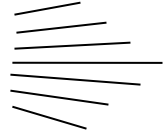




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The monthly newsletter of Our Savior Lutheran Church
1103 N Broad St., Mankato, MN 56001 **OCTOBER 2023**

October is Pastor Appreciation Month

This is a time to reflect on God's goodness and mercy and the gift of our Pastor and other church workers. Show gratitude and support for your pastor, deaconess, secretary, custodian, teachers, church musicians, kitchen workers, gardeners, and others. Offer your help, give them a meal, pray for them.

*Remember your
leaders, those who
spoke to you the Word
of God. Consider the
outcome of their way
of life and imitate
their faith.*

Hebrews 13:7



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Office hours are Monday through Friday (except holidays) from 8:00 am to noon and 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Unless there is an activity or event taking place, please use the Broad Street entrance by the mailbox.

In case of emergency or urgent need, our pastor is available at all hours and all days by calling his cell phone. Please use the office phone for other business. Please also remember that Sunday morning and other worship times are not for bringing church business to other members or staff but for focusing upon the Word and gifts of God. "The seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work." - Exodus 20:10

That which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you too may have fellowship with us; and indeed our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ.

- 1 John 1:3

I am often amazed when I think of the life of the Apostles. They came from humble beginnings. Mostly they were unimportant people from unimportant villages in an unimportant country. They were not particularly powerful or eloquent or intelligent. They were loved by their families and likely their local communities but were basically unknown outside of their own immediate circle.

But from the moment they met Jesus their lives changed forever. They heard the Lord speak, they saw His miracles, they lived their lives with Him. They followed Him. And because of all that the Lord took their lives and made them something astounding. They shared their lives with Jesus with the world. Through their writings, their preaching, and their fellowship in the Church the Holy Spirit brought Christ to the world.

I am even more amazed when I reflect on the fact that everything that I just said about the Apostles is also true of us. We are mostly unimportant people from mostly unimportant places. We are loved by our family and friends, but relatively unknown to the outside world. But we also have encountered the Lord Jesus. We have heard His Word. We have seen His miracles. We live our lives with Him as we follow Him. And as we take the all this that He has proclaimed to us and proclaim it to those around us He also transforms our lives from something seemingly unimportant to something of eternal importance.

All that is to say: contract with Jesus changes people. Then those people pass along the story of their encounter with the Lord which causes other people to encounter the Lord and the process continues in an unbroken chain from the first Apostles all the way down to us. Our place is in a particular spot in that chain, but our task remains the same; to live life with the Lord by hearing His Word and following Him. But make no mistake! In those seemingly mundane things the Lord is accomplishing His task that is of cosmic importance.

Accessions & Losses

Losses:

Brian Lee Schroeder, Hosanna Lutheran Church, Mankato;
LCMS; September 5, 2023

Accessions:

Leonard & Susan Sembach, Calvary Lutheran Church, Sioux
City, IA; LCMS; August 25, 2023

IN LOVING 
Memory

Gale "Ike" Robert Eichhorst
July 28, 1948 ~ August 23, 2023

Kathryn Marie Beyer
May 17, 1928 ~ August 25, 2023

Arlene Ann Wangen
April 10, 1934 ~ September 14, 2023

Planning Council
Minutes of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Mankato
September 12, 2023

Members Present: Matt Brand, Dan Gahler, Valerie Elliott, Nancy Benson, Rob Hobbs, Steve Annis, Denise Painter, Judy Hendley, Mike Blomquist, and Pastor Adam Matheny.

Members Absent: Bev Clark, Doug Haeder, Missy Schultz, and Christine Billiar

1. President Matt Brand called the meeting to order at 6:34 pm.
2. Opening Prayer was led by Pastor Matheny.
3. There was no public/congregational presentation.
4. Bible Study: Psalm 30 led by Matt Brand.
5. Additions/Approval of Agenda: Motion made and seconded to approve the agenda as presented, motion carried.
6. Council Minutes: Motion made and seconded to approve the May 9, 2023, Planning Council minutes as corrected, motion carried.
7. Pastor's Report: Pastor reported the Fall/school year has started and is moving along.
8. Treasurer's Report: President Matt Brand provided summary of reports. Matt noted will borrow from available cash and not designated funds for roof repair. Motion made and seconded to approve the report as presented, motion carried.
9. Unfinished Business
 1. 2023 Budget - President Matt Brand noted Boards are to have their draft budgets to Doug Haeder by October 13th. Doug has provided the boards with budget worksheets. The budget will be presented for approval at the November congregational meeting.

