

Remember in your Prayers
Member Concerns: Sharon Peterson; Greg Henderson; Wanda Attlesey; Terry Wagner; Ed Harbeck; Gordon & Lois Riekmann; Bonnie Storlie; George Meyer; Merle Houdek; Karen Schlein; Bob Loos; Connie DeLorme, Mike & Sandy Miller

Those Mourning: Joanne Heathman Family upon the death of her mother, June.


Non-Member Friends/Family Concerns: June Duebbert (Jodie Westland’s mother); Melissa (cousin of Mary Ann Smith); Glenn Riekmann (son of Gordon & Lois); Mary Johnson; Chris Wilson (son in law of Everett and Vickie Schulz); Lori (George Meyer's cousin); Magnus Svenningsen (Thoreson family member)

Military Concerns: Brooks Rohe; Andrew McCumber; Chris Sikich; Margaret & Catherine Maher; 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

Sunday, May 4 9am Worship Pastor Jim Rushton 10am Fellowship 10am Media That Moves Us 5pm Funky Bunch Monday, May 5 P. Ben day off Tuesday, May 6 9am Office open Wednesday, May 7 9am Office open 11:30am P. Ben at Text Study 6pm Grace Bells 7pm Vocal Choir Thursday, May 8 9am Office open 9:15am Faithfully Fit 10:30am Bible Study 6pm Leadership Team Friday, May 9 Saturday, May 10	Sunday, May 11 <i>Happy Mother’s Day</i> 9am Worship Sunday School’s last day of program year 10am Fellowship Monday, May 12 P. Ben day off 9am Naomi Circle Tuesday, May 13 9am Office open 9am P. Ben at Zumbro Conference	Non-Church Building Use M, T, TH—Cello Lessons 2:30pm-8:30pm—Music Room May 4—5:00pm Troop 83—Fellowship hall May 6—4:45pm—Piano Recital—Sanctuary May 15—6:30pm Pack 83—Fellowship Hall May 16—5:30pm Sons of Norway—Fellowship Hall May 22—6:30pm FCCI—Water Room
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May 4, 2025

Our Savior’s Lutheran Church

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Easter 3

Opening Song	<i>O Day of Rest and Gladness</i>	ELW 521
Gospel		John 21:1-19
<p>¹After these things Jesus showed himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and he showed himself in this way. ²Gathered there together were Simon Peter, Thomas called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of his disciples. ³Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. ⁴Just after daybreak, Jesus stood on the beach; but the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. ⁵Jesus said to them, "Children, you have no fish, have you?" They answered him, "No." ⁶He said to them, "Cast the net to the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in because there were so many fish. ⁷That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on some clothes, for he was naked, and jumped into the sea. ⁸But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, only about a hundred yards off. ⁹When they had gone ashore, they saw a charcoal fire there, with fish on it, and bread. ¹⁰Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." ¹¹So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred fifty-three of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. ¹²Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, "Who are you?" because they knew it was the Lord. ¹³Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish. ¹⁴This was now the third time that Jesus appeared to the disciples after he was raised from the dead. ¹⁵When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." ¹⁶A second time he said to him, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Tend my sheep." ¹⁷He said to him the third time, "Simon son of John, do you love me?" Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" And he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep. ¹⁸Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go." ¹⁹(He said this to indicate the kind of death by which he would glorify God.) After this he said to him, "Follow me."</p>		
Sermon		Pastor Jim Rushton
Hymn of the Day	<i>The Church of Christ, In Every Age</i>	ELW 729
Communion Songs	<i>We Who Once Were Dead</i> <i>I Love to Tell The Story</i>	ELW 495 ELW 661
Sending Song	<i>You Servants of God</i>	ELW 825

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.

The office is open Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, 9:00am to 3pm

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My office door is always open for visits/conversations. Please make a call to the church office before visiting if you would like to specifically visit with me to ensure I am in. Pastor Ben

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Greg Henderson, Director of Music—music@rochesterosl.org

Katie Zahasky, Prayer Chain—507-254-7894 or ktzahasky4@gmail.com

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS 9:00am Worship

Organist: Greg Henderson, **Pianist:** Jan Matson

Sound Board Engineer: David Flynn

Offering Counters: Bruce & Tammy Olson

Ushers: Bruce & Tammy Olson

Communion Assistant/Offering Assistants: Sharon K. Peterson

Altar Guild: Diana Schroeder

Fellowship: Warren & Brenda Harmon



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Altar Flowers today are given to the Glory of God from Bruce & Tammy Olson



ALTAR FLOWERS in May & June will be provided graciously by our OSLC Neighbors, The Iron Butterfly. We will resume flowers with Rennings in July. Please sign up.

