

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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*Bringing Christ to the
people and the
people to Christ.*

We are a community of
faith, formed in the grace
and joy of Jesus Christ.

We are a people involved in
God's sure and unfolding
promise to mend His
creation through the life,
death and resurrection of
His Son, and in the power
of the Holy Spirit.

We are a church under the
cross of Christ, shaped by
the ancient rhythms of
Christian worship,
fellowship, and service
to others.

Come share the joy!

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FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT (C)

MARCH 6, 2022 • 10:00 A.M.



To Our Members, Guests and Visitors

We are all on a journey of faith; God does not expect us to make the journey alone.

Please contact us if we can be of help in any way.

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Our Office Hours are Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

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Prelude - Dr. Jaeyong Lee

Welcome and Family News

- It is a pleasure to worship together. If you are a newcomer, have a prayer request, or would like to receive a call or visit from Pastor Martin, please fill out the yellow card on the back of each pew. Information on our core beliefs, structure and mission is available at the Welcome Table and on our website.
- We practice open communion. All who are baptized and desire to share in the Body and Blood of our Lord are welcome. We begin communing children in 5th grade and offer a communion class to prepare them to receive this Sacrament.

CHILDREN'S SONG ~ "THE B-I-B-L-E"

The B-I-B-L-E
Yes, that's the book for me
I stand alone on the Word of God
The B-I-B-L-E

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Once again you will have compassion on us. You will trample our sins under your feet and throw them into the depths of the ocean! (MICAH 7:19 NLT)

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

PROCESSIONAL HYMN ~ "CHILDREN OF THE HEAVENLY FATHER" (LBW, #474, vs 1-3)

Children of the heavenly Father	From all evil things He spares them
Safely in His bosom gather	In His mighty arms He bears them
Nestling bird nor star in heaven	Neither life nor death shall ever
Such a refuge e'er was given	From the Lord His children sever
God His own doth tend and nourish	Unto them His grace He showeth
In His holy courts they flourish	And their sorrows all He knoweth

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

As the Pastor says the Invocation, the Sign of the Cross ✠ may be made in remembrance of our baptisms.

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

C: Amen

P: The true light has come into the world in the Word made flesh. Let us bring our sin into the light of God, that we may be healed.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

P: God of our salvation,

C: We have failed to respond to your life-giving Spirit in our relationships with you, with one another, and with your creation. Have mercy for the sake of Jesus, your gift to us. Forgive us by grace, renew us in love, and lead us with joy so that we may bear your peace to all the earth.

P: Blessed be God who chose you in Christ! God forgives all your trespasses; in Christ you are children of the Most High, you are marked with the seal of the Holy Spirit, that you may live to the glory of God.

C: Amen

APOSTOLIC GREETING

P: From the one who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty: grace, light, and peace 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 P. 81)

This is the feast of victory for our God. Sing with all the people of God and
Alleluia. join in the hymn of all creation:

Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was Blessing and honor and glory and
slain, whose blood set us free to be might be to God and the Lamb
people of God. forever. Amen

Power and riches and wisdom and This is the feast of victory for our God,
strength and honor and blessing for the Lamb who was slain has
and glory are His. begun his reign.

This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia. Alleluia.
Alleluia.

Prayer of the Day

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Almighty God, whose blessed Son was led by the Spirit to be tempted by Satan: Come quickly to help us who are assaulted by many temptations; and, as you know the weaknesses of each of us, let each one find you mighty to save; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen. (BOC)

C: Amen

Please be seated

The Service Of The Word

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

DEUTERONOMY 26:1-11

R: ¹{Moses said to the Israelites,} “When you come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you for an inheritance and have taken possession of it and live in it, ²you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from your land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket, and you shall go to the place that the Lord your God will choose, to make his name to dwell there. ³And you shall go to the priest who is in office at that time and say to him, ‘I declare today to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our fathers to give us.’ ⁴Then the priest shall take the basket from your hand and set it down before the altar of the Lord your God. ⁵And you shall make response before the Lord your God, ‘A wandering Aramean was my father. And he went down into Egypt and sojourned there, few in number, and there he became a nation, great, mighty, and populous. ⁶And the Egyptians treated us harshly and humiliated us and laid on us hard labor. ⁷Then we cried to the Lord, the God of our fathers, and the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. ⁸And the Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with great deeds of terror, with signs and wonders. ⁹And he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. ¹⁰And behold, now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground, which you, O Lord, have given me.’ And you shall set it down before the Lord your God and worship before the Lord your God. ¹¹And you shall rejoice in all the good that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house, you, and the Levite, and the sojourner who is among you.”

