



Our Savior's Lutheran Church
July 24, 2022—Weekly Happenings
"Open to Serve a Loving Christ"



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Included in our prayers this week:

Zona Sanderson, Verlyn Rentschler, Marion Hammer, Bill Wesala, Pam Schipper, Linda Eng, Jo Anne Ramsdell, Orin Tollefson, Derek Gerlach, Elaine Powers, Cory Scofield, Vern Thorson

All of our services members:

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

THANK YOU ABE STREITZ for playing the organ during offering today!

VBS MEALS: It has been tradition that the VBS volunteers are fed breakfast and lunch. We would appreciate your Church providing a meal or two! Visit the signup genius link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4badac2faaf4c34-vbsstaff> or leave a message at the church office.

Malorie Yeaton, Community VBS Coordinator

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR COMMUNITY VBS!

When: August 1-4 **Where:** OSLC

Who: Preschool (potty trained)-6th grade. Registration for students and volunteers (many needs, not just teachers) is at flandreau.mycokesburyvbs.com or can be found on our website (oslcflandreau.org) and FaceBook page. Please help spread the word & register today!

Wendy Streit, Ed. Comm.

WELCOME to our newest members, Ryan & Crystal Sherman!

SAVE THE DATE: OCT. 23, 2022 OSLC Chicken Supper

THANK YOU to the men's quartet for your performance today! Members are Leighton Blum, Mike Blum, Gary Luttmann & Tim Yeaton.

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

SUNDAY SCHOOL is looking for a Superintendent and teachers for the 2022-23 year. Please contact Wendy Streit (605-480-0026) or the church office if you are willing to serve!

WELCA ladies are looking for donations for the following school supplies any time now through Sept.

- * (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.

Gwendolyn Gullickson, WELCA Missions

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! Swingin' Fore Scott Golf Tournament is August 6, 2022.

Rivers Bend Golf Course Flandreau, SD

Registration 9 AM Shot Gun Start 10:00 AM

We will be hosting a 4-person scramble to help Scott Greenhoff in his fight against cancer.

Scott was diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer that has spread to his liver in November 2021. The funds raised will help cover his medical expenses and cost of living as he has been unable to work full time as a truck driver since being diagnosed.

4 Person Scramble (\$200 per team)

Raffle Tickets Miscellaneous prizes (5 tickets for \$20)

Gun Raffle Tickets (5 tickets for \$20)

Silent Auction, Pin Prizes, 50/50 Drawing

Need not be present to win. Silent auction and raffles are open for all.

To register or purchase raffle tickets, contact: Cody Christenson (605-864-0260), Laurie Christenson (605-864-0385), Sherri Rochel (605-530-1152) or Christine Greenhoff (605-321-4489)

OSLC BENEVOLENCE has been active this year both locally (Breadbasket, Boys & Girls Club, Fliers' Closet, VBS shirts & Summer Rec/pool passes) & with the ELCA (SD Synod Missions, SD ELCA Rural Ministry, Eastern Europe Crisis Response and Companion Synods in Cameroon & Nicaragua) giving over \$22,771 to share God's blessings. If you have questions regarding specific amounts, please contact the office.

WEEKLY HAPPENINGS: July 24, 2022 - July 31, 2022

Sunday 24

9:00 Worship + Livestream
=>Coffee & fellowship to follow

Monday 25

Tuesday 26

9:00 Tie Quilts

Wednesday 27

8:00-4:30 Office Open

Thursday 28

8:00-4:30 Office Open

Friday 29

Saturday 30

Sunday 31

9:00 Worship w/ Communion + Livestream
=>Coffee & fellowship to follow

THANK YOU:

Greeters: Judy Baas & Larry & Lori Peters family

Pianist: Mary Beth Sutton

Song Leader: Dan Sutton

Sound board: Beth Wesala & Allen Loehr

Reader: Laura Hagedorn

Coffee: Larry & Lori Peters

Last Week's Worship In-Person Attendance: 62

MORTGAGE BALANCE: As of 6/20/2022, the mortgage balance was \$33, 277.72

MOODY COUNTY CARES: 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. 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.*

JUNE COUNCIL MINUTES are posted on the Ed. Unit bulletin board.

CALL COMMITTEE met with Pastor Renee, Associate to the Bishop, last week. She shared the Synod has sent OSLC's profile to 10-12 pastors and 3 of them are in a period of discernment. Discussion was held regarding a first call pastor & after much thought, the committee decided to update our MSP to include pastors with 0-3 yrs. experience. The committee visited about the importance of OSLC being a support system for our future pastor, regardless of his/her experience, and the cohesiveness a pastor/church relationship entails.

WELCA PURPOSE STATEMENT: As a community of women created in the image of God, called to discipleship in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society, and the world.

BETHEL HOME GOLF TOURNAMENT will be on Friday, July 29, in Madison.

OSLC's BETHEL BOARD of DIRECTORS position needs to be filled. The Bethel Board meets the 4th Monday of each month. 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 is happy to answer any questions you have! Thank you for your consideration!

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

July: Noodles, pasta, rice & dried potatoes

If you are in need of food, bring your photo ID and official piece of mail. Open Thursdays from 1:30-5pm. Located at 202 E 2nd Ave. Flandreau. You can receive food once a month.

FARM TO TABLE FUNDRAISER

Date: Sunday, August 21st, from 4 to 7pm

Location: Messiah Lutheran Church
(48458 240th Street, Flandreau, SD)

Cost: \$100 per ticket or \$750 for a table of 8

Buy tickets at sdsynod.org/dinner.

RSVP Deadline: July 18.

Join us on **August 21st** to celebrate and support rural ministry. We'll have live music from Eliza Blue, a catered meal, and a short program with a live auction. You'll be able to hear stories from Pastor Alan Blankenfeld, our Rural Ministry Liaison, and from some of the congregations he has worked with since beginning his call. All proceeds will go to support rural ministry throughout the South Dakota Synod. OSLC has made a donation toward the event in support of Pastor Alan's new role with the Synod.

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

CHUCKLES:

What's the difference between a poorly dressed man on a tricycle and a well-dressed man on a bicycle?
Attire.