2. Capital Improvement Fundraising Update to Congregation - Nancy Benson will provide the update to the congregation at the 8:00 am service and Dan Gahler at the 10:30 am service on Sunday, September 17th.

10. New Business

1. November Voter's Meeting - Meeting will be November 19th with budget and election of officers and board members on the agenda.
2. ERC Update - Dan Gahler provided update and determination was made we do not qualify for program.
3. Art Committee Presentation Discussion - Denise Painter noted the committee has reviewed the surveys and would like to present to the congregation the concepts/themes for the art. It was determined the presentation will be on the November 19th Congregational Meeting agenda.

11. Board Sharing: **Trustees:** Roof project is nearly done, need to complete trim and finish re-connecting air conditioners; still working on phone system (will take several months); and will paint ceilings impacted by water stains. **Deacons:** Sign-up sheet available for Sunday morning pick up of donuts; looking for more volunteers for preparing Wednesday night meals; working on new member welcome dinner; and need to fill one position on board for next year. **Endowment:** Next quarterly meeting is in October. **Elders:** Evaluating programs and committees.

12. Meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. Meeting adjourned at 8:17 pm. Next meeting is October 10, 2023, at 6:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Valerie Elliott
Secretary,
OSLC Planning Council

Treasurer's Report Commentary Period Ending August 31, 2023

Income and Expense Summary

	Current Month	Y-T-D
Income	\$35,178.78	\$354,184.38
Operating Expenses	-\$42,459.66	-\$347,836.57
LCEF Mortgage Principal Payment	-\$998.32	-\$7,886.71
Net for Period[†]	-\$8,279.20	-\$1,538.90

[†]Positive net value indicates we received more than our expenses, a negative number indicates that we have spent more than we have received for that period (deficit).

Cash Summary

	Amount	Notes
Checking Account	\$78,039.80	Daily checking account Pioneer Bank
Savings Account	\$150,500.95	Interest Savings account Pioneer Bank
Joyful Response	\$59,936.85	Joyful Response deposits and loan payments
Library Fund	\$20,107.12	Certificate of Deposit
Accounts Receivable	\$0.00	
Total Cash Assets	\$308,584.72	
Dedicated Accounts	-\$197,043.12	Amount of our cash balance designated for specific activities
Other Liabilities	-\$4,252.41	Accruals for HSA pmts, youth, etc.
Available Cash Balance	\$107,289.19	\$108,192.90 last month

Long Term Debt (LCEF Mortgage)

Current Balance	\$225,046.12
Monthly Payment	\$1,845.99
Interest Rate (Variable Annually)	4.500%
Pay-off Date	4/2037

Additional Comments: The above tables reflect the newly adjusted mortgage interest rate. Projected payoff date is deferred by about one year due to the higher interest rate.

The cost of the roof repair in excess of earmarked contributions is being paid by borrowing temporarily from other dedicated and undedicated funds, and will be repaid to the account from which it was borrowed, as additional contributions come to the Capital Improvement account.

Respectfully submitted,
Doug Haeder, Treasurer



“Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.” Psalm 95:2

Rehearsals are off to a great start! Did you know we are trying out a new schedule this year? We'd love to have you join us if you are able. Groups meet on Wednesday nights at the following times:

Intro Bells - Kids 3rd grade and up and adults will learn how to play, take care of the bells, and play for worship 3-4 times during the year. They meet in the balcony from 4:45-5:15.

Intro Choir- A mixed-aged choir for anyone 3rd grade to adults, who are interested in learning to sing in a group. Families are welcome! You will learn the basics of music and singing in parts. They rehearse in the chapel from 5:20-5:50.

Handbells- Is open to anyone with some experience reading music. No prior ringing experience necessary! Bells provide special music on several holidays and for 2-3 other worship services throughout the year. The Handbell group meets in the balcony from 5:15 to 5:50.

Vocal Choir- Is open to anyone who would like to sing. The vocal choir sings 1-2 times a month for worship services. They meet from 7:00 to 7:30 in the Sanctuary by the Grand Piano.

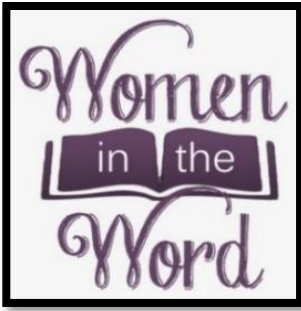
Brass- Anyone who plays a Brass instrument is welcome to join! The Brass group plays several times throughout the year for worship services. They will meet in the chapel from 5:55-6:10.

