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

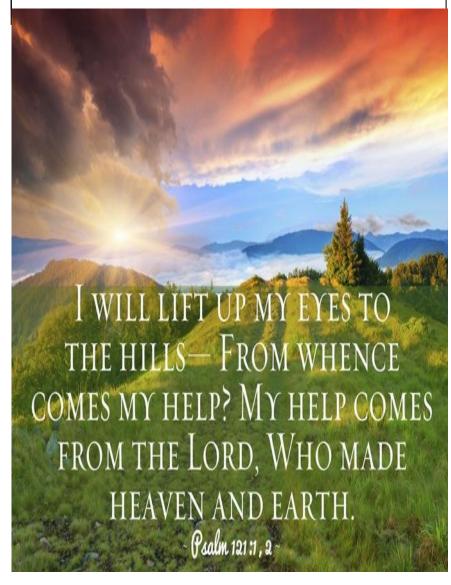
Council President

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.

October 20, 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^{th} grade. We offer a communion class to prepare 5^{th} 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: Connie Gibbs

Ushers: Connie & Terry Gibbs

Acolyte: Grayson Sartor
Reader: Becky Chambers

Communion Assistants: Amy Norris, Jana Coke & Jan Moch

Projectionist: Toby Fite

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST OCTOBER 20, 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 a pew.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please Stand

OPENING HYMN ~ COME TO CALVARY'S HOLY MOUNTAINLBW 301

Come to Calv'ry's holy mountain, sinners, ruined by the fall; here a pure and healing fountain flows to you, to me, to all, in a full perpetual tide, opened when our Savior died.

Come in sorrow and contrition, wounded, impotent, and blind; here the guilty, free remission,

here the troubled peace may find. Health this fountain will restore; those who drink shall thirst no more.

Those who drink shall live forever; 'tis a soul-renewing flood.
God is faithful; God will never break his covenant of blood, signed when our redeemer died, sealed when he was glorified.

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 ~ SUNG

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, P. 81 LBW

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.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Let us pray. O God, our refuge and strength, since you yourself are the author of our devotion, graciously consider the devout prayers of your Church. May those things which we ask in faith effectively follow by your grace; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Please Sit

FIRST READING: GENESIS 32:22-30

²²The same night {Jacob} arose and took his two wives, his two female servants, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. ²³He took them and sent them across the stream, and everything else that he had. ²⁴And Jacob was left alone. And a man wrestled with him until the breaking of the day. ²⁵When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he touched his hip socket, and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. ²⁶Then he said, "Let me go, for the day has broken." But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." ²⁷And he said to him, "What is your name?" And he said, "Jacob." ²⁸Then he said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with men, and have prevailed." ²⁹Then Jacob asked him, "Please tell me your name." But he said, "Why is it that you ask my name?" And there he blessed him. ³⁰So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, "For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life has been delivered."

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 121

¹I lift up my eyes | to the hills;* from where is my | help to come?

²My help comes | from the Lord,* the maker of heav- | en and earth.

³He will not let your | foot be moved* and he who watches over you will not | fall asleep.

⁴Behold, he who keeps watch | over Israel* shall neither slum- | ber nor sleep;

⁵The Lord himself watches | over you;* the Lord is your shade at | your right hand,

⁶So that the sun shall not strike | you by day,* nor the | moon by night.

⁷The Lord shall preserve you | from all evil;* it is he who shall | keep you safe.

The Lord shall watch over your going out and your | coming in, from this time forth for- | evermore.

SECOND READING: 2 TIMOTHY 3:14 - 4:5

¹⁴As for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it ¹⁵and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. ¹⁶All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, ¹⁷that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

¹I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead, and by his appearing and his kingdom: ²preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching. ³For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions, ⁴and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths. ⁵As for you, always be sober-minded, endure suffering, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

R: The Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S SONG ~ I'VE GOT THE JOY, JOY, JOY, JOY

I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy down in my heart
Where?
Down in my heart!
Where?
Down in my heart!
I've got the joy, joy, joy, joy down in my heart
Down in my heart to stay

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Please Stand

GOSPEL VERSE ~ ALLELUIA, LORD, P. 83, LBW

Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

GOSPEL ~ **LUKE** 18:1 - 8

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 18th chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

After the reading:

P: The Gospel of the Lord.
C: Praise to you, O Christ.

