

Our Savior Lutheran's **VOICE** *March 2022*

WELCOME THE CHOLAKS!

Our new assistant Pastor, Rev. Steven Cholak and his bride Stephanie will be arriving in Houston shortly. Pastor Cholak will be formally installed as a pastor of our congregation on March 13, in the morning service, with a reception in honor of the Cholaks to be held in the school cafeteria, directly after the service.

It is a longstanding tradition among our churches that we welcome a new pastor with what is called a "POUNDING." (That is not as ominous as it sounds. It simply meant that the congregation would stock the cupboards with a pound of flour, sugar, coffee, etc. to welcome them to town.) These days, since most people don't use their kitchens, gift cards and good old cash have most often replaced the groceries.

We will present the proceeds of the POUNDING to the Cholaks at the reception. If you want to give groceries there will be a large receptacle in the narthex labeled for that purpose. (No perishable items please! Beverages Lutheran and otherwise are accepted.) If you wish to give a gift card or check just put it in the offering labeled (POUNDING THE CHOLAKS) and we will gather them together to be presented.

Thank you. Let's have a good turnout!

Pastor White



Lent begins Ash Wednesday

Communion Service with the Imposition of Ashes:

March 2, 2022 @ 7:00 PM

A light meal will be served in the School Cafeteria, from 5:30 – 6:30 P.M.

The first day of Lent is called “Ash Wednesday” in all Christian countries of the Western world from the historic ceremony of imposing blessed ashes in the form of the cross on the foreheads of the faithful. In the ancient tradition the pastor pronounces the words of Genesis 3:19 as he places the ashes on the penitent’s forehead. “Memento homo quia pulvis es et in pulverem reverteris.” (Remember, man, that thou art dust and to dust shalt thou return.) The ashes used are obtained from the burning of the blessed palms from the previous Palm Sunday. The designation of this holy day as “Ash Wednesday” dates from the 10th century. Ash Wednesday is a day of solemn confession when the congregation laments the sins of God’s people and makes a commitment to observe the Lenten season as a time of repentance and prayer in preparation for the joyous celebration of the Lord’s resurrection. The ashes of this somber observance are a reminder of our human frailty and mortality and a sign of our repentance, sorrow, and need for grace.

