

SVLC WORSHIP HELPERS FOR MAR 6

Reader.....Karen Larsen
 Acolytes Brooklyn & Emily Ludens
 Communion Helper Riley Gall
 Live-Stream Operator Maxx
 Organist/Pianist Annet Kropuenske

LOOKING AHEAD

Next Week: March 13

Reader..... Janet
 Acolytes Reagan & Nora Rudd
 Live-Stream Operator Maxx
 Organist/Pianist Annet Kropuenske

March Ushers

- ☞ Randy and Charlene Overgard
- ☞ Tim and Tammy Sorensen
- ☞ Troy and Kayla Larsen

Church Cleaners Mar 6 & 13

Linda Larsen, Ashley Larsen, and Kayla Larsen

Readings for March 13: Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18, Psalm 27, Philippians 3:17-4:1, Luke 13:31-35

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 Acolytes Olivia & Godwin
 Communion Helpers..... Acolytes
 Pianist/Organist Melanie Parsons
 Live Stream Maxx

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 Acolytes Thea & Piper
 Pianist/Organist Melanie Parsons
 Live Stream Maxx

March Committee Of The Month

- ☞ Matt and Denise Graves
- ☞ Neal and Jenny Hanson
- ☞ Jon and Krista Schaeffer
- ☞ Derek and Jenna Hight

Wednesday Lenten Worship Schedule

March 9	"The Wound of Betrayal"		
Time: 7:00PM	Preacher: Reverend Daryl	Location: Bethany Lutheran Church	
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March 23.....	"The Wound of Denial"		
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March 30	"The Wound of Mockery"		
Time: 7:00PM	Preacher: Reverend Max	Location: United Methodist	
April 6	"The Wound of Abandonment"		
Time: 7:00PM	Preacher: Reverend Val	Location: Spring Valley Lutheran Church	

Viborg Lutheran Announcements

NEEDED! (OSLC) We are seeking a new Sunday School teacher. The new teacher could teach any of the grade levels they would like. Our class levels are: PK- 1st, 2nd - 4th, 5th - 6th Please talk with Belinda or Michelle if you are interested in helping our children learn about God.

Get the latest Sunday School updates! (OSLC) Get Sunday School updates and notifications right on your phone! If you have a smart phone, go to the link <https://rmd.at/b473dg> and follow the instructions to sign up. If you DON'T have a smart phone, text @b473dg to 81010. If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @b473dg to (424)216-5096

The Food Pantry (OSLC) is in need of the following items:

Facial tissue, toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste & toothbrushes, lotion, body wash, canned items, toaster pastries, cereal bars, granola bars, cooking oil, mayo, salad dressings, ketchup, sauces ie. soy, worchestershire, etc., spices, peanut butter, jelly, pastas, rice (not instant), Ramen noodles.

We do have a refrigerator and a large freezer so meats, cheese and other items may be donated as well. Thank you in advance for any help you can give.

March 5 - Kids Korral 5 to 5:30PM - 11:00PM



Drop your kids off at the Parish Hall so you can have a date night! The VCIS Youth will be providing snacks and games while you enjoy a night out! Free Will donation is encouraged as the VCIS continues to fund-raise for their Mission Trip to Alamosa, CO.

March 13 4:00PM - Swan Lake Christian Camp Annual Meeting. Diane Gubbles a quilter from Coleridge, NE will be sharing "Stories of Inspiration". As her beautiful quilts unfold, so do the stories that lead to their creation. Please RSVP to campoffice@myslcc.com or 605-326-5690 by March 10.

April 1st Danish Museum (OSLC)

The Danish Museum is looking for volunteers to come and dance on April 1st around 6-6:30. Please let Laura Stevens or Belinda Holm know if you are interested. We have one child on the list to start.

Bible Study

Come nourish your bodies with breakfast and your souls with Bible study Sunday mornings 9:30 at the church! (SVLC)



Thank You to all who donated to the food pantry during our "Share the Love" campaign! (SVLC)



The Newsletter is now live at each website.
oslcvib.org/newsletter-archive/
svlcivib.org/newsletters

Please Keep In Prayers

Marilyn Christensen
 Family & Friends of Michelle Ludewig
 Family & Friends of Virginia Hanson



The April newsletter deadline is March 25th. Please submit your information on or before this date! Thanks!

