

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

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A Congregation of Lutheran Churches in Mission For Christ



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

St. Olaf

8:15 a.m. Worship

Communion St. Olaf - 1st Sunday

Our Savior's

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour

Communion: Our Savior's
1st Sunday (at rail)

Church Council— 2nd Monday of
each month, 7:00 p.m.
(August No Council Mtg)

Wednesday School
2:30 p.m.



Greeters for the Month of April 2025

April 6—Don Heimbigner

April 13—Dianne Clark

April 17—Dianne Clark (Maundy Thursday)

April 18—Shirley Rudolph (Good Friday)

April 20—Duncans
(Easter)

April 27—Shirley Rudolph



Greeters

Parish Caller - April 2025

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Our Saviors Lutheran Church Council**February 17, 2025**

Present: Glenda Hanson, Diane Roberts, Shirley Rudolph, Melissa Sullivan, Deanna Standiford, Chris Mattson, Jeff Mattson, and Logan Anderson.

Called to order: The meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m. with Chris reading devotions.

Minutes: The January minutes were reviewed and there being no additions or corrections Deanna moved to approve and Shirley seconded. The ayes have it.

Committees:

Education: Diane R – She is working on Sunday School curriculum to start in the Fall.

Worship: Chris and Glenda

Food Bank: Dianne Clark

Nominating: Melissa, Julane, Gwen

Budget: Melissa, Gary, Jeff

Call Committee: Melissa, Logan, Chris, Gary

Maintenance: Chris, Jim

Landscaping: Diane R, Deanna, Shirley

Scrubber: Chris had information on a larger scrubber and a smaller one. The larger one is about \$3500 used and the smaller one is about half of that. The larger one is a good size for our floor space. Logan moved to approve and Melissa seconded and the motion passed to purchase the

Treasurers Report: Jeff reviewed the financial statements. Insurance is pre-paid which skews the numbers. Shirley moved to approve the Treasurer's report and Diane R seconded and the motion passed.

Parsonage Basement Floor: Chris will start to get quotes as a false floor will be the cheapest, easiest etc.

Software Update: The Revelations Software needs replacing. The new version is expensive and, in the cloud. Icons is accounting based records with calendars, website interfacing and is 120.00/month the app also didn't sync. Amplify includes online giving and text giving with website and app and is easy to use. Melissa moved to get the ball rolling on the Amplify. Logan seconded and the ayes have it.

The national gathering is October 5th- 8th in Lakeville Minnesota.

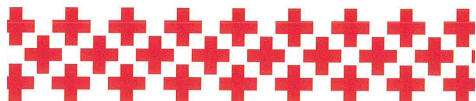
Vehicle: Chris will get in touch with Tavi about getting a vehicle for pastor use.

Easter Services: Shirley will check with Tammy about doing the Holden services or find another piano player but we need a leader.

There was discussion on the office machines. The Riso is for large copy projects and is downstairs so in unhandy and nearing its life span. In the office there is a copier and color printer. We could easily get a good color copier and just have one machine to maintain. Jeff will look at options.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00p.m. followed by the Lord's Prayer.

Glenda Hanson, Secretary

American Red Cross*Give blood.* Help save lives.

Chester Community
Our Savior's Lutheran Church
Thursday, May 1, 2025
11:30 am—5:15 pm

FUTURE IS NOW



New Changes Upcoming!



Our Savior's has upgraded their membership and tithing information software!

What's in store for our congregation -

- » Online Newsletter
- » Ability to give online
- » Real time tithe tracking
- » Live Streaming of church service
- » Phone App
- » Live Calendar of events
- » Online Prayer Requests
- » New Website
- » Better Communication!

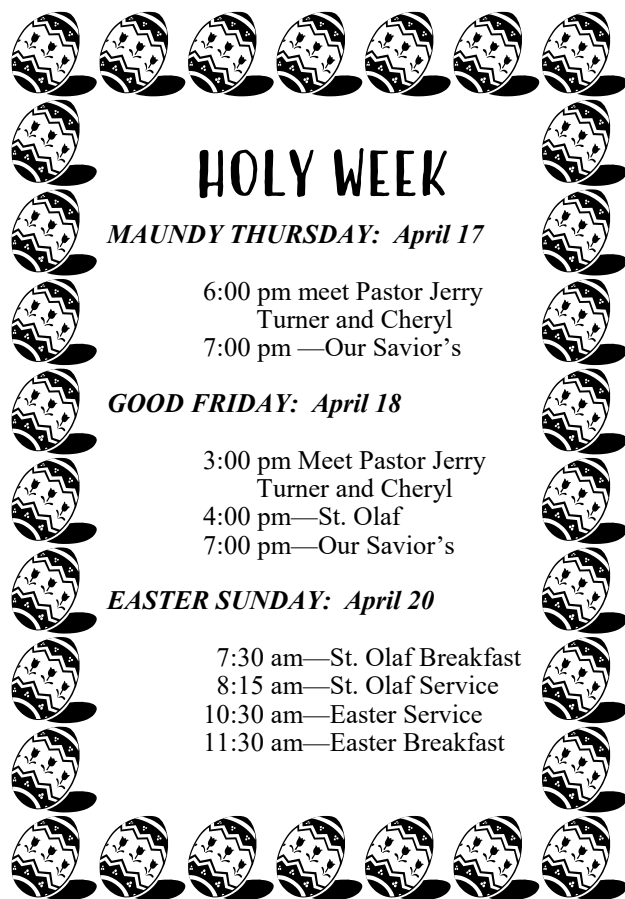
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Questions? Need help getting started?
Call Chris Mattson @ 406.570.3276

