

# Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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## Church Mission

" Bringing Christ  
to the people...  
...the people to Christ "

## Church Slogan

Living, Loving,  
Leading, and Laughing;  
that's Our Saviour's  
Lutheran Church

## Our Ministers

The people

## Our Pastor

Rev. Dr. Mark Braaten

## Parish Administrator

Debbie Miller

## Financial Administrator

Carol Lattier

## Organist & Keyboardist

Jaeyong Lee

## Council President

Bill Videtto

## Member Goals

*As disciples of  
our Lord, Jesus Christ,  
we strive to grow in  
faith through daily prayer  
and bible reading,  
attending worship  
services, tithing,  
and serving others.*

June 2, 2019

Worship Service

10:00 A.M.





### **To Our Guests and Visitors**

Thank you for joining with us! We're glad you are here.

\* To find our nursery go to the Sunday School wing. The Nursery is just a few doors down this hallway.

\* We have activity bags for youngsters to use during worship. The bags include soft toys and coloring books. Please help yourself to a bag. Be sure to return it after worship.

\* We practice open communion. If you are baptized and desire to share in the body and blood of our Lord, please join us.

\* We begin communing children in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade. We offer a communion class to prepare 5<sup>th</sup> graders to receive this sacrament.

\* If you would prefer grape juice instead of wine for communion, there is grape juice in the center of the tray of glasses.

\* Following our worship service there is coffee and tea on the table in our café area. Please stay for some fellowship.

\* Let us know how we can be of assistance to you!

#### **WORSHIP SERVERS**

Lay Coordinator:	Ryan Gibbs
Ushers:	Ryan Gibbs & Milo Miles
Acolyte:	Ben Snyder
Reader:	Travis Snyder
Communion Assistants:	Dee Miles
Projectionist:	Toby Fite

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## THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

June 2, 2019 — WELCOME!

It is a pleasure to worship together.  
If you are a newcomer, if you have a prayer request, or both,  
please fill out the yellow pew card located on the back of each pew.

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### PRELUDE *JAERYONG LEE*

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please stand

### OPENING HYMN ~ SING TO THE KING

Sing to the King who is coming to reign  
Glory to Jesus the Lamb that was slain.  
Life and salvation His empire shall bring,  
And joy to the nations,  
When Jesus is King.

*Lift up a heart of praise.  
Sing now with voices raised to Jesus;  
Sing to the King.*

Chorus:  
*Come let us sing a song,  
A song declaring that we belong to Jesus;  
He's all we need.*

For His returning we watch and we pray;  
We will be ready the dawn of that day.  
We'll join in singing with all the redeemed,  
'Cause Satan is vanquished and Jesus is King.  
*Chorus*

### CONFESSION OF SIN

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from

all unrighteousness.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

P: Most merciful God,

**C: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. In the name of Jesus Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

### **GREETING**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

### **KYRIE**

A: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

A: For the peace from above, and for our salvation,  
let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

A: For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,  
and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

A: For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,  
let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

A: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE ~ THIS IS THE FEAST**  
LBW 81

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia. Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. Power and riches and wisdom and strength and honor and blessing and glory are His. This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia.	Sing with all the people of God and join in the hymn of all creation: Blessing and honor and glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen. This is the feast of victory for our God, for the Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia. Alleluia.
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**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray; O King of Glory and Lord of countless angels, in triumph you ascended to the highest heaven. Abandon us not to be orphans, but keep your Father's promise to send your Spirit of truth. You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

*Please sit*

**FIRST READING: ACTS 1:12-26**

<sup>12</sup>Then {the apostles whom Jesus had chosen} returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a Sabbath day's journey away. <sup>13</sup>And when they had entered, they went up to the upper room, where they were staying, Peter and John and James and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James the son of Alphaeus and Simon the Zealot and Judas the son of James. <sup>14</sup>All these with one accord were devoting themselves to prayer, together with the women and Mary the mother of Jesus, and his brothers. <sup>15</sup>In those days Peter stood up among the brothers (the company of persons was in all about 120) and said, <sup>16</sup>"Brothers, the Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke beforehand by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who