<u>Please Sit</u>

SERMON ~ REV. MARK BRAATEN

Please Stand

Hymn Of The Day ~ Seek Ye First The Kingdom of God WOV 783

Seek ye first the kingdom of God And its righteousness, And all these things shall be added Unto you Allelu, alleluia. As and shall be given unto you; Seek and you shall find; Knock and the door shall be opened Unto you. Allelu, alleluia.

(Continued on following page)

We do not live by bread alone, But by eve'ry word That proceeds from the mouth of God Allelu, alleluia.

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

Congregation sings refrain of "Lord, listen to your children praying." WOV 775

Lord, listen to your children praying, Lord, send your spirit in this place; Lord, listen to your children praying, Send us love, send us power, send us grace.

Pastor Mark prays while Jaeyong plays refrain in background Congregation repeats refrain
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PEACE

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

C: And also with you.

<u>Please Sit</u>

OFFERING

Please Stand

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.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

P. 88, LBW

P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them up to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. C: It is right to give him thanks

and praise.

P: It is indeed right and salutary . . . (Here the minister continues with the preface appropriate to the day or session, concluding:)

We praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: Holy, holy, holy Lord,

Lord God of pow'r and might:

Heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

P: In the night in which He was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks, broke it, and gave it to His disciples, saying, 'Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.'

Again, after supper, He took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.'

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup we proclaim the Lord's death until He comes.

C: Christ has died.

Christ has risen.

Christ will come again.

P: Therefore, gracious Father, with this bread and cup we remember the life our Lord offered for us. And, believing the witness of His resurrection, we await His coming in power to share with us the great and promised feast.

C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.

P: Send now, we pray, your Holy Spirit, the spirit of our Lord and of His resurrection, that we who receive the Lord's body and blood may live to the praise of your glory and receive our inheritance with all your saints in light.

C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

<u>Please Sit</u>

DISTRIBUTION

For those who prefer, the center circle of glasses contain grape juice.

Please return your cup in the basket on the aisle.

LAMB OF GOD ~ P. 92, LBW

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace.

COMMUNION SONG #1 ~ JESUS, REMEMBER ME

WOV 740

Jesus, remember me When you come into your kingdom. Jesus, remember me When you come into your kingdom.

COMMUNION SONG #2 ~ SURELY THE PRESENCE/CHRIST BESIDE ME

Surely the presence of the Lord Is in this place; I can feel His mighty power And His grace. I can hear the brush of angels' wings, I see glory on each face; Surely the presence of the Lord Is in this place.

Repeat verse

Christ beside me, Christ before me, Christ behind me King of my heart; Christ within me, Christ below me, Christ above me Never to part.

Surely the presence of the Lord
Is in this place;
I can feel His mighty power
And His grace.
I can hear the brush of angels' wings,
I see glory on each face;
Surely the presence of the Lord
Is in this place.

COMMUNION SONG #3 ~ BECAUSE HE LIVES

God sent His Son, They called Him Jesus; He came to love, heal and forgive. He bled and died to buy my pardon; An empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow.
Because He lives, all fear is gone.
Because I know, he holds the future,
And life is worth the living
Just because He lives.

How sweet to hold our newborn baby, And feel the pride and joy he gives; But greater still the calm assurance; This child can face uncertain days Because Christ lives. Because He lives I can face tomorrow.
Because He lives, all fear is gone.
Because I know He holds the future,
And life is worth the living
Just because He lives.

And then one day, I'll cross that river; I'll fight life's final war with pain.
And then, as death gives way to vict'ry, I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know He reigns.

Because He lives, I can face tomorrow. Because He lives, all fear is gone. Because I know He holds the future, And life is worth the living Just because He lives.

COMMUNION SONG #4 ~ ABOVE ALL

Above all powers, above all kings, Above all nature and all created things, Above all wisdom and all the ways of man,

You were here before the world began. Above all kingdoms, above all thrones, Above all wonders the world has ever known,

Above all wealth and treasures of the earth,

There's no way to measure what you're worth.

Crucified...laid behind a stone, You lived to die...rejected and alone. Like a rose, trampled on the ground, You took the fall And thought of me Above all. Above all powers, above all kings Above all nature and all created things, Above all wisdom and all the ways of man,

You were here before the world began. Above all kingdoms, above all thrones, Above all wonders the world has ever known,

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Please Stand

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 ~ " GLORY TO GOD"

(Sung to the tune of "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee")

Glory be to God in heaven; peace, goodwill to all the earth.

