#### Remember in your Prayers

**Member Concerns:** Bonnie Storlie; Shirley Jorde; Jim Rushton; George Meyer; Maxine Thoreson; Merle Houdek; Karen Schlein; Bob & Joan Loos; Francis Pflibsen; Jeanette Erickson, Bonnie Storlie, Connie DeLorme, Mike & Sandy Miller

Non-Member Friends/Family Concerns: Glenn Riekmann (son of Gordon & Lois); Raymond Heckman (Shirley Thomann's son); Mary Johnson; Rita Balm (Wanda Hagquist's friend); Chris Wilson (son in law of Everett and Vickie Schulz); Lori (George Meyer's cousin); Becca, (Connie Delorme's niece); Dan (Gladys Jensen's son); Brian Howe (nephew of Marti Howe); Shawn Mahoney (son in law of John & Darlene Kelley); Magnus Svennungsen (Thoreson's great-grandson)

**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

\*Events listed in italics are non church activities here in the building.

#### Sunday, May 14

P. Nikki @ Good Shepherd

9am Worship—Senior Recognition

10am Senior Reception

10am Orchestra Rehearsal

10:10 Worship Arts

# Monday, May 15

P. Ben day off

P. Nikki @ Good Shepherd

# Tuesday, May 16

9am-3pm Office Open

9am Quilting

11am P. Nikki at Text Study

1pm Sarah Circle

2pm Office Staff Meeting

5:45pm Family Child Care Meeting

6:30pm Worship & Music Team

Wednesday, May 17 9am-3pm Office open 11am P. Ben at Text Study

# Thursday, May 18

P. Nikki day off

9am-3pm Office Open

9:15am Faithfully Fit—last meeting till Fall

10:30am Bible Study

6pm Bell Choir

7pm Vocal Choir

7pm Pack 83—Fellowship Hall

# Friday, May 19

P. Nikki day off

5-9pm Smith Violin Recital-Sanctuary

# Saturday, May 20

9am Crafting-Fellowship Hall

10am Meline Book Launch-Narthex

# Sunday, May 21

9am Worship

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10am 75th Anniversary Brunch 6pm Troop 83-Fellowship Hall

# Monday, May 22

P. Ben day off

P. Nikki @ Good Shepherd



# Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Rochester, MN May 14, 2023 Weekly

PRELUDE Orchestra "Wherever He Leads"

Everett Schulz, soloist

#### **GATHERING SONG**

**ELW 840** 

"Now Thank We All Our God"

SPECIAL MUSIC Choir "A Mother's Prayer"

Jennie Loven, soloist

Before you close your eyes to sleep, I have a promise still to keep as I hold you in my arms

I pray your little frame grows strong and that faith takes hold while you are young This is my prayer for you.

Hold my hand, I'll teach you the way to go, through the joys and through the tears,

the journey of these years

May you trust in Him till the end

This world is not as it should be but the Savior opens eyes to see all that's beautiful and true

May His light fill all you are and the jewel of wisdom crown your heart

This is my prayer for you.

Take His hand and go where He calls you to and whatever comes, Seek Him with all your heart

This is my prayer for you.

Father, hear my ceaseless prayer, keep this child in your care.

# **GOSPEL READING**

John 14:15-21

MESSAGE

Pastor Ben Loven

#### **HYMN OF THE DAY**

ELW 449

"We Know That Christ Is Raised"

#### **COMMUNION SONGS**

ELW 379

"Now the Green Blade Rises"

ELW 613

"Thy Holy Wings"

# **SENDING SONG**

ELW 631

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

#### John 14:15-21

<sup>15</sup>If you love me, you will keep my commandments. <sup>16</sup>And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. <sup>17</sup>This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. <sup>18</sup>I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. <sup>19</sup>In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. <sup>20</sup>On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. <sup>21</sup>They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."

Sunday, May 21 we will be celebrating

Our Savior's Lutheran Church's 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary! Immediately after worship. We'll be serving a brunch featuring Sausage & Cheese Egg Bake, Ham & Cheese Egg Bake, fresh fruit and cinnamon rolls. Please RSVP to Joanne in the church office (email office@rochesteroslc.org) by Tuesday, May 16. There will be an opportunity for a free will offering to offset the cost.



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.

#### **OFFICE HOURS & CONTACT INFORMATION**

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

Office - 289-3021; Website: www.rochesteroslc.org

Pastor Ben Loven—bloven@rochesteroslc.org; cell 701-580-1559 Pastor Nikki Rockne—pnikki@rochesteroslc.org cell 507-398-7710

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.

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Pastor Ben & Pastor Nikki

Joanne Hamilton, Office—office@rochesteroslc.org Greg Henderson, Director of Music—music@rochesteroslc.org Carole Joyce, Family Ministry Consultant—carole35@charter.net Katie Zahasky, Prayer Chain—254-7894 or ktzahasky4@gmail.com

# **WORSHIP ASSISTANTS 9:00am Worship**

Prelude - Orchestra "Wherever He Leads" Everett Schulz, soloist

Organist/Pianist: Greg Henderson & Jan Matson

Special Music: Choir "A Mother's Prayer" Sound Board Engineer: Warren Harmon Offering Counters: Bill Nicklay, Joleen Carlson

Ushers: Bill & Jackie Rohe

Communion Assistant/Offering Assistant: Katie Zahasky

**Altar Guild Member**: Darlene Kelley Fellowship: Tim & Megan Valen



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ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY are given to the glory of God from Jordan/Fohrman family in celebration of the OSLC Graduates

Please consider signing up.

Please remember to return your vase to the church. Our pricing is based upon us returning them.

**FLOWER SCHEDULE** May 21 Wallace & Moran

May 28th OPEN

# Father/Child/ Friend Retreat

Camp is reserved for Father's Day weekend, June 16-18! Please contact us if you have any questions. We need a general idea of how many to expect, so please respond when you can. Cost and information sheet on the bulletin board in the Narthex. David Flynn 507-250-3227 of dflynnmn@kmtel.com

# **CONGRATULATIONS**

Todav we celebrate our graduates during worship and during our fellowship time.



Adrian Fohrman & Brianna Train are our

# **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Sarah Circle—May 16, 1:00pm Location: Maxine Thoreson's Home 1602 7th St NE

RING FOUND in ladies restroom. Contact Joanne in the office to identify.

# **CHURCH SOFTBALL SCHEDULE**

Adult Age 18 & UP

# Games at McQuillan Field #2

5/23 - 6:15pm vs. Redeemer

5/30 - 7:15pm vs. Pax Christi

6/6 - 6:15pm vs. St. John's

6/13 - 8:15pm vs. High Point

6/20 - 7:15pm vs. Ascension

6/27 - 8:15pm vs. Redeemer

7/11 - 8:15pm vs. Pax Christi

7/18 - 6:15pm vs. St. John's

7/25 - 8:15pm vs. Ascension

8/1 - 7:15pm vs. High Point

8/15 - League Playoffs

Any questions or youth interested in playing softball contact Kent

Bruinsma kent1762@gmail.com 507-358-2656

**MAY COLLECTION GIFT OF LIFE TRANSPLANT HOUSE** 

Items can be left in the marked box in the Narthex

- 1. All Paper Products
- 2. Wrapped Chocolate Candy
- 3. Boxes of Various Cards
- Stamps
- Luxuries such as DVD's, games, books, etc.
- 6. General Cleaning Products
- 7. Pop Tabs

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