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Here is the latest news for Our Saviour's Lutheran Church!



Lent Services

During this Lenten Season, we offer special Wednesday evening activities. Here is our Wednesday schedule:

6:00 p.m. – Soup Supper – We share a simple meal of soup and salad. Please come for a time of fellowship and food. Also, please sign up to help with a supper!

6:30 p.m.—Congregational Prayer Time - Please mark this Lenten season by joining with others in prayer for our congregation.

7:00 p.m. — Lenten Worship – For worship we begin with a Bible Study lead by Pastor Mark on the Gospel of John's account of the Passion and execution of Jesus. We conclude with a simple Lenten service with confession of sin, prayers and liturgy.



Sunday School Action

We thought we'd share a few pictures from our Sunday School. The 2nd and 3rd grade class studied the story of Jesus raising Lazarus from the dead. When Lazarus died, he would have been wrapped in linens clothes for burial as was Jewish tradition. When the students studied the story, they of course had to wrap of one of their classmates. Not having linen clothes, they used toilet paper. After the stories the wrappings were used for a good toilet paper fight. There is all sorts of fun on our Sunday School Wing on Sunday mornings!



Sunday School Garden Planting

We are going to have a garden again this year and the Sunday school students are going to help plant it again this year. On Sunday, April 7, during the Sunday school hour, we will meet outside and plant the garden. Please wear clothes that you don't mind getting a bit dirty!

Sola Lenten Drama Series

Telling Their Stories

Encounters with Jesus



By the Rev. Mark Braaten

Lenten Series - "Telling Their Stories"

Last year during Lent Pastor Mark preached a sermon series entitled "Telling their Stories – Encounters With Jesus". Sola Publishing House published the series as a booklet. We have copies of the booklet, they are \$8 each and for sale in the church office.



Insights

Blaine Davis is our seminary student. He is attending class at Crannmer Theological House in Dallas. As part of his class work he had written a series of 5 papers on what we believe about the Scriptures. We plan to share these papers with the entire congregation We will share one a week as we continue our journey through Lent.

This week's installment is on the topic of inspiration.

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Egyptian Coptic Worship Here on Saturday, April 13

The Egyptian Coptic Congregation will be worshiping here on Saturday, April 13. They begin about 8:30 .a.m. It is a long service, but they are most excited to be here and welcome any of our members who would like to see their service.



Mockingbird Conference in Tyler

Each year Tyler hosts a Mockingbird Conference, which is a marvelous two day event of theology, worship and music. This year the conference will be Friday, April 5 through Saturday April 6. It will be downtown, at Christ Episcopal Church on Friday and at the Foundry on Saturday. The theme for this year is - The Future of Grace! (What a great theme for Lutherans!) For more details please go to www.mbirdtyler.com or click the button.

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NALC Executive Council

The NALC March News is available now by clicking the download button. Some of the headlines include:

- NALC Executive Council is surveying congregations to help new bishop best serve NALC congregations.
- Nominations sought for positions to be elected at 2019 Convocation. Bishop, Executive Council and Court of Adjudication will be elected.
- NALC Lenten Devotions for 2019.
- Canadian Rockies Theological Conference to focus on catechism as resource for life and witness.

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Thursday Bible Study

We are on break for this week. We are starting a new study of Joshua and Judges on April 11. Now is the perfect time to join our Thursday morning study! We are using Engage Bible Studies for our study guide and we will have plenty of books available by the end of the month. Come and study the Word with us! We meet every Thursday at 10:00 AM.

If you have any questions about our current study or future studies, please con-tact Chris Burris at 303-668-6643 or cburris9031@gmail.com



PRIMETIMERS

We are in the middle of Lent heading toward Easter and officially in spring. Our next get-together is on April 11, 2019 at 12 noon at OSLC. The luncheon is to be potluck with a designated menu of chicken, salad, and dessert. The program will be our own Glory Gopinath who will be telling us about her recent trip to her native India.

Hostesses for the day will be Mary Thompson and Carol Lattier. Please watch for changes, and/or additions to these plans.

Mark your calendars. This is an excellent time to bring friends for some fantastic Christian fellowship. There is nothing to obligate you or no one to intimidate you, just great Christian friends to welcome you. Remember we are the "most caring Primetimers in the world". Bring your favorite chicken, salad or dessert and come prepared for a most enjoyable and rewarding afternoon.



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