R: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God!

PSALMODY

PSALM 91:1-13

R: ¹He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High, abides under the shadow of the Almighty.

C: ²He shall say to the Lord, “You are my refuge and my stronghold, my God in whom I put my trust.”

R: ³He shall deliver you from the snare of the hunter and from the deadly pestilence.

C: ⁴He shall cover you with his pinions, and you shall find refuge under his wings; his faithfulness shall be a shield and buckler.

- R: ⁵You shall not be afraid of any terror by night, nor of the arrow that flies by day;
- C: ⁶**Of the plague that stalks in the darkness, nor of the sickness that lays waste at midday.**
- R: ⁷A thousand shall fall at your side and ten thousand at your right hand, but it shall not come near you.
- C: ⁸**Your eyes have only to behold to see the reward of the wicked.**
- R: ⁹Because you have made the Lord your refuge, and the Most High your habitation,
- C: ¹⁰**There shall no evil happen to you, neither shall any plague come near your dwelling.**
- R: ¹¹For he shall give his angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways.
- C: ¹²**They shall bear you in their hands, lest you dash your foot against a stone.**
- R: ¹³You shall tread upon the lion and adder; you shall trample the young lion and the serpent under your feet.

EPISTLE READING

ROMANS 10:8b-13

- R: ^{8b}“The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart” (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved. ¹¹For the Scripture says, “Everyone who believes in him will not be put to shame.” ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same Lord is Lord of all, bestowing his riches on all who call on him. ¹³For “everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”
- C: **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL CANTICLE ~ “O SACRED HEAD NOW WOUNDED” (*LBW #117, vs 1*)

O sacred head, now wounded With grief and shame weighed down.
 Now scornfully surrounded With thorns, thine only crown;
 O sacred head, what glory, What bliss till now was thine!
 Yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call thee mine.

THE HOLY GOSPEL

- P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 4th Chapter.
- C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

LUKE 4:1-13

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

Please be seated

SERMON ~ PASTOR MARTIN MOORE

One Little Word Subdues Him

“For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin” (Hebrews 4:15)

Please stand (in body or in spirit)

HYMN OF THE DAY ~ “A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD” ~ (LBW #229, vs 1-3)

A mighty fortress is our God,
A sword and shield victorious;
He breaks the cruel oppressor’s rod
And wins salvation glorious.

The old satanic foe
Has sworn to work us woe!
With craft and dreadful might
He arms himself to fight.
On earth he has no equal.

No strength of ours can match his might!
We would be lost, rejected.
But now a champion comes to fight,
Whom God himself elected.
You ask who this may be?

The Lord of hosts is he!
Christ Jesus, mighty Lord,
God’s only Son, adored.
He holds the field victorious.

Though hordes of devils fill the land
all threat’ning to devour us,
we tremble not, unmoved we stand;
they cannot over pow’r us.
Let this world’s tyrant rage;
in battle we’ll engage!
His might is doomed to fail;
God’s judgment must prevail!
One little word subdues him.

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 OF THE CHURCH

P: Confident in God's steadfast love through Jesus Christ and guided by the Holy Spirit, 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:

P: 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**

Please be seated

OFFERING

SPECIAL MUSIC

INSTRUMENTAL WITH MICHAEL GRINNELL AND DR. JAEYONG LEE

Please stand and remain standing for the Sharing of the Peace and The Great Thanksgiving

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

POST OFFERTORY PRAYER

P: Let us pray. Merciful Father,

C: **We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us—our vocations, our time, our possessions—all signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

The Holy Meal

We come to the table at the gracious invitation of the Lord, receiving the body and blood of Christ for the forgiveness of our sins. So come to this table—you who have much faith, and you who would like to have more; you who have been to the Sacraments often, and you who have not been in a long time; you who have tried to follow Jesus in the world, and you who have failed—come. It is Christ who invites us to meet Him here. Adults and children not receiving communion are welcome to come forward for a blessing.