Lenten Wednesday Services

March 9, 16, 23, 30, & April 6 at 7:00 PM

Supper in the Cafeteria from 5:30 - 6:30 PM

Palm Sunday & Confirmation

April 10 at 9:30 AM

Maundy Thursday

April 14 at 7:00 PM with Communion

Good Friday

April 15

Noonday at 12:00 PM

Tenebrae at 7:00 PM

Easter Sunday

April 17 at 9:30 AM with Communion

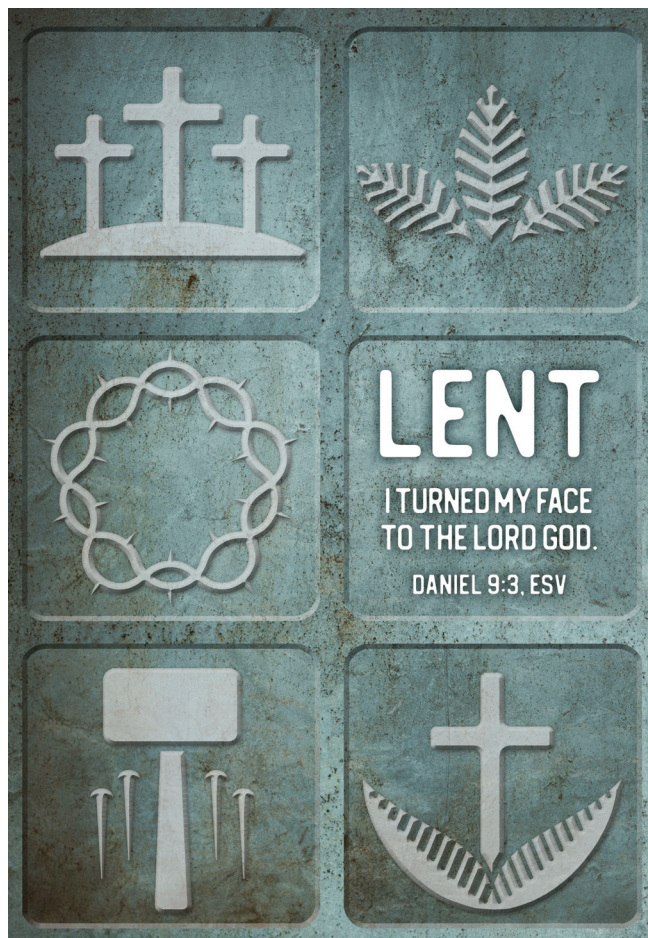
Easter Egg Hunt for the kids



Lenten Wednesday Fellowship Meals!

The Holy Smokers will be cooking up all the meals this Lenten Season, which are served in the **School Cafeteria**, from **5:30-6:30 pm**. We thank all our groups who volunteered to serve and provide cookies/dessert for these meals. Join us each week as a wonderful way for fellowship with your church family.

- **March 02 - ELDERS** will serve The Famous Pork Green Chili
- **March 09 - YOUTH/Parish Ed** will serve Hamburgers
- **March 16 (Spring Break) - LWML Cheerful Helpers** will serve Jambalaya
- **March 23 - BON APPÉTIT** will serve Parmesan Chicken
- **March 30 - FELLOWSHIP** will serve Chicken Fried Steak
- **April 6 - OSL SCHOOL STAFF** will serve Taco Bar



RESURRECTION DAY

Order Easter Flowers

Help celebrate the joy of our risen Christ with flowers in memory of, or in celebration of loved ones, or a special occasion. Your dedication will be printed in the Easter service bulletin.

Fill out this form and turn it in to the church office (mail, offering plate, email: jhester@osl.cc). Each lily or mum is \$10.00. Checks are to be made out to OSL. Flowers may be picked up after the Easter Service, or from the church office Tuesday–Friday, April 19-22.

Dedication deadline for the bulletin is
Palm Sunday, April 10.

Yes, I would like _____ plant(s) @ \$10.00 each =
_____ enclosed.

Name: _____

Dedication: _____

OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN SCHOOL— SERVING FAMILIES FOR JESUS CHRIST

Dear OSL church family,

*He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the Almighty.
I will say to the Lord, “My refuge and my fortress, my God in whom I trust.”* Psalm 91:1-2



We have great news to share! This last week we learned that OSL placed in the top 10 of the Houston Business Journal Top Houston area K-8 Private Schools! Kudos to our staff for their work. This was based on 2020-2021 academic school year results. We were rated A+ by Niche. We give thanks and praise to God for His wondrous gifts and provisions for our school. We thank God for the leadership God provided in Mr. Gerard and the team for their work. Well done! Onwards and upwards to #1!

We are looking forward to our biggest fundraising event of the year, the Eagle Evening. Our PTL has been working tirelessly preparing for the event from procuring items for the auction and assisting the classes in preparing original artwork. We are grateful to our members for their continued support of this event.

Our young athletes have been preparing for the state basketball tournament which ends the winter sports season. We will begin baseball and track season at the end of February. It is a joy to see the excitement of our teams and the spirit of our scholars as they root on their friends to victory.

Our scholars took the MAP test this month. The MAP assesses our scholars three times a year to monitor progress. It gives the teachers and administrators data that assists us in identifying the academic needs of our scholars and helps us format our curriculum to better serve our student body. We communicated the results with our families in mid-February with resources to enrich and strengthen their child's academic success. We are blessed with assessments like this to ensure that our scholars achieve academic excellence, and our school is providing the supports they need.

