, and time in God's Word. We'll share a potluck meal from 5:30-6:30 and then from 6:30-7:30 we'll study the Scriptures together. This month we will learn a bit about prayer. Ask Pastor Matheny if you have any questions. See you there!

Mission Service

Volunteers welcome!

Mission Service will meet on Wednesday, April 19th at 4pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Continue to pray without ceasing.

Prayers: For our Missionaries, for the organizations, for all people helping those in need, for the Missions, for Early Response Teams, for MOST Ministry teams, projects, and much more.

We are still collecting cancelled stamps, especially from your Christmas mail.

Gospel Bracelets tell the story of Salvation and are used for Vacation Bible Schools throughout the world. We work on these during Mission Services, but they can also be done as a home project. If interested, please contact Trudy at 507-327-7082.



Your time, talent, and treasure.
make a difference in the lives of all
people and make Christ known.
Thanks be to God.



S.A.G.E.S.



(S.A.G.E.S. = Saints Alive, Growing, Ever Serving)

**S.A.G.E.S. Board Meeting will be on Tuesday, April 4th from
10am – noon at the District Office.**

Bible Reading Plan - April

Since we will be celebrating Easter in April, we're going to take a closer look at resurrection. Jesus declared Himself to be the "Resurrection and the Life".

Before his own resurrection, Jesus raised others from the dead. There are even a few from the Old Testament times as well as people looking forward to life after death. (David at his child's death and Job) There are also examples of life given where it didn't seem possible such as Abraham's son Isaac, Jonah, and the valley of the dry bones in Ezekiel. Jesus prophesied about His own resurrection.

Many of the New Testament letters point back to His raising from the dead and forward to our own.

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Widowed to Widowed

CHOSEN

Let the words of LW 822, verse 3
“Alleluia! Let praises Ring” be with you
during the Easter month.

Alleluia! Let praises ring!

Unto the Holy Ghost we sing
for our regeneration.

The saving faith in us He wrought and
us unto the Bride-groom brought,
made us his chosen nation.

Glory! Glory!

Joy eternal,

Bliss supernal;

There is manna
and an endless, glad hosanna.

“For I am sure that
neither death nor life,
nor angels, nor rulers,
nor things present,
nor things to come,
nor powers, nor
height nor depth, nor
anything else in all
creation will be able
to separate us from
the love of God in
Christ Jesus our
Lord.

Romans 8:38

Find Your People

Building Deep Community in a Lonely World

We can all benefit from closer relationships. The author of this book gives practical ideas and an encouraging push as we navigate our way to deeper friendships. God made us to be in community. Be part of the discussion Wednesday nights beginning April 12 at 5:15pm in the library. You could even invite someone to join you!





LWML Mites

Mites for Missions

Mite Sunday is April 16th, third Sunday. Praise God! 2021-2023

Mission Goal of \$2,150,000 has been met and surpassed. On page 15 in the Spring *Quarterly* is a list of 45 proposed Mission Grants 2023-2025 to be voted on at the convention.

The National focus grant for April is #21 – Mercy House Belize Lutheran Campus - \$100,000. Christ Lutheran Church located in Seine Bight, Belize, was established in 2019 and is the first Lutheran church in the country. With this mission grant, a Mercy House will be built and used by Christ Lutheran Church and Belize Mission Society to help children and families come to know the saving grace of Jesus. Find out more at: www.lwml.org/2021-2023-mission-grant-21.

The Minnesota South District focus grant is #9: Student Tuition Assistance, Martin Luther High School, Northrop - \$20,000.

Thank the Lord by singing the Doxology: Praise God from whom all blessings flow, praise Him all creatures here below, praise Him above ye heav'nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Thanks to each and everyone for every penny used to make Christ known throughout the world.

Blood Drive



American
Red Cross

April 24, 12-5pm

Our annual blood drive is a little earlier this year. You can make an appointment online at www.redcrossblood.org or call the church.

VBS 2023

God's Living Water

Covered in Jesus' Grace

We're offering a mini VBS again this year. Mark your calendar for Monday, June 5. We'll do supper at 5:30pm followed by activities based on the story of Pentecost



Confirmation Sunday

10:30am ~ April 30

Join us to celebrate with Brunch 9:00-10:15am.

