

# Sunday February 16, 2020

## Events This Week at OSLC

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| <b>SUN (16<sup>th</sup>)</b>  | Worship – Sanctuary                          | 8:15, 9:30 ,11a.m. |
|                               | Sunday School                                | 9:30 a.m.          |
|                               | Adult Bible Study                            | 9:35 a.m.          |
|                               | Adult Mission Team Bake Sale                 |                    |
| <b>MON (17<sup>th</sup>)</b>  | Financial Peace University                   | 6:30-8:00 p.m.     |
| <b>TUES (18<sup>th</sup>)</b> | LHLH Chapel                                  | 9:30 a.m.          |
|                               | Weekly Staff Meeting                         | 10:00 a.m.         |
|                               | CFOA Adult Bible Study                       | 2:00 p.m.          |
|                               | Elders Board Meeting                         | 6:00 p.m.          |
|                               | “Trustworthy” Ladies Bible Study             | 7:00 p.m.          |
| <b>WED (19<sup>th</sup>)</b>  | 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.          |
|                               | Barnabas Buddy Reveal                        | 6:00 p.m.          |
|                               | Adult Choir                                  | 6:30 p.m.          |
| <b>THU (20<sup>th</sup>)</b>  | Children’s Ministry Team Meeting             | 6:00 p.m.          |
|                               | “Trustworthy” Ladies Study                   | 7:00 p.m.          |
|                               | Pastor Trampe at Best Practices Conference   |                    |
| <b>FRI (21<sup>st</sup>)</b>  | Pastor Trampe at Best Practices Conference   |                    |
| <b>SAT (22<sup>nd</sup>)</b>  | Men’s Bible Study at Homesteaders Restaurant | 8:00 a.m.          |
|                               | Men’s Bible Study at OSLC                    | 9:00 a.m.          |
|                               | Pastor Trampe at Best Practices Conference   |                    |

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### **Welcome Guests!**

Thank you for joining us today. Please sign the bright green attendance cards found in the pew backs. Feel free to visit the visitor’s table in the Fellowship Hall and introduce yourself to our worship leaders and others.

We were blessed to have you in worship today!



**Our Worship Today**  
**February 16, 2020**  
**Sixth Sunday after Epiphany**

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

We will be following the Order of Worship on  
page 203 in the front of the Hymnal.

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**Opening Hymn:**

LSB #915 "Today Your Mercy Calls Us"

**Scripture Readings:**

Deut 30:15-20 (Large print: pg 320; Regular print: pg 164)

1Cor 3:1-9 (Large print: pg 1772; Regular print: pg 925)

Matt 22:34-40 (Large print: pg 1539; Regular print: pg 804)

**Sermon Hymn:** LSB #579 (vs 1,2,5,6) "The Law of God is Good and Wise"  
LSB #580 (vs 1,2,4,5) "The Gospel Shows the Father's Grace"

The Law of God is good and wise And sets His will before our eyes,  
Shows us that we are righteousness And dooms to death when we transgress.

The Gospel shows the Father's Grace, Who sent His Son save our race,  
Proclaims how Jesus lived and died That we might thus be justified.

Its light of holiness imparts The knowledge of our sinful hearts  
That we may see our lost estate And turn from sin before too late.

It sets the Lamb before our eyes, Who made the atoning sacrifice,  
And calls the souls with guilt oppressed To come and find eternal rest.

The Law is good; but since the fall Its holiness condemns us all;  
It dooms us for our sin to die And has no pow'r to justify.

It is the pow'r of God to save From sin and Satan and the grave;  
It works the faith which firmly clings To all the treasures which it brings.

To Jesus we for refuge flee, Who from the curse has set us free,  
And humbly worship at His throne, Saved by His grace though faith alone.

It bears to all the tidings glad And bids their hearts no more be sad;  
The weary, burdened souls it cheers And banishes their guilty fears.

**Pastor's Message:** "Law and Gospel"

**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 #637 “Draw Near and Take the Body of The Lord”

LSB #570 “Just As I Am”

**Closing Hymn:** LSB #921 “On What Has Now Been Sown”

**Ministry Moment:** Commissioning/Sending of Adult Mission Team

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

**Opening Song:** “Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord

**Welcome and Opening Prayer**

**Ministry Moment:** Commissioning/Sending of Adult Mission Team

**Invocation**

Baptism (11:00 a.m)



## ***The Sacrament of Holy Baptism***

### ***“Jesus Loves Me”***

*Jesus loves Me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so;  
Little ones to Him belong, they are weak but He is strong.  
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*

### **The Baptism of Thad Lee Berg**

**Child of  
Jesse and Emily Berg**

**Sponsors:  
Jared and Brandi Bourquin**

*Jesus, take this heart of mine, make it pure and wholly Thine;  
On the cross You died for me, I will try to live for Thee.  
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.*



### **We Bring Our Sins To God – Spoken Together**

Lord, I have sinned against You and those around me. I have acted in ways that have not honored You and I have chosen to wander away from the path You have set for me. I know that I am completely undeserving of your mercy and grace, but because of Your Son’s work on the cross, I pray boldly for Your forgiveness and for a change of heart. Help me to turn from the ways of the world and to live as Your child.