became a guide to those who arrested Jesus. <sup>17</sup>For he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry.” <sup>18</sup>(Now this man acquired a field with the reward of his wickedness, and falling headlong he burst open in the middle and all his bowels gushed out. <sup>19</sup>And it became known to all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the field was called in their own language Akeldama, that is, Field of Blood.) <sup>20</sup>“For it is written in the Book of Psalms, ‘May his camp become desolate, and let there be no one to dwell in it’; and ‘Let another take his office.’” <sup>21</sup>So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, <sup>22</sup>beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us — one of these men must become with us a witness to his resurrection.” <sup>23</sup>And they put forward two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also called Justus, and Matthias. <sup>24</sup>And they prayed and said, “You, Lord, who know the hearts of all, show which one of these two you have chosen <sup>25</sup>to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place.” <sup>26</sup>And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias, and he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

### PSALM 133

- <sup>1</sup> Oh, how good and pleas- | ant it is,\*  
when brethren live togeth- | er in unity!
- <sup>2</sup> **It is like fine oil up- | on the head\***  
**that runs down up- | on the beard,**
- <sup>3</sup> upon the | beard of Aaron,\*  
and runs down upon the collar | of his robe.
- <sup>4</sup> **It is like the | dew of Hermon\***  
**that falls upon the | hills of Zion.**
- <sup>5</sup> For there the LORD has or- | dained the blessing:\*  
life for- | evermore.

### SECOND READING: REVELATION 22:1-20

Then the angel showed me the river of the water of life, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb <sup>2</sup>through the middle of the street of the city; also, on either side of the river, the tree of life with its twelve kinds of fruit, yielding its fruit each month. The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. <sup>3</sup>No longer will there be anything accursed, but the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in

it, and his servants will worship him. <sup>4</sup>They will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads. <sup>5</sup>And night will be no more. They will need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and they will reign forever and ever. <sup>6</sup>And he said to me, "These words are trustworthy and true. And the Lord, the God of the spirits of the prophets, has sent his angel to show his servants what must soon take place." <sup>7</sup>"And behold, I am coming soon. Blessed is the one who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book." <sup>8</sup>I, John, am the one who heard and saw these things. And when I heard and saw them, I fell down to worship at the feet of the angel who showed them to me, <sup>9</sup>but he said to me, "You must not do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your brothers the prophets, and with those who keep the words of this book. Worship God." <sup>10</sup>And he said to me, "Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this book, for the time is near. <sup>11</sup>Let the evildoer still do evil, and the filthy still be filthy, and the righteous still do right, and the holy still be holy." <sup>12</sup>"Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay each one for what he has done. <sup>13</sup>I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end." <sup>14</sup>Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they may have the right to the tree of life and that they may enter the city by the gates. <sup>15</sup>Outside are the dogs and sorcerers and the sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and everyone who loves and practices falsehood. <sup>16</sup>"I, Jesus, have sent my angel to testify to you about these things for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star." <sup>17</sup>The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come." And let the one who is thirsty come; let the one who desires take the water of life without price. <sup>18</sup>I warn everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: if anyone adds to them, God will add to him the plagues described in this book, <sup>19</sup>and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God will take away his share in the tree of life and in the holy city, which are described in this book. <sup>20</sup>He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

### **CHILDREN'S SONG ~ FATHER ABRAHAM**

Father Abraham had many sons  
Had many sons had Father Abraham  
I am one of them  
And so are you  
So let's just praise the Lord

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

*Please stand*

### GOSPEL VERSE ~ CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

LBW 170, Verse 4

Crown him the Lord of life,  
who triumphed o'er the grave  
and rose victorious in the strife  
for those he came to save.

His glories now we sing,  
who died and rose on high,  
who died, eternal life to bring,  
and lives that death may die.

### GOSPEL: JOHN 17:20-26

P: The Gospel according to St. John the 17th Chapter.

**C: Glory to you, O Lord.**

Please look up the Gospel reading in your Bible.

*After the reading:*

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please sit*

### SERMON ~ PASTOR MARK BRAATEN

*Please stand*

### HYMN OF THE DAY ~ HOW SWEET THE NAME OF JESUS SOUNDS

LBW 345, VERSES 1-3

How sweet the name of Jesus sounds  
In a believer's ear!  
It soothes our sorrows, heals our wounds,  
And drives away all fear.

