

# Sunday November 17, 2019

## Events This Week at OSLC

<b>SUN (17th)</b>	Worship – Sanctuary	8:15, 9:30 ,11a.m.
	New Member Sunday	
	Sunday School Grades 5-8	9:30 a.m.
	Adult Bible Study	9:35 a.m.
	Kids Church PreK-Grade 4	9:45 a.m.
<b>MON (18th)</b>	Sewing Disciples	2:00 p.m.
	Stephen Ministry Welcome Potluck	6:00 p.m.
	Youth Ministry Team Meeting	7:00 p.m.
<b>TUES (19th)</b>	LHLH Chapel	9:30 a.m.
	Caring For One Another Bible Study Room 106	2:00 p.m.
	Board of Elders	6:00 p.m.
	“Choosing Forgiveness” Ladies Study	7:00 p.m.
<b>WED (20th)</b>	Weekly Staff Meeting	9:30 a.m.
	Ladies Bible Study	9:30 a.m.
	Family Meal	5:00 p.m.
	F.R.O.G.S Youth Choir	5:30 p.m.
	Confirmation/NUTS/GLo	6:00 p.m.
	Adult Choir	6:30 p.m.
<b>THU (21st)</b>	“Choosing Forgiveness” Ladies Study	7:00 p.m.
	Senior Care Fair	6:30-8:00 p.m.
<b>FRI (22nd)</b>		
<b>SAT (23rd)</b>	Men’s Bible Study at Perkins	8:00 a.m.
	Men’s Bible Study at OSLC	9:00 a.m.
	Lefse Making	10:00 a.m.

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Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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**Our Worship Today  
November 17, 2019  
Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost**

**8:15 a.m. Worship Service**

**We will be following the Order of Worship on  
page 151 in the front of the Hymnal.**

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**Opening Hymn:**

LSB #807 "When Morning Gilds The Skies"

**Scripture Readings:**

Mal 4:1-6 (Large print: pg 1495; Regular print: pg 780)

2 Thess 3:6-13 (Large print: pg 1841; Regular print: pg 959)

Luke 21:5-28 (Large print: pg 1636; Regular print: pg 855)

**Sermon Hymn: LSB #545 "Word of God, Come Down To Earth"**

# Pastor's Message

## Gathering of Our First Fruits, Tithes and Offering

### *The Celebration of Holy Communion*

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**About Holy Communion at Our Savior Lutheran Church** - Holy Communion is a special gift given by Jesus Christ to baptized believers. In preparation for the Lord's Supper you need to reflect upon the following questions:

1. Do I believe that I am a sinner in need of God's forgiveness?
2. Do I believe that Christ gives me His true body and blood in this sacrament for the forgiveness of my sins?
3. Do I promise, with the help of the Holy Spirit, to amend my sinful life?
4. Do I share a oneness in faith with the church body with which I am about to commune?

If you have difficulty answering "yes" to any of the above questions, please follow the guide of Scripture and wait to take communion today. Our Pastor would be glad to visit with you in preparation for the next time Holy Communion is offered.

***Non-alcoholic wine is available for those with alcohol sensitivities.***

***Please signal your desire to the Pastor by briefly holding your hand in the "stop" position before receiving the cup. Gluten Free wafers are available upon request.***

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### **Words of Institution (Spoken by Pastor)**

#### **Music During Distribution:**

LSB #622 "Lord Jesus Christ, You Have Prepared"

LSB #554 "O Jesus, King Most Wonderful"

**Closing Hymn:** LSB #511 (Tune #367) "Herald, Sound the Note of Judgement"

#### **Welcome New Members**

**We Sing:** "Welcome to the Family"

#### **Ministry Moment: Parent's Day Out**

## **9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Worship Services**

**FROGs: “Cartoons”**

**Opening Song: “This is Amazing Grace”**

**Welcome, Opening Prayer and Invocation**

**Ministry Moment: Parent’s Day Out**

**Welcome New Members**

**We Sing: “Welcome to the Family”**

**Children’s Message**

**We Bring Our Sins To God: Together We Pray...**

**Father, we draw near to You with hearts of faith and we enter Your Holy Presence with confidence, knowing You are here to forgive us, fill us, and teach us with Your Word. We come with no sacrifice but that of a broken heart, O God, for we have sinned against You in our thoughts, actions, and words. The laws You have written upon our hearts convict us of our sin and the faith You have given us through the power of Your Spirit brings us to this prayer of confession. Search the deep places of our hearts and minds, Father, and remove all things impure. Forgive our sins and cleanse us in the name of Jesus.**