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

**Pastor:** The Apostle Paul writes, "God made him who had no sin—our Lord Jesus Christ—to be sin for us, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God." The shadow of His cross is our refuge, His death on the cross our assurance of forgiveness, the empty cross our promise of eternal life. Therefore, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen**

## **Scripture Readings:**

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## **Children's Message**

**We Sing:** "Oceans" - led by F.R.O.G.S

**Pastor's Message:** "Law and Gospel"

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

**Special Music by Mark and Sarah Haugen:** "House of God Forever"

## **Prayers of the Church**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

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

## **Benediction:**

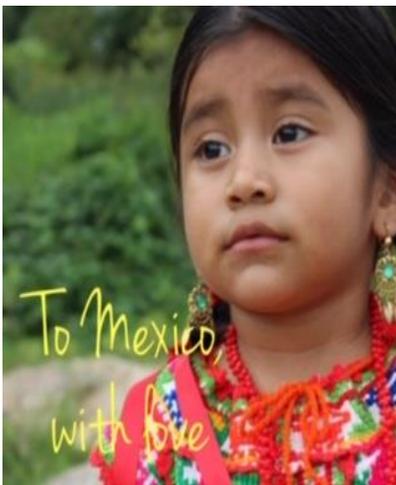
**Pastor:** May the God of peace himself, sanctify you wholly; and may your spirit and soul and body be kept sound and blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful, and he will do it. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. **All: Amen**

## Closing Song: "Love The Lord"

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS!

## To Mexico with Love



Today we commission fourteen members of our church family to travel to Mexico to make a difference for families living in the poverty-stricken areas of the greater Juarez, Mexico area. Families with little to nothing often live in make-shift shelters built with cardboard and scraps found in the area landfill. Children go without shelter or safety. Poverty affects every corner of life. Working with Ysleta Lutheran Mission, our Mission team will once again be building simple homes for a family. Often this new home means it is the first time that a family remains dry when it rains; or the first time a child feels safe ... and so much more! Serving with the mercy of Christ, these fourteen people will depart February 22nd and return February 29: Shelia Bethel, Waylon Delzer, Matt Geinert, Joyce Goodvin, Juan Goodvin, Jade Harbaugh, Mark Haugen, Cody Hiller, Dave Niess, Bonnie Rennich, JT Rom, Ryan Schaan, Tammy Volk and Richard Whorley. During this upcoming week remember them in your prayers and ask that God himself will bring continued blessing through the work they will do.

**You can help support the team with your prayers and also by purchasing some delicious treats today. You can find our team members out in the Fellowship Hall with heart-shaped pans of yummy goodness – for just \$5.00! Thank you!**



## Barnabas Buddy Reveal



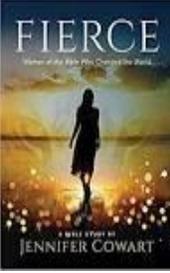
Barnabas Buddies: Join us in the sanctuary this **Wednesday, Feb 19 at 6:00 p.m.** for the Barnabas Buddy reveal. You will meet the Confirmation student that you've been supporting through prayer, cards and gifts early this year to allow you to connect and stay in touch through the remainder of the school year, knowing each other. Thank you, Barnabas Buddies, for the support of the students, so far and thank you as you continue to connect with them.

## Annual Winter Ski Retreat Rescheduled

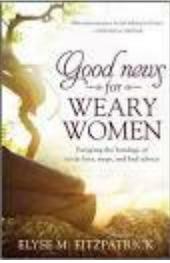


OSLC Youth Ski Retreat has been rescheduled to February 29-March 1! Saturday morning Feb 29th, we will leave OSLC at 8:00 am for Bottineau Winter Park to ski, snowboard, and tube. Later, we will head to Shepherd's Hill at the Crossroads for supper, games, snacks, and evening worship. We will be back around noon on Sunday. The retreat is open to students in 7<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade. Cost is \$40 per student (\$50 for snowboarders renting equipment). Participants are also asked to bring a snack item to share such as chips, muffins, bars, etc.