Mighty God of all creation, Father of surpassing worth;

We exalt you, we adore you, we lift high our thanks and praise;

Saints and angels bow before you; here on earth our songs we raise.

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 in 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 ~ ON OUR WAY REJOICING

LBW 260

On our way rejoicing gladly let us go.
Christ our Lord has conquered; vanquished is the foe.
Christ without, our safety;
Christ within, our joy;
who, if we be faithful, can our hope destroy?

Refrain
On our way rejoicing;
as we forward move,

hearken to our praises, O blest God of love!

Unto God the Father joyful songs we sing; unto God the Savior thankful hearts we bring; unto God the Spirit bow we and adore, on our way rejoicing now and evermore.

Refrain

DISMISSAL

A: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

DR. JAEYONG LEE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A Busy Weekend

Just a note for your planning, the final weekend of October is going to be busy here at OSLC! On Sunday, October 26 we have our Oktoberfest. And on Sunday, October 27 we will celebrate the conformation of 3 of our young people during worship. We look forward to a special weekend!

Oktoberfest 2019

Mark your calendars for Our Saviour's Lutheran Church annual Oktoberfest on October 26, 2019, from 3:00-8:00 PM. We will be serving a meal of Brats, Sauerkraut, and German Potato Salad. We will be serving Hot Dogs and chips for the kids. The meal will come with a drink of your choice of water or soda. The meal is provided for free, but we will be taking donations. We will also be serving an assortment of beer for a donation. All adults who would like a beer must bring an ID and get stamped. We are going to have a lot of activities for adults and children. We will have a DJ that will play music and the Polka dancers will perform. If you are interested in learning how to Polka Dance, we will be having lessons on Monday nights at 6:00 PM. There will also be bounce houses, cake walk, Weiner dog races, costume contests, bingo, face painting, and pony rides. We will also have vendors that will be selling a variety of items. This is a fun event for members, family, and friends. If you would like to volunteer please sign up at the table in the Narthex. We are also asking the congregation to bring water, Coke, Dr. Pepper, Sprite/7UP, Diet Coke and assorted chips. Please place items on the table near the kitchen. We are looking forward to a fun night of fellowship.

Adult Sunday School - Revelation

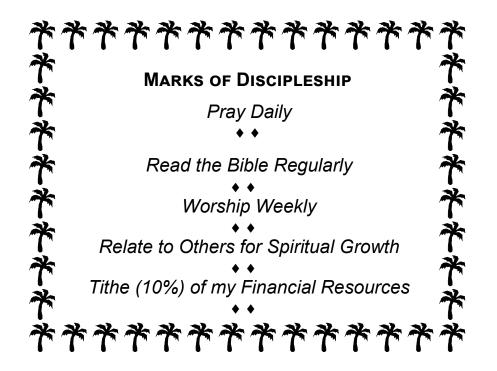
Our Adult Sunday school class is studying the book of Revelation. Come join us in the fellowship hall on Sunday mornings at 9:00.

Thursday Morning Bible Study

We are studying "The Gospel According to Mark." Everyone is welcome to join us on Thursday mornings at 10:00! Contact Chris Burris for more information.

Save the Date

Mark your calendar for our next Primetimers—November 14 at noon!!



THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR (OCTOBER 20—OCTOBER 27, 2019)

THIS WEEK'S OFFICE HOURS: TUES. & WED. 9:30-2:30

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

11:00 a.m.

SUNDAY—Oct., 20, 2018

Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
Choir Practice	9:15 a.m.
Worship Service	10:00 a.m.

FRIDAY

No Activities Scheduled

MONDAY

Youth

No Activities Scheduled

SATURDAY

THURSDAY

CODA

Bible Study

ACA Meeting

Oktoberfest



3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

Quilters 9:00 a.m. Social Ministry 11:30 a.m.

Social Ministry 11:3

No Activities Scheduled

SUNDAY—Oct. 27, 2018

Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study	9:00 a.m.
Choir Practice	9:15 a.m.
Worship Service	10:00 a.m.
Youth	11:00 a.m.

STEWARDSHIP	OCTOBER 13, 2019 WORSHIP		
Monthly Budget	<u>\$ 23,000</u>		
Prior October Offerings	\$ 5,211	Worship Service	108
Offerings on Sunday, Oct. 13	<u>3,337</u>	Year to Date Average	124
Cumulative October Offerings	<u>\$ 8,548</u>		
Year to Date Offerings	<u>\$209,095</u>		