

Our Savior's Voice

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

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Vision Statement:

***We are a church centered in Christ,
inviting all into a community of worship,
nurturing all to be disciples of Jesus.
Together we reach out to make a difference
here and throughout the world.***

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Summer Worship Changes

Memorial Day weekend (May 29)
through Labor Day weekend (September 4)

10:30 worship moves to 10 AM
Saturday and 8 AM remain the same

Masks are NOT currently required, but if you feel safer with a mask, we encourage you to wear one!

Meanwhile...

Virtual worship options

We **Zoom 10:00 AM Sunday worship** (check out our home page for the link and have your Communion elements handy!)

We also record the Saturday worship and post it later that evening as a YouTube. You can access this worship through our web site: www.oursaviorswestsalem.org/videos. You can watch any time, and you can even catch up on previous weeks.



Pastor's Reflections

As Pastor Jean embarks on her sabbatical, I'm going to try something different this summer. It might work. It might not. Regardless, I'm going to try. But more on that in a moment. First...

It's just past "mid-May," and spring has sprung! The temps are rising, the rain is gently falling, and the world is alive! It doesn't get any better than this!

Or does it? Look at the headlines – Covid cases are rising again, the war in the Ukraine continues, the economy may be heading for a recession, and – I'm serious – there is a case of "Monkeypox." And on top of all that, I need a new lawnmower!

Yep, life sure is grand!

In the face of all that, it seems more like the onset of "bummer" rather than "summer." And after 2+ years of stress, conflict, and uncertainty, hope is hard to find. What's there to hope for when it just seems like we are on a treadmill heading ... nowhere?

But there are signs of hope. Sometimes those signs are exactly what we expect. We look, we see, we discern that God is at work in our world, and in our lives. Like a spiritual experience in worship, or a stunning sunset, or the presence of someone special who picks us up and carries us for a while.



Other times the signs of hope come in surprising places. They wow us, and remind us that God works in very mysterious, and frequently very unexpected ways. Like the “pick-me-up” from someone who we never thought “had it in them.” Or the troubling, difficult moment that suddenly revealed itself to be “God at work.”



And then there are the moments that are signs of hope, fairly obvious, but also seemingly insignificant and unimportant. A moment of “so what,” yet nonetheless a moment, a sign of hope in a broken world. I had one of those today!

Last week we planted around the house, both annuals and some vegetables. They are doing fine, and they should. We bought the “ready-made plants,” carefully placed them in the soil, and between my watering and the gift of rain, they’ve been nurtured five out of the past six days. I expect some growth. No real sign there.

But then there was the last pot. Rebecca had come into possession of a packet of seeds. We planted them too, watered like we did the others, and waited ... and there, earlier today, I saw them. Two plants breaking the surface of the soil. And I’m watching for more.



Big deal, right? Isn’t that what seeds, planted in soil, and watered regularly are supposed to do?

Sure! They did what they are supposed to do. Predictable and, quite frankly, a bit boring. And hey, two small seeds in a pot on Remington Street in West Salem, germinated like they are supposed to do – what else, but insignificant and unimportant. We have real problems in the world and I’m supposed to get excited over two small seeds doing their job?

Yet, those two small seeds, insignificant and unimportant, even boring, are indeed a sign – a big sign. They are a sign that even in the “run of the mill,” day to day living, God is still at work!

Frequently, we look for something really impressive, the flashy work of a God who does the big stuff really well. But my day to day life is filled with lots of little stuff, and that’s the stuff that makes life rich and full. Where no one else is watching, God is at work. In the overlooked, insignificant, unimportant, boring moments, a sign that life is still in God’s hands.

I saw the plants growing, and pondered, just for a moment – I was already a bit late for our worship at Salem Terrace – how even in these wearying days, there in a small pot, God is at work. And if God can be at work even in the insignificance of two simple seeds, God can be – and is – at work in my life!

Just a simple sign. A simple gift. Thank you, gracious God!



Which brings me back to where I started. My “summer experiment.”

I’d like to try something. Each Wednesday, beginning June 8, from 6-7 PM, at least for the month of June (we’ll see after that), I’m going to head over to the Prayer Labyrinth. Come and join me. Bring a chair, a beverage or snack, and your Bible. No formal, in depth, “let’s all be Bible scholars” Bible study. Instead, just an easy, low stress, relaxing time to read, share, and pray. I’ll pull out a few of my favorite Bible passages and stories, and we’ll see what nuggets we can find – reading, but also sharing our own insights, and our own faith stories (really, I want to hear your journey). And maybe, in the midst of our

tense, uncertain world, to also see a few seeds beginning to sprout. To see a sign or two, signs that might otherwise seem insignificant and unimportant, but signs nonetheless that God is at work in us, in our world, and in our corner of the world.