**We Hear God’s Good News Of Forgiveness**

**Pastor: God looks upon the heart of those who are humble and repent of their sinful ways. He says to you and me today, “Take care, my child, you are forgiven. As far as the east is from the west, I have removed**

your sins from you and I will remember them no more.” Therefore, hear God’s words; your sins are forgiven this day in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

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**We Sing:** “In Better Hands”

### **Pastor’s Message**

### **Gathering of Our First Fruits, Tithes and Offering**

**We Sing:** “I Can Only Imagine”

### **Prayers of the Church**

### **The Lord’s Prayer**

### **Confession of Faith:** Apostles Creed

### **Benediction:**

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you; the Lord lift up His countenance upon you, and give you peace. **Amen.**

### **Closing Song:** “All The People Say Amen”

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS!

## Semi-Annual Meeting Results



Thank you all for voting at the Semi Annual Meeting last Sunday. You will find results on the back page of the bulletin.

## Senior Fair - Nov 21 6:30-8:00



There are so many concerns that our seniors and their families face when confronted with the aging process. Will they be able to live at home? Are there services available to help them adapt to their changing needs? Who will help care for them? There are safety concerns, mental health concerns, a need for social support, and transportation issues. Where do you go for answers to these questions? Please join us as we try to assist you as caregivers or for our seniors who have concerns as to what's available for assistance.

## Adult Mission Team Fundraiser



You won't want to miss this fundraiser on **Sunday November 24<sup>th</sup>** – delicious homemade lefse, just in time for Thanksgiving! If you'd like to pre-order some lefse, you can find a Lefse Pre-Order Sign Up Sheet at the Adult Mission Team table in the Fellowship Hall. We will also have a limited supply for sale on Sunday. What a deal at just \$8.00 for a package of 6. Wouldn't

you just love to learn how to make lefse? Well, our lefse-making expert, Julie Krueger will be showing us how it's done on Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> beginning 10:00 a.m. We'd like to know how many people will be there Saturday to help, so if you're interested please sign up at the same table. And bring your lefse-making supplies if you have them. Uff-da! This is going to be awesome!

## Midweek Services

The Holiday Season is approaching. We will, again offer mid-week services at OSLC and adjust the times of our Wednesday evening activities. Please join us:

### Thanksgiving Eve Service

**Wednesday, Nov 27 7:00 p.m. – Thanksgiving Eve Service**  
**NO WEDNESDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES NOV 27**

**Wednesday, Dec 4 7:00 p.m. – Advent Service**

**Wednesday, Dec 11 7:00 p.m. – Advent Service**

**Wednesday, Dec 18 7:00 p.m. – Advent Service**

## Parent's Day Out



You've heard of "Parent's Night Out"? We're taking it a step further! The OSLC youth, together with parents and the Youth Ministry Team, are hosting a **PARENT'S DAY OUT!!**

We will be providing childcare at OSLC from **9:00am until 8:00pm** on **Saturday, December 7**. Do your Christmas shopping, clean the house, bake all day, have lunch with a friend, or take a nap! We will care for the kids! The cost will be \$20 for the first child plus \$5 per sibling. This cost covers 4 hours! (\$10 additional per family per hour after 4 hours).

We have some exciting plans! We will be playing games, watching movies, decorating cookies, reading stories, making Christmas cards, singing Christmas carols, making cards and more! Stop by and see us in the Fellowship Hall for more information and to reserve your spot! Contact Joelle Schaan (701) 340-9548 if you want to volunteer or if you have any questions.

## Gift Wrapping Available



During our Parent's Day Out event on **December 7<sup>th</sup>**, we will also offer a gift-wrapping service! A free will donation will be taken that benefits the youth. Bring in your Angel Tree gifts or anything else you need wrapped! They may be picked back up on Saturday or Sunday morning, December 8<sup>th</sup>!

## "We've Saved a Place for You" Christmas Potluck



Ladies! You are invited to join us for our Annual Ladies Christmas potluck **Sunday, December 8<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m.** Share your favorite dish with us and feel free to bring a \$10 gift for the gift exchange. We will share some beautiful Nativity scenes with you. If you have one you'd like to share, let us know and we will "save a place" for it as well. Please, sign up today in the Fellowship Hall.

## Angel Tree



It starts with a gift. It leads to lives and families transformed by Christ. We pray to do His will as we serve these children, families and the inmates.

There may be many angel tree presentations in our community and they are sponsored by local groups. Our tree is part of the National Prison Ministry and serves the inmates children in our area.