October Worship Music Schedule:

October 8: Sunday School Kids

October 15: Intro Choir

We have many openings for special music. Maybe it doesn't work for you to join a group, but we'd still love to have you participate if you are able, whether as a solo or part of a small group. Need help finding a small group? Please talk to Suzie Gangi. 507-341-4173 or suzie@oslcmandato.org



Bible Study Circles

- WELCOME -

The Fall Quarterly theme is “Supporting Missions”. Feeding the child of God with His daily Word is comforting and strengthening. Devotions, Worship, Bible Study, prayer keeps us rooted in the Word.

Ruth/Lydia Bible Study Circle is Thursday, October 5th in the Fireplace room at 9:30 for fellowship and refreshments with 9:45 Bible study. “From Age to Age”, lesson on pages 18 and 19 of the Fall *Quarterly*.

Mary Circle Bible Study meets Friday, October 20th at 1:30pm in the Fireplace room. Our study will be “Mission of Love” on pages 20-21 of the Fall *Quarterly*. Hostess: Doris Emich, phone 507-225-3548. Guests and visitors are welcome!

October 31st is the celebration of Reformation. What happened on October 31st that is important to the church?



. **ATTENTION MEN!** The men of Our Savior gather in the fireplace room on the second Thursday (October 12th) from 7:30-8:30 of each month for study together. In October we will begin a study of St. John’s Epistles. If you are interested in this please speak with Pastor Matheny.



Book Club



The Our Savior's book club meets from 4:30-6 in the fireplace room on the second and fourth Sundays of each month. We read good books and then discuss them together from our shared Lutheran perspective. In October we will conclude *The Great Gatsby* at our October 8th meeting. Then at our October 22nd meeting we will read and discuss *The Importance of Being Earnest* by Oscar Wilde in anticipation of going together to see the play in November. If you have questions or interest in any of this please speak with Pastor Matheny.



TSNT meets Sundays October 8th and 22nd at 6:30pm in the Fireplace room. We will begin with time in God's

Word, and then play games together. All youth in grades 7 - 12 are invited!

Young Adult Bible Study

Mondays, October 9th and 23rd

Young Adults (late high school college, early-ish workforce) are invited to join us in the Fireplace Room at 7pm on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month.



Contact Karee Bless with questions, 507-381-3826, kbless@blc.edu.



Articles for the November 2023 VOICE are due by Friday, October 20th at 4pm. You may drop-off submissions in the office, or e-mail to: contact@oslcmandato.org.

Mission Service

Mission Service will meet on Wednesday, October 18th at 4pm in the Fellowship Hall. We will be putting together shoeboxes for Samaritans Purse from the donations collected from the congregation. Thank you for all the items given to make this possible.

We have been making Health care kits and delivering them to local shelters and ministries. The following is a list of supplies that are always needed to complete the kits:

- Toothpaste
- Toothbrushes
- Deodorant
- individual Kleenex packets
- combs
- gently used wash cloths and hand towels
- travel size shampoo, soap, body wash and body lotion
- Portals of Prayer
- Ziploc bags in sandwich and gallon size.

Bring your old eye glasses, cancelled stamps, blue and white pony beads, and all donations to the Mission Center.

Thanks for your donations and your personal projects. Maybe you are already doing some of these projects. Some suggestions are:

personal notes to the military, the sick, the homebound, birthdays all bring joy. Continue with the Orphan Grain Train (OGT) donations. We have a shipment summary from OGT 2022-2023. (See *page 17.*) Thank you to Mark Wellner for delivery of devotions to the area jails, and also the “Life” ministry information for the congregation.



Potluck Dinner & Bible Study

Do you like bread? How about the Bread of Life? At our potluck Bible study you can have both! Join us from 5:30-7:30 in the Fireplace room on October 26th for food, fellowship, and time in God's Word. We'll share a potluck meal from 5:30-6:30 and then from 6:30-7:30 we'll study the Scriptures together. Ask Pastor Matheny if you have any questions. See you there!



Prayer Shawl

Three more prayer shawls were distributed last month. If you would like a prayer shawl or want to make one, please contact Marcella, 507-317-4127.

OUR SAVIOR ENDOWMENT FUND PROVIDES SCHOLARSHIPS

The Endowment Board approved \$12,000 in scholarship funds for 7 student members of Our Savior Lutheran Church who are attending Concordia Classical Academy (CCA) in North Mankato. The board also approved \$5000.00 in scholarship funds for 2 post-secondary members attending LCMS institutions in preparation for careers in full time church work.

Please consider making an offering/donation to the Endowment Fund, as you are able, to support our students, missionaries, etc. in the years to come.

