Remember in your Prayers

Member Concerns: Tom & Ardie O'Hanlon; Gladys Jensen; Bonnie Storlie; George Meyer; Merle Houdek; Karen Schlein; Bob Loos; Francis Pflibsen; Jeanette Erickson, Connie DeLorme, Mike & Sandy Miller

Those Mourning: Shirley Thomann Family upon on the death of her son, Raymond Heckman

Non-Member Friends/Family Concerns: Sam (Mary Ann Smith's nephew); Craig (Connie DeLorme's son); Shirlee (Ruby Florine's Mom); Jon (Wayne Rogelstad's brother); Shawn Mahoney (son in law of John & Darlene Kelley); Glenn Riekmann (son of Gordon & Lois); Mary Johnson; 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); Magnus Svennungsen (Thoreson family member)

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 Scholarship Recipient: Sadie Short

Joanne on vacation

^{*}Events listed in italics are non church activities here in the building.

Sunday, January 14	P. Nikki at cont. ed	
9am Worship	9:15am Faithfully Fit	
10am Family Sunday School	10:30am Bible Study	
10am Faith Connections	Friday, January 19	
10am Fellowship	P. Nikki at cont. ed	
5pm Troop 83	Saturday, January 20	
Monday, January 15	P. Nikki at cont. ed	
P. Ben day off	9am Crafting at OSLC	
P. Nikki on visits	Sunday, January 21	
Joanne on vacation	P. Nikki at cont. ed	
Tuesday, January 16	9am Worship	
Joanne on vacation	10am Family Sunday School	
9am Quilting	10am Fellowship	
11am P. Nikki at Text Study	10am Instruments of Our Savior's Rehearsal	
1pm Sarah Circle	5pm Troop 83	
Wednesday, January 17	Monday, January 22	
Joanne on vacation	P. Ben day off	
11 am P. Ben at Text Study	P. Nikki on visits	
5pm Youth Bells	Tuesday, January 23	
6pm Grace Bells	9am-3pm Office open	
7pm Vocal Choir	11am P. Nikki at Text Study	
Thursday, January 18	6:30pm Worship/Music Meeting	



January 14, 2024 Welcome to Our Savior's ELW Setting 8 Epiphany



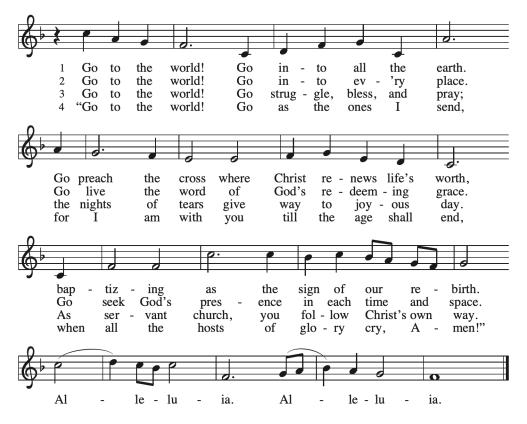
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Mark 14-20

¹⁴Now after John was arrested, Jesus came to Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God, ¹⁵and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near, repent, and believe in the good news."

Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the sea — for they were fishermen. ¹⁷And Jesus said to them, "Follow me and I will make you fish for people." ¹⁸And immediately they left their nets and followed him. ¹⁹As he went a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John, who were in their boat mending the nets. ²⁰Immediately he called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men, and followed him.

Go to the World!



Text: Sylvia G. Dunstan, 1955-1993

Music: SINE NOMINE, Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872-1958

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I am once again humbled by Our Saviors generosity. Thank you so much for the Christmas gift. I can only do this with all of your support and I am most appreciative. Blessings to all as we start on this new year. **Pastor Nikki**

Thank you for your gift to the staff! I am thankful for each of you and the ways you are part of the Our Savior's ministry. You are a blessing. **Carole Joyce**



WOMEN'S CIRCLE BIBLE STUDY

PRISCILLA CIRCLE

Date: Wednesday, Feb. 14 at 9:30am

Location: OSLC

Hostess: Diana Schroeder Bible Study: Julie Mullens

MARTHA CIRCLE

Date: Wednesday, Feb. 14 at 10:00am

Location OSLC

Hostess: Carol Houdek Leader: Brenda Harmon

NAOMI CIRCLE

Date: Monday, Feb. 12 at 9:00am

Location Hostess: Leader:

SARAH CIRCLE

Date: Tuesday, Jan. 16 at 1:00pm

Location: OSLC



Thank you to the crew that took down the Christmas decorations and readied the church for Epiphany. We appreciate you!"

Missing from photo, Diana Schroeder



FAIR TRADE PRODUCTS

Fair Trade Products are always available in the Narthex cupboards. Payment is the honor system and can be placed in the box available on the counter.