THE SHARING OF THE PEACE

(PLEASE SOCIAL DISTANCE)

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

C: And also with you.

Please remain standing

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: You call your people to repent of sin and prepare for the joy of the paschal feast. Renew us in faith and holiness, and bring us into the fullness of your grace and truth that belongs to the children of God. Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all of the company of heaven, we laud and magnify Your glorious name; evermore praising You and saying:

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: 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: 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

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, grant us peace.

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.'

Please be seated

DISTRIBUTION & COMMUNION HYMNS

"COME, LET US EAT" (LBW #214)

Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread,
Come, let us eat, for now the feast is spread.
Our Lord's body let us take together,
Our Lord's body let us take together.

In his presence now we meet and rest,
In his presence now we meet and rest,
In the presence of our Lord we gather,
In the presence of our Lord we gather.

Come, let us drink, for now the wine is
poured,
Come, let us drink, for now the wine is
poured.
Jesus' blood poured let us drink together,
Jesus' blood poured let us drink together.

Rise, then, to spread abroad God's
mighty Word,
Rise, then, to spread abroad God's
mighty Word,
Jesus risen will bring in the kingdom,
Jesus risen will bring in the kingdom.

"SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT"

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place
And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord.
There are sweet expressions on each face
And I know they feel the presence of the
Lord.

Chorus

*Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove
Stay right here with us, Filling us with Your
love And for these blessings, We lift our
hearts in praise. Without a doubt we'll know,
That we have been revived
When we shall leave this place.*

There are blessings you cannot receive
Till you know Him in His fullness and
Believe you're the one to profit when
you say you can make it right. If you
will yield, you'll enjoy the Holy Spirit
that we feel.

Chorus

If you say He saved you from your sin
Now You're weak you're bound and
cannot enter in. You can make it right if
you will yield, you'll enjoy the Holy
Spirit that we feel.

Chorus

“JESU, JESU (WOV #765)

<i>Chorus:</i> <i>Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,</i> <i>Show us how to serve</i> <i>The neighbors we have from you.</i>	Neighbors are wealthy and poor, Varied in color and race, Neighbors are near-by and far away. <i>Chorus</i>
Kneels at the feet of his friends, Silently washes their feet, Master who pours out himself for them. <i>Chorus</i>	These are the ones we will serve, These are the ones we will love; All these are neighbors to us and you. <i>Chorus</i>

“THE HEART OF WORSHIP”

When the music fades, all is stripped away, and I simply come; Longing just to bring something that’s of worth that will bless your heart. I’ll bring you more than a song, for a song in itself is not what You have required. You search much deeper within though the way things appear; you’re looking into my heart.

Chorus:
I’m coming back to the heart of worship, And it’s all about You, All about You, Jesus.
I’m sorry, Lord, for the thing I’ve made it, When it’s all about You, All about You, Jesus.

King of endless worth, no one could express how much You deserve. Though I’m weak and poor, all I have is Yours, Ev’ry single breath. I’ll bring you more than a song, For a song in itself is not what You have required. You search much deeper within though the way things appear; You’re looking into my heart.

Chorus

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” (TO THE TUNE OF ODE TO JOY)

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

NEW MEMBER RECEPTION

BENEDICTION ~ (P. 95 LBW)

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 HYMN ~ ""A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD" ~ (LBW #229, vs 1&4)

A mighty fortress is our God,

A sword and shield victorious;

He breaks the cruel oppressor's rod

And wins salvation glorious.

The old satanic foe

Has sworn to work us woe!

With craft and dreadful might

He arms himself to fight.

On earth he has no equal.

God's Word forever shall abide,

No thanks to foes, who fear it;

For God himself fights by our side

With weapons of the Spirit.

Were they to take our house,

Goods, honor, child, or spouse,

Though life be wrenched away,

They cannot win the day.

The kingdom's ours forever!

DISMISSAL

P: The Lord be with you! Go and serve in Jesus' name.

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Spring Break

No Sunday School during Spring Break.. March 13th-20th.

