

Good News

March 2023



Newsletter of The Evangelical Lutheran Church of Our Saviour
420 North Progress Avenue
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17109

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

“Behold, I am doing a new thing” (Isaiah 43:19). Why did God declare this? What were the circumstances that prompted God to utter these words? The answer: The return of the Jewish exiles from Babylon.

In the year 597 B.C., the holy city of Jerusalem and the surrounding region of Judah was overrun by the Babylonian army, and the Jewish people were conquered. It was the practice of the Babylonians to remove conquered peoples from their homelands and resettle them in the Babylonia Empire. This is what happened to the Jewish people.

But then the Persians rose up and defeated the Babylonians, and the Persians had a different practice with respect to conquered peoples. The Persians allowed conquered peoples to stay in their homelands, but they would have to pay a tribute to the Persians. So, in 539 B.C., the Persians allowed the Jews to return to their homeland and rebuild their lives.

And this event, the return of the exiles, was a huge deal in the history of the Jewish people. The Jewish people saw it as a second Exodus, when the Jewish were delivered from hardship and blessed once again with freedom. “Behold, I am doing a new thing,” says the Lord.

It is true, as well, that God is doing a new thing for Our Saviour. We are embarking on a new endeavor. During our special congregational meeting on February 12, the members of Our Saviour voted favorably to enter into an agreement with St. Stephen’s Lutheran Church in New Kingston to share pastoral services. In other words, St. Stephen’s will be purchasing from Our Saviour 15 hours of my time. St. Stephen’s will compensate Our Saviour Lutheran directly. My salary will continue to be paid by Our Saviour. So, personally, I receive no compensation for my ministry at St. Stephen’s directly from their congregation. The only reimbursement I will receive directly from St. Stephen’s is for mileage when I am driving while doing ministry for St. Stephen’s.

This arrangement is good for a number of reasons. First, this is an opportunity to provide for another congregation. St. Stephen’s is without a called pastor. They need someone on a consistent basis. They need a preacher on Sunday, as well as someone to make hospital visits, someone to conduct their funerals, someone to provide Bible study, and someone to empower them in their ministry as they move forward. So, in essence, this is an opportunity for our congregation to accompany them in this time of transition.

Second, this arrangement helps support Our Saviour’s budget. The extra income from the purchase of pastoral hours will help narrow the gap in our budget between our expenses and income. And that is a very good thing.

Third, this arrangement offers both congregations the opportunity to learn from and to grow with one another. There may be things that St. Stephen’s can teach Our Saviour, and vice versa. Indeed, this arrangement could be a great blessing with respect to the cross fertilization that may result.

Finally, I want to remind us that this arrangement has a start date of March 21 and concluding date of September 21. In other words, this is an experiment to which we are not beholden forever. This is a not an arrangement that is indefinite. After the six months have concluded, both Our Saviour and St. Stephen’s will have an opportunity to evaluate and assess the arrangement. What worked? What didn’t work? And then there is the all-important question of where do we both go from here? Could we extend the relationship? Sure. But, that will wait to be seen.

For now, God is doing a new thing. And with any new thing, it requires all of us to be openminded. There may be changes in the routine at Our Saviour and at St. Stephen’s that will require some adjustment. One of those changes is worship time. (See the “About Worship” article in this newsletter.) And so, I would remind us of that all-important Beatitude that didn’t make it into the Bible, but should have. It says, “Blessed are the flexible, for they shall not be bent out of shape.”

In Christ, *Pastor Joel Petruschke*

The Lessons for March 2023

March 5 — Lent 2

Genesis 12:1-4a
Psalm 121
Romans 4:1-5, 13-17
John 3:1-17

March 12 — Lent 3

Exodus 17:1-7
Psalm 95
Romans 5:1-11
John 4:5-42

March 19 — Lent 4

1 Samuel 16:1-13
Psalm 23
Ephesians 5:8-14
John 9:1-41

March 26 — Lent 1

Ezekiel 37:1-14
Psalm 130
Romans 8:6-11
John 11:1-45



Invitation To Join With Good Shepherd For Lenten Vespers

The members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church have extended an invitation to their brothers and sisters from Our Saviour to join them on Wednesday evenings during Lent (3/1, 3/8, 3/15, 3/22/, 3/29) for Souper Suppers and Lenten Vespers. The Souper Suppers, which include a simple meal of soups, bread, and dessert, will begin at 6:00 PM in All Saints Hall in the basement followed by Lenten Vespers at 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary. Please consider making this a part of your Lenten journey.