If the weather doesn't cooperate, we'll move indoors. But either way, we will just relax, take some time, hear God speak, and see God at work.

Join me – *and let's together watch the seeds grow!*

Pastor Jon



Pastoral Acts:

- Baptism – Harrison Charles McClintock – April 30
- Baptism – Eleanor Dawn Koenen – May 7
- Baptism – Archie Aaron Bungartz – May 29
- Funeral – James Johnson – May 27



Thank You to our Sunday School teachers!

This has been a strange year for all of us and we had to be flexible and creative in order to get our children back in the building for Sunday School. Our teachers did a great job adapting to the new routine. We are grateful for their willingness to share their love of God with the kids. We couldn't have done it without their dedication and care!!

Thank you to:

PreK/Kindergarten - Erin Hebrink & Kamryn Kane
1st Grade – Lindsey Gilberts
2nd Grade – Amanda Vick
3rd Grade – Stacey Sjoquist
4th Grade – Mariette Stefferud
5th Grade – Eric Iliff
Substitute – Brenda Skittone



Confirmation Ministry

Confirmation classes have concluded for 2021-2022. A huge “thank you” to kids, parents, and our guest instructors. A really big “thank you” to **Corey Sjoquist** for leading the 6th graders again this year.

Classes will gather again in September – watch for details, or contact the church office. We ALWAYS have room for more!



Planning ahead ...

It may only be June, but it's never too early to start thinking about the fall ... *really, it's not!*

With the expectation that Sunday School will be back every week and the kids will be singing in worship again, we need folks who have a love for kids and a love for Jesus! Young or old, parent/grandparent or not, you can be that caring role model for our children.



We are looking for ...

- ♥ **Team Teachers** – the lessons and activities are scripted, there will also be a time for a video and music. Our goal is to have **two teachers** for each grade to make scheduling easier.



- ♥ **Music Leader** – the kids learned new songs using videos that we hope to share with the congregation during the coming school year.

If you would like to be a part of our Sunday school ministry, ***we would love to have you.*** Talk to Pastor Jon, Eric Iliff, or Wendy Amundson for more information.



Sugar Creek Bible Campers

Please keep the following youth who will be attending Camp in *June* in your prayers:

June 19-24

Paige Christianson
Candace Drury
Chloe Drury
Anna Gross
Amy Stefferud

June 26-July 1

Charlie Fullwood
Scarlet Fulwood

June 26-28

Beau Kneifl

Please keep the following youth who will be attending Camp in *July* in your prayers:



July 10-15

Bennett Fennigkoh

Alise Jothen	Olivia Sprehn
Lydia Jothen	Adelyn Tlustosch
Graham Sjoquist	Ellie Tlustosch
Mabel Sjoquist	Emelia Tlustosch

July 17-22

Laney Kneifl
Layla Kneifl
Sophia Sprehn

July 24-29

Henry Bakkum
Jesse Jothen
Anya Tenner

July 31-August 5

Marissa Eckland

From the Youth Director ...



Reminders ...

- ❖ **Youth of ALL AGES** - start selling those Scrip cards to add to your family account to help with Sugar Creek costs
- ❖ Sign-up to help with the June Dairy Days food booth
- ❖ Keep an eye on your email over the summer for updates and news

Wendy Amundson, Youth Director
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PEACHES ... They're NOT back ...



We have received word from the peach grower in Colorado that due to extreme price increases in gas and production costs, we would have to charge \$50/case for the peaches. After prayerful consideration, we have decided **NOT** to offer the peaches this summer. We are open to the possibility in 2023, but will wait until next year to see where things are at. We apologize for any inconvenience and are just as disappointed as you are.



Graduates and Scholarships



Congratulations to the recipients of college scholarships from Our Savior's! The following high school seniors have been awarded scholarships for this coming year:

- **Delaney Christianson** attending Viterbo University (Michelson Scholarship)
- **Madeline Janisch** attending UW-Stevens Point (Piper Scholarship)
- **Elsa Mitchell** attending New York University (Michelson Scholarship)

We are pleased and excited to be able to make these awards, assisting these young people in developing the talents and abilities which God has entrusted to their care. We are also grateful to the Michelson and Piper families for providing the resources for the scholarships this year.

