

# Sunday December 29, 2019

## Events This Week at OSLC

<b>SUN (29<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Worship – Sanctuary	8:15, 9:30 ,11a.m.
	<b>NO</b> Sunday School	
	Adult Bible Study	9:35 a.m.
	Family State Event at Maysa Arena	3:00 p.m.
<b>MON (30<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Women’s Ministry Team Meeting	7:00 p.m.
<b>TUES (31<sup>st</sup>)</b>	<b>NO</b> LHLH Chapel	
	<b>NO</b> Tuesday CFOA Study	
	Church Office CLOSED – Happy New Year	
<b>WED (1<sup>st</sup>)</b>	Church Office CLOSED – Happy New Year	
	<b>NO</b> Wednesday Activities	
<b>THU (2<sup>nd</sup>)</b>		
<b>FRI (3<sup>rd</sup>)</b>	Pastor Trampe’s Day Off	
<b>SAT (4<sup>th</sup>)</b>	Men’s Bible Study at Homesteaders Restaurant	8:00 a.m.
	Men’s Bible Study at OSLC	9:00 a.m.

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**Our Worship Today  
December 29, 2019  
First Sunday after Christmas**

**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 #389 "Let All Together Praise Our God"

**Scripture Readings:**

Isaiah 30:15-17 (Large print: pg 1106; Regular print pg 578)

Romans 8:31b-39 (Large print: pg 1756; Regular print pg 917)

Luke 12:35-40 (Large print: pg 1620; Regular print: pg 846)

**Sermon Hymn:** LSB #374 "Gentle Mary Laid Her Child"

**Pastor's Message:** "God gets the last word."

**Hymn of Response:** LSB #366 “It Came Upon the Midnight Clear”

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

**Closing Hymn:** LSB #386 “Now Sing We Now Rejoice”

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

**Opening Song:** LSB #380 “Hark! The Herald Angels Sing”

**Welcome, Opening Prayer and Invocation**

**Children’s Message**

**We Confess Our Sins to God**

**Pastor:** As we hear the wonderful news of the Savior’s birth, we realize our need to be cleansed and renewed within the depths of our souls by His life-giving word of forgiveness. Therefore, let us confess our sins before God and one another, seeking His forgiveness this day:

**All:** **With Your forgiveness, comfort us, O Lord, for we are full of sin and there is no health within us. Daily we have sinned against You and against one another. We have not taken Your commandments seriously, nor have we always given You the rightful throne of our hearts. We are sorry, Lord, and plead for Your comfort, for Your forgiveness, and for Your peace. Grant these to us through the gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

## **We Hear God's Words of Forgiveness**

**Pastor:** Through the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ as that tiny babe of Bethlehem, our God, indeed, looks with mercy upon your sins. As a servant of Christ Jesus, I announce to you that your sins are forgiven, and in the place of, and by the command of our Lord, I forgive you all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

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**We Sing:** LSB #366 "It Came upon the Midnight Clear"

**Pastor's Message:** "God gets the last word."

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

**We Sing:** "Offering"

**Prayers of the Church**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Confession of Faith: A Christmas Creed "In God We Believe"**

Sung to the tune "Away in A Manger"

In God we believe; the Creator's whose pow'r  
In mercy has brought us for worship this hour.  
He graciously grants us our years and our days  
And blesses with kindness our work and our ways.

In Jesus, the Savior, our hope is secured,  
True God and true man once the cross He endured  
To grant our lives wholeness, and freedom from sin.  
With hearts freed from guilt, we know true peace within.

God's Spirit at work in our lives we confess;  
With power and truth He the Church does now bless.  
As saints, God's forgiven, one day we shall stand  
Before Him in glory forever. Amen.

## **Benediction**

Pastor: With the angels and the prophets of old;

**People: We rejoice in the coming of the Newborn King.**

Pastor: With the angels and the prophets of old;

**People: We rejoice in the newness of life that is ours through the coming of this tiny baby, Jesus Christ.**

Pastor: With the angels and the prophets of old;

**People: We rejoice! Glory to God in the Highest. Peace to His people on Earth.**

Pastor: The blessings of our Almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit  
be and abide with you, this day and always.

**People: Amen.**

**Closing Song:** LSB #388 "Go Tell It on the Mountain"

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS!

## OSLC Holiday Office Hours

Over the New Year Holiday, the OSLC office will be closed **Tuesday, December 31 and Wednesday January 1.**

**Happy New Year!**

Phone numbers of staff are listed on the first page of the bulletin, should you need to reach anyone on staff during this time. Thank you!

## Holiday Schedule Changes:

There will be **NO** Sunday School today.

There will be **NO** Wednesday Night Activities December January 1.

There will be **NO** Wednesday Ladies Bible Study January 1.

There will be **NO** Tuesday CFOA Bible Study December 31.