Don't Forget to "Spring Forward"!

Daylight Savings Time begins Sunday, March 12th. Don't forget to turn your clocks ahead 1 hour before you go to sleep on March 11th!



Synod Assembly Voting Members Needed

The Synod Assembly this year will be held June 2nd (online) and June 3rd (in person). We are looking for 2 volunteers to represent us at the Assembly, 1 lay female and 1 lay male, both voting members. If you are interested or have any questions, please call the church office or Pastor Joel. Thank you.



Parish Staff

Rev. Dr. Joel D. Petruschke, pastor
Barbara Johnson, administrative assistant
Mitchell Sensenig, organist

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About Worship

Our Saviour Lutheran Church is changing its worship time. Why? Because, having entered into an arrangement with St. Stephen's Lutheran Church in New Kingstown, there was the need to find a Sunday worship schedule that worked for both St. Stephen's and Our Saviour. After much conversation with Our Saviour, St. Stephen's council voted to move their worship from 9:00am to 11:00am on Sunday morning. This would allow for Our Saviour to change its worship time from 9:30am to 9:00am, which seemingly for the vast majority of Our Saviour members was the most favorable time. If you are among those for whom this change in worship time is inconvenient, we do apologize. But we still hope you will be able to join us for worship on Sunday morning.

Please note, the change of worship time was decided after much prayerful consideration. Our Saviour's council received the input from our congregation formally (special congregational meeting) and informally (in dialogue with church members). Our Saviour's council had consulted with St. Stephen's leadership about various times. And Our Saviour's council then voted overwhelmingly to move to 9:00am. You might ask, "Why not just stay at 9:30am, if St. Stephen's is willing to go to 11:00am?" The feeling is that there might not be enough time between 9:30am and 11:00am to allow for Pastor Joel to conduct worship at Our Saviour and then commute to St. Stephen's to begin service there at 11:00am. And, again, you might ask, "Why not ask St. Stephen's to go to 11:30am?" And the answer is that we had already expressed to St. Stephen's the preferred time of most members of Our Saviour is 9:00am, as the polling suggested. And again, you might ask, "Why didn't this get officially voted on at a congregational meeting?" And the answer is that, according to Our Saviour's constitution, it would necessitate another special congregational meeting, which required notification of said meeting in advance, which would then mean the earliest said meeting would take place on March 19th. This was only two days before the start of the contract with St. Stephen's. And, Our Saviour's Constitution states that "The Congregation Council shall have general oversight of the life and activities of this congregation, and in particular its worship life..." (see C12.04). In other words, it is within the purview of Our Saviour's council to decide the time of worship. So, taking all these factors in mind, Our Saviour's council decided, and decided overwhelmingly, to change the worship time from 9:30am to 9:00am.

Now, with that said, the arrangement with St. Stephen's actually allows for two opportunities for Sunday worship with Pastor Joel. If 9:00am is just not possible for you nor your family to join us for worship at Our Saviour, please note that there is always 11:00am worship at St. Stephen's. You would definitely be welcome by their congregation to attend there. The worship service at St. Stephen's will be quite similar to worship at Our Saviour.

Yes, it is true, the commute to St. Stephen's may be a bit further than to Our Saviour. And yes, worshipping at St. Stephen's is not the same as worshipping at church with the community with whom one is familiar. However, again, there is another opportunity here, that is, to meet and to get to know others sisters and brothers in Christ at St. Stephen's.

Several members of Our Saviour have already noted, after attending the potluck luncheon at St. Stephen's on February 26th, that they plan to visit St. Stephen's for worship. And, the hope is that members at St. Stephen's would visit at Our Saviour for worship. It would be a blessing indeed for our two congregations to get to know one another better through the experience of worship. So I do hope we all will find a way to worship our Lord and grow together as siblings in Christ.