Our set up day is **November 24 11 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** Lunch will be served. We set up the outdoor manger scene (please dress warmly), set up the tree in the Fellowship Hall and another group labels the angel tags. The gifts need to be back by **December 8**, wrapped and angel tag attached.

Please keep the children, families, inmates and all our fantastic volunteer in prayer! This fantastic ministry changes lives and we are blessed by serving.

-Angel Tree Team

Questions: Call 720-0710 leave a message

## Men's Winter Refuge Christmas Meals



Last year our church family provided a week's worth of dinners for Minot's Men's Winter Refuge. This year we would like to expand it! We're asking for volunteers to bring in a meal each night from Dec. 16th through Dec. 25th. All you do is make the meal, bring it in about 6:30pm and set it up. You can stay and eat with the men if you wish. As God showed His mercy by sending His Son on Christmas Day, let's show some mercy for our neighbors during this special time. If you can help, please call Nick Dreyer, 701-720-2314.

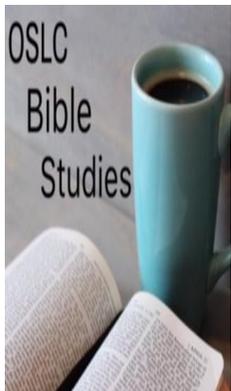
## Christmas Cards For Veterans



We are doing Christmas cards for the Veterans at the American Legion in our area. If you have cards or want to donate cards, please leave them in the office. We have many folks that come to write, sort and package the cards for delivery in our area. We did 3,700 cards last year for the new enlisted and local veterans. We have folks that pick up the cards for the events planned for the veterans.

-Minot Volunteers for Veterans

## Bible Studies at OSLC



**Sundays 9:35 a.m** - Adult Study in Great Room

**Tuesdays 2:00 p.m.** - "Caring for One Another" Study Rm 106

**Tuesdays 7:00 p.m.** - "Choosing Forgiveness" Ladies Study Rm 106

**Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.** - Women's Bible Study

**Thursdays 7:00 p.m.** - "Choosing Forgiveness" Ladies Study Rm 106

**Saturdays 8:00 a.m.** - Men's Bible Study at Homesteaders Restaurant

**Saturdays 9:00 a.m.** - Men's Bible Study in Fellowship Hall

## OSLC Outreach

The OSLC Board of Elders is working with the Ward County Jail to provide snacks to inmates. Because they are provided a very early supper and nothing again until breakfast, this need was brought to the elders for consideration. At this point, Mercy Care funds are being used to purchase ramen noodles, which have been greatly appreciated. The church has received several thank you notes. Here's a portion of one from a 29 year-old male: "I would like to give you a very special warm thank you for giving me ramen noodle soups... I just got back into reading scriptures, also I am attending Bible studies, AA and church services here in the jail." This young man also requested prayer and spiritual and addiction resources. Here is how he closed his letter: "Is there a way I can give back to help you later on when I'm released? I would like to attend a service sometime soon. PS: Stay warm and God bless." Thank you, people of OSLC, for being God's hands and feet.

## A Change to "Streaming" OSLC Services

Due to technical problems with Livestream, we have taken a different approach to "Streaming" services at OSLC. You may now watch services live or at a later time on our Facebook page. Just "Follow" Our Savior Lutheran Church (Minot) on Facebook and you will be notified when we are "live" or check back anytime to watch a posted video of a service. We still attempt to link our services to Livestream, until the time our subscription with them ends. Thank you!

## Busy Bags and Nursery Available



**BUSY  
BAGS**

There are busy bags for children located in the Fellowship Hall. Please keep the children's bulletins but return the bags with all the toy/book items.

There is an unstaffed nursery available for children 3 years old and younger who are accompanied by an adult. The nursery has a television with a Livestream of OSLC worship. There is a changing station in the bathroom across the hall from the kitchen and supplies available in the nursery.

**NURSERY**



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2. Use the OSLC App and give directly from your phone.

