



Sunday, May 17, 2026

Our Saviour's
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Reaching out with a voice of HOPE

Sunday Worship Today

8:30 a.m. Traditional

10:15 a.m. Contemporary

Both services stream live on YouTube

Service Hymn

Opening Hymn: ELW 763

My Life Flows On in Endless Song

Kids In Worship—Prayground

Our Saviour's loves kids in worship! The Prayground is a space for younger kids to enjoy playing while watching and listening to worship. Parents are encouraged to stay nearby and remind children to keep engaged with quiet play and quiet talking while also seeing what's going on with worship.

10:15 Kid's Time:

Kids head out to the Gathering Space for an activity during the sermon time, and come back for the rest of the service.

HOLY COMMUNION

All are welcome to receive Communion at Our Saviour's.

You may commune in place with a Communion kit or come forward.

Gluten Free wafers are available at the front of each section for you to pick up as you come forward. If you cannot have any gluten cross-contamination, you can also dip in the cups of wine on the stands.

Servers are available to serve those who wish to commune in place. Simply give them a wave when they begin to look around after serving their section. Communion kits are available from the ushers if you prefer.



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Pastor Matt Polsdofer

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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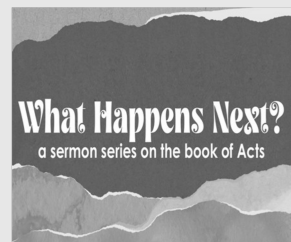
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OSLC WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sermon Series: What Happens Next? April 19– May 24

Easter is not the end of the story. It is the beginning. In the book of Acts, we discover something powerful. Once-fearful disciples now refuse to be silent. Ordinary, imperfect people become a Spirit-filled movement. Today, Christ is still at work through the church. Come see how the Holy Spirit is still calling the church today. Come see God's welcome is bigger than we imagined! Come see what happens next.



- May 24: When the Spirit Shows Up—Acts 2:1-13

SERMON IN SONG TODAY, BOTH SERVICES

Today is Sermon in Song, a special Sunday when both of our worship services feature music selections from the Celebration Choir, the Cornerstone Band, and the Carillon Bells. You will be blessed by the numerous musical talents from OSLC's Music Department as we worship together!

OFFERING DURING WORSHIP

At Our Saviour's, giving is understood as an act of worship because it is a faithful response to God's love rather than an obligation or transaction. Rooted in gratitude for all that God has given—especially the hope we have through Jesus—our offerings become a way to honor God, participate in God's work in the world, and live out our calling as stewards of creation. Starting May 24, we are bringing back the practice of "passing the plate" during the service to acknowledge our giving as an act of worship. Music will allow this to be a reflective time as we give thanks for all God has given us. For those who give online, cards will be in the pew pockets, and can be placed in the offering plate to participate in the worship practice of giving.

SEASONED ADULT MINISTRY OUTING

Join the OSLC SAM group on Thursday, May 21 at 1:00 p.m. and explore the beauty of a local Buddhist temple right here in East Bethel. Learn more about this unique, local neighbor and enjoy an afternoon with friends. Meet at 4904 217th Ave. NE, East Bethel or at OSLC to carpool over. Please sign up on the board in the Rotunda, so we can plan accordingly. Questions? Call Susan Fanucci at 763-218-7174.

Welcome New CYF Ministry Director, Liv Guse!



We are excited to announce that Liv Guse has joined the Our Saviour's team as the CYF Ministry Director. She has grown up rooted in her faith alongside her family and has developed a deep love for the sense of community and belonging it brings.

From a young age, Liv found joy in dance, spending many hours in the studio and later becoming an assistant instructor. It was there that she discovered a genuine passion for working with children. That passion led her to pursue a degree in Elementary Education, where she earned her Associate's degree. Liv feels grateful for the opportunity to bring together her love for teaching and her love for Jesus as she walks alongside children and families in their faith journeys.

Liv lives in Maple Grove and has two older brothers and a younger sister. In her free time, she enjoys traveling, reading, baking, and spending meaningful time with family and friends. She is truly excited to step into this role and looks forward to building relationships, sharing God's love, and growing in faith together with the Our Saviour's community.

Every time you give to Our Saviour's you help to fulfill our mission of "Reaching Out with a Voice of Hope." Use QR to give online:



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Become an Usher or Communion Server

We are looking for friendly volunteers to join OSLC's **Usher** and **Communion Server** teams! These roles are not just 'tasks,' but essential parts of our ministry to make everyone feel welcomed for worship and communion.

