

Remember in your Prayers

Member Concerns: Edie Jensen; George Meyer; Maxine Thoreson; Merle Houdek; Karen Schlein; Bob & Joan Loos; Francis Pflibsen; Byron Stadsvold; Lois Rink; Jeanette Erickson, Bonnie Storlie, Marsha Dick; Connie DeLorme, Mike & Sandy Miller

Non-Member Friends/Family Concerns: Dan (Gladys Jensen’s son) Duane (Renita Miller’s brother); Brian Howe (nephew of Marti Howe); Shawn Mahoney (son in law of John & Darlene Kelley); Magnus Svenningsen (Thoreson's great-grandson);Michelle(Katie’s friend); Wanita & Frank Groskruetz,(Chris Suby’s parents)

Military Concerns: Andrew McCumber; Chris Sikich; Margaret & Catherine Maher; Clark Rose; Ryan Nordstrom; Dan & Kelly Pickett, all our service men and women serving in the Military and all of our veterans who have served.

Global Ministry: Palliative Care Program at Iambi Hospital, Tanzania

Seminary Student: Martha Bec

<i>*Events listed in italics are non church activities, but they are using the building.</i>	
Sunday Oct. 30	10:30am Bible Study
9am Virtual Worship	6pm Bell Choir
9am Worship	<i>6:30pm Pack 83 in classroom</i>
10am Fellowship	7pm Vocal Choir
10am Orchestra Rehearsal	Friday, Nov. 4
10:10 Worship Arts	P. Nikki Day off
1pm Leadership Listens	Saturday, Nov. 5
2-3pm Trunk or Treat	Sunday, Nov. 6-All Saints Day/Confirmation
Monday, Oct. 31	9am Worship
<i>Happy Halloween</i>	10am Fellowship
P. Ben day off	10:10 Worship Arts
Tuesday, Nov. 1	<i>5pm Troop 83 in Fellowship Hall</i>
9am-3pm Office Open	Monday, Nov. 7
11am P. Nikki @ Text Study	P. Ben Day off
1pm All Staff Meeting	Tuesday, Nov. 8
2pm Office Staff	9am-3pm Office Open
Wednesday, Nov. 2	11am P. Nikki @ Text Study
9am-3pm Office Open	2pm Office Staff
11am P. Ben @ Text Study	6:30pm Business/Finance
Thursday, Nov. 3	Wednesday, Nov. 9
P. Nikki Day off	9am-3pm Office Open
9am-3pm Office Open	11am P. Ben @ Text Study
9:15am Faithfully Fit	



OSLC WEEKLY-October 30, 2022


"Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, to the glory of God." Romans 15:7

We welcome new visitors and old friends, long-time Lutherans, Christians from every tradition, and people new to faith. To those who have no church home, want to follow Christ, have doubts, do not believe, you are welcome here. Regardless of age, color, culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, socioeconomic status, marital status, abilities or challenges, join us, you are welcome here. You are welcome to worship, to celebrate and sorrow, to rejoice and recover. This is a place where lives are made new.


9:00am Worship, ELW Setting One

PRELUDE/GATHERING SONG	<i>"A Mighty Fortress"</i>	ELW 505
		Martin Luther arr. Joel Raney
		Vs 1-3 Congregation/Choir
		Choral Interlude
		Vs. 4 Congregation/Choir
CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS		ELW pg. 94
KYRIE		ELW pg. 98
SONG OF PRAISE	<i>"This is the Feast"</i>	ELW pg. 101
PRAYER OF THE DAY		ELW pg. 102
ANTHEM	Orchestra/Soloist: Shirley Harbeck <i>"Mighty Fortress"</i>	arr. David Winkler
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION		ELW pg. 102
BIBLE READING		John 8:31-36
PROCLAMATION OF THE GOOD NEWS		Pastor Ben Loven
HYMN OF THE DAY	<i>"Cast Out, O Christ"</i>	ACS 1016 pg. 2 of Weekly
CREED		ELW pg. 105
PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION		
OFFERTORY		
GREAT THANKSGIVING		ELW pg. 107
LORD’S PRAYER		ELW pg. 112
DISTRIBUTION HYMNS	<i>"Lamb of God"</i>	ELW pg. 112-113
	<i>"Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word"</i>	ELW 517
SENDING SONG	<i>"Rise, Shine, You People!"</i>	ELW 665


