



23rd Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, November 13, 2022
9:00 a.m.

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

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****Welcome! We are grateful for the spirit that prompted you to worship with us today and hope you find a meaningful experience in your time with us. We thank you for the prayers you brought and for the witness you made to the world by being in the Lord's house on the Lord's Day. We invite you to worship with us again; our church family will always welcome you!***

To the parents of our young children, may we suggest:

- Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome! Sit toward the front where it is easier for children to see and hear.
- Sing hymns loudly, pray, and voice the responses with enthusiasm. Children learn behavior by copying you. If you are fired up about God, they will be too!
- Remember that the way we welcome children in Church directly affects the way they respond to the Church, to God, to Christ, to one another. Let them know that they are at home in the Church.
- Teach children some of the basic prayers, being able to join in with the prayers help them feel they are contributing too. Attend worship often, children like and need routines where they can participate.
- Children are invited to participate in communion, where they learn that God loves them.

To Members of the congregation: A smile of encouragement is always welcome to parents with small, active children. The presence of children is a gift to the church! They give us a future filled with hope!

****Please, Stand As You Are Able—And Sit As You Feel The Need!***

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who redeems us in Christ Jesus, whose steadfast love endures forever.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

[Silence for reflection and self-examination.]

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. We have ignored voices that call for your justice. We have neglected actions that witness to your righteousness. We have spoken and acted in ways that disrupt your beloved community. We truly repent of things we have done and left undone. For the sake of Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Restore our troubled spirits, so that we may live in newness, follow the way of the Spirit, and build up the body of Christ. Amen

P: Rejoice and be glad!

God hears the prayers of all who cry out, and restores us to life through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Therefore, I declare to you the forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

***GATHERING HYMN**

"This Is My Song"

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CHILDREN'S SERMON

***GREETING**

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

***SHARING OF THE PEACE**

***PRAYER OF THE DAY**

P: O God,

C: the protector of all who trust in you, without you nothing is strong, nothing is holy. Embrace us with your mercy, that

with you as our ruler and guide, we may live through what is temporary without losing what is eternal, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen

WELCOME AND COMMENTS ON THE DAY

FIRST READING

Malachi 4:1-2a

Psalm 98

SECOND READING

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

"Alleluia..."

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***HOLY GOSPEL**

Luke 21:5-19

***GOSPEL RESPONSE**

Glory to you, O Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ

SERMON

***HYMN OF THE DAY**

"Here I Am, Lord"

#574 ELW

***APOSTLES' CREED**

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OFFERING

***OFFERTORY PRAYER**

P: Blessed are you, Maker of all things.

C: As you have entrusted us with all that you have created, now gather our gifts, nourish us with this sacrament, and send us to those who hunger and thirst, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Petitions end: Lord, in your mercy,

Response: receive our prayer.

***OUR LORD'S PRAYER**

***RECESSIONAL SONG**

"Amazing Grace"

#779 ELW

***GOD'S BLESSING**

P: The God of peace, who creates all things and calls them good, who makes us alive in Jesus, and who breathes on us the Spirit of hope, † bless you now and forever..

C: Amen

***DISMISSAL**

P: So now together, we go out into God's great creation, and with the power of the Holy Spirit, ever present in our hearts, let's change some lives.

C: We will! Alleluia!

SENDING SONG

"Go Now In Peace"

Projected

Postlude

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Please remain in the Sanctuary until all the candles are extinguished. Thank you.

**Our Saviour's Lutheran Church Invites You To:
Belong – Believe – Become – Be a Blessing**

Custodian: Jesse Engesmoe
Office Manager: Cheryl Norquist
Organist/Handbell Choir: Karen Olsen
Digital Projection: Linda Kockelman & Dawn Ourada

Choir Director: Pastor Levi Bollerud
Treasurer: Brenda Lothert
Guest Accompanist:
Lector: Mary Melby
Videographers: Mark Fokken, Rick Bueltel, & Jon Hanson

For *November* the *Eternal Lights* burn in the Sanctuary and Chapel in loving memory of *Chris Blackwelder's birthday on November 4th*. Given by Richard & Linda Blackwelder.

The *Television Broadcast* for today is in loving memory of *Marlys Norquist's birthday*, which would have been *on November 13th*.

Given by Cheryl, Jenna, Troy, Hadley, Falon, Piper, Tripp & Wells.

November Mission Calendar

4th: In loving memory of *Chris Blackwelder's birthday today*. Given by Richard & Linda Blackwelder

13th: In loving memory of *Marlys Norquist's birthday today*. Given by

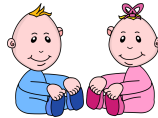
Cheryl, Stacy, Zach, Troy, Jenna, Hadley, Falon, Piper, Tripp & Wells.

