



Weekly NEWS

YOU are Our Savior Lutheran Church in 2024!

June 2nd

Members Voting Meetings...June 9th 11AM after UNITY service — Voting Members please plan to be here and participate.

Members make a pledge to “**be the church**” together... to gather and grow in God’s Word, to support each others walk, to aid children in the instruction of the Good News, and to be part of the agencies that carry out ministries. Please pray for all those who have made a pledge to be Our Savior Lutheran Church together... praying that God uses us well...

...to impact the world around us with HIS blessings.

At the Voters Meeting we’ll on a budget for the year ahead and for vacancies in leadership positions

UNITY services
begin June 9th, 9:30AM

Adult Ed Faith Discussions—New Series for 2024-25

COEXIST? *A series on “other” religions -This is an ongoing series throughout the next year looking at different “religions” to help our discussions with others as disciple of Jesus. Session #1 is a 3 week look at Mormonism during adult ed hour.*

Session #1 What is Mormonism?: The Church of Jesus Christ—Latter Day Saints
***after worship June 23rd, 30th, and July 7th .**

We’ll use clips from a video series to learn more about “LDS” and launch discussions about the art of living as a disciple of Jesus if having conversations on this topic with others. We’ll have coffee, refreshments, and your faith-life discussions as we learn together.

“Navajo Nation Mission Trip” is July 1-8th.

Find out more how YOU might “Serve On” or “partner support” a Mission Trip!

We’ll be doing VBS HOME REPAIRS ... MEALS

Connect with Frank or the office if you have interest in joining the adventure in person. You can also partner by helping fund parts of the mission.

For details contact Frank Sienkiewicz. f.sienkiewicz@aol.com.





The Music Corner

June 2nd

Wendy Betts' last Sunday for a few months will be June 16, at which time the choir will present several special pieces to embolden our worship experience.

Thankfully, our Praise Team members and Ryan Machain at the organ will capably lead Unity service worship during the summer months and into the fall as Wendy recuperates from shoulder surgery. God's great gift of music is a beautiful, unique calling, requiring much disciplined study and diligent practice and compassionate directing from all our committed music servants. Praise be to Jesus for the gifts He has given each of us to serve Him!

We Lutherans can truly appreciate the crucial part of music in helping enhance, elevate, comprehend, and support our God's Word in scripture and sermon every week. Just read Martin Luther's comments on the subject! He insisted that the laity support and enjoy the worship experience through their part in reading scripture, singing hymns, songs, and psalms! Sing on, pray on, glorify Jesus every Sunday!! And please invite our talented young people whenever possible to help us share God's magnificent gift of music!

You are invited to attend the Betts Studio youth recital at 2:30 June 16 - St. Paul Lutheran Church in Gloucester. Come hear our own gifted young people - Lydia Betts, piano, and Sophie Gustafson, vocalist. You will be most certainly delighted with their God-given talents!!

Wendy Betts Director of Music

Baptisms are a JOY for the whole church! Today **Olive and Callum Dube** are baptized at the 8:15 worship and on June 30th **Colton and Sawyer Perry** join the family of faith. Please keep parents *Matthew and Alison Dube* and *Troy and Hannah Perry* in prayer as they share the Good News with another generation of faith.

Being Stewards

Watch the pennies and the dollar will take care of themselves. -Benjamin Franklin

Here some communication about "stewardship" as we try to match our resources to our ministry efforts

1. We do have "fellowship" costs in our budget (but much of the ministry is direct donations) if you'd like to contribute directly to coffee funds look for a donation box for **Coffee Hour to help that ministry.**
2. Some direct donation opportunities for the office! We'd like to have a **paper shredder** that shreds more than a couple copies at a time. We'd like to have a **new color copier.** (See Diane for more particulars)
3. **Freezer Friends (FF)** just a reminder that this is a stand-alone ministry that does not affect the budget. However, it is dependent on donations. Look for the DONATION BOX on the front of the Freezer Friends door in the Loft.