If you have a welcoming spirit and are looking for a simple, meaningful way to serve, please attend a short, 10-minute information and training session for new volunteers immediately following either the 8:30 or 10:15 service TODAY. Training will take place in the open office area. Questions – contact Ginny Hamman, Hospitality and Connections Coordinator at vhamman@oursaviourslc.org.

CHILDREN~YOUTH~FAMILY (CYF) www.oursaviourslc.org/cyfhome

This Week In Children and Youth Ministry:

Sunday

9:00 a.m. High School Bible Study Group

10:15 a.m. Kids' Ministry – **Kid's Time**

Kids head out to the Gathering Space for an activity during the sermon time, and come back for the rest of the service.

Register for VBS Now! August 3-6, 9:00-11:30 a.m.

Find your strength in God during this year's VBS "Snowball Mountain Challenge." This will be an exciting winter sports event, where we become Challengers, gearing up for frosty games, snowy surprises, and hands-on lessons about resilience and faith. We won't just play games; we will learn to draw strength from our faith through powerful stories of courage and hope. "I can do all things through him who strengthens me" Philippians 4:13. Thanks to a special gift this year, we don't need to charge for VBS, and we are able to offer it for free. We are excited for this gift and encourage you to invite a friend, a neighbor or someone in the community! We do need registrations ahead of time for permission slips and allergy information if applicable. **Registration Deadline is July 20.** Scan the QR code to get started. Questions? Email Kari at kosmek@oursaviourslc.org.



MINISTRY GROUPS THIS WEEK

DAD SQUAD, Monday, May 18, 7:00 PM

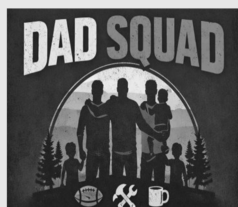
Dads connecting, growing, and doing life together.

This is a relaxed, low-pressure night to meet other dads, share stories, and explore what this group could become.

- Light snacks & dessert
- Open to all dads raising kids at home

No pressure! Just show up!

Questions: email Pastor Matt at mpolsdofer@oursaviourslc.org



Tuesday Morning Bible Study—May 19, 9:30 a.m.

All are welcome to join this Bible Study led by Karen Olien. To sign up please call Karen at 952-237-7890.

OSLC Golf League—Tuesday, May 19, 1:40 p.m.

Join in at Hidden Haven Golf Course on Tuesdays this summer. Tee times start at 1:40 p.m. To sign up, call Ted Engen at 612-867-8730.

Fiction Addiction Book Group—Tuesday, May 19, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

The group will meet in the home of Alisa Bigelbach to discuss *Borrowed Life of Frederick Fife* by Anna Johnston. Questions? Email alisa.bigelbach@usfamily.net.

Dinners at 6:30—Thursday, May 21, 6:30 p.m.

Join this fun fellowship group for dinner at Tavern at Green Haven, 2800 Greenhaven Rd, Anoka. Sign up on the board in the Rotunda so reservations can be made. Questions? Call Jeannie Zank at 952-237-9262.

WELCOME

HAPPENING May 17 — May 24

Sunday, May 17— Sermon In Song

8:30 a.m.—Traditional Worship
9:30 a.m.—Usher/Comm. Server Training
10:15 a.m.—Contemporary Worship
10:15 a.m.—Kid's Time
11:15 a.m.—Usher/Comm. Server Training
11:15 a.m.—Zoom Coffee Hour
11:30 a.m.—CYF Vol. Leadership Team Mtg

Monday, May 18

7:00 p.m.—Align & Shine Mom's Group
7:00 p.m.—Dad Squad
7:00 p.m.—NA Support Group

Tuesday, May 19

9:30 a.m.—Adult Bible Study
1:40 p.m.—Golf League at Hidden Haven
5:30 p.m.—Band Rehearsal
6:30 p.m.—AA Support Group
6:30 p.m.—Fiction Addiction @ Bigelbach's

Wednesday, May 20

8:30 a.m.—Hard Hats

Thursday, May 21

6:30 p.m.—Dinner's at 6:30 @ Tavern at Green Haven

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Altar Flowers

Altar flowers are given today
by Brent and Tyne Corrigan
in honor of the
49th Wedding Anniversary of
Barry & Gail Olson
And
Tavlyn & Ambria's Birthdays



HONORING OUR VETERANS

Each year, on Memorial Day, OSLC would like to honor fallen veterans buried in the Our Saviour's cemetery in Ham Lake. To be able to honor all who have served, we need to make sure our list is complete. If you have a loved one at the cemetery that you would like to make sure is on our veteran list, please leave their name at the Reception Desk.
Any questions?