Our confirmands this year are

Isabel Buesing

Hunter Farris

Nathan Full

Ella Holub

Greta Johnson

Carson Kettner

Lucas Kitzmann

Then stay to hear them proclaim their faith and welcome them as adult members of our congregation.

Young at Heart / S.A.G.E.S.

Young at Heart is Our Savior older adult ministry and
Saints Alive Growing Ever Serving
(S.A.G.E.S.) is the District older adult ministry

"They still bear fruit in old age; they are ever full of sap and green." Psalm 92:14

There is an opportunity for volunteers and representatives on the S.A.G.E.S. board. Prayfully consider your call to serve. Thank you.

Don't miss your opportunity to gather with other Christians on May 1st and 2nd at Gathering XXXIII at S.A.G.E.S. Our theme, **Joyfully Aging**, will bring laughter and fun from our own presenter Dr. Rich Bimler. The workshop titles are: "History in Songs", Talking about Jesus without Talking about Sin", "Effective Communication Strategies", "Trends in Fraud & Identity Theft", "Over the Counter Hearing Aids", and "Elder Law – What Seniors Need to Know". Full agenda, workshop descriptions, presenters, meal information, cost, and registrations forms can be found on the S.A.G.E.S. webpage www.mnsdistrict.org under "Get Involved tab, S.A.G.E.S.

You show me the path of life. In your presence there is fullness of joy. Psalm 16:11



Lutheran Hour Ministries / Lutheran Layman's League

LLL/LHM Convention ~ Lutheran Layman's League – Lutheran Hour Ministries invites you to the convention on Saturday, April 15th at Martin Luther High School, Northrop. Packaging Orphan Grain Train Mercy Meals, Breakout sessions, Jayson Matasovsky, featured pianist, performs at 4:30pm. Banquet at 5pm. Cost: \$10 for lunch & \$20 for banquet. To register and information, contact Doyle Benson at doylebenson321@gmail.com or 320-583-7695. We could carpool.

Lutheran Layman news. www.lhm.org.

The www.gospeladventures.org: “Celebrate India” – register for teaching guides, posters, etc.

Sagacity news: www.mnsdistrict.org under “Get Involved” tab, S.A.G.E.S.

Voices of Public Policy: For information go to:

www.mnsdistrict.org/public-policy.



Mark Your Calendar for
Faith Night at the
Moon Dogs
June 4 at 5:05pm



Ladies of Our Savior

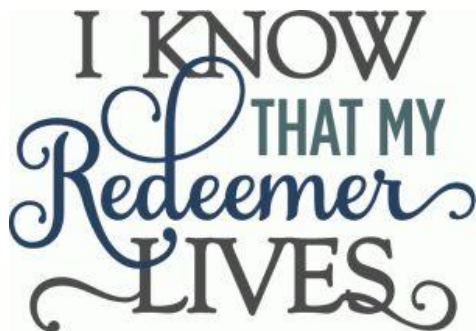
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LWML Mission Statement: As Lutheran Women in Mission, we joyfully proclaim Christ, support missions, and equip women to honor God by serving others.

A letter to Our Savior Lutheran Church members from Carol Henning, Financial Secretary of the MN South District LWML: “Thank you so much for your generous contributions to LWML Minnesota South District Mites for Missions. Your mite donations currently help support 41 missions, all helping to spread the Gospel here and around the world.” “Please know all ladies of Our Savior Lutheran Church are welcome to attend any events held by the LWML – rallies, retreats, prayer services, or conventions. The National LWML Convention will be held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, June 22-25, 2023. This is a wonderful opportunity to be in fellowship with women of faith, hear mission speakers, participate in Bible studies, sing, and laugh.”

Attend the Spring Rally at Arlington on April 15th at 9am with speaker Nader Alaraj, POBLO. Rally will be held at Peace Lutheran Church, 514 Freedom Drive, Arlington. We will be carpooling, sign up in the Narthex.

We now belong to the LWML Arlington Zone, Crow River Conference, MN South District.