We ask God's guidance and prayers for all those who have special needs: Anne Riekema, David Sorby, Paulette Johnson, Karen Wendroth (Sherri Full's sister). Shirley Markegard, Charlotte Thompson, Nick Benson, Karen Ouverson Pohlen, Bonnie Olson, Aiden Conrad, Debra (Haugen) Galecki, Troy Hoffman, Kara Mortenson, Ken Club, Fred Full, Myrna Tesch, Patty McLain (Sherri Full's sister), Lyla Nelson, Nina Benz, Katrina Vick, Debbie Cornell, Dane Nordquist, Delroy Thompson, John Cornell, Joyce Brouwer, Mary Adler, Robert Kokesh, Fern Emmons and granddaughter Gabrielle, Fran Beecher, Patricia Hoffman, Bruce Garrels, Karin Livermore, Deanna Stephenson, Dean Hedge, Sandra Nelson, Sherry Olson, Linda Vlaminck and all whom we name before you in our hearts. May God strengthen all who are in need.

We continue to pray for the Leaders of the Nations, for all the Peacekeeping forces and especially for the service men and women connected with OSL, both those who remain deployed and those who now feel the safety of home: Andrew Fokken, Anthony Nemitz, Cody Dinius, Ross Larson, Nicole Nelson (granddaughter of Larry & Joanne Nelson), Ethan Webster, Tony Geier, Ryan Stoks, Nicholas Schultz, Tony Nelson, Kirk Larson, Ryan Otto, Tyson Coil, Christopher Oellien, Stephanie Geier. **May God continue to strengthen these committed military personnel and their families.** If anyone has been omitted or you would like to add a name, please contact the church office. We ask God to surround them and their loved ones with His love and presence.

**At Our Saviour's we have many ongoing opportunities to
"BELONG - BELIEVE - BECOME - BE A BLESSING"
Here are some ways you can do that during the month of November:**

A Cry Room is available during the morning worship service for infants to 3 years. It is located off the chapel and is wired for sound enabling you and your child to offer special activity bags for them to borrow during the congregation in the pews. These **activity bags** can be the back of the last pew.



participate in the service. For older children, we worship service, encouraging them to join the found at the back of the sanctuary hanging on



Santa's Sleigh 2022

YMC residents with children (ages 17 and younger) who need our help this Christmas will need to complete an enrollment form for the Santa's Sleigh program by picking up an application at YMC Family Services or by calling their offices at **320-564-2211** and **request an application be mailed.** They may also send an email to santas.sleigh@co.ym.mn.gov. **The deadline for applications is Thursday, December 1, 2022.** If you are interested in providing a monetary donation to this program you may drop those off at YMC Family Services drop box or mail them to: **Santa's Sleigh, c/o Family Service Center, 415 9th Avenue, Suite 202, Granite Falls, MN 56241**

Anyone wishing to sponsor a family or be a volunteer Santa's Sleigh shopper may use the same contact information listed above.



*Please recycle your nonworking holiday lights and any electrical cords for the **Canby DAC**. There are **green collection bin** located right outside the church office, and at Jim's Market, or you can drop them off at the DAC! We will provide work and wages for our individuals with disabilities to recycle them.*

Thank you!

CALENDAR

Sunday, November 13th : 23rd Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:30 a.m. Coffee Bar available prior to worship
- 9:00 a.m. Worship
- 10:10 a.m. Coffee Talk
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. 7th & 8th Grade Confirmation

Monday, November 14th: Pastor's Sabbath Office Closed

8:30 a.m. Pastor Levi – Hospital Board Meeting

Tuesday, November 15th: Office hours 2p-5p

9:00 a.m. Prairie Conference Rostered Meeting

Hope Lutheran, Minneota

Wednesday, November 16th: Office hours 2p-5p

5:30 a.m. 9th Grade Confirmation

7:00 p.m. SONSHINE Practice

Thursday, November 17th: Office hours 2p-5p

5:00 p.m. Depot Fundraiser – Spaghetti Supper - OSL

Friday, November 18th: Office hours 2p-5p

Jr. High Youth Gathering - Willmar

Saturday, November 19th

5:30 p.m. SONSHINE Practice

Sunday, November 20th: Christ the King

8:30 a.m. Coffee Bar available prior to worship

9:00 a.m. SONSHINE Worship with Holy Communion

10:10 a.m. Coffee Talk

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Monthly Giving Report for October

Total Giving Needed Each Month:	\$ 23,438.10
Simply Giving for the Month	\$ 4,984.38
Weekly offering received for the Month	\$ 11,020.63
Total Giving for the Month:	<u>\$ 16,005.03</u>
Monthly Surplus/Deficit:	\$ - 7,433.07
Thrivent Choice Deposits (YTD 10/31/2022)	\$ 1,266.00
Total Giving (YTD 09/30/2022):	\$202,648.98
Noisy Coin Offerings: (YTD 10/31/2022)	\$ 2,526.89

Cornerstone Fund Balance as of 10/31/2022: \$27,885.53

If you would desire a pastoral visit for any reason, please call the **church office at 507-223-5528**. If you have an emergency, i.e, hospital or family issue, please call **Pastor Levi's cell phone at 701-367-7072**.

GIVE+Online.....

We invite you to consider our new **electronic giving program** as a way to automate your **regular weekly offerings**. Electronic giving is convenient for you and provides much-needed consistency for our church. There is no cost for you to participate. To get started you will need to sign up in the link on the front page of our website (oslcanby.org) or you may call the office 223-5528 for assistance.