

Our Savior Lutheran Weekly News and Announcements

1-22-23

Lutherans for Life Display - New

This Sunday is Life Sunday, where we celebrate God's gift of life and ways to show compassion to all people in every stage of life. A display with life resources will be in the lobby during the coffee hour at 9:30 with volunteers from our Lutherans for Life team. If you would like to be a part of this team, contact Deb Kamm at d.kamm@comcast.net or attend the next meeting on Thursday, February 9, 6:30 p.m. in the Board Room.

Calling All Superheroes! Early Bird Pricing Ends Jan. 27 - New

Get your capes and tights ready for a fun evening of fellowship, food and of course, bidding on your favorite items at the 2023 Auction - Saturday, March 4 at 4:30pm! You can reserve your spot today by filling out an RSVP card in the front office or go to: oursaviorlansing.org/auction! Early Bird pricing through January 27th, \$35/person or \$240/table of 8 (\$30 per person). Donations of new items, services, etc. are needed! For more information, contact [Becky Grocki](#).

First Bible Milestone - This Sunday!

1st Grade First Bible milestone is Sunday, January 22, from 9:30am – 10:15am in the 1st grade classroom. Parents and their 1st grader are invited to join us. The purpose of this class is to facilitate parent and child Bible discussion, encourage families to make Bible reading a daily priority, and enjoy exploring different books in the Adventure Bible. Each family that participates will be given a new bible, which will be presented by parents to the child during the 10:30am worship service on January 22. Contact [Dave Wright](#) or [Rachael Engelbrecht](#) for more information.

Congregational Meeting

A congregation meeting for all members and supporters of Our Savior will be held on Sunday, January 29th, 9:30-10:30am in the Commons.

Auction Donations Needed - New

Donations of new items, services, etc are needed for the 2022 Auction on Saturday, March 4th! If you or someone you know would like an easy way to donate, we have created an [Amazon wish list](#). Anything purchased can be shipped directly to OSL. Please contact Becky Grocki at bgrocki@oursaviorlansing.org with questions. The donation deadline is Friday, February 24th.

OSL Sightseers Trip to Washington D.C.

A new ministry called the OSL Sightseers is planning a charter bus trip to Washington D.C. and the Museum of the Bible among other attractions. This will take place October 12-18, but we just started [registration](#). For more information [click here](#), contact [Dave Wright](#) or check out the handouts and registration forms in the church lobby. We invite anyone 18 years of age or older to participate.

OSL Men's Event

Join us for Man Camp Weekend February 17-19, 2023. This is going to be a fantastic weekend of fellowship, conversations, Bible study, ice fishing, snow shoeing, cross country skiing, axe throwing, atv/snowmobile rides (bring your equipment), campfire, sledding, cards, naps, etc! It is good to get away with other men of faith to encourage one another and to be encouraged in the journey we are on as brothers, husbands, fathers, sons, and workers. We want men (confirmed and older) to be inspired, recharged, and invigorated in the northern woods of Michigan. Camp Westminster on Higgins Lake is just a couple hours away! Pastor Tyler Cronkright from Family of God Lutheran Church and St Stephen Lutheran church in Detroit will lead us in some instruction on Saturday and worship on Sunday morning. There will also be plenty of free time, group activity time, snacks, and outdoor fun throughout the weekend. Cost is \$160/person. To secure your spot, grab a brochure in the church lobby, fill out the registration on the back page, and turn in to the box on the table in the church lobby. Contact Dave Wright for more information at dwright@oursaviorlansing.org.

Theological Conference Saturday, February 4th

We are hosting the LCMS Michigan District Theological Conference again this year 8:30 – 3:00 p.m., Saturday, February 4. Under the theme “The Word Works: Building an Ethic of Bible Reading” nationally renown speakers will encourage us in

faithful Bible reading. Register with the Michigan District here. We also need about 20 volunteers to work that day. Sign up in the church lobby or contact Pastor Wangelin at pastorw@oursaviorlansing.org.

Bible Reading Plan for 2023

Spending time in God's word is vital for every Christian. Here is a challenge for you: commit to reading through the entire Bible this year! What a tremendous way to learn and grow in your faith! Pick up the daily Bible Reading Plan for 2023 in the church lobby or you can view it on our website at oursaviorlansing.org/faith-resources. Enjoy 2023 and dig in to God's word each day as you strive to read the entire Bible in one year!

Sermon Study Guides Available

Each week, our pastors write a study guide based on the sermon text and theme for group or individual use. These are available on our website under Faith Resources or from the church office. If your small group would like copies made of the study guide, you may request them from the receptionist, kwaldie@oursaviorlansing.org.

Food Bank Needs

The food bank is in need of food donations. Any non-perishable items that you are able to give will be greatly appreciated. All donations can be dropped off to the food bank bin in the church lobby.

Israel Trip

Would you like to go on a journey to Israel and haven't made plans yet? Pastor Frank Graves (former interim Pastor at OSL) is planning a 10-day trip to Israel October 10 - 19, 2023. Cost is \$4,992 from Grand Rapids and includes entrance to all sacred sites, lodging (4+ star hotels), air and ground transportation, full breakfast and dinners, and all tips, etc. If you are interested, contact him at revbev65@hotmail.com or [click here to download the brochure](#). There is a \$50 discount when you register by Feb. 10.

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.

High School Youth Group

High schoolers have 2 opportunities to gather together for fun and fellowship! Sundays from 9:30-10:30am, is Breakfast with Jesus and Thursdays is Youth Group from 7-8:30pm. All high schoolers are invited!

Wednesday Bible Study

Wednesday morning Bible Study is going through C.S. Lewis classic defense of the Christian faith, Mere Christianity, through March 22. Join us at 10:30 for fellowship and coffee, with teaching time 11:00 – noon in the Bickel Room. This class is also livestreamed on our YouTube channel. Purchase books on Amazon, Christianbook.com, or from the church office for \$10.



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Last Week's Attendance

	In-Person	Online
8:30am Worship:	200	296
10:30am Worship:	222	198
10:30am Hmong Worship:	19	
Total:	441	494

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