Cast Out, O Christ



1 Cast out, O Christ, cast far a - way the
2 Our rag - ing griefs, our jeal - ous fears are
3 Once long a - go, from Gal - i - lee, you
4 Your word breathes life and health and hope that
5 So come, O Christ, and cast a - way the



de - mons that de - stroy: the haunt - ing dreads that
Le - gion in their name. Our shack - led hearts im -
sailed to storm - tossed shores. And still, in pow'r, you
break through e - vil's thrall. You send us, strength - ened,
de - mons that de - stroy. Trans - form our lives to



choke our souls, the hates that sti - fle joy.
plore your grace to loose our bind - ing shame.
brave new paths to breach our bolt - ed doors.
home in peace to live your gos - pel call.
sense your love and spread a - broad your joy.

Text: Mary Louise Bringle, b. 1953
Music: CONSOLATION, A. Davisson, *Kentucky Harmony*, 1816
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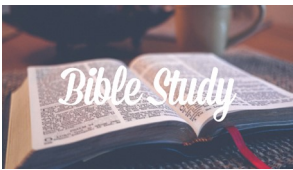
ORLAND THORESON MEMORIAL GIFT

Thank you to the Thoreson family for a gift to our partnership with the Iambi Lutheran Hospital Palliative Care Program in Tanzania. This gift was made in memory of Orland Thoreson. As we heard on Fair Trade Sunday, our financial partnership with ILH makes a world of difference in the lives of many people, including staff, volunteers, and patients. Thank you again to the Thoreson family; this memorial gift is an excellent witness to the love of God that Orland so embodied!



QUILTING

Third Tuesday of the month at 9:00am
Fellowship Hall
No sewing skills are needed.
If you can tie a knot, you can help.
Everyone is invited to help out.



PASTOR BEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays at 10:30AM Fellowship Hall
We will continue working through Acts

Thank yous

Thank you, thank you, thank you to all the men that came to church last Saturday and helped clean up the church grounds!! During the pandemic the grounds were neglected and now everything is ready for Spring. Your help was greatly appreciated! OSLC Property Team

Dear OSLC,
Thank you so much for your generous donation of health kits and blankets (**made & put together on God's Work, Our Hands Sunday**) for the many individuals who come to us for help each day. Please know that these will be given to members of our community who most need the aid and kindness of their neighbors.
God Bless You,
Majors Candace & Cornell Voeller,
Salvation Army

THANK YOU to Ed Heckman & Al Pickett for coming to the Lake City Care Center to share their gift of music. Everyone at the Center greatly enjoy it along with myself. Francis Pflibsen

NEW GARDEN AREA AT THE COLUMBARIUM

Memorial money for Pastor Fred was used per family request to add a garden on the SW side of the columbarium. Thanks to those who gave memorials and to AL and Megan and the Property committee and Scott Moon with Sargents for helping this happen.
Sherry, Ben, Brenda and Nathan Rengstorf



REMEMBERING FAMILY MEMBERS ON ALL SAINTS

On All Saints Sunday, we will be remembering the people who were connected to our ministry who died since All Saints Sunday last year. And like we did last year, we are also looking to remember the family members of those who are connected to our ministry who died. If you have a family member who died since last All Saints Sunday (November 7, 2021), and would like to remember them in worship on All Saints Sunday this year (November 6), please send their name, their relationship to you, their birth date, and their death date, to the church office by Nov.2.

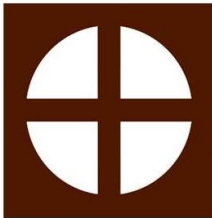


COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Parish Fellowship is looking for volunteers to set up coffee before the 1st worship service for members to enjoy after the 1st service has ended. Please use the Sign Up Genius link to help with this much-loved ministry. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B49AEAC29A0F94-coffee> This link can be found on the OSLC homepage.



We're trying something new in that we'll be serving coffee through the kitchen doors that open up into the hallway between the kitchen and fellowship hall. This will make it much easier than loading everything onto the carts and bringing it in to the fellowship hall! Cleanup, as well, will then be a little more streamlined. Directions available in the kitchen or through the church office.



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OFFICE HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION

The office is open Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9:00am to 3pm
Joanne is working from home on Mondays and Fridays, available by email.

