

Calendar Dates

March 8th Jasmine Grace will use our building again for their fundraising event. (see below)
March 10th Pastor Circuit Meeting—Fitchburg
March-11 Card and Prayer Ministry
March 14th Funeral at church Sat morn building unavailable
March 22nd Feast of the Annunciation—Pro Life Sunday
March 29th Palm Sunday - Unity Worship

“Beauty from Ashes Ministry” (New Name for Jasmine Grace)

Beauty from Ashes Ministry is a Non-Profit that Jasmine Grace founded in 2012. It exists to help women break free from drug addiction, sexual exploitation, and the hopelessness that follows. Jasmine’s team—made up of survivors, women in recovery, and faith-filled leaders—know the pain of the past and the power of Christ to heal it.

BFAM offers:

- Christ-centered recovery groups & bible studies
 - Addiction support & mentoring
 - Exit strategies Bags of Hope Outreach
- Long-term residential healing at Living Hope Farms

March 8	8:15	10:30
Coffee Ministry	Cliff Petersohn	Ann Nollet
Announcements	Pastor Joe	Lynne Quinlan
Communion Assistants	No Communion	No Communion
Altar Care	-----	-----
Powerpoint Advancing	Bob Uhlig/Beny Parra	David Howe
Audio	-----	Jessie Anderson
Reader	Audi Souza	Katie Lovett
Ushers	Gary Terhune Hank Betts Levi Kishbaugh	Sean Lovett Dian Kingston Don Kingston



Weekly News

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

March 8

Discipleship, Engagement, Membership, Connections... These are some “church words” that have a powerful connection to the experience of a “church home”. There are so, so many unchurched people in our local communities that God uses the people of His Church to connect His Word to. See out ways that you can grow in the use of these significant words above... and be open to being used by our God to impact His world.

MidWeek Connect ... and YOU

Wed nights in Lent 5:45 -7:00pm

Includes a hot meal, and a spiritual growth topic for all ages

5:45 to 6:15 “buffet hot meal” Fill a plate and talk with other people!

6:15—7:45 A Lent “discipleship” program for all ages

Our church’s mission statement makes clear that “Being Disciples” involves growing.

We believe that everyone has something unique to offer to the family of God’s church. In Scripture... the “saints” are the ones doing ministry. Pastors are to equip the saints with the Word... and then the people carry out being the church. Programs like this are designed to help you grow in your faith and explore new possibilities in how to live God-centered in your home... how to have God-centered conversations with kids, with neighbors, with parents... anyone.

Topic: is about “Discipleship” in our homes and families

We’re looking at some short videos on practicing discipleship in our homes and talk through some of the points. This week we’ll look up some Bible verses and discussion questions on “being disciples”. Make plans to come out Wednesday nights....

Chat, eat, listen... *as you seek to walk close with Him.*

Last Week: we had 54 attendees and started a video series on “Discipleship Practices” in our homes This week we’ll discuss the possibilities for “catechesis” in homes for parents, grandparents, and single adults... as we look to share our faith

Music Note from Wendy—

Seeking choral singers! Some special choral pieces can be done in Holy Week.... Are you interested in singing?
Rehearsals are Saturdays March 14 @ 1-3 PM and March 28 @ 9:30-11:45.
We encourage you to join our choir to sing the haunting, somber, beautiful lyrics and melodies of some of our finest church music composers of today.

Choir rehearsals at 7:00 pm during Lent, following the MidWeek Connect supper and learning session.

***At the 8:15 worship today**

Special thanks to Lydia Betts, saxophone and Gracie Keizer, choir accompanist

Kids Connection and Music: children will be working on a song with Miss Wendy from 10:10-10:30 on March 8, 15 and 22. They will share the music at the Palm Sunday Unity Service
Please plan to pick your child(ren) up in the music room 10:30 on these Sunday mornings

Employed Job Roles at Our Savior—Awareness

A summary note about the paid job roles here at church just to help clarify. Post Vision Team there were some positions created and with Sara's moving away there is more position movement. This is to help visualize the current roles

- Pastor Nollet and Kerry Trunfio (Director of Youth, Children, and family Life Ministries) are the full time employees

- Wendy Betts and Kevin Lackie are the music directors
- Ritchie Minozzi and Brian Welles Family Life Ministry Interns
- Abigail Paschal Media and Marketing Intern
- Lynne Quinlan CCB Scheduling Manager
- Administrative Assistant (currently not filled, soon to be announced)
please note... in the meantime direct your notes and messages for the office to Pastor Joe

Current Bible Study Opportunities

Bible exploring is a highly, highly encouraged part of a walk with Jesus. God shares His Word for us to have and grow in. We have programs at our church home that explore God's Word in the light of a consistent approach to doctrine, and with a consistent approach to the truth and approach to grasping His communication to us.

Below are the programs connected to Our Savior Lutheran Church's teaching ministry.

You are highly encouraged to try exploring one of these opportunities in seeking to explore God's Word and join in Christian fellowship

Audi's Zoom every other Monday 5:45-6:45 currently in Acts of the Apostles *Contact Audi Souza for Zoom link audiklane@yahoo.com*

Arthur's Thursday study every other Thursday at church 1-2:30
Currently walking through the Gospels arthurj01@verizon.net

Gail's Senior ZOOM study Gail does a weekly meeting Tuesday mornings at 9:30 am contact Gail gesull@outlook.com

Pastor Nollet

Sundays Pastor's Class at Adult Ed: 9:30 between worship services in the Loft

Seasonal Study: Zoom lunchtime study for Lent "Under The Cross" walking through the readings for the Scandals of Grace series. ZOOM link is on the homepage of the website each week.

The Bridge Ministry 6pm Sunday nights up to ages 26

For more information please contact Brian Wells at blwellsjr@gmail.com .

(*If you'd like to start up, or host a group, whether Zoom, at church, or in-home... please speak to Pastor Joe for support in making that happen)