It makes the wounded spirit whole  
And calms the heart's unrest;

'Tis manna to the hungry soul  
And to the weary, rest.

Dear name! The rock on which I build,  
My shield and hiding place;  
My never-failing treasury,  
Fill with boundless stores of grace.



## **APOSTLES' CREED**

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

## **THE PRAYERS**

**A:** Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus,  
and for all people according to their needs.

*After each portion of the prayers:*

**A:** Lord, in your mercy,

**C: hear our prayer.**

*The prayers conclude:*

**P:** Into your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray,  
trusting in your mercy; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

## **THE SHARING OF THE PEACE**

**P:** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

## **THE OFFERING**

*Please stand*

### **THE OFFERTORY - THE DOXOLOGY**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise Him all creatures here below.**

**Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**



## COMMUNION SONG NO. 1 ~ LORD, LET MY HEART BE GOOD SOIL

WOV 713

Lord, let my heart be good soil,  
Open to the seed of your Word.  
Lord, let my heart be good soil,  
Where love can grow and peace  
is understood.  
When my heart is hard,  
break the stone away.

When my heart is cold,  
warm it with the day.  
When my heart is lost,  
lead me on your way.  
Lord, let my heart, Lord, let my heart,  
Lord, let my heart be good soil.

## COMMUNION SONG NO. 2 ~ 10,000 REASONS

*Chorus:*

*Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul.*

*Worship His holy name.*

*Sing like never before, O my soul*

*I'll worship Your holy name*

The sun comes up: it's a new day dawning,  
It's time to sing Your song again.

Whatever may pass,  
and whatever lies before me,

Let me be singing when the evening comes.

*Chorus*

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger,  
Your name is great, and Your heart is kind.

For all Your goodness I will keep on singing;  
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

*Chorus*

And on that day when my strength is failing,  
The end draws near and my time has come.  
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending;  
Ten thousand years and then forevermore.

*Chorus*

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul.

Worship His holy name.

Sing like never before, O my soul

I'll worship Your holy name...

I'll worship Your holy name...

I'll worship Your holy name.

## COMMUNION SONG NO. 3 ~ EL SHADDAI

WOV 709

Chorus:

*El Shaddai, El Shaddai,  
El, El-yon-na Adonai,  
Age to age You're still the same,  
By the power of the name.  
El Shaddai, El Shaddai,  
Er-Kam Kana Adonai,  
We will praise and lift You high,  
El Shaddai.*

Through Your love and through the ram,  
You saved the son of Abraham,  
Through the power of Your hand  
You turned the sea into dry land.

To the outcast on her knees  
You were the God who really sees,  
And by Your might You set Your children free  
*Chorus*

Through the years You made it clear  
That the time of Christ was near,  
Though the people could not see  
What Messiah ought to be  
Though Your Word contained the plan  
They just could not understand  
Your most awesome works was done  
In the frailty of Your Son.  
*Chorus*

ie!

Please stand

### POST COMMUNION BLESSING

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ  
strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

### POST COMMUNION CANTICLE ~ SONG OF SIMEON

Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace,  
Your word has been fulfilled.  
My own eyes have seen the Salvation,  
Which you have prepared in the sight of every people.  
A light to reveal you to the Nations,  
And the glory of your people, Israel.  
Now, Lord, you let your servant go in peace.

### **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

P: Let us pray. We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us through this gift, in faith toward you and fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

### **BLESSING**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

In the Name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

### **CLOSING SONG ~ BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR**

LBW 518

Beautiful Savior,  
King of creation,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Truly I'd love thee,  
truly I'd serve thee,  
light of my soul, my joy, my crown.

Fair is the sunshine,  
fair is the moonlight,  
bright the sparkling stars on high;  
Jesus shines brighter,  
Jesus shines purer  
than all the angels in the sky.

Fair are the meadows,  
fair are the woodlands,  
robed in flow'rs of blooming spring;  
Jesus is fairer,  
Jesus is purer,  
he makes our sorrowing spirit sing.

Beautiful Savior,  
Lord of the nations,  
Son of God and Son of Man!  
Glory and honor,  
praise, adoration,  
now and forevermore be thine!

