

Our Savior Lutheran Weekly News and Announcements

2-5-23

Guest Preacher Sunday from Museum of the Bible - New

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Kloha, Director at the Museum of the Bible in Washington D.C. will be our guest preacher this Sunday. He will show a short video about the Museum of the Bible and answer questions during the coffee hour in the Bickel Room. (High School Breakfast with Jesus will be in the Board Room).

LWML Bible Study and Service Project - New

Women are warmly invited to enjoy a "heart warming" Bible study and packing Valentine gift bags on Saturday, Feb. 11, at 10:00 AM in the Bickel Room. The gift bags will be given to immigrant families at Living Word and international students at Friendship House MSU. Items needed include beans, rice, canned fruits and vegetables and wrapped snack bars.

Lenten Theme: The Red Letter Challenge

What if we took the words of Jesus, and lived them out each day? Many people give things up for Lent, but what about adding something to stretch ourselves? The Red Letter Challenge will do just that. This is a challenge to read all of the words of Jesus, the "red letters" in 40 days, and will help us to see how the words of Jesus are a practical application to our everyday lives. This challenge gives daily readings, and challenges to individuals, families, and small groups in 5 different principles, to see how Jesus is working in our lives! **Workbooks are available for purchase for \$10 in the church lobby.**

8th Grade Trip Fundraiser this Monday! - New

Make dinner easy this Monday, February 6th, 5-9pm and come to the West Lansing Culver's (near OSL) in support of the 8th graders as they fundraise for their trip to the Creation Museum in May. Order online, use the drive-thru or dine in between 5 and 9pm and Culver's will give a portion to OSL! (no code needed). Our students will be helping serve food so say hi when you stop in or drive-thru!

Ash Wednesday Service

Join us as we begin the season of Lent with Ash Wednesday worship on Wednesday, February 22 at 7pm with imposition of ashes and Holy Communion. The worship service will be in-person and online at www.oursaviorlansing.org/livestream.

Lenten Midweek Fellowship Meals

Join us each Wednesday during Lent for fellowship and yummy food before going to the Midweek Lenten Worship service at 7pm. Dinner will be available in the commons from 5:30 to 6:45pm. A free will donation will be taken to cover the cost of food (suggested donation: adults-\$12, Children 12 & under-\$5, Family-\$30). February 22: Fish Fry; March 1: Pancakes; March 8: German Dinner; March 15: Macaroni & Cheese; March 22: Chili Cook-off; March 29: Sloppy Joe's.

Lutherans for Life Meeting

Our Lutherans for Life team helps our congregation coordinate care and information about life issues in our community and through Shared Pregnancy Women's Center. The next meeting is Thursday, February 9, 6:30 p.m. in the Board Room. Anyone is welcome to attend if you would like to get involved. Contact Deb Kamm for more information at d.kamm@comcast.net.

First Communion Milestone

OSL members in 7 or 8 grade are invited to take the First Communion Milestone class in preparation for First Communion and Confirmation. The class is three Sundays at 9:30 a.m. in the Commons – March 5, 12, and 19, with first Communion at late service on March 19. Students take the class only once, in either 7th or 8th grade. Contact Pastor Wangelin at pastorw@oursaviorlansing.org for more information.

Calling All Superheroes! 2023 Auction

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! \$40/person or \$280/table of 8 (\$35 per person). Donations of new items, services, etc. are needed! For more information, contact [Becky Grocki](mailto:BeckyGrocki).

Auction Donations Needed

Donations of new items, services, etc are needed for the 2023 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 October 12-18, 2023. If you are considering going, please sign up soon using this link: [registration](#). OSL members have first priority and we will invite our friends from other area congregations to join us beginning Monday, February 13. 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. 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.

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:	158	400
10:30am Worship:	217	268
10:30am Hmong Worship:	16	
	391	668
	Total: 1,059	

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