Also, we share what our graduates plans are for the future (those that we know):

Adam Chandler – will attend Carroll University studying business analytics & international business

Delaney Christianson – will attend Viterbo University

Madelyn England – will attend UW-Eau Claire studying biology

Kylee Gander – will attend Western Technical College

Justin Hennessey – will enter the workforce

Madeline Janisch – will attend UW-Stevens Point studying communication sciences and disorders

Zack Long – will enter the workforce

CJ McConkey – will attend University of Northern Colorado studying business

Elsa Mitchell – will attend New York University studying engineering

Ryan Nickles – will enter the workforce

Edward Schmitz – will attend WTC studying healthcare electronics

Max Williams – will attend UWL studying chemistry

We are proud of these young people – and of all our 2022 graduates. Please keep them in your prayers as they move forward into new ventures in life!



Prayer Labyrinth

Prayer Labyrinth

As the weather warms, don't forget about the Prayer Labyrinth which Our Savior's has across from the parking lot. It's open, it's free, and it's just waiting for you!

What is a "prayer labyrinth?" A labyrinth is a path that leads from the outside to the center. Not a maze designed to confuse, a labyrinth is instead a way to symbolically leave behind the hustle and bustle of the world, and enter a place of peace and quiet, where one can engage God in prayer and meditation. There's even a bench at the center for a time of reflection!

We invite you to use the labyrinth, and let your friends know that it's there. To follow the labyrinth, find the grassy path between the bricks along the side closest to the side walk...and then follow around and along until you come to the center. And when you are done, follow the path back as you reenter a busy and sometimes very hectic world!

Adult Bible Study

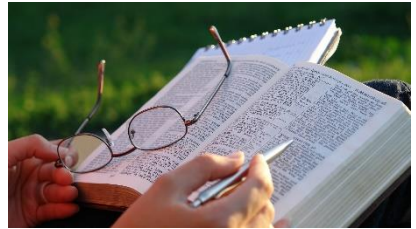


Bible study, live or via Zoom, continues on **Wednesday mornings from 9:30 to 11 AM**. We take time to ponder the gospel reading for the coming Sunday, so each session is “stand-alone.” NO previous Bible knowledge is needed – just come and enjoy some great conversation and “faith-deepening” discussions.

We meet in the Library. If you’d rather join via Zoom, contact the church office or Pastor Jon.

Pastor Jon’s Faves

Time to ... relax ... chill out ... explore ... listen ... and ...relax some more!



Pastor Jon invites you to join him on Wednesdays, beginning June 8, from 6-7 PM at the Prayer Labyrinth across from the church parking lot. Bring a lawn chair, a beverage or snack, and your Bible. We’ll explore some of Pastor Jon’s favorite Bible passages and stories. We’ll do that by reading, exploring, praying, and sharing - lots of sharing! And maybe even a bit of sharing our own faith stories as well.

If the weather doesn’t cooperate, we’ll be in the church – but either way, come and explore, relax, refresh, and be renewed!



Summer Lunch – Feed Our Children

The Feed Our Children Summer Lunch Program is back up and running for summer 2022 serving on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Our current needs are:

Peanut butter, jams and jellies, ranch dressing, fruit cups or pudding cups, animal crackers, Chex mix, veggie straws (bulk or family size is great). And Zip-lock bags (**snack size only** at this time).

There is a drop-off box in the gathering area for your donations.

If you are interested in helping to prepare food, serve or deliver meals, or have other questions, please contact Angie Hemker 608-780-9172 (text is preferred).

Please pray for another successful serving season.



Synod Assembly Offering

During the Synod Assembly Worship at Riverside Park on Sunday, June 12, they will be collecting NEW (in the package) socks and underwear to be shared at Clothes Closets in the Coulee Region.

You are invited to bring these items to church **BY JUNE 10** so our assembly delegates can bring them to the worship. There is a box in the gathering area for your donations.

La Crosse Area Synod Assembly

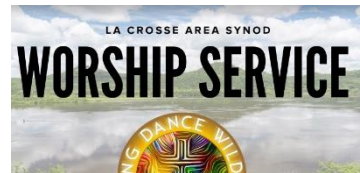
This year it's for you!

