



Our Savior's Lutheran Church
May 15, 2022—Weekly Happenings
"Open to Serve a Loving Christ"



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Included in our prayers this week:

Bill Wesala, Madeline Damm, Donna Smith, Bubba Loehr, Dallas Petersen, Coral Headrick, Morgan TenEyck, Pam Schipper, Linda Eng, Jill Schreiber, Jo Anne Ramsdell, Orin Tollefson, Derek Gerlach, Judy Pulscher, Elaine Powers, Cory Scofield, Vern Thorson, Larry Anderson & Bev Whaley

All of our services members:

Especially Brandon Peters, Dylan Erickson, David Eng, Nick Orlick, Cyrah Gundvaldson & Bridget Flannery

"BLESSING OF THE MOTORCYCLES" Saturday, May 21 at 10:30 am, we will be "Blessing Motorcycles" at **Our Savior's Lutheran**. Join us for coffee and fellowship at 10:00 am, **Blessing of the Bikes at 10:30 am**, then go for a short ride and eat lunch. All bikers welcome!

Community VBS: When: August 1-4 Where: OSLC
Who: Preschool (potty trained)-6th grade. We are looking for
VBS teachers and volunteers to help! Nancy, Rachel & Wendy

THE BANQUET: OSLC, along with the other churches in Moody County, **will be serving the Banquet in Sioux Falls, (900 E. 8TH St.), on Wed., June 1.** We are in need of **6-8 people** to help make the meal **from 2:00-5:00 pm** and **30-40 people** to help serve the meal **from 5:00-8:00 pm.** If you have never participated in this ministry before, please consider doing so on June 1.

There are sign up sheets in the Fellowship Hall. Donation checks should be made out to **The Banquet** & mailed directly to:

Jane DeLay
110 S. Fred St.
Egan, SD 57027
(605) 997-2458

BRING YOUR BICYCLE TO CHURCH DAY IS JUNE 5TH.

Ride or bring your bicycle to church on Sunday, June 5th for a "Blessing of the Bicycles".

OSLC will **NOT** be needed to deliver Meals on Wheels this month due to a change in the program.

OFFERING FOR UKRAINE: Since the beginning of Russia's war against Ukraine on Feb. 24, millions of people have fled the country and are seeking refuge in neighboring countries including Hungary, Moldova, Poland, Romania and Slovakia. There are major humanitarian concerns for both internally displaced people and refugees. Many people fleeing their homes in Ukraine need shelter and basic necessities such as food, water and toiletries. Care for people also includes pastoral and psychological support to address the trauma they've endured.

ELCA Lutheran Disaster Response is accompanying our companions in Ukraine, Hungary, Poland, Romania and Slovakia, as well as ecumenical partners such as Lutheran World Federation and Church World Service, in their humanitarian responses to the crisis created by Russia's war against Ukraine. These partners provide refugees with immediate support and supplies such as food, blankets, water and hygiene kits. **Your gifts will support people impacted by the war. Gifts designated to "Eastern Europe Crisis" will be used in full (100%) for direct response to assist those affected.**

We have seen the devastation on TV and other media sources of the country of Ukraine and its people, and it cannot be unseen. God invites us to help others, specifically when we have seen the incredible need.

We will be taking an offering in the back of the church for the next few Sundays in May to be given to the ELCA Disaster Response. Please consider being generous to those who have lost so much.

THANK YOU to LuAnn (Gullickson) & Chad Kemp of Cavalier, ND who used their Thrivent Choice Dollars to order 7 dozen canvas bags and 1 dozen scissors for the OSLC WELCA School Kits! The WELCA ladies are still looking for donations of the following school supplies any time now through Sept.

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| * (4) 70-sheet notebooks | * (1) pencil sharpener |
| * (5) unsharpened pencils | * (1) metric ruler |
| * (5) ballpoint pens (no gel) | * (1) box of crayons (16-24) |
| * (1) blunt scissors | * (1) eraser (2.5in) |
| * No loose leaf paper | |

Please leave supplies in the quilt room.

Gwenda Gullickson, WELCA Missions

WEEKLY HAPPENINGS: May 15, 2022 to May 22, 2022

Sunday 15

9:00 Worship w/communion + Livestream

=>Coffee & fellowship to follow

NO Sunday School until next fall

Monday 16

Tuesday 17

9:00 Tie Quilts

Wednesday 18

8:00-4:30 Office Open

NO Confirmation until next fall

Thursday 19

8:00-4:30 Office Open

Friday 20

Saturday 21

Sunday 22

9:00 Worship+ Livestream

=>Coffee & fellowship to follow

THANK YOU:

Greeters: Logan & Aubrey Rose family

Pianist: Alison Ramsdell

Song Leader: Jen Headrick

Sound board: Leighton Blum & Erin Walstead

Reader: Marlys Drewes

Coffee: Richard & Lillian Relf

Communion: Logan & Aubrey Rose & Hayden

Last Week's Worship In-Person Attendance: 150

MORTGAGE BALANCE: As of 4/20/2022, the mortgage balance was \$35,949.05.

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. *If you would like to volunteer please visit www.moodycountycares.com.*

CALL PROCESS UPDATE:

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the virtual interview was cancelled last week.

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

May: peanut butter, oatmeal & pancake mixes

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. Flandreau. You can receive food once a month. Please 'like' us on Facebook for updates and reminders.

OSLC's BETHEL BOARD of DIRECTORS position will need to be filled. The Bethel Board meets the 4th Monday of each month. The Board is comprised of an Executive Committee, Building Committee, Finance Committee, and Policy Committee. The board members listen to things related to the operation of Bethel, make recommendations and vote on matters that relate to the building, financials, and policies. OSLC is a part owner of Bethel, so it is important we have representation on the board. Linda Meier has served her 2 consecutive terms on the board, and like other outgoing board members, has stated her experience was rewarding and helped give a better understanding on the operations of nursing homes. Linda is happy to answer any questions you have! Thank you for your consideration!

NEW MEMBER?? If anyone is interested in becoming a member of Our Savior's Lutheran, please contact the church office, 997-2186 or oslcw@iw.net. We'd be excited to welcome you into our church family!

THANK YOU to all who have helped make our youth ministry successful! Superintendents: Rachel Chamblin & Nancy Witte
Sunday School Teachers: PreK: Susan Damm, Kim Johanson, Courtney Loiseau & Rory Thielson, K: Jolene Loiseau & Aubrey Rose, 1st: Mandy Sutton & Nancy Witte, 2nd: Jen Headrick & Heidi Johnson, 3rd: Vicki Rentschler & Wendy Streitz, 4th: Ashley Headrick & Abe Streitz Pianist: Kim Johanson 5th - 7th Confirmation: Jeremy Haugen & Pastor Wayne Youth Group: Larry & Lori Peters Prayer Partners: Bev Taylor, Delores Hammer, Cody & Rachel Chamblin, Peg Taylor, Mike & Nancy Witte, Jerry & LeAnn Carr, Donna Smith, Gwen Gullickson & Brendan & Wendy Streitz Education Council Members: Wendy Streitz & Nancy Witte, Education Committee Members: Rachel Chamblin, Gwen Gullickson, & Lori Peters

VISITORS: Please fill out the tan, "Welcome" card with a cross on it located in your pew!

CHUCKLES:

Recently, Pastor has had complaints that his sermons are too intellectual. Therefore, the following adults are invited to come up for the children's message...:)