

We, Our Savior's family of believers, welcome all to share Christ's love, to grow in faith and to live a life of service glorifying God.

New United States and Christian Flags, in the front of the worship space, are given in memory of Ron Tolstad. On this Veteran's Day, we give thanks for all Veteran's and their families.

Faith, Food, & Fun Women of all ages are invited to dinner and discussion on Monday, November 12 at 5:15 pm. Engage scripture and enjoy a soup supper, as Pastor Kyle leads "Called into the World: The Mission of the Church and Me."

Bake, Lefse & Quilt Sale is Saturday, November 17 from 8:30-11:00 am. Lefse making is Thursday, November 15th. Sign up on the information counter. Baked good donations received on Friday, November 16th.

Community Thanksgiving Baskets donations may be left in the basket at the back of the worship space. Volunteers to pack baskets are welcome at Faith Lutheran on Thursday, November 15 at 7:00 pm and to deliver baskets on Saturday, November 17 are also needed. Please sign up, if you wish to help.

Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes are due back next Sunday, November 18th. Boxes are available on the table across from the information counter.

Check out the Discombobulated Church Art Exhibit, located next to the Gathering Room!

Community Thanksgiving Service is Sunday, November 18 at 4:00 pm at the Congregational United Church of Christ, 217 4th St NW, Valley City.

For Rent: Unfurnished ~950 sq. ft. two bedroom, 2nd floor apartment with hot water & heat included, stove, fridge, washer and dryer, private entrance with off street parking. Available immediately. No pets or smoking. References. Call Bobby Koeplin at (701)840-0250.

January–September 2018

Income: Year to date:	\$238,746.94
Expenses Year to date:	<u>\$260,056.53</u>
Expense over Income	<u>\$(-21,309.59)</u>

A week of OSLC ministry	\$6,980.12
Last Sunday general fund offering	\$6,471.00



Our Savior's Lutheran Church Valley City, North Dakota

November 11, 2018

8:30a.m. Worship (Broadcast over KOVC-11:00 a.m.)

Welcome

Confession and Forgiveness

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Opening Hymn "Blessed Be the God of Israel" #552

Prayer of the Day

O God, you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Let the Children come...

Lesson- 1 Kings 17:8-16

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Psalm 146

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Music by Choir

Gospel-Mark 12:38-44

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Sermon

Hymn of Day "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" #678

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Holy Communion-Great Thanksgiving

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Lord's Prayer

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Prayer & Blessing

Sending Hymn "Day by Day" #790

WELCOME TO WORSHIP TODAY! We are glad you are with us and pray that your worship experience at Our Savior's will truly be a blessing.

Families with young children, we welcome and encourage your children's presence in worship! **Visitors, please fill out a visitor card found in your**

pew and learn more about Our Savior's at www.oursaviorsvc.org

Organist Tricia Lebahn

Senior Choir Director Tricia Lebahn

Contemporary Worship Coordinators Al & Sherri Adams

Office Coordinator Brenda Skramstad

Youth Director Kyla Fetsch

Pastors Emmy Swedlund & Kyle Symanski

The Radio Broadcast is given by the Kvien family in memory of Jodi Kvien Opatz, Roger Kvien, Dorothy Kvien and Florence Lane.

Radio broadcast of the 8:30 worship is on Sunday morning at 11:00 a.m. on KOVC 1490 AM. To sponsor a broadcast and/or reserve a sponsorship date for 2018, please contact the church office. The cost to sponsor a broadcast is \$100 and you may provide this gift in memory of or in honor of someone, an anniversary or another significant event. Your gift to this important ministry is appreciated.

2018 Missionary Sponsorship Calendar is on the bulletin board across from the Church Office. For \$20/day you can sponsor a day and faithfully support the work of our ELCA missionaries, Anne and Willie Langdji, who serve as the ELCA Madagascar, West and Central Africa Regional Representatives; and also the work of Global Health Ministries. Thank you for your faithful and generous mission support.

Monday Morning Prayer is a time to pray for people of Our Savior's as well as other prayer needs. Come on Monday mornings at 9:30a.m. in the Chapel: James & Becky Verwey; Burton & Jean Vrem; Gertrude Walker; Dale & Sarah Wangrud, Kaitlyn, Dylan, Abigail; Breanne Wenaas, Madison, Hallie; Kevin & Brenda White, Kacee; James & LouVay White.

Prayer Candle has been placed on the altar reminding us to keep our military personnel and their families in our prayers.

Acts Book Discussion: Join Pastor Emmy and Pastor Kyle on Tuesday, November 27th at 2:00 p.m., for a book discussion on the Book of Acts. Throughout the month of November, read the Book of Acts on your own. Bring your insights and questions to the conversation, as we explore our own call to discipleship and the role of the church in this time and place.