The Synod Assembly will be held **June 10-12** at UW-L ... and a few other spots. Jeff and Melissa Haldeman, Vernetta Moe, and Carolyn Karl will serve as voting members, along with Pastor Jon. The assembly will conduct the business of the church, including consideration of our mission priorities, adopting a budget, and electing individuals to positions of leadership, along with worship, workshops, and connecting with others from around the synod. A packed weekend!

YOU, however, can be a part of this assembly! **Workshops on Saturday afternoon, June 11**, are open to all synod members. There is a nominal fee, but lots to pick from!

And then ... **worship on Sunday!**

- *Our Savior's will hold worship on Saturday and Sunday as usual.*
- *But ... we encourage you to join the synod wide worship at Riverside Park, beginning at 10 AM.*
- *Food vendors will be present after worship to facilitate a "synod-wide picnic!"*



SUNDAY, JUNE 12

10:00 AM

RIVERSIDE PARK, BANDSTAND
100 STATE ST. LA CROSSE, WI 54601

FOOD TRUCK PICNIC FOLLOWING

For more information on the assembly, and especially on the workshops and worship, go to:

lacrosseareasynd.org/2022-synod-assembly

Or ... connect with Pastor Jon!

Pastor Jean ***West Conference Dean***



At the recent West Conference pre-assembly caucus, Pastor Jean was elected dean for the West Conference of the La Crosse Area Synod, for a three-year term. As dean, she will also serve on the La Crosse Area Synod Council.

The dean of the conference chairs conference meetings. The dean also serves as a liaison between the synod office and the congregations of the conference, and within the conference.

Pastor Jean's term begins following the synod assembly. As she is on her sabbatical this summer, she will begin her duties in September. And what a coincidence – Our Savior's hosts the September conference meeting!

Congratulations, Pastor Jean!



Sabbatical Update

And, off she goes! Pastor Jean is off on her sabbatical, reconnecting with people, revisiting places, and relearning some old joys and pleasures. She will continue her sabbatical through August, returning to the office August 22. Over the summer months Pastor Jon will lead worship and be present for pastoral needs.

Meanwhile, keep sharing your cookbook recipes as a way of participating in her sabbatical – see the announcement about the cookbook elsewhere in this newsletter.



Seriously ... **Pastor Jon needs your help ...** **... you can do something new ...**

We need your assistance with the following tasks ...

... **Altar Guild** - getting things ready for worship each week – filling candles and changing banners/paraments if needed (but truth be told, we are going to be in the 'green season' for a loooong time!)

www.signupgenius.com/go/20F044CA5A629A7F85-altar

... **Ushers/greeters** – be a welcoming presence to those coming to worship, handing out bulletins, counting how many are in attendance

www.signupgenius.com/go/20F044CA5A629A7F85-ushers1

... **Communion Assistants** – preparing the trays before worship (putting in the cups and filling them with wine/grape juice) and getting the wafers on the plate, helping the pastor serve communion during worship, cleaning up afterwards

www.signupgenius.com/go/20F044CA5A629A7F85-communion

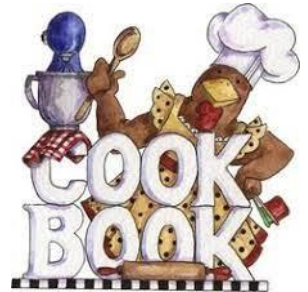
Please use the appropriate SignUpGenius link above or let the pastors know you will share your time with us.

let's get cookin' ...

The first recipes are flying in! It's sooooo exciting!

As part of Pastor Jean's sabbatical, a new cookbook project is on the horizon, but she can't do it alone.

That's where YOU come in ... providing the necessary recipes for a new cookbook. While Pastor Jean is on sabbatical, the congregation is invited to submit your favorite recipe(s), and when Pastor Jean returns, she (along with a few helpers) will compile the recipes and create a new cookbook.



As you share your recipes, you are also invited to **share a short note/comment** about why the recipe is special to you. What's a recipe without a story!

We'll have fun collecting ... and testing ... and maybe even sampling!

Recipe forms are available in the office or on the front page of the church website. Drop your submissions off in the office, send them by email, or drop them in the mailbox by the East Avenue entrance **by July 15.**

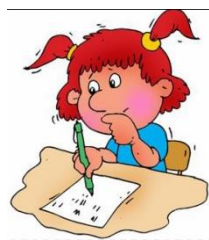


Let's have some fun

Get in on the action

See your name in print

Sunday School kids you are invited to be a part of Pastor Jean's new **COOKBOOK** project.



Here's what you need to do ...