We have administrators and teachers serving on accreditation site teams this year. It is an honor to be requested to serve, and it is a blessing to the school to have our leaders support our neighboring Lutheran schools. Schools blessed by our team are Gethsemane Lutheran Preschool-Houston, Westlake Preparatory Academy-Katy, Messiah Lutheran School-Keller, Prince of Peace Lutheran School-Carrollton, and Memorial Lutheran Preschool-Katy. OSL leaders benefit by developing their skills and observing best practices of other Lutheran schools that may be applied here on our own campus.

We rejoice with a school family whose daughters, 1st and 3rd grade scholars, were baptized this month after church! We are thankful their parents have brought these dear children to the saving waters of baptism through the ministry of our school.

Our re-enrollment began at the start of January. Our retention of OSL scholars is currently trending very high. We are blessed to continue to serve the families who are here. Mrs. Guevara is giving several tours each week, new families are applying, and children are being scheduled for placement testing. We look forward to providing you with exciting enrollment numbers in March. We will be “signing” our Prekindergarten scholars into the K-8 school at the beginning of March and April. It is a great blessing to have children in our ECE continue into our K-8 school, and we are making it a memorable event for these scholars.

Thank you for your continued prayers, support, and encouragement of our school. You bless us with the opportunity to serve our OSL and Houston area children. Look for our “Pray for Us” insert in the bulletin at the start of National Lutheran Schools Week in March. We request that you put this list in your Bible and you remember our scholars and our staff in your prayers.

In His service to the saints at OSL,

Kate Thaelke, principal

FROM OUR ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS:

I am currently serving in my 28th year at Our Savior and I am grateful for the opportunity to continue to serve Our Savior in the role of assistant principal. I will continue in my role as athletic director and will also take on the responsibilities of Facilities, Discipline, and our House system. I am excited to see Our Savior growing and the opportunity that it provides for us to spread God's Word.

Jeanene Lunsford

This is my fifteenth year at Our Savior as Early Childhood Director, and I'm looking forward to my added role of assistant principal and the opportunities it will provide. In this new role, I will assist Mrs. Thoeke and our leadership team in the daily operations of the school as well as helping to move forward the vision for our school and its growth. Our God is faithful and has blessed OSL in so many ways over the years. It is an exciting time to be a part of our school's ministry and it is a privilege and honor to serve our scholars, parents, fellow staff, and church community in my added role of assistant principal.

Lynette Cherington

"To the Glory of God and the Salvation of Man"



Question: ***What's an Awesome Way to Spend an Evening?***

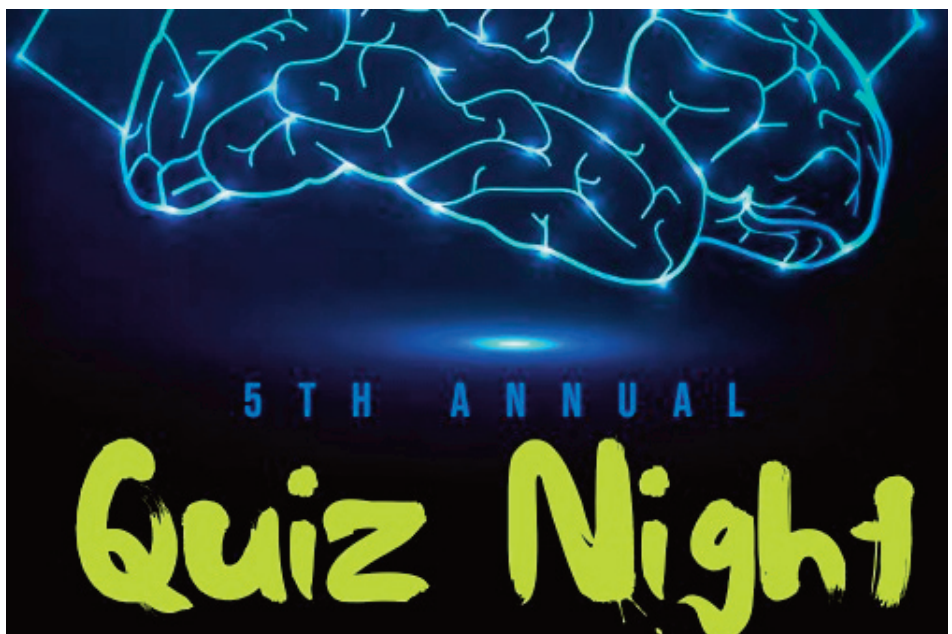
Answer: **Quiz Night at OSL, March 26th, 6:00-9:00pm!**

