

**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.**

**Lent begins with Ash Wednesday on February 14.** Come on Wednesdays (February 14-March 21) for Soup & Worship. Soup (free will donation) served beginning at 5:30 am. Worship begins at 6:30 pm. If you are willing to make soup for one of the meals, contact Ruth Larson 845-4257. Your costs will be covered by the church.

**"Witness" performed by Jonathan Swenson** will be held at Litchville School Gymnasium on Sunday, February 25 at 2:30 pm. In this innovative retelling of the Gospel, Swenson portrays 8 different characters as each responds to Jesus. Through these eye-witness accounts, both comedic and serious, the audience is encouraged to see Jesus from fresh perspectives. Swenson performed at Faith Lutheran in Valley City in December and was really appreciated by those who attended.

**Come celebrate the 60th Wedding Anniversary** for Tweety and Leon Bellmore. Cake and coffee will be served, in their honor, between worship services in the Gathering Room on Sunday, February 18th. All are invited!

**A HUGE THANK YOU** to everyone who donated to the Barnes County Food Pantry during worship last Sunday! Your generosity is overwhelming!! \$465 was collected and was delivered this past week! Thank you for your continued support of this wonderful ministry.

**For Your Information:**

**Church Office Hours:** Monday-Friday, 8:00 am – 3:00 pm

**Building Hours:** Monday-Thursday, 8:00 am-5:00 pm;

Friday, 8:00 am-3:00 pm, Saturday and Sunday, 8:00 am-Noon.

**January – December 2017**

<b>Income: Year to date:</b>	<b>\$348,133.53</b>
<b>Expenses Year to date:</b>	<b><u>\$332,837.03</u></b>
<b>Income in Excess of Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 15,296.50</b>

<b>A week of OSLC ministry</b>	<b>\$6,980.12</b>
<b>Last Sunday general fund offering</b>	<b>\$8,738.00</b>



**Our Savior's Lutheran Church  
Valley City, North Dakota**

February 11, 2018

8:30 a.m. Worship

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

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Confession and Forgiveness

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*Opening Song*

*"Shine, Jesus, Shine" #671*

Kyrie

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*Hymn of Praise*

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**Prayer of the Day**

**Almighty God, the resplendent light of your truth shines from the mountaintop into our hearts. Transfigure us by your beloved Son, and illumine the world with your image, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

Let the Children Come...

Lesson- 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

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Psalm 50:1-6

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Music by Choir

Gospel- Mark 9:2-9

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Sermon-Rick Fredrick-Executive Director Red Willow Bible Camp

*Hymn*

*"How Good, Lord, to Be Here!" #315*

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Prayer & Blessing

*Hymn*

*"Christ, Be Our Light" #715*

**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](http://www.oursaviorsvc.org)

**Organist** Judy Karch  
**Senior Choir Director** Tricia Lebahn  
**Contemporary Worship Coordinators** Al & Sherri Adams  
**Office Coordinator** Brenda Skramstad  
**Youth Director** Kyla Fetsch  
**Interim Pastor** Kirsten Frantsvog  
**Pastor** Emmy Swedlund

**The Radio Broadcast** is given by Beverly Anderson in memory of Harold Anderson.

**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 2017, 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: Doug & Videlle Hamilton; Brenda Hanenberg, Kacy, Jeffery; Cody & Maria Hansen, Cassandra, Garland & Patricia Hansen, Cody; Dale Hanson; Estelle Hanson, Sarah; Dianne Hatcher.

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

**This Week: February 11-18, 2018**  
**Today: Transfiguration of Our Lord**  
8:30 a.m. Worship w/Holy Communion  
9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Choir  
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship w/Holy Communion-  
PreK-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School Sing  
**Mon:** 9:30 a.m. Morning Prayer  
12:15 p.m. Sr. High Lunch  
**Tues:** 9:00 a.m. Text Study  
9:00-1:00 p.m. Good Samaritans Quilters  
**Wed: Ash Wednesday**  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study  
3:15 p.m. Kids for Christ  
5:30 p.m. Lent Supper  
6:30 p.m. Worship w/Holy Communion  
6:30 p.m. Confirmation  
7:30 p.m. Committees  
8:00 p.m. Council  
**Thurs:** 2:00 p.m. Hannah Circle-Family Gathering Room  
**Sat:** 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Fellowship  
**Next Sun: 1 Lent**  
**Abused Person Outreach Collection**  
8:30 a.m. Worship w/Holy Communion  
9:30 a.m. Coffee & Cake-60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary  
for Leon & Tweety Bellmore  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship w/Holy Communion

**Reader:** Diane Hochhalter

**Ushers:**

8:30 a.m. Dave & Sue Carlsrud, Don & Sandy Bauer  
11:00 a.m. 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Sunday School Students

**Greeters:**

8:30 a.m. Mavis Dilts, Pat & Kathy Edinger  
11:00 a.m. Jeanette Oberg

**Coffee Host:** Dale Hildebrant

**SCRIPTURE READING FOR**  
**TRANSFIGURATION OF Our Lord**  
**2 Corinthians 4:3-6**

And even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing. <sup>4</sup>In their case the god of this world has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. <sup>5</sup>For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your slaves for Jesus' sake. <sup>6</sup>For it is the God who said, "Let light shine out of darkness," who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

Reader: Here ends the reading.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 50:1-6**

<sup>1</sup>The mighty one, God the Lord, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

<sup>2</sup>**Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God shines forth.**

<sup>3</sup>Our God comes and does not keep silence, before him is a devouring fire, and a mighty tempest all around him.

<sup>4</sup>**He calls to the heavens above and to the earth, that he may judge his people:**

<sup>5</sup>"Gather to me my faithful ones, who made a covenant with me by sacrifice!"

<sup>6</sup>**The heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge.**

**Selah**

Reader: Here ends the reading.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God**

**PLEASE STAND FOR THE READING OF THE GOSPEL.**

***Congregation Sings: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.***

Reader: The Holy Gospel According To Mark 9:2-9

**Congregation: Glory to you, O Lord.**

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and John, and led them up a high mountain apart, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, <sup>3</sup>and his clothes became dazzling white, such as no one on earth could bleach them. <sup>4</sup>And there appeared to them Elijah with Moses, who were talking with Jesus. <sup>5</sup>Then Peter said to Jesus, "Rabbi, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah." <sup>6</sup>He did not know what to say, for they were terrified. <sup>7</sup>Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" <sup>8</sup>Suddenly when they looked around, they saw no one with them anymore, but only Jesus. <sup>9</sup>As they were coming down the mountain, he ordered them to tell no one about what they had seen, until after the Son of Man had risen from the dead.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

**Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ.**