# FOCUS Vol. 31 No. 7 Our Savior Lutheran Church C U S GROWING TO SERVE

Living God's love in Jesus Christ through word and sacraments, worship and prayer, learning and fellowship we grow disciples for service and outreach.

#### Our Savior Lutheran Church

745 Front St. South Issaquah, WA 98027 (425) 392-4169 (425) 392-2946 – fax

#### Email:

office@oslcissaquah.org Webpage:

www.oslcissaquah.org

Facebook:

facebook.com/oslcissaquah

Twitter:
twitter.com/oslcissaquah

Sunday Worship:

10:00 a.m.

**Sunday School** 

(September-May) 9:00 a.m.

#### Inside this issue...

Council President	p. 2
Summer Worship	p. 3
Midweek Campfires	p. 3
Treasurer Report	p. 4
Chancel Choir	p. 4
Youth Mission Trip	p. 4
Social Concerns	p. 5
Group Studies &	
Ministries	p.6-7
Women's Retreat	p. 8
Thank You!	p. 9
Worship Readings	p. 10
Birthdays &	
Anniversaries	p. 11
July Calendar	p. 12
Aug. Calendar	p. 13
Prayers	p. 14
July/August Worshi	p
Assistants	p. 15
OSLC Staff Directory	p. 16

## **Disciples**By Pastor Wes Telvea

Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, 'Here I am, for you called me.' Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy.

1 Samuel 3:7-8

Brothers and Sisters grace, mercy and peace to you!

I am honored and thrilled to have you call me as your new Senior Lead Pastor. Our Savior Lutheran Church has always had a special place in my heart, after all it was the place I was ordained. To now have the chance to team with you in ministry at this wonderful place is a blessing to me and my family. A lot has changed since I last served OSLC, both for me and for you, and I look forward to catching up with everyone and meeting new folks.

In July, when I arrive, I want to spend time reconnecting with you and hearing the stories that have shaped OSLC. One of the ways I want to do this is by jumping into a sermon series entitled: *Listen, God is Calling*. One of my favorite Bible stories is Samuel's call found in 1 Samuel 3. Basically the story is about God calling Samuel, but Samuel mistaking God's voice for Eli's (his mentor). After calling Samuel three times Eli realizes God is calling Samuel, and so he instructs Samuel to answer God. His call kicks off one of the most adventurous stories we find in the Bible.

Samuel's call story also highlights two important biblical truths. First, God is always calling us, and it's easy to mistake His voice for another's. Second, understanding God's voice takes effort from everyone. As I begin to serve you let's sit down together and begin to discern what the God narrative is at OSLC.

Continued on page 2

Continued from page 1

To do this there will be two components in this sermon series. First, will be the sermons during worship. Between July 17th and August 14th each Sunday will be marked by a specific focus to help us all discern where God has called and is calling OSLC. The theme's are:

- July 17th Worship
- July 24th Discipleship
- July 31st Service
- August 7th Issaquah
- August 14th Future

The second component to this sermon series will be a town hall meeting where we discuss how the readings for the day spoke to people, and how the readings are shaping OSLC as we mark this new chapter in the congregation's history. This will be a time to help me get to know OSLC, and its ministry passions. Please make it a priority to come to worship, and stick around for the town hall meeting.

I am looking forward to our ministry together!

In Christ, Pastor Wes

#### **President's Update**

By: Judi Case, Council President

#### **Summertime – Our Time to Shine!**

I recently attended my 11-year-old grandson's promotion from fifth grade. The students gathered on the risers and sang "This Little Light of Mine". It was done heartily, with many waving of hands and huge smiles all around. I couldn't help but thinking – this song, the energy and promise, reflects not only the exciting future of these kids, but ours at OSLC as well. Our time to shine is also upon us.

