



## Our Savior's Lutheran Church

### August 15, 2021—Weekly Happenings

*"Open to Serve a Loving Christ"*  
A Stephen Ministry Congregation



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**Included in our prayers this week:** Pastor Alan, Pastor Vold, Coral Headrick, Morgan Ten Eyck, Pam Schipper, Jill Schreiber, Jo Anne Ramsdell, Orin Tollefson, Derek Gerlach, Judy Pulscher, Denise Myears, Lillian Tjarks, Elaine Powers, Michael Hammer, Bev Whaley, Cory Scofield, Lorraine Crouch, Vern Thorson, Larry Anderson, Madylynn Damm, Linda Eng, Jerry Wilske, Dallas Petersen.

**All of our services members:**

Especially Brandon Peters, David Eng, Daniel Ehrichs, Nick Orlick, Cyrah Gundvaldson, Randy Tollefson & Bridget Flannery

**Pastor Alan had shoulder surgery last week.** If an emergency shoulder arise, please do not hesitate to call or text him. He will be checking his phone and get back to you as soon as he is able!

**Pastor Vold** passed away after being hospitalized with COVID in Florida. Cards can be mailed to his daughter:

Julie Vold Stevenson  
5245 Tildens Grove Blvd  
Windermere, FL 34786

**THANKS** to a friend of OSLC for donating sweet corn for our Chicken Supper! Also, a **great, big THANK YOU** to our members who helped pick, shuck, haul, blanch & bag it. Also, **thank you** to Mike at Maynards for the use of their freezer!

**We NeEd YoUr HeLp!!** Please join the council on Saturday morning, August 28, 8:00A-12:00 to go through and tidy up the Education Unit before Sunday School begins! All kinds of tasks have been overlooked for a few years, so there will be something fun for everyone!

**MANY THANKS** to all of our members who volunteered their time & talents, donated supplies or funds to make our VBS successful. It was such a blessing to have 70+ kids in our building learning how God welcomes everyone into his great big tent! We are so grateful for your generosity and willingness to help!

**RALLY SUNDAY:** Mark your calendars for **September 12<sup>th</sup>**. Lots of fun & exciting things are being planned!

**Sunday School Staff needed:** Please share your talent with our youth! OSLC is currently seeking volunteers for Sunday School: Teachers, Subs, Music Leader, Superintendent, and Prayer Partners. We also need help on Wednesday nights with confirmation for the 5<sup>th</sup>—7<sup>th</sup> grades. Please contact Wendy Strietz or Nancy Witte. Next meeting for those interested in helping will be on August 16 at 7:30.

**Sound/video system operators needed IMMEDIATELY:**

We are in desperate need of individuals/couples who will run the system. It is much easier than you think! A training session is available & an instruction sheet leads you through every step. We have mentors to sit beside you until you are comfortable. WE CAN'T project the service without someone running the computer. Let Jeremy, Becky Saylor, or Pastor Alan know of your interest. Duties would be once a month or less.

**Zoom Bible study** is in full swing! It will be recorded and attached to our Facebook page for a week or so if you are unable to catch it live. Contact Pastor if you are interested in joining this group.

**SD Synodical WELCA Business/Leadership Event**

Will be held on August 28th, 2021 at New Home Lutheran Church in Mitchell, SD. The theme is "We Are Called". It will be in person and virtual from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost is \$10. For further information & to register, please contact – Darla Toben, 47906 171<sup>st</sup> St., Clear Lake, SD 57226 or [dgtoben@itcel.com](mailto:dgtoben@itcel.com) or call 605-880-3506.

**WELCA GUEST DAY SALAD LUNCHEON: THURSDAY, SEPT. 9, 12:00 NOON**

Ladies from all Moody County churches are invited to attend our Guest Day Luncheon. Ladies on their noon lunch hour from work will be able to be served first, so please come even if you are at your job. Our program will be a speaker from Boys & Girls Club and there will be entertainment. Please save the date and plan on inviting your friends & neighbors. More details next week. Thank you! WELCA officers & chairwomen. See you there!

