

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.

Our Savior's Lutheran Foundation Annual Meeting is Sunday, January 20 at 9:45 a.m. in the Small Dining Room. Learn about the impact of the Foundation in 2018.

Our Savior's Lutheran Church Congregation Annual Meeting is Sunday, January 27 at 9:40 a.m. in the Sanctuary. All members of the congregation are encouraged to attend.

The 2019 Missionary Calendar is waiting to be filled! Claim a date and donate \$25 in support of our missionaries, Willie and Anne Langdji and Global Health Ministries. Donations can be put in the offering, and clearly marked for "Missionary Calendar." Let's go for a missionary calendar "black out" in 2019.

Bible Book Club: Read the Book of Ruth and meet for conversation on Tuesday, January 26 at 2:00 p.m. in the Gathering Room. To assist with your reading, an outline of the book is on the Information Counter.

New Members to Our Savior's Lutheran Church we be welcomed in worship on Sunday, February 3. If you are interested in becoming a member of Our Savior's please fill out a connection card.

Worship Leadership Opportunities: Ushers for the 11:00 am services are needed. As well as vocalists, instrumentalist and people to run sound system and power point at Contemporary Worship Services. If you are interested in learning more about these opportunities, leave your name on the sign up on the information counter. We will contact you with more information and to answer questions.

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.



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

January 13, 2019

8:30a.m. Worship (Broadcast over KOVC 1490 AM-11:00 a.m.)

Prelude

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Gathering Hymn "Arise, Your Light Has Come!" #314

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, you anointed Jesus at his baptism with the Holy Spirit and revealed him as your beloved Son. Keep all who are born of water and the Spirit faithful in your service, that we may rejoice to be called children of God, though Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Hymn of Praise "Spirit of Gentleness" #396

Let the Children Come...

Lesson: Isaiah 43:1-7

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(8:30) Music by Choir

Gospel-Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

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Sermon

Hymn of the Day "You Are Mine" #581

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Prayer & Blessing

Sending Hymn "O Lord, Now Let Your Servant" #313

WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH!

At Our Savior's we have an open Holy Communion table – all are welcome and invited to share in the gift of God's grace and mercy. Gluten free wafers and grape juice are available upon request. **Visitors please fill out a "Connection Card"** and place in the offering plate, if you'd like to learn more about Our Savior's.

Reader Nancy King

Ushers (8:30) a.m. Dave & Sue Carlsrud, Don & Sandy Bauer
(11:00 a.m.) Jim & Becky Verwey

Greeters (8:30 a.m.) Ken & Karen Christianson, Dave & Sue Carlsrud
(11:00 a.m.) Jim & Tara Altringer, Mark & Andrea Winter

Coffee Hosts: Ken & Karen Christianson, Mark & Andrea Winter

Organist Judy Karch

Senior Choir Director Tricia Lebahn

Contemporary Worship Coordinators Al & Sherri Adams

Office Coordinator Brenda Skramstad

Youth Director Kyla Festch

Pastors Kyle Symanski and Emmy Swedlund

The Radio Broadcast is in memory of Linda Holcomb given by Lynn Holcomb and family.

Radio broadcast of the 8:30 a.m. worship is on Sunday at 11:00 a.m. on KOVC 1490 AM. To sponsor a broadcast, please contact the church office. The cost is \$100 and may be gifted in memory or in honor of someone or a significant event. Your gift to this ministry is appreciated.

A Prayer Candle on the altar reminds us to keep military personal and their families in prayer.

Monday Morning Prayer group meets at 9:30 am in the chapel to pray for people of Our Savior's, as well as other prayer concerns. Join the group or pray on your own. This week, we pray for: Don & Missy Beutler, Christian, John, Michael; Loren Bjerke, Zoe; Wanda Bjerke; Brenda Bjork, Rylee, Haylee, Amanda; Darren & Paige Bjornson, Anne, Quinn, Mason; Lily Blake; Doris Blume; Judy Bowen.

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This Week: January 13-20, 2019

TODAY: Baptism of Our Lord

8:30 a.m. Worship Service

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship

9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Choir

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship-PreK-1st grade
Sunday School Sing

MON: 9:30 a.m. Monday Morning Prayer

12:10 p.m. Sr. High Lunch

TUE: 9:00 a.m. Text Study

9:00-2:00 p.m. Good Samaritans-Quilting

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

Thurs: 2:00 p.m. Hannah Circle-Sheyenne Care-Clubroom

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

NEXT SUN: 2 Epiphany

8:30 a.m. Worship

9:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

9:45 a.m. Foundation Meeting-Small Dining Room

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship

YEAR TO DATE INCOME	\$329,615.14
YEAR TO DATE EXPENSE	<u>\$341,662.26</u>
YEAR TO DATE-EXPENSE OVER INCOME	<u>(\$12,047.12)</u>

A week of OSLC ministry	\$6,980.12
Last Sunday general fund offering	\$15,944.00

SCRIPTURE READING FOR-Baptism of Our Lord

Isaiah 43:1-7

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. ²When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. ³For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. ⁴Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. ⁵Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; ⁶I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth— ⁷everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

Reader: Here ends the reading

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Psalms 29

¹Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.

²**Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name; worship the Lord in holy splendor.**

³The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Lord, over mighty waters.

⁴**The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.**

⁵The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon.

⁶**He makes Lebanon skip like a calf and Sirion like a young wild ox.**

⁷The voice of the Lord flashes forth flames of fire.

⁸**The voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.**

⁹The voice of the Lord causes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare; and in his temple all say, "Glory!"

¹⁰**The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king forever.**

¹¹May the Lord give strength to his people! May the Lord bless his people with peace!

Reader: Here ends the reading.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

PLEASE STAND FOR THE READING OF THE GOSPEL.

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

Reader: The Holy Gospel According to Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Congregation: Glory to you, O Lord.

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, ¹⁶John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. ¹⁷His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

²¹Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, ²²and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord.

Congregation: Praise to you, O Christ.