So, I share all of this again with the caveat that this arrangement is filled with opportunities and blessings. But, I think we have to be open to those blessings. We need to be open to how the Spirit is stirring among us. Thanks be to God

A Word on Stewardship

When we think of stewardship, we usually think of how we humans are to be good stewards of what has been entrusted to us. In essence, we think about the stewardship of our time, talents, and treasures. But have we ever stopped to think about how God is a good steward? To be sure, if we want to learn what stewardship is all about, a good place to look is to God.

During winter, God is a good steward in that God is not wasteful. Many animal species hibernate during the cold months. And God does not have the plants and trees continue to produce berries and nuts, because it would be a terrible waste of energy for those plants and trees to produce berries and nuts which would just go to waste, since the animals that eat those things are asleep. Now, we can probably turn that around and say that God is a good steward in that God has programmed animals to hibernate during the winter months when plants and trees are not producing, so that those animals do not die off for lack of food. So, God has organized Creation in just such a way so that there is good stewardship.

Or, think about the leaves that plants and trees produce in abundance. And then think about how those plants and trees drop their leaves in the fall. But those leaves are not wasted, for creation is able to utilize those leaves by having them return to the earth as nutrients all vegetation. Again, God is a good steward.

Or, think about the fact that when the night time comes, God has programmed many animals such that they hunker down for the evening. It would be a terrible waste of energy for those animals to be up and about. And during the time of rest, the bodies of animals, including humans, are able to restore their immune systems, and provide other necessary functions for health and well-being. How do our bodies know how to do that? Because God is a good steward and has planned everything just so.

God is the greatest of all stewards. And so, when we see things get really out of whack in Creation... .. when things are not humming along just fine...when we see things like devastating flooding, or destructive forest fires, or the mass extinction of animal species, so on and so forth...when we witness these things, it is not that God has forgotten how to be a good steward of God's Creation. No, it is more than likely the result of our human influence upon God's Creation. It is more than likely the result of humanity's poor stewardship of Creation.

Because the truth is, God has entrusted this beautiful world to our care. That is an immense responsibility. And, the amazing thing is, if we just left Creation to do its thing, it would probably continue to function well and things would continue in a good state of equilibrium and harmony. But our human impact continues to disrupt God's stewardship. We have a lot to learn about stewardship, and a good place to turn to learn to be better stewards is in the very Creation in which we find ourselves.

Jesus Said, "Let the Little Children Come to Me."

We have successfully revived Sunday School for the children of Our Saviour. The children have a lesson, complete a craft and enjoyed a snack. As a reminder, children's Sunday School class will be held on the first Sunday of the month during the service. **The next class will be Sunday, March 5th.** Children will be excused for their lesson after the children's message. Please share our news with anyone you know who may be interested. We welcome every child to join us and learn! ***WE ARE SO EXCITED TO HAVE GOTTEN STARTED! OUR CHILDREN ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF OUR CONGREGATION.***

New Pre-School Opportunity

Tree 4 Hope, one of Lower Susquehanna Synod's global mission partners, is excited to be opening Hope Academy in Pennsylvania! This bilingual, STEAM-based preschool program grounded in the Lutheran tradition will be based out of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Middletown and Trinity Lutheran Church in Steelton. They are actively looking for part-time teachers and volunteer teacher aids for their September opening. E-mail Deacon David Hope-Tringali at david@tree4hope.org to learn more and help make a difference in the lives of young children in your community today!



Dear Padre,

What is the best part of being a pastor?

Signed, A Church Member

Dear Church Member,

There are a lot of great things about being a pastor. Interestingly enough, my colleagues and I have, on occasion, commented to one another how amazing it is that we are called to do what we do. We pastors get to talk about Jesus. We get to preach about the good news of God. We get to teach the Bible. How amazing is that! That we are actually paid to do that. And, I like to say, that in sum, we get to be peddlers of hope. We get to talk about and share hope.

Now, probably my most favorite thing about being a pastor is being invited to be a part of people's lives. It is an absolute privilege to be present with people in some of their most pivotal and profound experiences. Pastors are lucky enough to visit with parents when they have welcomed a newborn into the world. Pastors are blessed to conduct weddings when two people commit themselves to each other. Pastors are called to be there when persons are dying and leaving this world to be with God. And although that it not an easy experience, it is powerful to be with families during that time. It is a privilege and an honor to be trusted with all those special moments in life.