Bible Reading Plan - October

Jesus was the Messiah which means anointed one. This month we're going to look into anointings. Some may surprise you. Take time to ponder how they pointed to The Anointed One.

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LWML Mites

Mites for Missions

Mite Sunday is October 15th. Need a fresh new Mite box? There one in the Narthex waiting for you.

Every time a new report is given, the total surprises us that change and small coins can be such a monetary blessing. Thanks be to God for the hearts that are for Jesus. 2023-2025 the 31 Mite grant goals totaling 2 million dollars toward making Christ known to the lost is a challenge. What a blessing for so many to be given to the opportunity to hear God's word of Salvation. Pray and share the Good News.

The Minnesota South District Grant goals are being met. New goals and new grants will be voted at the 2024 summer convention in Mankato.

Would you like to submit a **Mission Grant proposal**? The directions for submitting a proposal are in the Summer 2023 WOM.

Dear Our Savior members and friends.

Here's an update on our Cameras and YouTube live-streaming.

The wires that transmit internet and television signal to and from our Audio/Video booth in the balcony have been disconnected. This is because they were on the flat roof, which we are soon replacing. These wires will be replaced as part of that project. Our cameras use Wifi to connect to our system so we are not able to live-stream church services. We were also in the midst of simplifying the system and updating software and that will continue accordingly.

The phone and Internet services for the building are also being updated including Fiber Optic.

You may ask "Didn't we just spend a lot of money installing new equipment?" Yes. Like all computers they suffer obsolescence as technologies are always changing. Our technical team is working hard to operate, maintain and improve this equipment. And, we are employing outside resources to assist in this process as is prudent. We appreciate your patience and understanding. This may still be a few weeks.

It is our goal to provide quality audio and video, assisting Pastor Matheny, Suzie, choir leaders, musicians, vocalists and organists so that you, our members and friends can cast your attention to worship of our Lord and Savior.

I hope you now have a better understanding of the challenges we have. However, if you have questions, if you have special requests about recordings for events or can offer resources, send me a message. Thank you.

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GLORY

Te Deum ~ *We Praise you, O God*

1. We praise You, O God; we acknowledge you to be the Lord. All the earth now worships You, the Father everlasting. To You all angels cry aloud, the heavens and the pow'rs there-in. To You cherubim and seraphim continually do cry:
2. Holy, holy, holy Lord God of Sabaoth; heaven and earth are full of the majesty of Your glory. The glorious company of the apostles praise You. The goodly fellowship of the prophets praise You.
3. The noble army of martyrs praise You. The holy Church throughout all the world does acknowledge You: The Father of an infinite majesty; Your adorable, true, and only Son: also the Holy Ghost, the Comforter.
4. You are the king of glory, O Christ; You are the everlasting Son of the Father.

Other hymns and canticles:

LSB: 339, 340-341, 946, 947, 948.

Psalm 24 Law and Gospel

Psalm 24:7-10 God and Old Testament Messianic Prophecies

Lift up your heads, O Gates! And be lifted up, O Ancient Doors, the King of Glory may come in. ⁷Who is this King of Glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle! ¹⁰Who is this King of Glory? The Lord of hosts, He is the King of Glory!
Psalm 24:7-8,10



It is shoebox time! The display in the narthex has individual shoeboxes for you to take and fill, OR tubs for you to donate single items. On the table are brochures that list items to put in the box and a label for your shoebox.

Mission Service will be putting together shoeboxes from all the supplies gathered at our work day on October 18th. Examples of items requested.

- School Supplies: Pens, pencils, sharpeners, crayons, pencil cases, erasers
- Personal Care: Toothbrushes, washcloths, hair brushes, socks, flip flops, sunglasses
- Toys: Stuffed animals, Beanie Babys, jump ropes, small plastic animals or figurines, toy cars
- Things to make and do: coloring books, art kits, playdoh

A quote from Franklin Graham (President of Samaritan's Purse): "We've got a responsibility to take the message of the Gospel to the ends of the earth. Every shoebox gift is delivered in Jesus' name to give a child in need of a glimpse of God's love." You can help do that!

If you have any questions, please call Rhonda at 507-389-9726.



"These two choices are vastly different: to give birth to a child or to abort it. But one thing is the same: to choose Jesus is to

choose life. For Jesus holds every life – even the tiniest – in the nail-scarred palm of His hand."