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Parish Caller will still be available via print,
just limited copies will be printed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



HOLY WEEK

MAUNDY THURSDAY: April 17

6:00 pm meet Pastor Jerry
Turner and Cheryl
7:00 pm —Our Savior's

GOOD FRIDAY: April 18

3:00 pm Meet Pastor Jerry
Turner and Cheryl
4:00 pm—St. Olaf
7:00 pm—Our Savior's

EASTER SUNDAY: April 20

7:30 am—St. Olaf Breakfast
8:15 am—St. Olaf Service
10:30 am—Easter Service
11:30 am—Easter Breakfast

**This past month God sent (on
Average 48 souls to share in our
Sunday fellowship. Praise God for all
His blessings including our Coffee/
Fellowship Hour Volunteers.**

HE IS RISEN!



PLEASE **PRAY** FOR:

**Our Savior's Lutheran Church
Profit & Loss
January 1, 2025—March 10, 2025**

Ordinary Income/Expense

Income

4000	Worship Service Offerings	\$12,520.00
4100	Coffee Hour	61.00
4700	Vacation Bible School	100.00
4800	St. Olaf Reimbursements	\$ 2,805.30
4900	Miscellaneous Income	450.00
Total Income		\$15,936.30

Expense

6000	Service & Ministries	\$ 2,394.38
6500	Church & Parsonage	\$17,428.06
6800	Church Staff	\$ 4,453.41
	Payroll Expenses	\$ 179.68
Total Expenses		\$24,455.53

Net Income: **\$ -8,519.23**

We pray for healing and comfort for:

Amayah
Benjamin Borske
Opal Borske
Cliff Christenot
John Fauerbach
Dick Gebhardt
Neil Harstad
Bev & Gary Jensen
Rita Laird
Donna Nealy
Steve Oraw
Joanne & Mike Sherrard
Noel Walston
Melinda Russell's Dad

Quannah Bailey
Chris Berg
Joshua Brown
Millie Denter
Finnley Foster
Lil Gebhardt
Donnie Heimbigner
Jennifer Mansfield
Sierra McDowell
Arletta Nicholson
Diane Roberts
Dale Soper
Marcia Wickum

**We pray for the families and friends mourning
the loss of:**

Deb Heimbigner

*Please let the church office know if your have prayer
concerns to add or remove from this list*

St. Olaf & Our Savior's Lutheran Churches

April 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 3:00 Wed School 6:00 Soup Supper 7:00 Lenten Service	3 7:00 AA	4	5
6 8:15 SO Worship w/communion 10:30 OSL Worship w/communion 11:30 Fellowship	7	8 9:30 <i>Quilting</i>	9 3:00 Wed School 6:00 Soup Supper 7:00 Lenten Service	10 7:00 AA	11	12
13 8:15 SO Worship 9:30 OSL Adult SS 10:30 OSL Worship 11:30 Fellowship PALM SUNDAY	14 7:00 Church Council	15 9:30 Quilting 6:00 Confirmation	16 3:00 Wed School	17 6:00 OSL Soup, Meet Pastor Jerry Turner 7:00 OSL Maundy Thursday Service 7:00 AA	18 3:00 St Olaf Meet Pastor Jerry Turner 4:00 St. Olaf Good Friday Service 7:00 Our Savior's Good Friday Service	19
20 7:00 SO Easter Breakfast 8:15 SO Worship 10:30 OSL Worship 11:30 LYO Easter Brunch EASTER	21	22 9:30 Quilting 6:00 Confirmation	23 3:00 Wed School	24 7:00 AA	25	26
27 8:15 SO Worship 10:30 OSL Worship 11:30 OSL Fellowship	28	29 9:30 Quilting 6:00 Confirmation	30 3:00Last Wed School	May 1 Blood Drawing 11:30 am—5:15 pm 7:00 AA National Day of Prayer	May 2	May 3

Our Savior's Sunday Helpers - April 2025

	Ushers	Scripture Readers	Communion Assistants	Altar Guild	Flowers	Coffee Hour
4/6	Gwen Henderson	<i>Carol Matson</i>	Vinsons	Julane Jensen (Purple)	NO Flowers	Ann Wickum Carol Mattson Shirley Rudolph
4/13	Kulpas	Karla Kulpas	NO Communion	Julane Jensen (Purple)	NO Flowers	<i>Need 2</i>
4/17	Quannah Bailey Shirley Rudolph <i>MAUNDY THURSDAY</i>	Shirley Rudolph	Vinsons	Julane Jensen (Purple)	NO Flowers	<i>6:00 pm Soup— Volunteers Meet Pastor Jerry Turner</i>
4/18	Vinsons <i>GOOD FRIDAY</i>	Shirley Rudolph	NO Communion	Julane Jensen (Black)	NO Flowers	<i>NO Fellowship</i>
4/20	Frasers <i>EASTER</i>	Stephanie Smith	Vinsons	Julane Jensen (White)	Volunteers	Easter Breakfast
4/27	<i>Need 2</i>	Carol Mattson	NO Communion	Julane Jensen (White)	<i>Need 1</i>	<i>Need 2</i>

April 2025 Parish Caller

St. Olaf Lutheran
Worship 8:15 a.m.
Our Savior's Lutheran
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Coffee Hour 11:30 a.m.

Address Service Requested