



Our Savior Lutheran Church & School

News & Announcements

12-26-21

Thank you Lisa Keefer! - New

Lisa is concluding her time with us at Our Savior. We have been tremendously blessed with her 11 years of ministry as Business Manager, and are thankful for her and her family as they remain a part of our church family. If you would like to send a note of thanks, we will be recognizing her in worship on January 9th.

Business Manager Position Available - New

OSL has a position available for Business Manager to oversee our ministry operations and work with our amazing staff. A ministry description can be found on the welcome desk and at our website here. For questions, contact Sue Sundstrom at ssundstrom@oursaviorlansing.org.

2022 Our Savior Auction - 80's Prom

Saturday, March 5, 2022 - 4:30pm

Relive the 1980's by joining us for the Our Savior Lutheran Prom. Dust off that prom dress and that blue suit and join us for an evening for good time. Tickets: On or before January 28th: \$35/person or \$240/table of eight. After January 28th: \$40/person or \$280/table of eight. Registration is available online at OurSaviorLansing.org/Auction or in the Church Office.

Christmas Office Hours

Offices will be closed December 24th-31st. Offices will return to regular hours of 8am-4pm on Monday, January 3rd.

Baby Shower to Welcome Baby Deneen! - New

Please come and join us in the Church Lobby on Sunday, January 23rd, during coffee hour (9:30-10:30am), to honor the arrival of Baby Deneen. We will be having a diaper drive and card basket. If you would like to donate toward some bigger items on their wish list, please drop it off at the church office and identify for "Baby Deneen".

Wednesday Bible Study 2022 - New

There is no Wednesday Bible Study on December 22 or 29. We will resume on Wednesday, January 5, and spend a few weeks looking at the Scriptures about Holy Baptism. All adults are welcome to join us at 10:30 a.m. for coffee and fellowship with teaching 11:00-12:00.

Theological Conference 2022 - February 5, 2022

This year, Our Savior will once again be hosting the Michigan District Theological Conference for both laity and church workers. The topic is "Beyond the Walls with Jesus" and addresses how Christians live out our faith in an increasingly unchristian world. Speakers include Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer, Rev. Dr. Joel Lehenbauer, Rev. Dr. David P.E. Maier and others. Click here to register. Volunteers are needed, and a signup sheet is in the church lobby. Contact Pastor Wangelin for more details.

OSL Women's Night Out...Bowling

Come join us for a night of fun, fellowship, and bowling on Saturday January 22, 2022, 6pm at the Wagon Wheel in Portland, MI. Please sign-up by January 14th, 2022 in the church lobby so that we have a head count in order to confirm the amount of lanes on our reservation. Cost: \$4.50/game and \$3.00/one-time shoe rental fee. Bowl as many or as little games as you'd like, pay at the Wagon Wheel upon arrival. Any questions, email, call, or text Candice Barr at barr.candicej@gmail.com or 517-755-9615

Women's Bible Study

Join Us Tuesday Evenings, 7-8pm, beginning January 11th, 2022 (ends: March 1st, 2022). "Be Still and Know: A Study of Rest and Refuge" by Deb Burma, unpacks the promises found in Psalm 46 that are fulfilled in Christ. The first session looks at Psalm 46 in detail and examines storms of life. Then, in the following seven sessions, study narratives from the Gospels as Jesus meets various women who are experiencing their own storms and explore the perspective of each woman as He provides refuge, strength, help, and hope. Looking to the biblical and cultural contexts will allow you to better grasp the depth of Christ's care, purpose, and attention to every need. In the midst of today's storms, may God reveal His refuge for us in Christ, the one who has overcome the world. Any questions please contact Candice Barr at barr.candicej@gmail.com or 517-755-9615 or Tina Ferris at trferris26@gmail.com or 517-230-3051. Please register by January 4th. Please note, books are NOT provided but can be purchased online.

Year-End Giving

If you would like to make a year-end gift to the ministry of Our Savior Lutheran Church and School, you may place it in the offering on Sunday mornings through December 26th. If you prefer to mail any gifts, they should be postmarked by December 31st. As always, online giving is available at your convenience at www.oursaviorlansing.org/giving. All gifts are tax deductible.

OSL Marriage Retreat

Lovers, Helpers, Friends & Neighbors

Four Essential Marriage Vocations

Join the Our Savior community February 25-27, 2022 at Gull Lake Ministries (1800 Burlington Dr. Hickory Corners, MI) for a marriage retreat that explores the four specific roles God gives spouses for growing and connecting with one another through the ups and downs of married life. While some of the roles are more obvious than others, giving a little attention to each is helpful for thriving in marriage in any season. Our discussion will be facilitated by Heidi Goehmann, a licensed clinical social worker and mental health care provider, deaconess, writer, speaker, wife, mom and advocate. She received her bachelor's degree in theology and psychology from Concordia University Chicago, and her master's degree in social work from the University of Toledo, with an emphasis on children, families, and social justice. To register, complete the form in the brochure (copies in the church lobby) and return it with payment of \$425/couple (checks made out to Our Savior Lutheran – memo – marriage retreat) to the church office by February 1. Contact Maria Giggly at giggym@msu.edu with questions.

OSL Coffee Hour

Join us in the church lobby on Sunday mornings from 9:30 to 10:30am for the return of coffee hour. We are intentionally creating time and space for our church family to connect each week and build relationships. Coffee hour each week will provide an opportunity for folks to gather, converse, and care for each other. Special events will also be held during this time periodically through the year.

Sunday Morning Coffee Hour Kids Activity

Kids 6th grade and under and parents are welcome to join us once a month on Sunday mornings from 9:40-9:55 for a Bible lesson, skit, puppet show, craft, or other fun activity in east end of the church lobby. It will be something different each month. Dates – January 16, February 13, March 13, May – TBD (during congregational meeting)

Online Connecting Card

If you are away or joining in worship from home, you can now connect with us by clicking here. We would love to hear from you, who is worshipping with you and if you have any prayer needs.

Worship Opportunities

Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30am - In-Person and Live Stream

Office Hours

The church and school office hours are Monday through Friday from 8am to 4pm.



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Last Week's Attendance

In Person

Sunday 8:30am: 112

Sunday 10:30am: 124

Sunday Hmong 10:30am: 15

Total In Person: 251

Live Stream

Sunday 8:30am: 258

Sunday 10:30am: 198

Total Online: 456

Total Worshipping: 707

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