While many of us are busy planning vacations, yard work or special projects, Our Savior's Council and staff, along with many volunteers, are busily preparing for our new pastor's arrival. Yard work parties have been scheduled, cleaning and painting done, windows cleaned – all good work done by many hands! Together we will shine in God's peace, as we begin our new adventures with Pastor Telyea. Summertime is often a sleepy time for many, schedules are relaxed, the church halls are quiet, meetings and classes are on hiatus. Into this quietude comes an excitement as great as that I experienced at the fifth grade promotion – new experiences await us, and we are on the brink of more growth and learning. And – we don't have to wait for the fall and school to begin again! Our time to shine is now.

See you all around campus!



#### **Midweek Community Campfires**

Wednesday Evenings, August 3, 10, 17, 24 @ 6:30 PM 4405 E. Lake Sammamish Parkway S.E., Issaguah. WA 98029

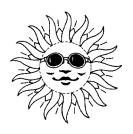
There is nothing quite like gathering around a campfire on a cool summer evening. On Wednesday evenings August 3, 10, 17 and 24, OSLC will hold a series of community campfires on the shores of Lake Sammamish. Music, games, hot dogs, condiments, water and SMORES will be provided. Participants are welcome to bring some food item to share. And, don't forget a friend, and something to sit on. We gather beginning at 6:30 p.m. each Wednesday. All are welcome.

If you and your family would like to help as campfire hosts, please contact the church office, office@oslcissaquah.org.

Together, we celebrate the good gifts of our Creator and nurture God's hope-filled promises in our lives. Summer is a time to celebrate and a time to grow. We hope you choose to participate in the events that we have planned. And, we hope you invite others.

# Summer Sunday Morning Worship Services @ 10:00 a.m.

During the summer months of July and August we continue to gather for worship at 10:00 a.m.



#### **Summertime at OSLC**

It's summer time. We come, we go. Trips, travel, vacations, get-a-ways. Office hours are sometimes limited during the days of summer. This summer, if you are unable to reach the staff members at the church office, please feel free to leave a voice mail message. Remember these extension numbers: Pastor Telyea ext. 106; Janet Heck; ext. 100, Scott Hafso, ext. 103; Shari Lundberg, ext. 105.

#### **Congregational Business**

#### **Treasurer's Update**

May 2016

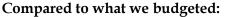
We are 11 months through our 2015/2016 fiscal year.

#### What has actually happened this year:

 We have received YTD - (75% of operations budget)
 \$ 337,300.16

 We have spent YTD - (82% of operations budget)
 \$ 356,932.46

 Surplus
 \$ 19,632.30



We are under budgeted giving by \$ 113,791.15 We are under budgeted spending by \$ 80,515.60

#### Compared to last year's actual giving:

Our contributions are \$76,794.00 below last year.

Respectfully,
Wendy Winslow, OSLC Church Council Treasurer
Oslc\_treasurer@hotmail.com



Currently on a well-earned summer hiatus, the Chancel Choir will be welcoming new voices in the fall. The choir rehearses on Wednesday evenings (7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary), beginning the Wednesday after Labor Day. If you've ever considered adding your voice to the Song of the People, or would welcome a mid-week oasis of music, laughter and community, consider joining us. Questions? Please contact Scott Hafso (bellevuer@gmail.com).

#### **2016 Youth Mission Trip**

July 17—23, 2016

OSLC youth Myles Cash, Miranda Smith and Jordan Usselman and Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church youth James Radek, Keira Slippern and Isaac Slippern, along with adult guides Glenna Usselman, Jon Smith and Pastor Debbie Boyce will be traveling to Idaho for a mission trip experience at the Shoshone Mountain Retreat, an extension of Lutherhaven Ministries. Youth will engage in simple, significant outreach and servant-leadership in Jesus' name. Please keep the youth and adult guides in your prayers as they travel and serve.