## Family Skating Event



All members & friends of OSLC are invited to the Maysa Arena today, December 29 from 3:00-7:00pm! We will be joining the St. Marks & St. Paul's congregations for chili, hot dish, and hot chocolate. A room is reserved where food and drink will be served from 3:00-7:00 and a designated rink reserved for us

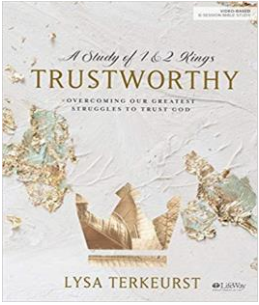
from 4:00-6:00! The total cost is \$5 per family (paid to OSLC LYF) and there is no skate rental fee for this event! Everyone is welcome, even if you just want to visit and watch from the stands!

## Men's Winter Refuge Matching Funds

Any financial donations given to the Men's Winter Refuge in December will be doubled by the St. Joseph's Community Health Foundation through the "Twice Blessed" matching grant program. To donate online, visit

<http://sjchfnd.com/organizations/mens-refuge> or call Men's Winter Refuge director Mike Zimmer at 701-822-2585.

## Ladies Bible Study to begin Jan 14, 2020



Ladies Bible Study will begin again on Jan. 14, 2020 and run each following Tuesday and Thursday through Feb. 21 at 7:00 p.m. In this 6-session study, the text used in this study is from 1 & 2 Kings and author Lysa Terkeurst reveals the places of distrust in her own heart while exploring scripture that will teach us how to truly trust God. A sign-up sheet is located in the Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$20.

Questions can be directed to Deb at 240-7358 or Wendy at 626-1237.

## Pick Up Your 2020 Offering Envelopes

The 2020 Offering Envelopes are in! You can grab your box from the table in the Fellowship Hall! If your envelope is not there and you would like to receive a box, please leave your name on the sheet on the table in the Fellowship Hall. We are awaiting the shipment of more envelopes, so requests may not be filled until Jan 2020. PLEASE do not use them until 2020 arrives. Thanks so much!



## Calendars & Birthday/Anniversary List



January calendars and Birthday/Anniversary lists are available in the Fellowship Hall.

## High School Lock In



Get ready for games, devotions, lots of food, and worship time at the OSLC High School Lock In Friday, January 10 at 8 p.m. through 8 a.m. Saturday, January 11<sup>th</sup>. Sign up on the youth bulletin board!

## 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Governing Board Meeting

OSLC's Governing Board will meet on Saturday, January 11<sup>th</sup> at 8 a.m. for their 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Meeting. As always, members of the congregation are welcome to submit insights that may help the board formulate on-going policy. Questions? Feel free to contact Dave Niess at 701-721-5299.

## Financial Peace University Begins Jan 13



Did you know that 89% of the people in a typical American congregation don't have a financial safety net? But there's HOPE! And that hope is Financial Peace University (FPU). FPU is a nine-lesson course taught by Dave

Ramsey and his team of financial experts. With FPU, our members will learn step by step how to handle money using biblical wisdom and common sense. Through life-changing videos, online tools and resources, and group accountability, attendees will learn how to create and stick to a budget, save for emergencies, pay off debt and plan for the future.

OSLC is hosting a Financial Peace University course which starts **Monday, January 13 meeting from 6:30 p.m.– 8:00 p.m.** and each following Monday evening through March 9. This nine-lesson weekly course is being led by Ryan and Joelle Schaan along with other OSLC members. The cost/investment is \$129.99.

You can REGISTER ONLINE at [www.fpu.com](http://www.fpu.com), at the table in the Fellowship Hall, or by contacting Joelle Schaan at (701) 340-9548.

## Busy Bags and Nursery Available



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.



## Give Electronically Today!

1. Text "oslcnow" to 77977 on your phone to receive a one-time reply containing a link to give to OSLC (1msg/request). Please be aware that Msg & Data rates may apply. For full Terms & Conditions please visit <https://pushpay.com/terms>. For the Privacy Policy please visit <https://pushpay.com/privacy>. For help: reply HELP or STOP to cancel
2. Use the OSLC App and give directly from your phone.



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## Our Response to God’s Love

<b>Our 2019 General Fund Budget</b>	<b>\$544,899.95</b>
Amount needed each week	\$10,478.60
Amount Needed by Dec 22, 2019	\$534,421.35
2019 Year to Date General Funds Received	\$462,068.41
General Funds Received Last Week	\$26,192.50
Worship Attendance Dec 22, 2019	303

**Loan Balance as of 12-17-2019 \$142,747.83**

## Viewing OSLC Services

OSLC services are available on Facebook. Not on Facebook? You can still view them through our website: [www.oslcnow.com](http://www.oslcnow.com) Go to the website and click on "Past Worship Services" then choose which service you'd like to watch.

## Thank You



The Staff of OSLC would like to thank those that treated us to goodies, gifts and cards during the Christmas season. We appreciate each one!

## Please Remember in Prayer



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

Wayne Bethke, Linda Burgard, Lora Bendickson, Amy Cordell (sister of Mary Frost), Brittany Fink (granddaughter of Darald & Joyce Nielsen), Tori Francis (Daughter of Rhonda and Morey Francis), Cheryl Gessner, Ethel Hauf (Tom Hauf's Mother), Gladys Hempler, 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, Alex and Doris Steinwand (Pam Trueblood's parents), and Mavis Zahursky.

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



# 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*