Our Savior Lutheran Weekly News and Announcements 6-19-22

Monday Night Worship - New

Our Monday night services begin June 20, and continue through the Monday before Labor Day Weekend, August 29. Worship is at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary, and is in-person only (no Live Stream). Holy Communion will be offered each Monday night, except for Monday, June, 27, when our pastors are at the District Convention. Dave Wright will lead worship without communion that evening. We pray our Monday night services are a blessing to those busy on weekends or preferring a smaller gathering to worship and receive the Sacrament.

Freedom Appreciation Sunday - New

Sunday, July 3, we will have our Freedom Appreciation Services at 8:30 and 10:30, led by the Light Metal Brass at each service. We will recognize any currently serving or veteran military personnel, police, firefighter, and EMT's during the service. They are invited to attend in uniform. Invite family, friends, and neighbors!

Upcoming Sermon Series - New

Colossians: The Supremacy and Sufficiency of Jesus

Join us in July as we take a deep dive into Paul's letter to the Colossians. In one of his "Prison Epistles," Paul explains the relationship between Jesus and the created order more than any of his other epistles, rebukes the heresies that were present in Colossae, and reminds us that we are saved by Christ alone. We invite you to bring your Bible for this sermon series for four weeks starting July 10.

Altar Flowers - New

Altar flowers are placed by Doug & Sandi Thorne in celebration of their 46th wedding anniversary.

District Convention - New

The Michigan District of the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod will holds is triennial convention at Concordia University, Ann Arbor, June 26 - 28. Our Savior is hosting the opening service at 7 p.m. on Sunday, June 26, in the chapel of the Holy Trinity at CUAA. LCMS President Matthew Harrison is the preacher, and Pastor Wangelin the liturgist. Music is provided by John Horak and OSL choir and hand bells. Pastor Wangelin and Matt Sternemann are our congregation's pastoral and lay delegates respectively. church staff and members are welcome to attend.

Endowment Committee Thank You - New

The staff at OSL would like to thank the Our Savior Endowment Committee for supporting the following ministry events: 1) Pastors & Pizza - H.S. prospective ministry dinner, \$100, 2) Summer Camp Staff Training Lunch with Pastor Chris, \$100, 3) Library World Digital System, \$1,100, 4) Technology Audit for our Sanctuary from Mankin Media \$1,500. We are grateful for the ways the Endowment Fund supports new ministry ventures for our church and school!

Congregation Meeting

We will have a congregation finance meeting on Sunday, June 19 at 9:30am to approve the budget for the coming fiscal year. The meeting will be held in person in the commons.

Worship Opportunities

Sundays: 8:30 & 10:30am - In-Person and Live Stream Mondays beginning June 20: 7pm - In-Person only

Creation Museum & Ark Encounter Charter Bus Trip

Our Savior Lutheran will be offering a charter bus trip September 27-30 to visit the Creation Museum and the Ark Encounter. Enjoy a self-paced day at each of these wonderful museums! We will also enjoy a Cincinnati riverboat dinner cruise, excellent restaurants, shopping at Cincinnati's Findlay Market, a comfortable charter bus, and excellent hotel accommodations. The cost per person for this trip is \$650 for double occupancy and \$840 for single occupancy. Lunches and most dinners are not included in this price.

For more information and to register, please pick up an itinerary in the church lobby at the trip display table or contact Dave Wright – <u>dwright@oursaviorlansing.org</u>

Directory Update

Have you moved or changed contact information in the last year? If so, Please contact the church office by calling or sending an email to contact@oursaviorlansing.org with any updated contact information (address, phone number, including an email address) for your household.

VBS: Monumental

VBS this year will be a monumental week! Join us July 18-21 from 6:30-8:00pm Monday-Thursday here at OSL. Registration is open and available online or in the church lobby. Also, please help us out by donating an item or making a monetary donation to purchase supplies for the VBS program - check out the VBS table in the church lobby!

Summer Basketball Camp: July 25-28, 6pm-8pm

The cost is \$45 per camper by June 6th or \$55 after June 6th. Cost includes a camp t-shirt and beverages. All boys and girls entering 2nd-8th grade in the fall of 2022 are eligible to attend. Registration forms are available outside of the school office or on <u>oursaviorlansingschool.org/resources</u>. Questions: call Bill Burmeister at 517-898-3446.

Lutheran Adult Gathering: October 14-16

Be renewed, encouraged, and equipped at the Lutheran Adult Gathering held on Mackinac Island at the beautiful Grand Hotel. Renowned speakers will inspire us to connect with the next generation of believers with the hope-filled and unchanging message of the Gospel. Pastor Wangelin is the chaplain for the weekend. Learn more or register online at www.michigandistrict.org/lag22.

Retirement Celebration for Pastor Ed Filter

St. Andrew's Lutheran Church, Portland, MI, is celebrating 34 years of ministry for Pastor Ed Filter upon his retirement from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, June 26 with a cake and punch open house reception. We thank God for faithful shepherds!

Food Bank Needs

The Our Savior Food Bank is in need of Shampoo, Hand Soap, Tooth Paste, Deodorant, Toilet Paper. All these items can be found at the Dollar Store and placed in the donation box in the church lobby.

Office Hours

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

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| W OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN | | In-Person | Online |
| Church and School | 8:30am Worship: | 110 | 224 |
| Learn, Live, ShareChrist | 10:30am Worship: | 320 | 310 |
| www.oursaviorlansing.org | | 430 | 534 |
| 517-882-8665 | Total: 964 | | |

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