Summer Opportunities



Your Summer Plans! Our MegaArts and Sport Camp is August 6-9th!

A VOLUNTEER Opportunity! YOU can help- see kiosk!

HOW: We can use any amount of help that you can give! Possibly you can do one full day... or two mornings... etc.

WHAT: Whatever matches you! Maybe you can help with kids, maybe it's behind the scenes, maybe it's holding the door and saying hi to parents as they come to our church. We're looking to fill slots of group counselors, assistants counselors, and helpers at various stations./ sessions.

Some sessions are "arts" and some are sports/activities so there is a variety of involvement. Please ask any teens you know that might work that week!

WHY: This is an outreach connection that directly ties our church home into the community. People come into our space... kids hear about Jesus... and we try and make relationships with our neighbors. This is a **HUGE OPPORTUNITY** for all of us as a church home. Contact Kerry.... kerrytrunfio@oslcma.com

Spread the word! We need a **CAMP NURSE** (can be EMT, Dr. PA... etc.) paid or volunteer... ask around!



Upcoming dates:

6/3 Mondays... Cheer on OSLC Softball (see website church calendar for address)

6/9 Summer 9:30AM UNITY services begin

6/9 Annual Voters Meeting 11AM

6/23, 30, 7/7 What is Mormonism? Adult Ed 11AM

7/1-8 Mission Trip to Navajo Nation, Arizona (see P. 1)


Fellowship and Faith opportunities this summer!

Intersection of Church and State *these are Food, Fellowship, and Discussion events for fun and talking through the art of living out our Christian walk. PLAN AHEAD!* This is the SAME event given two opportunities to attend. We'll use clips from a Lutheran Hour Ministries series and discuss the walk of being citizens and disciples.

DINNER and DISCUSSION: Fri July 12th 6:30—8:30 pm We'll start supper at 6:30 and use a video series to launch discussion time on applying our Christian faith at the interesting Intersection of Church and State. How do we interact as disciples...? Come... discuss.

BAGELS and BIBLE: July 13th 8:30—10:30am a Saturday morning breakfast, video, and discussion Gathering. We'll have coffee and continental breakfast going for an 8:30 start and use a video series to launch discussion time on applying our Christian faith at the Intersection of Church and State.


Serving	June 2nd 8:15AM	June 9th 9:30AM UNITY
Announcements	Kerry Trunfio	Levi Kisbaugh
Coffee Set Up Coffee Clean Up	Barbara Machain	Cliff Petersohn John Herth
Altar Care Set Up	Janice LeBlanc	Janice LeBlanc
Communion Servers	N/A	N/A
Media Audio Media Advance Slides	Levi Kishbaugh	Jessie Anderson Lydia Betts
Reader	Renate Uhlig	Gwen Oien
Ushers	Cliff Petersohn Joe Reale	Adam Bonnette John Herth

Kids Connection	6/2 9:30AM Year End PARTY!	
Pre K—K 9:30AM	All teachers	
Elementary 9:30AM	All teachers	

About CCB
 (There is a link to CCB right on our website home page)
If ever you cannot serve.
*Please click email "ACCEPT"; then follow prompts to **FIND A REPLACEMENT.***

When this request for a replacement is sent out by CCB, it will appear as a personal note from you and goes to all who serve on that particular team.
Thank you for serving!

***Note: If you "decline" it won't get communicated to others that a replacement is needed.**



Serving	June 2nd 10:30
Announcements	Kerry Trunfio
Coffee Clean Up	Val Melin
Altar Care Clean Up	Ann Nollet
Communion Servers	Diane & John Herth
Media Audio Media Advance Slides	Joel Trunfio David Howe
Reader	
Ushers	Frank Sienkiewicz & Steve Howe



**Looking for summer fun?
 Sign your kids up for MEGA CAMP!**