### **DISMISSAL**

A: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### **POSTLUDE ~ DR. JAEYONG LEE**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **Ride to Worship**

We have a person who lives at Rosewood Assisted Living (about a half mile from the church) who would like a ride to worship on Sunday mornings. If you can help please talk with Pastor Mark or Becky Chambers.

### **Remodeling in the Sanctuary**

As we discussed at our annual meeting, we are planning some remodeling and updating in our worship space. Plans include painting the ceiling, new carpet, a larger cross on the back wall, better lighting. We have a committee that has been working hard on all of this.

We plan to do a lot of the work ourselves. During the month of June, we will plan to worship in the fellowship hall while the remodeling work is being done. We will probably be in the fellowship hall for 3 or 4 Sundays.

This is exciting, thank you to all who are working on this!

### **Thursday Morning Bible Study**

We meet every Thursday morning at 10:00 a.m. and we are currently studying Joshua and Judges. We study new chapters and verses every week, so you are welcome to join at any time. Come and study the Word with us!

If you have any questions about our current study or future studies, please contact Chris Burris at 303-668-6643 or [cburris9031@gmail.com](mailto:cburris9031@gmail.com).

### **New Picture Directory for OSLC**

Jennifer Videtto has volunteered to put a new picture directory together for OSLC. For those members who are happy with the picture in the current directory, let her know and that picture will be used. For members who do not have a picture in the directory OR for those who would like an updated picture utilized, please send a digital picture to Jennifer by **July 4th**. An easy way to send a digital picture is to take one with a smart phone and email to jennifer at [jen.videtto@gmail.com](mailto:jen.videtto@gmail.com)

If you need help generating a digital picture, please let Amy Norris or Jennifer know and a picture will be taken at church after any service in June.

### **Primetimers**

We are doing something a little different than we have done for quite some time. Since the fellowship hall and perhaps several other rooms may be in a disarray due to the redecorating of the sanctuary, we are going to get together for lunch at a restaurant and just enjoy food and fellowship.

We will have lunch at Spring Creek BBQ, located at 5810 S. Broadway at 12 noon on **June 13**, 2019. Mary Thompson has arranged to have a room reserved for us. For those who have not been there, it is cafeteria style. You go through the line to get your food, pay for it, and then proceed to the room. Please let Mary Ferguson know by **June 10**, 2019 whether or not you will be attending. Mary Thompson needs to let the restaurant know the number.

**Watch for further details and/or updates.**

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”. You can RSVP to Mary Ferguson by phone: 903-565-6607 or email: [mkvjhf@aol.com](mailto:mkvjhf@aol.com).

### **Day Camp/VBS – Start Planning Now**

We are going to have a week of Day Camp again this summer. We had so much fun last summer we can't wait to do it again. Lutherhill is again sending over staff to lead it, this is going to be great fun. **The dates for Day Camp will be July 15-19.** The camp itself will meet on Monday through Friday from 9:00 until 3:00. Day Camp is for children age 3 through grade 6.

There will be planning meeting for Day Camp on Sunday morning, **June 9** immediately after worship.

### **Egyptian Coptic Worship**

The Egyptian Coptic congregation that uses our worship space will worship here on Saturday, June 8 begin at 8:30 a.m.

**THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR (JUNE 2—JUNE 9, 2019)**

THIS WEEK'S OFFICE HOURS: OFFICE CLOSED, TUES & WED: 10:00—2:00

*IF YOU HAVE A NEED, PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE @ 903-561-1865*

**SUNDAY—June 2, 2019**

Choir Practice 9:15 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

**THURSDAY**

Bible Study Group 10:00 a.m.  
AA Meeting 12:00 p.m.  
CODA 6:00 p.m.  
ACA 6:00 p.m.

**MONDAY**

No Activities Planned

**FRIDAY**

No Activities Scheduled

**TUESDAY**

Quilters 9:00 a.m.  
AA Meeting 12:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY**

Coptic Service 8:00 a.m.  
AA Meeting 12:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**

No Activities Scheduled

**SUNDAY—June 9, 2019**

Choir 9:15 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

STEWARDSHIP		MAY 26, 2019 WORSHIP	
Monthly Budget	<u>\$ 23,000</u>	Worship Service	
Prior May Donations		Year to Date Average	
Donations on Sunday, May 26			
Donations during the Week			
Cumulative May Donations			
Year to Date Donations			