Furthermore, pastors are fortunate to be with a community of believers as we make the journey in life together. It is a truly a wonder to accompany one another together along that path of human existence, making our way to the world to come. And the longer that journey together is, I think, the more precious it becomes. I have now been blessed to be with the good people of Our Saviour for over 14 years. That is no small pastorate these days.

So, those are some of the great blessings, some of the best things about being a pastor. And, as I write this Dear Padre article, I am reminded that one of the responsibilities of being a pastor is to recognize and lift up other would-be pastors from within the congregation. So, if you have been thinking about the ordained ministry, or if you know of persons whom might be thinking about serving in the ministry, please come and talk to me. I would love to share more about those best things about being a pastor.

Thanks for the question.

Signed, *Padre*

Upcoming In Betweeners Event

Future Event in September!

What: The Story of Moses

Where: Sight & Sound Theater

When: Saturday, September 16th

Cost: \$89 or \$84.55 for a group of 15+

Reservations to the Flemings by May 23rd

Mark your calendars & save the date. More details and a sign-up sheet are now in the Narthex.



Council Minutes

Please Note: Council Minutes cannot be included in the newsletter until after Council has approved them.

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Our Saviour Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting Wednesday, January 11, 2023

Members Present: Pastor Joel Petruschke, Brad Neil, Vice-President, Jeanette Logan, Secretary, Steve Barron, Dawne Veet and Penny Zimmerman (via ZOOM).

Members Absent: Antonetta Fleming, President and Jim Lubrecht, Treasurer.

At 6:35 pm the meeting was called to order and Pastor Joel offered a word of prayer.

The minutes from the Council Meeting held on December 14, 2022 were edited and approved. Pastor Joel made a motion to accept the minutes as edited and Dawne Veet seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: In Jim's absence, Pastor Joel relayed the Treasurer's Report which was provided to him by Jim. The report was reviewed by Council. It was noted that our current deficit is \$32,408.53 for 2022.

After discussion, the following questions for Jim were mentioned for clarification purposes.

On the Previous Year Comparison Sheet, why are the GermanFest Expenses at zero for the year 2021. In September of 2021 we did hold a small, drive-thru GermanFest event.

What is the starting and ending balance for the Memorial Fund for the year 2022?

Why are the donations all at zero for the Budget for 2023?

The Financial Report is filed for Audit.

Secretary's Report: Jeanette informed Council that thank you notes were written and sent to all of the COVID-19 Task Force Committee Members. Thank you notes were also sent to Brad and Billy Youngblood for the time they spent trying to figure out all of our security lighting issues.

Committee Reports:

Christian Ed: No Report

Child Protection Policy: No Report

Fund Raising: No Report

Mutual Ministry: No Report

Property: No Report

Scholarship BOT: No Report

Social Ministry: Report submitted and reviewed.

Stewardship: No Report

Welcome: No Report

Worship and Music: No Report

Finance: A report was submitted and reviewed by Council.

Pastor's Report: A report was submitted and reviewed by Council. Pastor informed Council that the Praise Hymn Singers contacted him and would like to renew their agreement for 2023. In addition, regarding the Results of the Visioning Surveys that were conducted in 2022, Dawne Veet will group the "like responses" together and Council will work to prioritize points of interest at the next meeting.



Old Business:

Property: Brad informed Council that he has a phone call in to Sheetz Roofing to replace the missing shingles on the roof of the Sanctuary. Pertaining to the lights in the parking lot, he thought those lights were fixed but he noticed that now only one of the two parking lot lights are working.

HVAC Service Contract: He will call Acri about coming out one time per year to service the heating system and then the following year the air conditioning system will be serviced. This pattern will repeat each year thereafter.

Snow and Ice Removal: The church received an invoice from Center City Building Services in the amount of \$1,200.00 for snow removal. The invoice was for two service dates at \$600.00 per visit. Discussion ensued. This seems to be very expensive. It was decided that Brad will contact the company and ask that they call him first before coming out to provide their services. Brad will give them approval to come out based on whether or not he thinks the services are needed for that specific day. This will prevent them from just showing up and then billing us for services done on a day that might not have been necessary, i.e. a day that there aren't staff or church members coming to the church.