## Two New Women's Bible Studies



The Women's Ministry Team will be offering two Bible studies later this month. "Fierce" will begin **Tuesday, Feb 25** and continue each following **Tuesday**. Learn from the fierce women of God who changed the world. In this 6-week study, we will look at lesser-known female characters in the Bible and the ways they changed the world by living God's calling. Cost is \$15.00



In the book "Good News for Weary Women", author Elyse M. Fitzpatrick explains that God does not measure our worth by our "to-do" list, but rather calls us to faith. Free yourself today from the stream of bad advice and discover the true rest God offers. This book study begins **Thursday, Feb 27** and will continue each following Thursday evening. Cost is \$18. Sign up for either – or both – studies at the table in the Fellowship Hall.

## Women's Ministry Tea

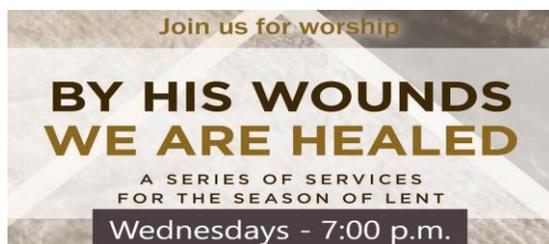


Ladies! Bring your daughters, nieces, daughter's-in-law, grandmothers and best girlfriends to OSLC **Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.** We will enjoy tea, tiny treats and have the opportunity to capture all the fun with a photo booth. Wear your favorite hat, headband or bow and bring along your favorite tea cup to use (if you have one). Cost is \$5.00. Please sign up at the Women's Ministry table in the Fellowship Hall.

## Lenten Services

Lenten Services will begin at OSLC beginning Ash Wednesday, Feb 26 at 7:00 p.m. continuing each Wednesday through April 1 with the Lenten Series "By His Wounds We Are Healed." In this series, we will see that it was our sin, our disobedience that Jesus bore in his body on the cross. The Lord laid on him "the iniquity of us all." Jesus suffered the penalty of death in our place, and "by his wounds we are healed."

**During Lent, Wednesday night schedule will change as reflected below:**



Family Meal – 5:00-6:00 p.m.

FROGS – 5:30-5:55 p.m.

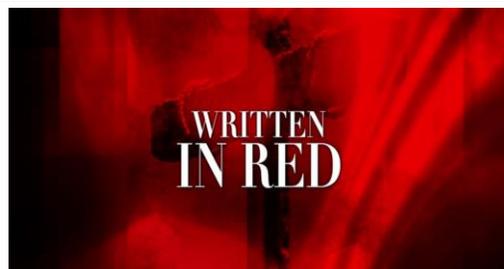
Confirmation/GLo/N.U.T.S – 6:00-6:55 p.m.

Adult Choir 6:00-6:45 p.m.

Worship – 7:00 p.m.

**Please note:** that there will be **NO F.R.O.G.S** or **Adult Choir rehearsals** Wed, February 26 and **NO** Wednesday Night activities March 11, other than Lenten Worship Service.

## Easter Cantata – Want to Join Us?



The OSLC choir has begun working on an Easter cantata entitled, "Written in Red". Perhaps you've always wanted to sing with the choir but were afraid to make a long-term commitment. Here's your opportunity to "give it a try." Join us this Wednesday at 6:30 pm in the sanctuary and then beginning March 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. (No rehearsal Feb 26<sup>th</sup>) Hope to see you there!

## Bible Studies at OSLC

**Sundays 9:35 am** – Adult Study in Great Room

**Tuesdays 2:00 pm** – “Caring for One Another” Bible Study Rm 106

**Tuesdays 7:00 pm** - “Trustworthy” Ladies Study Room 106

**Wednesdays 9:30 am** – Women’s Bible Study

**Thursdays 7:00 pm** - “Trustworthy” Ladies Study Rm 106

**Saturdays 8:00 am** – Men’s Bible Study at Homesteaders Restaurant

**Saturdays 9:00 am** – Men’s Bible Study in Fellowship Hall



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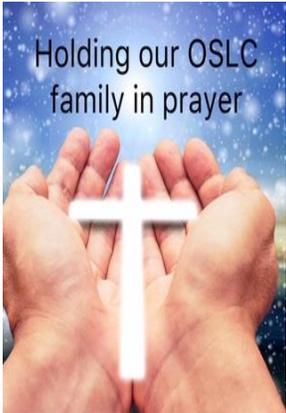
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2. Use the OSLC App and give directly from your phone.

## Please Remember in Prayer



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

Lora Bendickson, Wayne Bethke, Amy Cordell (sister of Mary Frost), Rhonda Francis, Tori Francis (daughter of Rhonda and Morey Francis), Ethel Hauf (Tom Hauf's Mother), Gladys Hempler, Joyce Herdt, Wayne Johnson, Don Just (brother of Marcella Ludwig), Chanda Klug, Edith Lade, Landen Mikkelson, Sharon Palmer, Gail Schmidkunz, Alex Steinwand (Pam Trueblood's father), 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

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Allen Polsfut, whose funeral service was held at OSLC last Thursday.



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

- 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 in to Mission for Jesus Christ