

Please Lift in Prayer

- ✝ Eden Lorraine Johnson
- ✝ Family and Friends of Rodney Olsen
- ✝ Gordon Sorensen
- ✝ Barb Larsen
- ✝ Gary Busse
- ✝ Larry Larsen
- ✝ Jerry Pike
- ✝ Ron Fystro
- ✝ Autumn Grace Beaner
- ✝ Karen Voeg Johnson
- ✝ Marin Bultena
- ✝ Beverly Andersen
- ✝ Art Wirth
- ✝ Kobee Sherman
- ✝ Gayle Westergaard
- ✝ Pastor Carol Marohl

Welcome Visitors

We're so glad you're here!

If you'd like to become a new member, please talk to Pastor Max by calling 507.227.4787 (or scan the QR Code below) to talk about what it takes to become a member and to discuss potential dates.

We sincerely hope to see you again very soon!



Announcements

RALLY SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

Hang around after worship today for a fun activity and meal - hot dogs, taverns, and chips will be provided along with additional family provided foods. All are welcome so come and join the FUN!! We sincerely hope to see everyone there! (OSLC)

coffee hour FUNDRAISER
September 17, 2023
before worship

Free Will donation to put in new shades at the Parish Hall. (OSLC)

SVLC WORSHIP HELPERS: SEP 10

Reader..... Mitch Larsen
Acolytes Emily Ludens & Katie Spangler
Live Stream..... Janet Munkvold
Organist/Pianist Annet Kropuenske

OSLC WORSHIP HELPERS: SEP 10

Reader..... Michelle Johnson
AcolyteQuinn
Live Stream..... Maxx
Organist/Pianist Melanie Parsons

LOOKING AHEAD: SEP 17 @ 9:00AM

Reader..... Kellie Zimmerman
Acolytes..... Kaleb Huber & Ryker Larsen
Communion Asst Lilly Huber
Live Stream..... Janet Munkvold
Organist/Pianist Annet Kropuenske

LOOKING AHEAD: SEP 17 @ 10:30AM

Reader..... Ellie Whitehead
Acolyte/communion Asst Curtis
Live Stream..... Maxx
Organist/Pianist Melanie Parsons

READINGS FOR SEP 17 - Exodus 14:19-31, Psalm 103:(1-7), 8-13, Romans 14:1-12, Matthew 18:21

SEPTEMBER USHERS

- ✝ Bud & Tammy Zimmerman, Justin & Tonya Rudd, Brandon & Kelli Zimmerman

SEPTEMBER COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH

- ✝ Chad & Belinda Holm, Loren & Michelle Johnson, James Christofferson, Lydell & Cath Peterson, Nancy Severson

✝ CHURCH CLEANING: SEP 17 - 30

Tammy Zimmerman, Tonya Rudd, Kelli Zimmerman, Amy Christensen, Amanda Goergen

CHURCH WORKDAY at OSLC
We have a bunch of work to do around the property and inside the Parish Hall. We'll be tackling these projects on October 7 at 9:00AM. All welcome!

WEDNESDAYS WITH GOD

2:00 PM Bible Study
3:45 PM Jr. VCIS
5:30 PM Feed the Kids Meal!
6:00 PM Confirmation
7:00 PM VCIS

Parsonage Touchups

HAUNTED HOUSE
2023



Our Thrivent Projects!

We have just two projects for which we are seeking funding assistance:

1. The VCIS Haunted House Fundraiser
2. Parsonage Touch-ups

To learn how you can help, please scan the QR code or visit:

<https://www.thrivent.com/about-us/membership/thrivent-action-teams>

Offering

Offering Hymn "Create in Me a Clean Heart"pg 75

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 Lord's Prayer

Benediction pg 74

Hymn "Beautiful Savior" LBW #518



Happening Wednesdays at 5:30PM
at Parish Hall

It's that time of year again where the kids need to be fed before confirmation. If you are willing and able, please sign up on the sheet in the back. Thank you!



Our Savior's & Spring Valley
Partner Congregations in Lutheran Worship
September 10, 2023 · 15th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome/Announcements

Children Singing (OSLC)

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness ... pg 56

Hymn “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” ... LBW #315

Apostolic Greeting ... pg 57

Kyrie ... pg 57

Hymn of Praise “Glory to God” ... pg 58

Prayer of the Day

O God, we thank your for your Son who chose the path of suffering for the sake of the world. Humble us by his example, point us tot he path of obedience, and give us strength to follow his commands; through Your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Hymn “Oh, that the Lord Would Guide My Ways” ... LBW #480

First Reading ... Exodus 12:1-14

The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, ² “This month shall be for you the beginning of months. It shall be the first month of the year for you. ³ Tell all the congregation of Israel that on the tenth day of this month every man shall take a lamb according to their fathers’ houses, a lamb for a household. ⁴ And if the household is too small for a lamb, then he and his nearest neighbor shall take according to the number of persons; according to what each can eat you shall make your count for the lamb. ⁵ Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male a year old. You may take it from the sheep or from the goats, ⁶ and you shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month, when the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill their lambs at twilight.

⁷ “Then they shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. ⁸ They shall eat the flesh that night, roasted on the fire; with unleavened bread and bitter herbs they shall eat it. ⁹ Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted, its head

Psalms 119:33-40

³³ Teach me, O Lord, the way of your statutes; and I will keep it to the end.

with its legs and its inner parts. ¹⁰ And you shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. ¹¹ In this manner you shall eat it: with your belt fastened, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand. And you shall eat it in haste. It is the Lord’s Passover. ¹² For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, both man and beast; and on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the Lord. ¹³ The blood shall be a sign for you, on the houses where you are. And when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague will befall you to destroy you, when I strike the land of Egypt.

¹⁴ “This day shall be for you a memorial day, and you shall keep it as a feast to the Lord; throughout your generations, as a statute forever, you shall keep it as a feast.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

³⁴ Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart.

³⁵ Lead me in the path of your commandments, for I delight in it.

³⁶ Incline my heart to your testimonies, and not to selfish gain!

³⁷ Turn my eyes from looking at worthless things; and give me life in your ways.

³⁸ Confirm to your servant your promise, that you may be feared.

Second Reading ... Romans 13:8-14

⁸ Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law.

⁹ For the commandments, “You shall not commit adultery, You shall not murder, You shall not steal, You shall not covet,” and any other commandment, are summed up in this word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” ¹⁰ Love does no wrong to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfilling of the law.

¹¹ Besides this you know the time, that the hour has come for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed.

Gospel ... Matthew 18:15-20

¹⁵ “If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault, between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have gained your brother. ¹⁶ But if he does not listen, take one or two others along with you, that every charge may be established by the evidence of two or three witnesses. ¹⁷ If he refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church. And if he refuses to listen even to the church, let him be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector. ¹⁸ Truly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth shall be bound

Sermon ... Pastor Max Whitehead

Hymn “Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart” ... LBW #486

Apostles’ Creed

Prayers of the People

Sharing of the Peace

³⁹ Turn away the reproach that I dread, for your rules are good.

⁴⁰ Behold, I long for your precepts; in your righteousness give me life!

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.

¹² The night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light. ¹³ Let us walk properly as in the daytime, not in orgies and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and sensuality, not in quarreling and jealousy. ¹⁴ But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven. ¹⁹ Again I say to you, if two of you agree on earth about anything they ask, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. ²⁰ For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them.”

The Gospel of our Lord

Praise to you, O Christ