*Rev. Gary Blobaum, St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church,
Oregon, Illinois – A Life Quote from Lutherans for Life
www.lutheransforlife.org*

Orphan Grain Train †

Orphan Grain Train 2022-2023 Shipment Summary:

- 274 full container shipments of donated relief supplies and food were shipped within the United States and internationally
 - 155 53-foot full semi-loads were distributed to domestic locations
 - 119 40-foot full shipping containers went to 23 different countries overseas
 - Humanitarian aid and food to 38 states and 71 countries
 - More than 44.1 million worth of donated humanitarian aid, food, and disaster relief assistance distributed
 - Total of 104,817.60 volunteer hours given
 - More than 5.4 million Mercy Meals, Kids Against Hunger meals, Manna Packs, and Harvest Meals were shipped worldwide
 - 27 regional OGT locations from California to Connecticut collecting and distributing food and reusable goods worldwide.
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Ladies of Our Savior ~ October 2023

Pray, Praise, and Give Thanks

Planning ahead as the new school year begins with Bible Study, retreats, conventions, and food for the soul.

Quarterly - Fall - Winter - Spring

Stories, Bible studies, pictures, shopping and more - pick up your fall copy now.

Christians Literature Daily - Public Policy

Operation Christmas Child

Podcasts - TV - Radio KFUO

October 7th - Fall LWML Crow River Conference Rally.

Registration at 9am and program at 9:30am at St. Paul Ev.

Lutheran Church, Lester Prairie. Sign-up list is in the Mission Center for car-pooling.

April 13, 2024 - Spring Arlington Zone Rally

June 20, 2024 - MNS LWML Convention in Mankato

Enjoy www.lwml.org Get the free APP!

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Young at Heart is Our Savior older adult ministry and
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LHM Lutheran Hour Ministries

LLL Lutheran Layman's League



S.A.G.E.S.



(S.A.G.E.S. = Saints Alive, Growing, Ever Serving)



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The Lutheran Layman Magazine is filled with spiritual growth resources for kids and grandkids. Parents and children will all enjoy the Gospel adventures to countries around the world.

Now is the time to think about Petal Pushers and the Rose Bowl Parade in Pasadena on January 1, 2024. It is a very unique experience to put flowers on the float before the parade. Visit www.petalpushers.org for more information.

You will enjoy watching “This Is the Life” and Main Street Living on your DVR. This is streamed while you are in church on Sunday morning on WFTC Channel 29/9-2. For more information or to watch the program, go to: www.mainstreetliving.com and select the “Twin Cities” tab.

S.A.G.E.S. Board meets at Camp Omega on Tuesday, October 3 at 10am with lunch at noon. Representatives are still needed. If you can volunteer it would be very good or ask a friend to join you. The Board is working on “2024 Gathering” for Monday & Tuesday, May 6 – 7, 2024. Many 50's and 60's are retiring from former jobs and can enjoy more activities with their church families in Minnesota South District. Everyone has something to offer – sharing ideas of meaningful events. 50's and 60's come and bring your parents. SAGACITY is a quarterly publication to encourage and connect older adults with God and each other.

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LCMS Stewardship Ministry: It's in the Way that You Use It

Consider the humble baseball bat. It is a simple tool designed for a complex task. The batter needs a tool that can consistently deliver force to a small ball which may be thrown at over 100 miles per hour, but which might also come slanting across the plate as a slow curve. For a game like this, the founders of baseball had to redesign the old cricket bat, which is more of a flat paddle. The tool had to fit the job.

But even a specially-designed tool can be used for a different purpose. It turns out that some years ago in England, the home of cricket, baseball bats suddenly started selling like hotcakes. What were folks across the pond doing with all those baseball bats? Using them as clubs in riots!

A tool can be used, and it can be misused. It's all in the way that you use it.

The same is true with the things of God. The Second Commandment states that we should "not misuse the name of the Lord." In the Small Catechism, Luther goes on to tell us exactly what this misuse is, as well as the proper use:

"We should fear and love God so that we do not curse, swear, use satanic arts, lie, or deceive by His name, but call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks." (SC I)

The Lord has given us His name: He has placed it upon us in Holy Baptism and He has invited us to pray to Him as our Father. In this sense, the Lord's name is something for us to use. We should not misuse it ... and we should not fail to use it. The Pharisees of old were so afraid of misusing the name of God that they decided to simply never say the name of God (YHWH, Jehovah) at all! This non-use is just as bad as misuse. The Lord gives His gifts for our use.

A Christian steward is one who is called to use all of God's gifts for His purposes. This includes things like the Name of God, the Sacraments and the Word, and it also includes things like our family and friends, our talents and skills, our money and resources. Everything that God has given to you, He has given to you so that you may be blessed to use it for His kingdom.

It's all in the way that you use it!

– LCMS Stewardship Ministry: lcms.org/stewardship

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