Electronic Giving

Our Savior's is pleased to offer the following E-giving options to have your church offering automatically withdrawn from your checking or savings account. All options offer easy, convenient one-time or recurring gifts.

- **Joyful Response® Electronic Offering Program**
Pick up a form from the narthex, or get one from our website, and attach a voided check or savings deposit slip and turn in to the church office.
 - **Give+ Online** Go to the church web-site, www.oslcmankato.org, on the home page click on the "Contribute Online" button.
 - **Give+ Mobile** Download "GivePlus Church" from the App Store or Google Play Store on your smart phone or tablet to get started.
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Outreach Committee

Free cab rides to services are made possible for our members through Our Savior's Taxi Fund. To procure a ride, call WS Transportation at 420-4503 or 388-0708. Please call a half hour before you would like to leave. To call for a return ride, you may use the phone in the office or kitchen. Please dial 9 before you enter the number. Let WS Transportation know where you will be waiting—the front door on Broad Street or the back parking lot door. Thank you.



LCMS Stewardship Ministry: A Better Way

The most common question about stewardship is not *whether* a Christian should give to their church. Of course Christians should give to their church. Everyone knows this. Rather, the question asked most is, “How much should I give?” But this question really means, “Should Christians give a tenth of their income to their local congregation?”

Here are some common reasons against tithing. Some say tithing isn’t necessary because it isn’t expressly commanded in the New Testament. There is no “Thus saith the Lord,” or “should” concerning tithing. Others say that Christians give to their congregation in ways much broader than money. They give of their time and their talents, and these together with treasures (money) add up to more than a tithe. Still others say that they give of their treasures to other things besides their congregation, and they want to support those things alongside their church. And then there are those who think Christians shouldn’t tithe because of some fear. They are afraid that if they tithe, their gift will be misused, or that after tithing, there won’t be enough left over to get the things that they use, want or need.

Here are some reasons why Christians *should* tithe. Even though the New Testament doesn’t specifically command Christians to tithe, the Old Testament people were commanded to. And on top of this, St. Paul often describes giving a regular and generous proportion of the first fruits of one’s income — terms similar to a tithe (2 Cor. 8:7–23; 2 Cor. 9:2–7).

But here’s another way to think about it. What was the point of the tithe in the Old Testament? Where did it go? This tithe was intended to support the ministry of the Levites. They were not given any land because they had no time to farm; their full-time job was the ministry. What does it say in the New Testament? “The Lord commanded that those who proclaim the gospel should get their living by the gospel” (1 Cor. 9:14). This is the verse that

Luther used in the Small Catechism's Table of Duties to explain what Christians owe to the support of the ministry.

It seems clear from both the Old and the New Testaments that the tithe is the goal of Christians in their giving. But what if we're not there yet? How should we handle this? What are we to do?

Let's answer this by asking a different question. What would you say to your adult children who only attended church quarterly or once a month? After all, there is no passage in the New Testament that requires Christians to go to church weekly. Hebrews 10:25 is the closest verse we have, and it states simply that Christians should not neglect gathering together. And even though there is no passage that commands Christians to gather weekly, that is the implicit expectation throughout the Old and New Testaments.

So, what would you say to that son or daughter? The conversation might go something like this. I'm glad you're still going to church. It is a wonderful blessing to hear God's promises of forgiveness, life and salvation, and to receive His gifts in Word and Sacrament. But you can do better, and it will only be a blessing to you. There is a better way, and I'd really like you to try to attain it.

We should approach the topic of tithing with a similar conversation. The tithe is not specifically commanded in the New Testament, but it sure seems like the implicit expectation of both the Old and New Testaments. So, we're ecstatic that you're giving, and that you're giving in all these various ways — time, talents and treasures. But there is a better way. And that will only be a blessing to you, just as the Word of God — Old and New Testament alike — promises. Can you try increasing your gifts over the coming weeks, months and years? Can you put your trust in the God who sent His Son to take away your sin and give you everlasting life? And if He did this for you, if He did not spare His only Son, how will He not give you all things? He will not disappoint.

– LCMS Stewardship Ministry: lcms.org/stewardship

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