Your high school youth group, the 4:12, invites you to the 5th Annual Quiz Night on Saturday, March 26, at the OSL school cafeteria. The night begins at 6 pm and ends at 9pm.

Will the two-time winners, No Eye Deer, remain on top? Or will a new champion be crowned? Sign up to find out!

The evening, apart from being great fun, raises money for the 4:12 Higher Things Youth Conference this July in Montana. Quiz teams consist of 6 people at a cost of \$20 per person (which can be paid the night of). A light supper and snacks will be available for purchase. There are excellent prizes up for grabs throughout the night and for the winning teams. We would love it if you could enter a team in the quiz, or if you cannot please consider sponsoring a round. Child care will also be available for the evening. Please RSVP by March 24th. For questions or to RSVP, contact Pastor Krieg at kkrieg@osl.cc. Let's find out who the smartest members of the OSL community are!

In Christ's Service and Yours,
Pastor Krieg



DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN CHRIST,

We continue this month with our discussion over AC XXIV. Last month we looked at the Lord's Supper and the sacrifice of the mass and other areas of disagreement between the Lutherans and the other churches. This time we will take up the issue of the change in the order of the mass, private masses, and closed communion.

A point made in AC XXIV was the change in the Lutheran service which incorporated German hymns for the congregation to sing. "Nearly all the usual ceremonies are also preserved, except that the parts sung in Latin are interspersed here and there with German hymns. These have been added to teach the people. For ceremonies are needed for this reason alone, that the uneducated be taught what they need to know about Christ." The reason for the change in the service was to help teach the people. For them to learn about the Sacrament and the work of Christ, they had to understand what was being spoken. This is also a good reminder for us as we consider our own liturgy and worship practices. A return to a German language or Latin language service might be nostalgic for some but would not be helpful for the vast majority of those in this country who neither speak nor understand either of these languages.

Another of the concerns the Lutherans had was that of corruption and greed within the Church. They address this in connection with the practice of offering special Masses for a price: "It is clear that for a long time the most public and serious complaint among all good people is that the Mass has been made base and profane by using it to gain filthy wealth [1 Timothy 3:3]. 11 Everyone knows how great this abuse is in all the churches. They know what sort of men say Masses for a fee or an income, and how many celebrate these Masses contrary to canon law." This practice was condemned and rightly abandoned in Lutheran churches.

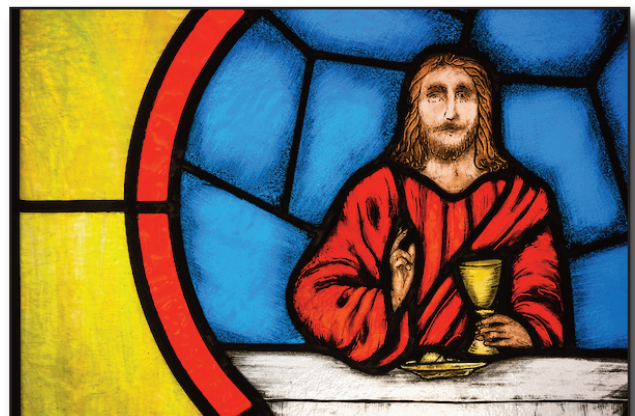
They also speak of the importance of withholding communion from some people: "No one is admitted to the Sacrament without first being examined. The people are also advised about the dignity and use of the Sacrament, about how it brings great consolation to anxious consciences, so that they too may learn to believe God and to expect and ask from Him all that is good." This is seen as judgmental by many in our society, but the practice of close communion is for the benefit of, and out of love for, that person. For that reason, we commune only those who have publicly confessed their shared faith with us and show themselves to be worthy communicants.