Newsletter Deadline

Words of Institution

The Lord’s Prayer

Distribution of Communion

Lamb of God.. .. pg. 92

Communion Hymn “Chief of Sinners Though I Be” .. LBW 306

Post-Communion Prayer

We give you thanks, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through the healing power of this gift of life; and we pray that in your mercy you would strengthen us, through this gift, in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Benediction pg. 74

Closing Hymn “Lord Jesus, Think on Me” .. LBW 309

Please leave quietly as you feel ready

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Our Savior’s & Spring Valley

Partner Congregations in Lutheran Worship

“A Wounded Savior for a Wounded People”

March 2, 2022 • Ash Wednesday

Welcome/Announcements

Invocation

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness pg. 40

Apostolic Greeting pg. 57

Kyrie pg. 57

Hymn of Praise “This is the Feast” pg. 60

Prayer of the Day

Almighty and ever-living God, you hate nothing you have made, and you forgive the sins of all who are penitent. Create in us new and honest hearts, so that, truly repenting of our sins, we may receive from you, the God of all mercy, full pardon and forgiveness through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading Joel 2:1-2, 12-17

¹Blow the trumpet in Zion; sound the alarm on my holy mountain! Let all the inhabitants of the land tremble, for the day of the Lord is coming, it is near— ²a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and thick darkness! Like blackness spread upon the mountains a great and powerful army comes; their like has never been from of old, nor will be again after them in ages to come.

¹²Yet even now, says the Lord, return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; ¹³rend your hearts and not your clothing. Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and relents from punishing. ¹⁴ Who knows whether he will not turn and relent, and leave a blessing behind him, a grain offering and a drink offering for the Lord, your God?

¹⁵Blow the trumpet in Zion; sanctify a fast; call a solemn assembly; ¹⁶gather the people. Sanctify the congregation; assemble the aged; gather the children, even infants at the breast. Let the bridegroom leave his room, and the bride her canopy. ¹⁷Between the vestibule and the altar let the priests, the ministers of the Lord, weep. Let them say, “Spare your people, O Lord, and do not make your heritage a mockery, a byword among the nations. Why should it be said among the peoples, ‘Where is their God?’”

heard for their many words. ⁸Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. ⁹Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. ¹⁰Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹Give us this day our daily bread, ¹²and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. ¹⁴For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, ¹⁵but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses. ¹⁶“And when you fast, do not look gloomy like the hypocrites, for they disfigure their faces that their fasting may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ¹⁷But when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face, ¹⁸that your fasting may not be seen by others but by your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. ¹⁹“Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, ²⁰but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. ²¹For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Sermon “A Wounded Savior for a Wounded People” Pastor Max Whitehead

Sermon Hymn “O Sacred Head Now Wounded” LBW 117
Apostles’ Creed

Imposition of Ashes

Prayers of the People

Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Create in Me A Clean Heart Pg. 60

Offertory Prayer

Merciful Father, We offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us - our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving pg. 68

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Psalms 51:1-17

¹ Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; in your great compassion blot out my offenses.

² **Wash me through and through from my wickedness, and cleanse me from my sin.**

³ For I know my offenses, and my sin is ever before me.

⁴ **Against you only have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight; so you are justified when you speak and right in your judgment.**

⁵ Indeed, I was born steeped in wickedness, a sinner from my mother's womb.

⁶ **Indeed, you delight in truth deep within me, and would have me know wisdom deep within.**

⁷ Remove my sins with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be purer than snow.

⁸ **Let me hear joy and gladness; that the body you have broken may rejoice.**

⁹ Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my wickedness.

¹⁰ **Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.**

¹¹ Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me.

¹² **Restore to me the joy of your salvation and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.**

¹³ Let me teach your ways to offenders, and sinners shall be restored to you.

¹⁴ **Rescue me from bloodshed, O God of my salvation, and my tongue shall sing of your righteousness.**

¹⁵ O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall proclaim your praise.

¹⁶ **For you take no delight in sacrifice, or I would give it. You are not pleased with burnt offering.**

¹⁷ The sacrifice of God is a troubled spirit; a troubled and broken heart, O God, you will not despise.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 5:20b--6:10

²⁰ Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. ²¹ For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

⁶ Working together with him, then, we appeal to you not to receive the grace of God in vain. ² For he says,

“In a favorable time I listened to you,
and in a day of salvation I have helped you.”

Behold, now is the favorable time; behold, now is the day of salvation. ³ We put no obstacle in anyone's way, so that no fault may be found with our ministry, ⁴ but as servants of God we commend ourselves in every way: by great endurance, in afflictions, hardships, calamities, ⁵ beatings, imprisonments, riots, labors, sleepless nights, hunger; ⁶ by purity, knowledge, patience, kindness, the Holy Spirit, genuine love; ⁷ by truthful speech, and the power of God; with the weapons of righteousness for the right hand and for the left; ⁸ through honor and dishonor, through slander and praise. We are treated as impostors, and yet are true; ⁹ as unknown, and yet well known; as dying, and behold, we live; as punished, and yet not killed; ¹⁰ as sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, yet possessing everything.

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Gospel Matthew 6:1-21

¹“Beware of practicing your righteousness before other people in order to be seen by them, for then you will have no reward from your Father who is in heaven. ²“Thus, when you give to the needy, sound no trumpet before you, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may be praised by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ³But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, ⁴so that your giving may be in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. ⁵“And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. ⁶But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you. ⁷“And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be