Treasurer's Report:

Income YTD (as of 03/31/2025): \$108,500.69

Expenses YTD (as of 03/31/2025): \$121,779.56*

Budgeted Expenses: \$96,057.66

*Expenses include the remaining \$23,810 for the roof repair completed in '24.



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MEDIA THAT MOVES US

PODCASTS

THAT SOUNDS FUN
WITH ANNIE F. DOWNS
WINTER

Episodes 861, 867, and 869, 961, 964
April 6th discussion after worship.

BOOK

UNORTHODOX
THE SCANDALOUS REJECTION OF MY HASIDIC ROOTS
DEBORAH FELDMAN

May 4th discussion after worship

MOVIE

THE FORGE
100%
"ENTERTAINS AND INSPIRES! A MUST-SEE!"
June 1st discussion after worship

MEDIA RESEARCH

MUSIC AT OSLC—Wednesday Nights

Grace Bells rehearsing at 6pm with Bev Gronvold directing.

Vocal Choir rehearsing at 7pm with Greg Henderson directing.

We invite all to come and give it a try.



FAITHFULLY FIT

The Thursday morning exercise group meets at 9:15am in the Narthex. Join us for light exercise and joyful conversation. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun.



BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR BEN

Thursdays at 10:30AM (Water Room), If you've ever felt like you wished you knew more about the Bible, but were anxious that you didn't know enough, this is the Bible Study for you! There's no homework, you don't have to be an "expert" to participate, and everyone there cares about each other. We're going to be working our way through the Gospel of John. **Last Bible Study for this program year will be May 22.** Come join in the conversation!



UPDATED ANNOUCEMENT

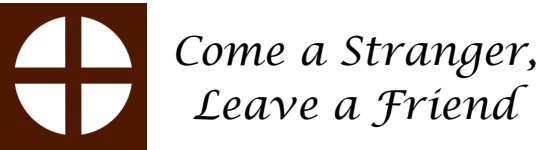
CHURCHILL/HOOVER

SCHOOLS are looking for donations.



Their needs for the rest of the school year is Crackers, Cereal & Gold Fish snacks (can be bought in large containers) & sandwich bags. They have plenty of everything else. Last collection day is May 11

Please leave in the blue barrel in the Narthex.



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

4. Stamps

5. Luxuries such as DVD’s, games, books, etc.

6. General Cleaning Products

7. Pop Tabs



Martha Circle

May 14—10:00am

Hostess: Carol Houdek

Bible Study: Group

Location: OSLC

Naomi Circle

May 12—9:00am

Hostess/Leader: Mary Ann Smith

3071 21st ST NE

Priscilla Circle

May 14—9:30am

Hostess: Kathy Norby


Bible Study: Wanda Hagquist

Sarah Circle

3rd Tuesday of the month —1:00pm

Hostess: Group

Bible Study: Group




QUILTING

Everyone is welcome. No sewing skills are needed. We meet at 9am

Location: OSLC

2025 Meeting Dates:

May 20, September 16, October 21, November 18



THANK YOU!

Thanks for all the Prayers, My surgery went well and I don’t need glasses except for up close. Sharon Peterson

OSLC, Thank you for all the work you did to organize dad’s (Francis Pflibsen) funeral meal. Please make sure all of the volunteers know their work was appreciated. There were lot’s of compliments on the food.

Louise & Stacia

Thank you, church family, for all the prayers for Mom. Mom peacefully died just short of her 99th birthday by a few weeks. Soon afterward clouds parted enough so rays of sunlight could shine down on the tree outside the window of her room. That was pretty awesome. We have the best members at OSLC. God’s peace, Joanne Heathman and family

We would like to thank everyone for your support, prayers and donations for our Guatemala service trip. Our Savors was able to provide 60 health kits and thank you to our sewing ladies who were able to provide 16 menstrual kits for young girls. All were very appreciated. We had a wonderful time serving and being served. While Kevin and the construction crew installed 20 stoves to replace open fire pits in local homes as well as finished up the painting in the tutoring center they started last year. I had the opportunity to work with the local children in their school and at the tutoring center and library. We talked about bullying, learned about Mayan art and mixing primary colors, then preparing and eating healthy snacks. Our last art class was supposed to have 14 children, but 50 showed up, so we had to add another class! We were also able to experience some traditional Lenten activities in Antigua on our free day. They are wonderful people and made us feel very welcome every place we went. So thank you again for your support.

Cindy and Kevin Norgard

CONGREGATIONAL *Discussion*

May 18, after Worship

What does OSLC Look Like in 5, 10, 15, 20 Years & Beyond

Brunch and Childcare Provided
Come with open minds, listening ears, and creative ideas!



Be An
Active
Listener

THINK
OUTSIDE
THE BOX



Father/Child/Friend Retreat

JUNE 13-15

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Complete information on the bulletin board in the Narthex.