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Our office doors are always open for visits/conversations. Please make a call to the church office before visiting if you would like to specifically visit with one of us to ensure we are in.
Pastor Ben & Pastor Nikki

Joanne Hamilton, Office—office@rochesteroslcl.org
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Carole Joyce, Family Ministry Consultant—carole35@charter.net
Katie Zahasky, Prayer Chain—254-7894 or ktzahasky4@gmail.com

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Organist/Pianist: Greg Henderson
Sound Board Engineer: 9:00am Worship—Sherry Rengstorf
Offering Counters: Bill Nicklay, Joleen Carlson
Ushers: 9:00am Worship—Bill & Jackie Rohe
Communion Assistant: 9:00am Worship—Katie Zahasky
Altar Guild Member: Tammy Olson
Special Music:



Scan the QR code for easy giving.

ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY are given to the glory of God from Wayne Servais
in memory of Sue



2022 Calendar is posted on the large bulletin board

*****Watch for the 2023 calendar soon**

You can sign up on the large bulletin board, email Joanne or by calling the office.
Cost is \$40 and checks can be made to OSLC with Altar Flowers in the memo and can be left in the offering plate or dropped off at the office. Weekly deadline to sign up is Wednesday noon to make printing.

FLOWER SCHEDULE

Nov. 6—Fredriksen, Nov. 13—OPEN, Nov. 20 Flynn Family



I Have Been Thinking...

About Confirmation.

Dear Saints of God, called together as Our Savior's Lutheran Church, when we shifted our model of faith formation a few years ago to be "community-centric" rather than "classroom-based," we also shifted the way and purpose of the Rite of Confirmation.

In former years, Confirmation functioned like graduation; even though we know it's not graduation, even though we said it's not graduation, even though we acted like it wasn't graduation, it *functioned* like graduation. And what happens when you graduate from something? You never (or rarely) ever return!

So we shifted in our model, moving away from treating Confirmation like a capstone, reimagining it as a new beginning, and realizing that what's most important about Confirmation is the commitment of the community (the congregation) to uphold these kids in their faith.

That's what we have created with our new Rite of Confirmation: a public, communal way for us to affirm the promises that God made to them when they were baptized, and for us to renew our promise to walk with them on their journey of faith.

I hope that you will join us as we celebrate Confirmation for three of our young people on November 6th, All Saints Sunday. We will only have one worship service on that day, at 9AM, so that our whole community can be gathered to revel in the promises of baptism, promises that keep us secure in God's love from birth to death, and beyond!

2022 Confirmation Class

Elizabeth Fohrman
Allison Humke
Olivia Rockne



October 30

Everyone is invited to patriciate. No sign up necessary to participate. Just show up and have fun with or without a truck setup.
We will be meeting in the OSLC parking lot from 2-3pm. Yard games will also be part of the fun.

Crafting at OSLC

Calling all crafters! Do you scrapbook, quilt, knit, draw, sculpt, whittle, or do other crafty things? Join us on the first Saturday morning of every month, from 9-11 AM, in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your own supplies for your craft and gather with some other crafters to work on your projects and enjoy some fellowship. This is not meant to be a class, just a time to work on individual projects with members of your church family. Hope to see you there! The next gathering is on **November 5**.



FAITHFULLY FIT

The Thursday morning exercise group will begin to meet again on September 8 at 9:15am in the Narthex. Join us for light exercise and joyful conversation. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun.

ANOTHER MOVIE OPPORTUNITY!

Our Media That Moves Us group will be meeting Wednesday Nov. 9th to watch the movie "Till". If others wish to join they are more than welcome! I will try to get tickets around 6pm ish.



Please contact me by Monday November 7th if you wish to come. I will purchase tickets together.
Pastor Nikki

Youth News

The **weekend mission trip** will be December 3-4. We will leave church at 7:15 Saturday morning and be back about 1 on Sunday afternoon. We will serve at three places, dine and worship together! I am very excited for the new opportunities this year! It is always neat to see the different places we can serve The Lord and learn about others. At this time, it is open to all high school youth. This event will be free to the youth. See Cassie for more details and to sign up.

LEADERSHIP LISTENS

Would you like an opportunity to meet with the Leadership Team? Then you're in luck! The Leadership Team has met with a group on the 27 and will be meeting again on Sunday, October 30, from 1-2pm. It will be held in the Fellowship Hall. They'd love for you to stop by and share!