## **WEEKLY HAPPENINGS:**

**Aug 15, 2021 to Aug 22, 2021**

### **Sunday 15**

9:00 Sunday Worship (*NO Communion*)

In person and Online

10:00 Coffee and fellowship

**Monday 16** Pastor's day off

7:30 Sunday School Meeting

### **Tuesday 17**

9:00 Tie Quilts

### **Wednesday 18**

8:00-4:30 Office open

11:00 Bible Study by Zoom

### **Thursday 19**

8:00-4:30 Office open

**Friday 20** Pastor's day off

### **Saturday 21**

### **Sunday 22**

9:00 Sunday Worship w/Communion

In person and Online

10:00 Coffee and fellowship

2:00 Edgewood Worship

## **THANK-YOU:**

**Pianist:** Marda Olson

**Song Leader:** Vicki Solem

**Sound board:** Beth Wesala

**Reader:** Zona Sanderson

**Coffee:** Diana Larson

**Last Week's Worship In-Person Attendance:** (Park Service)

**MORTGAGE BALANCE:** As of 07-15-2021 the mortgage balance was \$ 48,985.56

**MOODY COUNTY CARES:** COVID-19 Response

The Moody County Ministerial Association and Moody County Cares are working together along with the Breadbasket, Maynard's, and others to coordinate a response to the needs for food and other essentials by the people of Moody County during the COVID-19 Pandemic. This effort will serve two groups of people: those who can't afford needed items such as food, soap, and laundry detergent, and those who can afford needed items but need to stay isolated for health reasons (seniors, immunocompromised, etc). Please contact the help center by dialing 211, by texting 898211 or reach out to us on [www.moodycountycares.com](http://www.moodycountycares.com) *If you would like to volunteer please visit [www.moodycountycares.com](http://www.moodycountycares.com)*

**Thank you** members of OSLC for the memorial gifts given in memory of *Duane (Bud) Carr, Carol Ellefson & Jim Suhr.*

**Thank you** to the family of Jim Suhr for the generous memorial gifts given to the Sunday School (\$1000), WELCA (\$1500) and OSLC (\$20,000 which will be designated soon).

**Thank you** to Gary & Carolyn Hammer for your gift of appreciation for all the prayers for their son *Mike.*

## **WELCA SCHOOL KITS**

There is a collection box in the Fellowship Hall for school kits. They are in need as we approach the school year.

A school kit consists of :

- 4 70 sheet notebooks wide or college rule, no loose leaf
- 1 blunt scissors
- 1 (30 cm metric ruler or ruler)
- One pencil sharpener
- One 2" eraser
- 5 new unsharpened pencils; secure together by rubber band
- 5 ballpoint pens (not gel); secure together with rubber band
- 1 box of 16 or 24 count crayons
- 1 sturdy drawstring bag

**Misc:** Printed copies of the monthly council minutes are available in the Fellowship Hall and on the bulletin board in the education unit.

**Reminder:** There are many ways to electronically give to OSLC. 1. Visit the website at <http://www.oslclandreau.org/> and click the electronic giving link. 2. Mobile phone app available called GivePlus. 3. Direct transfer from your bank directly to OSLC, account 4919. We thank you for your continual support whether it is a one time or repeating gift. Questions can be directed to Mary Beth Sutton, Benevolence committee or leave a message on the office phone.

**BREADBASKET:** The Breadbasket has a theme based suggestion list for every month. All regular food and monetary donations are still happily accepted.

**August: Canned soups—including cream soups & crackers**

If you are in need of food bring your photo ID and official piece of mail with your name and address on it to the register. Open Thursdays from 1:30-5pm. Located at 202 E 2nd Ave. Flan-dreau. You can receive food once a month. Please 'like' us on Facebook for updates and reminders.

**CHURCH CHUCKLES:** A pastor was wearing his collar during a children's message in church. Pointing to it he asked the kids, "Do you know what this means?" A little boy responded, "Yeah, it means for 3 months you're protected from ticks and fleas!"