

**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Thanksgiving Worship** 11/26 at 6:30 p.m (Nov 30th 8:15 and 10:30m Worship.... A Family Life fellowship event at the 9:30 Education Hour)  
**Midweek Connect**– 12/3, 12/10 at 5:45/ Supper, Growth, and Fellowship!  
**Parent Morning Out** 12/6 10 :00 a.m to 2:00 p.m  
**Unity Service**– 12/14 at 9:30 Join us for Noel Cantata Performance including our Kids Connection Pageant  
**Christmas Eve Worship** 4:00 p.m Contemporary and 6:00 p.m Traditional

| Nov 23rd             | 8:15                                           | 10:30                                          |
|----------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|
| Announce-ments       | Pastor Joe                                     | Pastor Joe                                     |
| Coffee Ministry      | Cliff Petersohn                                | Ann Nollet                                     |
| Altar Care           | N/A                                            | N/A                                            |
| Communion Assistants | N/A                                            | N/A                                            |
| Audio                | N/A                                            | Joel Trunfio                                   |
| PowerPoint           | Sam Gustafson                                  | Svea Howe                                      |
| Reader               | Audi Souza                                     | Peggy Hothem                                   |
| Ushers               | Gary Terhune<br>Arthur Leblanc<br>Buzz Gancarz | Charlie Ciulla<br>Steve Howe<br>Dawn Jorgensen |

| Kids Connection November 23rd | Pre-K          | Elemen-tary |
|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Teacher                       | Richie Minozzi | Brian Wells |
| Assistant                     | Janice Leblanc | Ann Nollet  |

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| Announce-ments       | Pastor Joe                       | Pastor Joe Nollet                            |
| Coffee Ministry      | Connie Hashem                    | Ann Nollet                                   |
| Altar Care           | Ann Nollet                       | Janice Leblanc                               |
| Communion Assistants | Gary Terhune<br>Judy Terhune     | Frank Sienkiewicz                            |
| Audio                | N/A                              | Bob Mogavero                                 |
| PowerPoint           | Lydia Betts                      | Svea Howe                                    |
| Reader               | Renate Uhlig                     | Kerry Trunfio                                |
| Ushers               | Adam Bonnette<br>Cliff Petersohn | Charlie Ciulla<br>Glenn Miller<br>Steve King |

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# Weekly News

Being Disciples of Jesus Christ  
Growing in Faith, Love, Service, and Numbers

Nov 23rd

## Plan Ahead—MIDWEEK CONNECT for Advent

**2 Nights in Advent...** Join us for a prepared hot meal, some fellowship with your church family, and then right into a time of learning for all ages.

This is an Advent opportunity. Please plan ahead. It’s a very user-friendly timeframe to come and eat, and do something special for Advent  
**The 1st two Wednesday nights in Advent Dec 3rd and Dec 10th**  
*\_(Christmas Eve is a Wed and the week before Christmas gets very busy for everyone)\_*

**5:45—6:15 Supper** *(get here when you can)*  
**6:15 –6:55 An Advent Lesson** *(something for all ages)*  
**6:55 Closing Prayer** *(In the car by 7pm)*

**The Adult Advent Lesson:**  
In the Bible... what is the 8th day... what does the 8th day mean for you? How does it compare to the 7th day?  
The main story of Scripture is not about “going off to heaven” somewhere... what does the term “Advent” have to do with the end of Scriptures big story? What does the term New Creation mean for day to day life?

## THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP

**Wednesday 11/26 at 6:30 p.m**  
An opportunity for worship together as a church family.  
We have so much to be thankful for!  
If you can “Serve” in one of the Worship Roles please sign up on the kiosk.

**Sermon Series: Flourish! Life to the Full... with CHRIST**  
*Today and Wednesday night the focus is on how Thankfulness and Gratitude impact our lives*

**411 Cares - Annual Winter Gear Drive**

Please help our local veterans, elders, homeless individuals, families, and children in need by donating NEW or GENTLY USED, clean winter gear now through 2/1/2026.

There is a collection box in the narthex

**Men's, Women's & Children's:**

- ~ Coats ~ Mittens
- ~ Hats ~ Scarves
- ~ Gloves ~ Socks

Monetary donations can also be given to Tammy who would be happy to shop for the most needed items.




**Starting Next Week**  
Look for the “blue”  
clothing donation box  
in the lobby



### Job posted for Scheduling Coordinator

Our Savior is in the process of searching for a part-time Scheduling Coordinator to create, manage, and maintain the CCB schedule for all our Sunday morning worship Ministry Teams. Check out the Job Description posted on the Kiosk in the Lobby

## Family Life Ministry Upcoming Event

Our Savior's Family Life Ministry is hosting a “**Parents Morning Out**” event for busy parents of young children in our community. This will be a great opportunity to connect with families in our area! If you're interested in serving at this event please sign up at the Kiosk in the Narthex. Please reach out to Kerry at [Kerrytrunfio@oslcma.com](mailto:Kerrytrunfio@oslcma.com) with any questions!

**PARENTS' MORNING OUT**

DO YOU NEED A FEW HOURS TO YOURSELF TO SHOP, WRAP, OR NAP THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON?  
LET OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH HELP!

Children aged 3 through sixth grade are invited for a fun and interactive morning celebrating the Christmas season!

Drop off your children for a few hours of games, crafts, and more! A pizza lunch will be provided.

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6**  
**10:00 A.M. - 2:00**

SIGN UP AT  
[WWW.OSLCMA.COM](http://WWW.OSLCMA.COM)

## Ministry Tid-Bits

**Cantata Rehearsals** are going boisterously forward with our kiddos in Kid Connection - and their teachers! The 19 voice choir meets on Saturdays November 22m December 6 and 13, from 9:30-noon. Instrumental practice is December 6 at 12-1:00. *Wendy*

**Not a Book Club**– Every other Tuesday from 6:30– 7:30 on Zoom! The next one will take place on December 2nd. Reach out to Kerry or Pastor Joe for details. Articles and ZOOM link on the web site the week before.

### Thanks to ...

**Care-N-Connections** ministry for visiting and calling parishioners.

**Card and Prayer Ministry** for faithfully meeting each month for their ministry  
To all who represented Our Savior Lutheran Church for an hour of prayer in this weeks **Prayer Vigil**

**Borrowed Luggage used for Madagascar is in the Library** *please take home*



**Thank you!**

**217 Shoeboxes were dropped off to Operation Christmas Child this past week from Our Savior Lutheran Church !**



**Our Senior Ministry** have chosen the name "OWLS" as an acronym for Older, Wiser, Lutheran Seniors! Twenty-five seniors enjoyed our first seasonal luncheon a few Sundays ago. We look forward to enjoying more luncheons, activities, speakers, and service projects in 2026. There will be a variety of focus for this ministry... watch for upcoming events!

If you have any questions about the OWLS please speak with or text Connie Hashem (508-326-2371).