This Week: November 11-18, 2018

Today: 25 Pentecost

8:30 a.m. Worship

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Choir

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship-

2nd-6th grade Sunday School Sing

Mon: 9:30 a.m. Prayer Group

5:15 p.m. WELCA Fun, Faith & Food-Large Dining Room

Tues: 9:00 a.m. Text Study

9:00 a.m. Good Samaritans Quilters

Wed: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study

3:15 p.m. Kids for Christ

6:00 p.m. Confirmation Supper

6:30 p.m. Confirmation

7:00 p.m. Sarah Circle-Fireside Room-Hostess: Cheryl Olson

7:00 p.m. Committees

8:00 p.m. Council

Thurs: 8:00 a.m. Lefse Baking

9:30 a.m. Pastor's Conference

12:10-12:14 p.m. Sr. High Lunch for 12th Graders-Gathering Room

Sat: 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Fellowship

8:30-11:00 a.m. WELCA Quilt & Bake Sale

Next Sun: 26 Pentecost

8:30 a.m. Worship

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship

4:00 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service-

Congregational United Church of Christ

Reader: Clair Powell

Ushers: 8:30 a.m. Dave & Sue Carlsrud, Don & Sandy Bauer

11:00 a.m. Carl & Amber Pederson and family

Greeters: 8:30 a.m. Todd & Kristi Kohler, Monte & Pat Johnson

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Coffee Hosts: Todd & Kristi Kohler, Monte & Pat Johnson

SCRIPTURE READING FOR-25 Pentecost

1 Kings 17:8-16

Then the word of the LORD came to him, saying, ⁹“Go now to Zarephath, which belongs to Sidon, and live there; for I have commanded a widow there to feed you.” ¹⁰So he set out and went to Zarephath. When he came to the gate of the town, a widow was there gathering sticks; he called to her and said, “Bring me a little water in a vessel, so that I may drink.” ¹¹As she was going to bring it, he called to her and said, “Bring me a morsel of bread in your hand.” ¹²But she said, “As the LORD your God lives, I have nothing baked, only a handful of meal in a jar, and a little oil in a jug; I am now gathering a couple of sticks, so that I may go home and prepare it for myself and my son, that we may eat it, and die.” ¹³Elijah said to her, “Do not be afraid; go and do as you have said; but first make me a little cake of it and bring it to me, and afterwards make something for yourself and your son. ¹⁴For thus says the LORD the God of Israel: The jar of meal will not be emptied and the jug of oil will not fail until the day that the LORD sends rain on the earth.” ¹⁵She went and did as Elijah said, so that she as well as he and her household ate for many days. ¹⁶The jar of meal was not emptied; neither did the jug of oil fail, according to the word of the LORD that he spoke by Elijah.

Reader: Here ends the reading

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Psalms 146

¹Praise the LORD! Praise the LORD, O my soul!

²**I will praise the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God all my life long.**

³Do not put your trust in princes, in mortals, in whom there is no help.

⁴**When their breath departs, they return to the earth; on that very day their plans perish.**

⁵Happy are those whose help is the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the LORD their God,

⁶**who made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them; who keeps faith forever;**

⁷who executes justice for the oppressed; who gives food to the hungry. The LORD sets the prisoners free;

⁸**the LORD opens the eyes of the blind. The LORD lifts up those who are bowed down; the LORD loves the righteous.**

⁹The LORD watches over the strangers; he upholds the orphan and the widow, but the way of the wicked he brings to ruin.

¹⁰**The LORD will reign forever, your God, O Zion, for all generations.**

Praise the LORD!

Reader: Here ends the reading.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

PLEASE STAND FOR THE READING OF THE GOSPEL.

(8:30) Congregation Sings: Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia.

(11:00) Congregation Sings: Seek ye first

Reader: The Holy Gospel According to Mark 12:38-44

Congregation: Glory to you, O Lord.

As he taught, he said, “Beware of the scribes, who like to walk around in long robes, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, ³⁹and to have the best seats in the synagogues and places of honor at banquets! ⁴⁰They devour widows’ houses and for the sake of appearance say long prayers. They will receive the greater condemnation.” ⁴¹He sat down opposite the treasury, and watched the crowd putting money into the treasury. Many rich people put in large sums. ⁴²A poor widow came and put in two small copper coins, which are worth a penny. ⁴³Then he called his disciples and said to them, “Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all those who are contributing to the treasury. ⁴⁴For all of them have contributed out of their abundance; but she out of her poverty has put in everything she had, all she had to live on.”

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ.