

SAVE THE DATE

01-22 Thurs Arthurs Bible Study Group
01/25 9:30 Communion Prep class with Pastor
01/30- 02/01 Winter Camp for Middle and High school Students
02-18 Ash Wednesday

Jan 18th	8:15	10:30
Announcements	Audi Souza	Kerry Trunfio
Coffee Ministry	Gail Sullivan	Ann Nollet
Altar Care	Kathy Kishbaugh	Diane White Cerda
Communion Assistants	Gary and Judy Terhune	Lars Anderson
Audio	N/A	Joel Trunfio
PowerPoint	Bob Uhlig	Micah Shaffer
Reader	Renate Uhlig	Peggy Hothem
Ushers	Levi Kishbaugh Hank Betts Cliff Petersohn	Charlie Ciulla Steve King Ed Melin

Thanks... To Lori and Doug Machain for folding bulletins each week **To** Steve King for cleaning up the used bulletins and picking through the recycling of bulletin covers. **To** Lars Anderson for picking wording for the street sign and changing the message each week

Please Review the Giving part of your walk as a disciple have you relooked at what your direct deposit is? Have you adjusted to match the new year? Have you relooked at annual dispersements? "Giving" is one significant part of our stewardship walk of how we handle our schedule, our skills, and our stuff



Weekly News

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

Jan 18th

Youth: -

WINTER CAMP

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS!

When: Jan 30th- Feb 1st

Where: Singing Hills Retreat Center in Plainfield, NH.

See Kerry for more info!



This is a special weekend of having Christian discussions, looking at God's Word together, sledding in the snow, and having fellowship, games, and fun with other believers. *Winter Camp is a great opportunity that many churches aren't able to provide. Let's keep this whole Youth ministry adventure in prayer. Youth are important to us!*

Family Life:

Kerry has formed a Family Life Committee and will be meeting this month to discuss and plan the efforts and adventures of this ministry. There are goals to find more user-friendly ways to support families at home in their walk as disciples and to further develop our plan for that from cradle to college.

OWLS Our Winter "Senior Luncheon" is February 8th at 12:00.

Our own Peter & Audi will be entertaining us with their sea shanties and much more! If you would like to join in the fun please **sign up on the church kiosk**. Also, if you would be interested in donating a salad or dessert for the meal put a D after your name for dessert or a S for salad. No food contributions necessary ... just come for the fun! Thanks! Any questions call or text Connie Hashem at 508-326-2371. Hope to see you there!



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.



CCB Scheduling: Lynne Quinlan will now be serving in the staff role of Scheduling Coordinator for Volunteers. Currently, she is exploring through the CCB system that we use with the goal of having our communication stream of “serving” be a positive, smooth system for all!

The Howe’s host a movie night

Lee and Steve Howe have asked to share the note below about a movie discussion night at church. Though this is not part of our education ministry at church it’s a good opportunity for fellowship and discussion.

We will be showing "Patterns of Evidence: The Exodus" in Luther Loft

Sunday, Jan. 25th, 5pm - 7:30pm

Will include a simple meal Sign-up sheet in narthex - not mandatory, but will help us with headcount. Please let Lee or Steve Howe know if you are willing to contribute or help with the simple meal!

Is there any evidence of the Israelites in Egypt?

*Please join us for another Apologetics Night and see! **Lee and Steve Howe***

This also may be a great opportunity to say farewell to Jeremy Ong who will be moving back to Singapore in early February

At Adult Education Hour 9:30 we started a series on Lutheran Teachings about “church” last year and we’ll resume that topic this week.. We started introducing the **Book of Concord** and how this church home is a part of the teachings found in this group of documents called the “Lutheran Confessions”. Today, we’ll look at the Sacrament of Holy Communion and what Scripture shares, how the Confessions summarize that, and how we live that out as a Lutheran Church Missouri Church. **Bring a coffee.... And come to the LOFT for 9:30**

Do you know how to interact with our YouTube and Facebook accounts?

Go to our web site **www.oslcma.com** and you’ll see links right on the home page

This QR code is in the bulletin cover every week.

When you watch and click it helps the algorithms of our presence getting into more homes... **PLEASE LIKE AND SUBSCRIBE**



Ministry Tid-Bits

Monthly Serving Opportunities: We are in need of servants to step up for the roles of **Power point (8:15),**

Altar Care, and Coffee Ministry (10:30).

See sign Up on Kiosk or email Sara at office@OSLCMA.com. We’ll train you.... and it’s a once a month commitment. Pray... and think about serving

The Freezer Friends freezer is well stocked with ten different soups. Please remember to gift a meal* to those you know who are struggling with mental or physical health (surgery, no longer drive, long-term illness,...the flu), or celebrating a new birth or move. Be the hands of Christ and bring a delicious and nutritious made-from-scratch bowl of soup when you stop by. There are pints for single people and quarts for couples or families. (All are marked with allergy friendly labels.)

Chicken Pot pie soup Unstuffed cabbage roll soup

Unstuffed sweet pepper and tomato soup

Creamy chicken soup White chicken chili

Tuscan bean & vegetable soup Black bean soup

Salmon corn chowder Turkey chili

Chicken noodle soup

**If you are shy about handing out a frozen bowl of soup simply take it home on Sunday and defrost it in your own refrigerator the night before you are visiting.*



Communion Preparation Class: we had 7 children attend class # 1 for this 2 session class last Sunday to prepare coming forward to the Lord’s Table.

Our Savior Lutheran Church targets the age of 8 or 9 as an age to receive what God wants to share. Session #1 is offered on 2 dates Jan 11th at 9:30 and Jan 25th at 9:30 in the Library. Session #2 still TBA

Budget Awareness: At the combined Servant and Shepherd Leaders Meeting last Sunday the overall congregational budget and financial commitment was discussed. Our financial giving from the flock is down and we’re approximately \$30,000 below budget at this time. Please pray about our commitment as a flock to keep the budget of our church home as a responsibility of our own. The Fine Fund has been targeted to be used for some specific upgrades here and as a blessing to God’s overall church. Each department is asked to be aware of the spending done in their areas, to review the budgeted spending targeted for this year. (of which we are below covering with our giving right now). This is all just responsible stewardship asked as part of being church together.