Finally, AC XXIV discusses the topic of how often Communion should be offered and or received. "Because the Mass is for the purpose of giving the Sacrament, we have Communion every holy day, and if anyone desires the Sacrament, we also offer it on other days, when it is given to all who ask for it. This custom is not new in the Church." How often should the Lord's Supper be offered in our worship services? How often should it be received? Some have the practice of celebrating Communion once a year; some once a quarter; others once a month or twice a month; some every week; and still others every day. Christ did not give us a specific command, He simply said: "This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me," (1 Corinthians 11:25). While we do not want to take the blessings offered in this sacrament for granted, we should want to receive it frequently so that we may, through worthy reception, obtain those God-given blessings.

This sacrament was instituted "so that those who use the Sacrament should remember, in faith, the benefits they receive through Christ and how their anxious consciences are cheered and comforted."

In Christ's Service and Yours,

Pastor Krieg

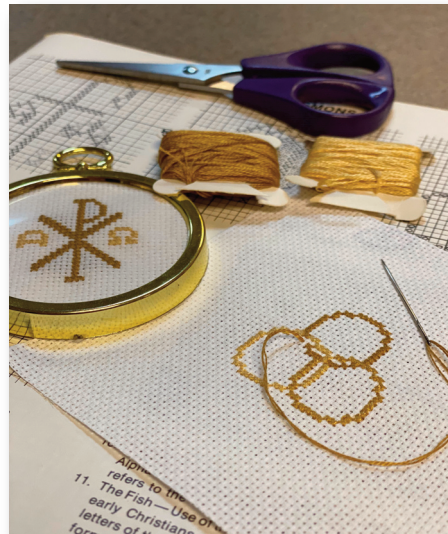


BLANKET REPORT 2021

Here is the report of Blankets crocheted by our churches: OSL 352; Trinity 200; St Mark 135; Zion, Tomball 390; Cindy (not Lutheran) 37; Pilgrim 5; Pilgrim Embroiders "Jesus Loves You" on our blankets. Gethsemane has 1 lady who cuts and hems. The total given to the Big Bus, Baby Bus, and office in 2021 was 1,176! Oct 3, the total blankets given to Houston Coalition For Life was 10,000! OSL has ladies cutting material and hemming. A lady at St Mark's hems most of our blankets, and OSL supplies blanket material and most yarn. Lots of ladies buy their own yarn and thread etc. These blankets are such a blessing to girls who come on the Blue Buses. Thank y'all for your support!

DO YOU CROSS-STITCH OR WANT TO LEARN?

The Board of Parish Education is looking for volunteers to assist with a project of giving a Christmas ornament to each child of Our Savior Lutheran Church. If you would like to help with this project, please contact Sarah at sbaughman@osl.cc for more information.



CELLO RECITAL

Nathan Russ is excited to present his second cello recital here at OSL in the sanctuary on Friday, March 25th at 7 PM. He will be joined this year by several other youth musicians, including OSL's very own Thaelke sisters! Join us for this free recital!

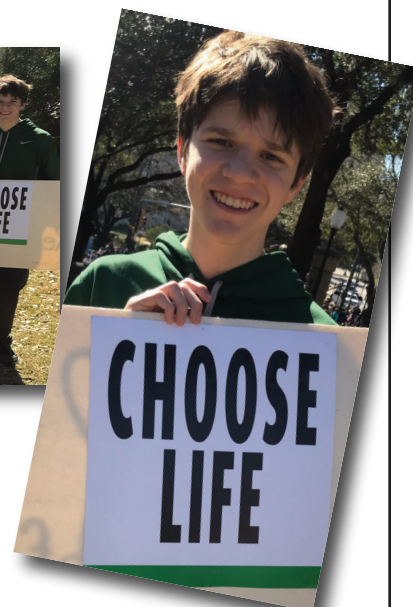


OSL MARCH FOR LIFE

Attending the March for Life in Austin was an incredible experience. Being able to attend with my fellow members of OSL 4:12, and church members made the experience all the better.