Facebook and You Tube: Herb Logan is currently trying to figure out these two possibilities for an affordable way to Livestream our church services.

Boxcast: March is the month that we will need to make a decision as to whether or not we would like to sign up for a year of Livestreaming services through this company. They are honoring a discounted rate of \$891.00 for the year if paid in full. This discount will only be good until March of 2023. Afterwards, the yearly amount will go back to the previous rate.

New Business:

Hearing Impairment Equipment: Herb Logan and Dawne Veet have been working with Dawne's brother, Johnny. Johnny has been very generous with both his time and his donation of some equipment that can be used for members with a hearing impairment, specifically Marcia Schreffler. Marcia can use an app on her phone which will transcribe the church service for her as the service is taking place. She could be present in the Sanctuary and be able to participate with the rest of the congregation. The group will continue to put all of the moving parts together. Jeanette will send a thank you note to Johnny for his time and donation of equipment.

Christmas Tree Storage Bag: Jeanette informed Council that the Christmas tree that was purchased this year will not fit in the box that it was shipped in. She offered to search online to find a storage bag for the tree so it can be stored properly. Dawne Veet says she has access to a Christmas Tree storage bag and will donate it to the church for us to use for our tree.

At 8:34 pm there was a word of prayer and the meeting was adjourned.

The next Council Meeting will take place at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, February 8, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeanette Logan, Council Secretary

Egg Making for 2023 Has Started

We are now taking orders for three types of eggs, peanut butter with milk chocolate, butter cream with dark chocolate and coconut with dark chocolate.

The committee met on January 12, 2023 and decided to keep the eggs the same price of \$1.25, per egg. We are always looking for new places to sell our eggs. We must **SELL, SELL, SELL our eggs** to make this project a success!

We welcome a new chairperson this year, Alice Lubrecht. Thanks for your help.

Teams have been organized, but we are **always looking for additional volunteers**. Please contact either Donna, Alice or Nadine if you would like to volunteer. We currently have four teams:
Monday - Team Leader, Nancy Pinko; Thursday - Team Leader, Pastor Joel; Saturday - Team Leader, Nadine Martin; Sunday - Team - Alice Lubrecht. If you are on a team but are unable to be at your team's scheduled egg-making session, please let your team leader know. All volunteers are asked to adhere to the following safety protocols:

Team Leaders are responsible for logging their team's attendance in the attendance log for each egg making session.

All volunteers are required to wear a hairnet or hat.

All volunteers must wear a full bib apron or smock to cover street clothes.

All volunteers are required to wash their hands in the hand washing sink prior to starting any egg-making tasks.

All volunteers must wear plastic gloves. Should gloves become soiled, torn, or contaminated, gloves must be discarded and replaced with a new set

No eating or drinking permitted in areas where eggs are being processed.

All touch points within the kitchen and social hall must be sanitized at the conclusion of the egg making session.



Any questions, please call, email, or talk with Co-chairs, Nadine Martin, Alice Lubrecht, and Donna Miller.

Nadine - 717-497-1200 or nadineLmartin@verizon.net

Donna - 717-558-0660 or donloulmil@msn.com

Alice - 717-503-8258 or alicelubrecht@gmail.com

Congratulations!!

Congratulations to Lexie & Mikey Phillips on the birth of their son, Gavin Christopher Hayes Phillips. Gavin was born on February 7th, weighing 8lbs. 7oz. and measured 21" long. His big sisters are Adelyn & Everleigh; grandparents are Keith & Cheryl Digon; and his great-grandparents are Ed & Malane Digon.



Joe and Maria Parson are so excited to announce the birth of our first grandson! Little Walker Wesley Parson was born Wednesday February 22nd @ 8:37am. He weighed 7lbs. 0 oz., measuring 18" long. Mom, baby and Dad are doing great & Meghan and Alex are super excited to be new parents. Bernhard and Maria Kunz are now first time great- grandparents and Alta Shadel welcomes her 9th great-grandchild! Congratulations to them all!