- ♥ Tell your parents what your favorite food is
- ♥ Ask them to fill out the **RECIPE** form
- ♥ Put **YOUR NAME** on it as the one submitting it
- ♥ At the end of the recipe, tell me **WHY** it's your favorite
- ♥ Turn it in to church (office, email, website)
- ♥ Get a token for an **ICE CREAM** at LeCoulee Cheese Castle

If you have more than one family member in Sunday School, each one can submit a different recipe and get a token.



DEADLINE to submit – **JULY 15**

Let's see how many Sunday school kids we can get in our new book!



**Why should the kids
have all of the fun?**

**The rest of you can
get in on the action
too ...**



and to “sweeten the pot” ...



For every recipe you submit, you will be “entered” into a drawing for a gift card ... we will break it down by “age-decade” (i.e. 20-29, 30-39, etc.). So ... don’t forget to include your age-decade ... and don’t forget to include your story!

June Dairy Days



June Dairy Days is approaching quickly! The festival is June 3, 4, and 5 and we hope you can volunteer for both the Fun Run and the Food Stand.

The **Fun Run** is held Saturday, June 4.

- Volunteers are needed to help with registration, set-up, and serving as crossing guards from 6:30 - 9:30 AM. Sign-up sheets are available at church or contact Judy Gilbert to indicate your ability: (608) 797-3001



- Runners/walkers are also needed for the 5K or 5 Mile run or walk! Registration is open:

www.eventbrite.com/e/315637539377

Online registration is open through the morning of June 4. Spread the word!

AND ...

There are LOTS of opportunities to help at the **Food Stand** (at Village Park) which serves food all weekend. Grillers, servers, ticket workers, window workers, and shift leaders are needed. Youth and their families are especially encouraged to help out on all shifts. Sign-up sheets for helping are available at church and online at:

<https://signup.com/go/DZmNnUq>. In order to indicate you're with our group, please add "**OSLC**" after your name so we know which folks are coming from which area church. Families can sign up for several spots in the same shift.



Tech Project Delays ...

As with so many other things in our world these days the Tech Project has encountered some delays. We are awaiting some final components, but also encountering some installation delays due to labor shortages. Please be patient as we look forward to enhancing our worship. Meanwhile we continue to do what we can to produce a quality virtual worship experience via YouTube.

Thank you to all who have supported this project with financial gifts, and for those who have assisted in producing our current virtual worship experience. A special thanks to Dean Olson for working long and hard to make this project happen!

For more information on the project see Pastor Jon or Dean Olson.



La Crosse Area Synod School of Theology Summer Sessions – 2022

Thursdays, 6:30 – 8 PM, via Zoom

Sessions are offered at no cost; one or more sessions can be taken – each session is “independent” of the others.

Sessions focus on issues of importance in our world, using the applicable social statements of the church as a point of reference.

June 16: Church, politics, and Government

Joel Miller, synod contact for the task force developing a statement on “Government and Civic Engagement.”

June 23: Hunger

Kathy Ingbritsen, pastor, and member of the La Crosse Area Synod Hunger Subcommittee.

July 7: Criminal Justice

Dawn Bartusch, Professor at Valparaiso University, member of the team that drafted the 2013 social statement on the criminal justice system.

July 14: War and Peace

TBA

Register with the synod office
(melanie@lacrosseareasynod.org) to receive the Zoom link.
Or see Pastor Jon!



Thank you ...

...to the May newsletter mailing crew – Connie Blunck, Carolyn Karl, Vernetta Moe, Velma Schmidt, and Marion Twite-Stensven.

... to Melody Schmitz for coordinating and baking for the coffee hour May 8. Thank you also to Lynette Ender, Tiffany Janisch, and Jim Michelson for providing baked treats.

... As the church garden plot enters its fourteenth season we once again thank Todd Michael for his initial spring tillage.

Received from others ...

Hello, I am sending this email to say thank you for the card and gift card. Thank you so much! Hope all is well! Thank you,

Trenton Foreman

Thank you for thinking of me during this semester's finals! After a very fast-paced and challenging semester, I am very excited to graduate this December. I am looking forward to seeing you this summer! Take care!

Emily Steele

Thank you very much for the Culver's gift card. I greatly appreciate it. I am thankful to have people back home t thinking about me. Take care,

Liam Sjoquist

In Loving Memory

Memorial Gifts Received ...