On the way to the march, all of the youth sat together in the back of the bus. We were able to connect and get excited for the march. All of the youth held up a pro-life sign and as we walked the streets of Austin. We had the opportunity to listen to some speakers and the governor of Texas. One speaker was a survivor of an abortion. She told us her story, all of the challenges she has had to overcome due to the attempted abortion and why she dedicates her time to fighting for the unborn. The governor spoke about the work that he has done to end abortion in Texas. It was a blessing to be able to attend. We were all able to support the March For Life and have a great time of fellowship.

In Christ,
Anne Thaelke
President OSL 4:12



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| 1 Beverly George
Lucy Tomanek | 12 Colleen Crabtree
Maddison Guevara
Elizabeth Robison
James Smithson | 25 Stephanie Akhtar
Carol Fehrenkamp
Ian Schatte |
| 2 Pablo Garcia Jr.
Mical Renz | | 26 Dean McDaniel |
| 3 Diane Dodson
Karen Lockett
Isaac Priddy
John Schatte
Kate Thaelke | 15 Alan Kleb
Blake Lankford
David Russ
John Zientek Jr. | 27 Chuck Hall Sr. |
| | 16 Michelle Frazier
Tim Gobrogge | 28 Riley Carter
Donald Harrell
Carolyn Mitschke |
| 4 Stephanie Bender | | 29 Elizabeth Campbell
Sharon Kemnitz
Kristen Moehlman
Lovera Roesel |
| 5 Allan Becker
Buddy Domann | 17 David Dodson | |
| 6 Emily Jay
Grayson Greenwood | 18 Kirstie Cheng
Hannah Graham
Mia MacKinnon
Cheryl Straker | 30 Miranda Olivarez |
| 7 Cassidy Horn
Olivia Washington | 19 Bree Lawder
Henry Long | 31 Shaun Downie
Jacob Noack |
| 8 Robert Fritsche Sr.
Cecilia Musgrove
Jordyn Petree
Elizabeth Schoppe | 20 Betty Downie
Shannon Horn
Colin Webb | |
| 9 Ann Marie Curtin
Peyton Lazenby | 21 Jessica Almaraz
Deanne Noack
Nicole Penn | |
| 10 Crystal Copeland
Tara Lehr
Alyssa McKinzie | 22 Dale Hempy
Amy Waiser | |
| 11 Sarah Baughman
Brody Demoss
Brynleigh Demoss
Lacinda Homfeld
Scott Turney | 24 Linda Resendez
Presefni Simon-Thomas | |

March Birthdays

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Worship Sundays at 9:30am

Bible Classes at 8:15 & 10:45am

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Church Office Hours:

8:00 am-5:00 pm, Monday-Thursday

8:00 am-4:00 pm, Friday

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 		1	2 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study-BC 12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline  WEDNESDAY 5:30 PM Lenten Meal-A101 7:00 PM Ash Wednesday with ashes & Holy Communion	3 3:00 PM Prayer Request printing deadline 6:15 PM Carillon Ringers 7:00 PM Church Council-BC 7:00 PM Jubilate Choir 7:00 PM Lutheran Confessions Bible Study Group	4 5:00 PM Wedding Rehearsal	5 8:30 AM Men Alive-A101 10:00 AM Baptisms 10:30 AM Memorial Service 5:00 PM Wedding
6 8:15 AM Bible Class 9:30 AM Matins 10:45 AM Sunday School 12:00 PM Cantate 4:30 PM High School Youth Meeting	7  Lutheran Schools Week 6:30 PM <i>Potter's Vessel</i>	8 8:30 AM <i>Braille</i> 7:00 PM Parish Ed mtg-YR	9 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study-BC 10:00 AM Bible Class-BC 12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline 5:30 PM Lenten Meal-A101 7:00 PM Lenten Service	10 3:00 PM Prayer Request printing deadline 6:15 PM Carillon Ringers 7:00 PM Jubilate Choir	11 OSL School Grandparents Day  9:00 AM Joseph's Guild of Colors-LWML	12 
13 8:15 AM Bible Class 9:30 AM Communion - Cholak Installation 10:45 AM Pastor Cholak Reception 12:00 PM Laudate 4:30 PM Middle School Youth Meeting 	14 OSL School - Spring Break 9:00 AM Joseph's Guild of Colors-LWML	15 Newsletter Deadline 6:30 PM Trustees mtg-BC 7:00 PM Night Circle-FR 	16 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study-BC 10:00 AM Bible Class-BC 12:00 PM Bulletin Deadline 5:30 PM Lenten Meal-A101 7:00 PM Lenten Service	17 3:00 PM Prayer Request printing deadline 6:00 PM Evangelism Meeting - BC 6:15 PM Carillon Ringers 7:00 PM Jubilate Choir 7:00 PM Lutheran Confessions Bible Study Group	18 12:00 PM Young at Heart-BC	19
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A=Gym/Cafeteria • B=Early Childhood Ctr • C=Classrooms • BC=Bible Class Room • FR=Family Room • MR=Music Room • YR=Youth Room • *Italics*=not @ OSL



Those to Serve in March 2022

Acolytes	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Patrick Downie / Aiden Kleb / Giuliana Krieg
Altar Guild	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Lorie Moehlman Team
Carts	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Adams Team
Comm Asst.	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Brad Whiting / Aaron White
Elders	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Team 5 Al
Sound	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Greenwood
Ushers	03/02/22	7:00 PM	Lehr Team
Acolytes	03/06/22	9:30 AM	Jude Morgan / Solomon Waiser
Carts	03/06/22	9:30 AM	Pampell Team
Elders	03/06/22	9:30 AM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/06/22	9:30 AM	Team 1 Lee
Sound	03/06/22	9:30 AM	Blake
Ushers	03/06/22	9:30 AM	Hall Team
Acolytes	03/09/22	7:00 PM	Blake Farr / Lance Holman / Matthew O'Neill
Carts	03/09/22	7:00 PM	Pampell Team
Elders	03/09/22	7:00 PM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/09/22	7:00 PM	Team 1 Lee
Sound	03/09/22	7:00 PM	Whiting
Ushers	03/09/22	7:00 PM	Hall Team
Acolytes	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Heidi Nitsch / Ava Symcox
Altar Guild	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Amanda Crabtree Team
Carts	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Kriegel Team
Comm Asst.	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Brad Whiting / Aaron White
Elders	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Team 2 Ken
Sound	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Witt
Ushers	03/13/22	9:30 AM	Downie Team
Acolytes	03/16/22	7:00 PM	Kaden Resendez / Aryana Reyes / Emma Witt
Carts	03/16/22	7:00 PM	Kriegel Team