PASTOR BEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursdays at 10:30am



QUILTING

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



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WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHOIR & ORCHESTRA REHEARSALS

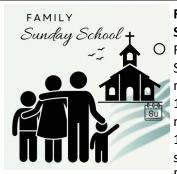
Grace Bells rehearse at 6pm with Bev Gronvold directing.

Youth Bells rehearse at 5pm with Bev Gronvold directing.

Vocal Choir rehearse at 7pm with Greg Henderson directing.

Orchestra rehearsal. January 21, 10am, Greg Henderson directing.





FAMILY SUNDAY SCHOOL

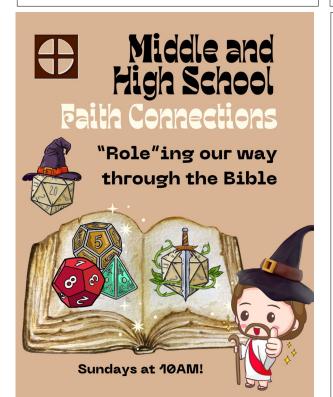
Family Sunday
School (FSS) will
meet either in the
1st Pod area or the
music room at
10am. Schedule
sheet available at
FFS

UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE

Jan. 28—10am —Annual Meeting

Feb. 14—Ash Wednesday





CONGREGATIONAL EVENT

Inviting both GSC and OSLC congregations to a family afternoon of snow tubing. All members and especially families are welcome to gather at Steeplechase in Mezeppa at 2:00 on January 28th. One and two hour passes as well as waivers can be found on their website. "Yes" they make their own snow, so mother nature doesn't need to cooperate for this fun activity to happen. Hope to see you there.

https://www.steeplechaseevents.com/snow-tubing





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—<u>bloven@rochesteroslc.org</u>; cell 701-580-1559 **Pastor Nikki Rockne**—<u>pnikki@rochesteroslc.org</u> 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.

Pastor Ben & Pastor Nikki

Joanne Hamilton, Office—office@rochesteroslc.org

Greg Henderson, Director of Music—music@rochesteroslc.org
Katie Zahasky, Prayer Chain—254-7894 or ktzahasky4@gmail.com

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS 9:00am Worship

Organist: Greg Henderson, Pianist: Jan Matson

Special Music:

Sound Board Engineer: Warren Harmon **Offering Counters:** Bruce & Tammy Olson

Ushers: Bruce & Tammy Olson

Communion Assistant/Offering Assistant: Sharon K. Peterson

Altar Guild Member: Ardie O'Hanlon Fellowship: Warren & Brenda Harmon



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ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY are given to the Glory of God from OSLC.

SCHEDULE

Jan. 21—

Jan. 28—Zahasky

Please consider signing up for flowers.





OSLC Office Weather Closing Policy

To ensure the safety of all our office staff, the church office will be closed if the Rochester school district cancels school due to weather conditions.

We will also follow the 2-hour late openings.

During this time the staff will be working from home and can be reached by email.

If there are extenuating circumstances, communication with the congregation will take place over Facebook and Constant Contact email.

For a pastoral emergency, the pastors can be reached by phone.

Pastor Ben—701-580-1559 Pastor Nikki—507-398-7710



DID YOU KNOW...

FACEBOOK: You can help spread the word to non OLSC members by **Liking, Sharing and Commenting** on posts about events or messages from the Pastors.

oslc has a private facebook page It's a place for members and those who are active in the life of our congregation to stay up-to-date with events and activities! This is also a place for us to share life-events with our siblings in Christ. Search Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Rochester, MN and ask to join. We also have a public page for all to view.

FUTURE CHURCH CONVERSATIONS

Pastor Ben and another member of our Future Church Taskforce (Melissa Psomas, Joanne Heathman, Scott Moon, Bob Westland, and Emily Blain), will be holding informational conversations regarding our congregation's future ministry. They will be small (eight people max) so that we can have more in-depth conversations. Our current sessions are full, but we are finding times for more! If you have any questions about the conversations, or if you have a request for a date/time that works for you, please talk to Pastor Ben or one of the Taskforce members."



CHURCHILL/HOOVER Snack Ministry

We are once again making kids happy at Churchill & Hoover Schools this year. They are asking for things like individually wrapped: Granola bars Pretzels Fruit snacks, Goldfish or any kind of crackers, etc. for school snacks. These items are easy for teachers to store in their classrooms and hand out. They are not asking for pantry items at this time.

Items can be left in the blue barrel in the Narthex.

More items will be needed in the new year.



CRAFTING AT OSLC

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Calling all crafters! Do you scrapbook, quilt, knit, draw, sculpt, whittle, or do other crafty things? Join us on the Third 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!