In Memory of Chuck Paulson

From LaVerne Paulson



Audit Committee Report

The Audit Committee has completed an audit of the church's accounts and financial practices. In conducting the audit, the committee reviewed the WELCA account, the Quilting account, the Youth account and selected months of the general fund account. The committee also reviewed financial procedures for handling, counting and depositing offerings; procedures for payroll, payments to vendors and accounts payable; procedures for IT access and backup; procedures for the Youth account, including Scrip cards. The committee did not find any account irregularities and found that procedures and internal controls in place are generally adequate to protect the finances of the church. The congregation council has adopted the recommendations from the committee.



Church Council

Congregation Council

The Congregation Council met on Monday, May 9, with President Jen Linse presiding. At this meeting the council:

- Shared in devotions centered on Revelation 21:5.
- Continued in conversation around Youth Ministry.
- Approved the minutes of the April 11 Council Meeting, and received the April financial reports.
- Heard an update from the pastors, including observations on recent congregational life.
- Heard an update on Pastor Jean's sabbatical planning, including plans for a congregation cookbook.
- Heard an update on the tech project.
- Received a report from the Audit Committee indicating that the books are in order, and adopted several recommendations from the committee.
- Decided to recommend that due to the significantly increased cost, the peach sale be suspended for this year.
- Discussed the summer council schedule. Council will meet at the fire pit in June (weather permitting) and not meet in July.

The next meeting of the council will be held Monday, June 13th at 7 PM. If you have questions, or if you have ideas for enhancing the ministry of Our Savior's, contact Jen Linse or one of the pastors.

Ukrainian Relief



The continued warfare in the Ukraine has displaced millions, and left millions more without food, water, or adequate shelter.

Lutheran World Relief (LWR) works with partner churches in Eastern Europe, providing resources to meet those needs. By working with those already on the ground, who know the needs the best, LWR is very effective in making a difference.



**LUTHERAN
WORLD RELIEF**

You can join LWR's work through your financial gifts. Mark your gift "Ukraine," and we will forward it to LWR. You will save lives!

On behalf of God's people who are suffering, *thank you for your support!*

Scrip Cards News

Now available ... Culver's Scrip cards – \$5, \$10, \$20 and \$25! We earn 10% on the purchase of each Culver's card. Grab a card and enjoy a *Butterburger* and frozen custard!



Don't forget we continue to have Kwik Trip, Kwik Trip car wash, Woodman's, and Ship Shape car wash cards.

KWIK TRIP



Proceeds go to help World Hunger and Our Savior's Youth programs – ***think Sugar Creek Campership support!***



THANK YOU
FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Financial Support Ministry

THANK YOU!!! *Thank you for your continued financial support of our ministry together!* You make a difference in the lives of children and adults, in those across the globe, and those right here in our midst.

For example ... your support allows us the space and facilities to carry out our “**summer lunch ministry**” with West Salem kids. And then, your support of the ministry itself provides the meals to feed those who really need a good meal during the summer months. On behalf of hungry, and sometimes “on their own” kids, thank you!

Financial gifts can be shared in worship, by mail, or placed in our locked mailbox. You can also make gifts electronically. Go to www.oursaviorswestsalem.org/giving to find out more!

***Thank you for your support.
We are grateful for your partnership as
we proclaim the good news of Jesus Christ!***



Check it out!

Changes have been made to our on-line and mobile giving! Current recurring gifts already set up will continue as before, but new gifts and any changes need to go through the new app. From the giving page on our website, you can link directly to Vanco. If, however, you use the mobile app, you now need to download the new “Vanco Mobile” app. All of your passwords stay the same. For more information contact the church office.

amazon smile Shopping Online?

Our Savior’s has an account with “Amazon Smile.” If you shop with Amazon, you can support our work together by designating your “Amazon Smile” contribution to Our Savior’s.



Thrivent Choice Dollars

Remember that if you are a Thrivent member you may have “Thrivent Choice Dollars” to direct. Our Savior’s is one of the many potential recipients of your choice dollars, but your direction needs to be made each time. A number of Our Savior's folk direct their choice dollars – do you? See Thrivent’s web site for more information or stop by the office and we will help you out.

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Karen DeSchepper, Financial Secretary

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Care and Share Food Pantry

The Care and Share Food Pantry is open Saturdays, 10 AM to Noon. Food can be dropped off during office hours. Thank you!



Newsletter Deadlines – June 15 (for July) August 4

Due to sabbatical and vacation schedules, there will be no regular August newsletter, but a mid-August update is planned to be published around August 10.

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