Elders	03/16/22	7:00 PM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/16/22	7:00 PM	Team 2 Ken
Sound	03/16/22	7:00 PM	Wilbanks/Blake
Ushers	03/16/22	7:00 PM	Downie Team
Acolytes	03/20/22	9:30 AM	Alexia Gonzales / Lorenzo Gonzales
Carts	03/20/22	9:30 AM	Downie Team
Elders	03/20/22	9:30 AM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/20/22	9:30 AM	Team 3 James
Sound	03/20/22	9:30 AM	Greenwood
Ushers	03/20/22	9:30 AM	Gobrogge Team
Acolytes	03/23/22	7:00 PM	Colleen Crabtree / Kendall Horn / Nathan Russ
Carts	03/23/22	7:00 PM	Downie Team
Elders	03/23/22	7:00 PM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/23/22	7:00 PM	Team 3 James
Sound	03/23/22	7:00 PM	Blake
Ushers	03/23/22	7:00 PM	Gobrogge Team
Acolytes	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Summer Morrissey / Jacob Pampell
Altar Guild	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Clarissa Worthing Team
Carts	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Gavin Team
Comm Asst.	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Brad Whiting / Aaron White
Elders	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
Evangelism	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Team 4 Karl
Sound	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Whiting
Ushers	03/27/22	9:30 AM	Lehr Team
Acolytes	03/30/22	7:00 PM	August Baughman / Abigale Halbert / Abigail White
Carts	03/30/22	7:00 PM	Gavin Team
Elders	03/30/22	7:00 PM	Bruce Blake / John Wilbanks / Bo Guevara / Aaron White
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Ushers	03/30/22	7:00 PM	Lehr Team



Memorials:

Memorials are given in memory of our loved ones for the glory of God to the "Forward Faithfully Fund," unless otherwise noted.

RAY HOBRATSCH

Kathryn Birchman
Fred & Candace Bleeke
Laura Boyd
Gene & Dianne Buchhorn
Sharon Edwards
Linda Friedrich (Music Ministry)
Alan & Sandy Fritsche
Gary & Beverly Hintz (Music Ministry)
Gene & Connie Kunkel (Fritsche DR Mission)
Jeanelle Lee
Evelyn Nitsch
Jim Nitsch
Pamela Panettiere
Ann Putman
Lyle & Karen Schmidt
Arlene Wottrich
Manuel & Geraine Zamora
Gene & Barbara Zoch

MIKE JOLLEY

Janice Jolley

EVELYN KLEB

Wallace Kleb (Music Ministry)

ED NOBLE

Merri Schoppe (Men Alive)

JIM WORTHING

Laura Boyd
Merri Schoppe (Men Alive)

Honorariums:

FRITSCHÉ MISSION

Norman & Debbie Adams
Laura Boyd

WOKOMA - AFRICA SEMINARY

Laura Boyd
Myron & Joanna Karner
St. John Lutheran Church (Hamel, MN)

Thank You!

Dear OSL Family:

Thank you so much for all the love and support you have shown us throughout the illness and homegoing of our father, Ray Hobratch, with your cards, memorials, hugs and condolences. A special thank you to Pastor White and Pastor Krieg for the visits and the beautiful service, and to Jeff Armstrong for the music, Brad Whiting for sound and CDs, and Elders Bruce Blake and Alvin Fritsche. We also thank Lorie Moehlman's Bereavement Team who provided such a nice meal for our extended family, and Sarah Baughman for coordinating all the details. Finally, we thank all the carolers who made Dad's last Christmas extra special. The love of Christ shows through all your efforts, and has given us the comfort and peace to carry on through difficult days. God bless you all!

Barbara Mushinski, Sandra Leger, Sheila Kerns, and Geraine Zamora

MEMBERSHIP CHANGES

from the Elders - February 2022

INCOMING:

Baptisms:

Evelyn Alice Matei 11/28/2021
Lilian Kathleen Noble 12/05/2021
John Everett Cruz 01/2/2022
Elizabeth Tracey Cooper 01/16/2022

Transfer:

Garry & Tina Fritsche currently members of St. Mark Lutheran, Houston.

Weddings:

Madison Lehr & Luke Kachelmeier 11/27/21
Hanna Hepp & Bryan Hall 12/11/2021

OUTGOING:

Deaths:


Steve Fritsche 11/11/2021
Evelyn Kleb 11/13/2021
Mendy Thompson's Dad 12/11/2021
Debby Hobart 11/22/2021
Jim Worthing 12/05/2021
Raymond Hobratch 1/23/2022

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Ash Wednesday

March 2
7:00 PM

Communion Service
with the Imposition of Ashes

Isaiah 53:3
He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief;
and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not.

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