Volunteer Opportunity.. Sunday School Curriculum

We will be reviewing and ordering curriculum for the 2022-2023 Sunday School year this coming June. If interested in joining this committee (approx. 3 meetings) please contact Carmen Nazario at 972-533-9935.

Save The Date! VBS

Our Vacation Bible School will be held July 3rd-8th!

Luther Hill Summer Camp

Children wanting to attend summer camp at Luther Hill, please call Carmen Nazario at 972-533-9935. To get the week we want, we have to act quickly to choose from the following dates: June 12-17, June 19-24, July 17-22, or July 24-29. Let Carmen know which date is best for you. Interested in escorting the students to camp? Please let Carmen know.

NALC Disaster Relief Donations Request

We are asking for donations of bath towels. They do not need to be new, just gently used. We also need combs, toothpaste, deodorant, and floss. Please place these items on the table in the Fellowship Hall. The plan is to make hygiene bags with Prime Timers in May. Thank you for all of your support. A special thanks to the Social Ministry who bought 192 nylon backpacks, which are perfect for the hygiene kits.

Our Worship Servants This Morning:

Greeter:	Jenny Videtto
Acolyte:	Ean Hollenbeck
Ushers:	Cliff and Sally Dengerud
Cantor:	Blaine Davis
Reader:	Roger Stai
Communion Assistant:	Jan Moch
Projectionist:	Toby Fite

Upcoming Events at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church (Mar 7-13)

Monday:	Bible Study	6:15 p.m.
Tuesday:	Quilters	9:00 a.m.
Wednesday:	Embroiderers Guild	9:30 a.m.
	Meal	5:30 p.m.
	Lenten Service	6:30 p.m.
Thursday:	Bible Study (Engaging God's Word)	10:00 a.m.
	Prime Timers (At Spring Creek BBQ)	11:30 a.m.
	CODA	6:00 p.m.
Saturday:	Altar Guild Team #2	
Sunday:	No Sunday School	
	Choir Practice	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:00 a.m.
	Council Meeting	11:15 a.m.

Stewardship

Average Monthly Expenses:	\$ 23,740
Prior February Offerings:	\$ 18,260
Offerings on February 27th	\$ 9,184
Other Weekly Offerings	<u>\$ 1,269</u>
Total Weekly Offerings	\$ 10,453
2022 Offering to Date	\$ 57,990

February 27, 2022

Attendance Last Week	95
2022 Average Attendance	91

OSLC Reception of New Members

P: *Carissa Ellis please stand.*

By your baptism you were made one in the Body of Christ, the church. Today we rejoice in the journey of faith which has brought you to this time and place. We give thanks for every community of faith that has been your spiritual home, and we celebrate your presence in this Christian family. Through prayer and study, you have been led by the Holy Spirit to join with OSLC in service to Jesus Christ, using the gifts which the Holy Spirit bestows. Weekly we all profess our faith using the words of the Apostle's Creed. As members of OSLC, will you be faithful to those ancient words?

Respond: **With God's help, I will.**

P: Do you intend to continue to grow in your spiritual life by hearing God's Word and sharing in His holy supper?

Respond: **With God's help, I will.**

P: Will you challenge us to live up to the things we say we believe?

Respond: **With God's help, I will.**

P: Do you promise to be of service to this congregation, as you are called as a beloved child of God and led by the Holy Spirit?

Respond: **With God's help, I will.**

P: *Let us pray.* We thank you, Lord, for this new member. By Your life-giving power, bind us together that we may live in the Spirit, building one another up in love, sharing in the life and worship of the church, and serving the world. We pray that You would continue to send your Holy Spirit to guide the decisions that are made for this church. And we pray that all will be done to Your glory and in Your name. All this we ask through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord. **Amen**

Congregation's Response:

We welcome you into the family of Our Saviour's Lutheran Church. We receive you as a fellow member of the body of Christ, a child of the same Heavenly Father, and a worker with us in God's kingdom.

Please add to your directory:

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Carissa Ellis

Carissa turned 18 years old on March 3rd. She's lived in Tyler for 11 years. She enjoys reading, painting, and helping others. She has worked in construction for a couple years and has babysat for 4 years. Carissa will be starting work this week at Brookshire's in the Bakery. She's been coming to Our Saviour's for 4 years now. "I've met so many great and wonderful people and I'm glad to be here."