## Our Response to God’s Love

<b>Our 2019 General Fund Budget</b>	<b>\$544,899.95</b>
Amount needed each week	\$10,478.85
Amount Needed by Nov 10, 2019	\$471,548.25
2019 Year to Date General Funds Received	\$381,765.05
General Funds Received Last Week	\$6,378.00
Worship Attendance Nov 10, 2019	310

**Loan Balance as of 11-1-2019 \$154,116.47**

## Please Remember in Prayer



### Our members & regular visitors facing health difficulties:

Wayne Bethke, Linda Burgard, Fay Clark, Brittany Fink (granddaughter of Darald & Joyce Nielsen), Tori Francis (Daughter of Rhonda and Morey Francis), Cheryl Gessner, Lori Glein, Ethel Hauf (Tom Hauf's Mother), Joyce Herdt, Don Just (brother of Marcella Ludwig), Shelly Khaldi (Daughter of Darald & Joyce Nielsen), Chanda Klug, Edith Lade, Linda Nielsen (Daughter-in-law of Darald & Joyce Nielsen), Sharon Palmer, Jim Potts, Gary Trueblood, Alex and Doris Steinwand (Pam Trueblood's parents), Arlen Vollmer (brother of Deb Jungling), Nora Warath (Rob Warath's mom), and LaVern Yates (Ross Yates' Mother), Mavis Zahursky.

**Our Homebound:** Louie and Myrtle Bachmeier, Olive Boots, Dorothy Brandt, Wanda Brandt, Gladys Hempler, Bob Herzog, Cecelia Howe, Vail Jensen, Ray Mertz, Clara Schell, Jack Stack, John and Arlette Wood

### *We welcome these new members to OSLC:*

**Dorene Allis** is originally from Crosby, ND. She began attending here while visiting back home from Connecticut. She felt God's guidance to OSLC and a return to the area. She is employed at the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch. Dorene is an avid reader and enjoys dinner dates with her husband and the outdoors, walking her dog.

**Blake, Ashley and Emersyn Burnett** – Blake hails from Canada and is in the process of emigrating to the US. Ashley and Emersyn transferred to OSLC from Bethlehem Lutheran at Upham. As a family, they enjoy time at the jump park and watching movies. They were invited to OSLC by Karen Hayes; they visited, felt right at home and have enjoyed worshipping here. Ashley has joined the choir.

**Mark and Cindy Filipek** have been attending OSLC for several years, beginning in 2012 when they attended with their dad. They enjoy hunting, fishing, boating, traveling and spending time with their 3 grown daughters, their sons-in-law and of course, with their 5 grandchildren.

**Dan, Ginger and Danielle (Dani) Fladeland, Fallon Fladeland and Nicole Fladeland** – Dani is in the 9<sup>th</sup> grade and Fallon and Nicole are the grown children of Dan and Ginger. The Fladelands moved here from Watford City 7 years ago. They are a family that truly enjoys the outdoors: doing yard work, riding horse and rodeo-ing. Dan and Ginger work for Dan Fladeland Well Service; Fallon is employed at Team Consulting and Nicole at Ryan Chevrolet.

**Kelly Jacob** is a familiar face at OSLC, as she sings and plays guitar in the Praise Band. She is the deaconess at the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch and came to us through invite of Chaplain Rick and Betsy Jones. Kelly recently became engaged to Nick Bristow and they will be married at OSLC in May.

**Mike and Cassy Peterson, Jewel, Leo and Kelby** – The Peterson family has been attending OSLC for some time. You'll see Cassy in the choir and Mike and the family at OSLC on Wednesday evenings at events here. Jewel volunteers in the nursery; Leo and Kelby are recent Confirmands of OSLC. Mike is originally from Cando; Cassy from Bottineau.

**Anthony Scherr and Sierra Smith** – Anthony is from Mohall and Sierra is from Sherwood. Sierra was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Sherwood and found the transition to OSLC a natural one. They are both graduates of UND. They enjoy golfing and spending time with family, especially Sierra's nieces and nephews. Anthony and Sierra will be married at OSLC in October 2020.

**Tammy Torno** - Tammy enjoys traveling. She is employed at the hospital, but formerly ran the café in Newburg for 15 years. She joins OSLC today with her daughter, Ashley and granddaughter, Emersyn Burnett.

**Joel, Molly, Kinzy, Macy and Harper Welstad** – The Welstads join us from their church roots in Upham and Watford City. Harper was baptized here in 2014. They enjoy time together and sports. Basketball is enjoyed thoroughly by the Welstads. Joel's mother, Jane is also a member of OSLC.





# Welcome Guests!

Thank you for joining us today. Please fill out a green attendance card found in the pew backs to be collected during the song prior to the sermon.

Feel free to visit the visitor's table in the Fellowship Hall and please introduce yourself to our worship leaders and others. We were blessed to have you in worship today!



***The Mission of Our Savior Lutheran Church is with  
God's power and guidance:***

*to BRING people to Jesus Christ*

*to BUILD people to mature faith in Jesus Christ*

*to EQUIP people for life-long service to Jesus Christ*

*and to SEND God's people into mission for Jesus Christ*