**OUR SAVIOUR
FINANCIAL REPORT
through January 31, 2023**

ENVELOPES AND PLATE	\$	10,503.00
FUND RAISING	\$	715.50
FELLOWSHIP HALL RENTAL	\$	0.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$	11,218.50

EXPENSE	\$	<u>18,541.05</u>
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DEFICIT	\$	<u>(7,322.55)</u>
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PNC BANK STATEMENT BALANCES
as of December 31, 2022

CURRENT FUND	\$	3,438.31
MEMORIAL FUND	\$	87,625.64 *

THRIVENT ACCOUNTS

	<u>1/31/2023</u>	<u>12/31/2022</u>
CURRENT FUND MUTUALS	\$ 54,200.25	\$ 54,588.61
SCHOLARSHIP MUTUALS	\$ 164,406.08	\$ 150,364.10

* \$61,000 of Memorial Fund is from the Neidich estate.

\$1,519.39 of Memorial Fund is from the Ruth Knerr estate to be used for Christian Ed expenses.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Julie Pitassi	3/3	Shawn Reilly	3/13
Suzanne Reilly	3/3	Samantha Ingavo	3/17
Aaron Ripka Mahone	3/3	Jessica Copeland	3/19
Isabelle Euliss	3/4	Kenzie Koppenhaver	3/20
Connor Landis	3/4	Linda Schreier	3/22
Hannah Logan	3/7	Ed Seneca	3/23
Bob Lisse	3/9	Sandy Moritz	3/24
Craig Miller	3/10	Daniel Logan	3/26
Jim Simmons	3/10	Nedda Pollock	3/27
Jessica Miller	3/11	Ella Guldner	3/28
John Zimmerman	3/12		

Let's think about camp!

We have received the new camping corp. brochures for the upcoming 2023 summer programs. They are on the table in the Narthex. Camping is not just for children. They offer family camp & elders camp. Pick one up & check out all that is being offered this year!



Jobs are available

In addition to offering summer camping for campers the Lutheran Camping Corp. also offers summer employment for high school & college students such as: counselors, lifeguards, kitchen staff, craft staff and maintenance. More information about these opportunities is available at LutheranCamping.org/employment.

Manna Food Pantry

Our "2nd Sunday" food collection is still ongoing. During this time of continuous rising food prices & heating costs, food pantries are seeing a greater demand of their services. If you would like to make a donation you may bring your items into the church & place them on the table in the Narthex at any time. There is a list of suggested items now on the table. If you would like to make a monetary donations, please mark your envelopes "Manna Food Pantry" and place it with your regular giving envelope.



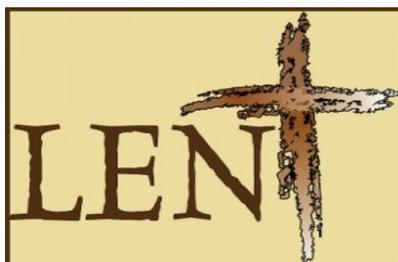
MARCH

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1	2 egg making in AM 7 pm - Spring Assembly @Epiphany	3	4 egg making in AM 9 am - First Communion Class
5 - Lent 2 9:30 am - Worship with Children's Sunday School 10:45 am - Adult Sunday School egg making	6 6pm - Welcome Committee deadline for committee council Reports egg making in AM	7	8 2 pm - Bible Study @ Manor @Oakridge 6:30 pm - Council	9 egg making in AM	10 11 Pastor Joel begins vacation egg making in AM	
12 - Lent 3 9:30 am - Worship egg making	13 egg making in AM 6pm - Praise Him Singers Rehearsal	14	15	16 egg making in AM	17	18 egg making in AM
			Pastor Joel on vacation			
19 - Lent 4 9:30 am - Worship newsletter deadline egg making	20 egg making in AM	21	22	23 egg making in AM	24	25 egg making in AM
Pastor Joel on vacation						
26 - Lent 5 9 am - Worship 3:45 pm - Worship @Manor @Oakridge egg making	27 egg making in AM 6pm - Praise Him Singers Rehearsal	28	29 2 pm - Bible Study @Manor @Oakridge	30	31	

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Mission Statement

Our Saviour Lutheran Church, a caring congregation dedicated to the word of Christ, welcomes all people to worship and to grow with us as we share His love and salvation with our neighbors, our children and ourselves.

Worship
9:30 am.

Please join us! We also offer worship via live-stream. The viewing link is available on our website (address below). Holy Eucharist is celebrated every Sunday.

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