#### **OSLC's Social Concerns Committee**

July/August 2016

#### **Tools 4 Schools:**

The Issaquah Schools Foundation, in conjunction with the Issaquah Food Bank and lots of churches and community organizations, will provide over 1,000 backpacks full of needed school supplies for low income children in the Issaquah School District. Here are some ways you can help:



- Go to the website: <a href="https://www.isfdn.org/programs/tools-4-school">www.isfdn.org/programs/tools-4-school</a>
  - 1) Sign up to volunteer on August 20 for the backpack distribution.
  - 2) Donate a new backpack and bring it to OSLC during the month of July.
  - 3) Write a check made out to OSLC, with 'Tools 4 Schools' in the memo line, and drop it in the collection plate. OSLC has committed to give \$1,000 to this project, and your check will help us meet that obligation.

There is more information on the Tools 4 Schools program on the table in the narthex.

#### **Passage Point:**

Our Welcome Baskets are making a big difference in the lives of newly arrived residents of Passage Point. We need about three baskets per month and your contributions are needed. There is a list of the items needed on the table in the narthex. You can also write a check to OSLC with 'Welcome Baskets' in the memo line.

There are three new babies expected this summer at Passage Point, so your contributions of diapers and other baby supplies are needed. Since Eastside Baby Corner can't accommodate Passage Point's needs yet, our contributions will meet a real need. Please put these items in the cupboard next to the outside doors in Anderson Hall and we will make sure they get to the families at Passage Point.

On Saturday, August 13th from 11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m., Passage Point will use Anderson Hall to show the movie, "Paper Tigers." It's a film about adverse childhood experiences. Help with childcare is needed for this. If you can help, contact Connie Fletcher at fletch501c@aol.com.

OSLC member, Les Gagnon, is leading a group of OSLC members who will be reading, playing games and making crafts with little ones at Passage Point. If you are interested in helping, let Les know, lesgag@gmail.com.

~Connie Fletcher, on behalf of OSLC's Social Concerns Committee

#### **Christian Education & Small Group Ministries**

#### **OSLC's Book Club**

Issaquah Barnes and Noble Bookstore Monday, July 11th @ 7:30 p.m.

The next gathering for the Book Club is on Monday, July 11th at 7:30 p.m. at the Issaquah Barnes and Noble Bookstore. They will discuss the book, *The Blackhouse* by Peter May. When a grisly murder occurs on the Isle of Lewis, Edinburgh detective and native islander Fin Macleod is



dispatched to Outer Hebrides to investigate, embarking at the same time on a voyage into his own troubled past. Every step toward solving the case brings Fin closer to a dangerous confrontation with the dark events of the past that shaped—and nearly destroyed—his life.

Contact Sandy Nygaard for more information about the book club, sknygaard@comcast.net.

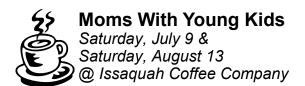
#### Mission Quilters

Join us Wednesday mornings from 9:30 a.m. until noon in Anderson Hall and assist us making quilts. The Mission

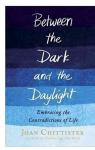
Quilters make simple patchwork quilts that are donated to people in need.

Last year quilts were donated to Lutheran World Relief. Quilts are sent all over the world, frequently to countries following natural disasters such as earthquakes and hurricanes. Quilts are also given to OSLC graduating seniors and to Compass Housing Alliance. Our neighbors at Issaquah Nursing and Rehabilitation Center were given lap quilts in time for Christmas last year.

The Mission Quilters welcome new members. It is not necessary to know how to sew or quilt to participate in this ministry. The group welcomes donations of fabric (preferably cotton) and clean used sheets. Donations to help with the cost of shipping and to buy supplies are also greatly appreciated. Contact the church office for more information, 425-392-4169, ext. 100.



Moms With Young Kids will be meeting at the Issaquah Coffee Company in Gilman Village on Saturday, July 9th and Saturday, August 13th at 9:30 a.m. This is an informal gathering to get to know some of the other moms in the congregation. Kids are welcome! Contact Manda Schoen, manda.schoen@gmail.com with questions.



#### **New-Life Spirituality Group**

July 10 & 24; August 7 & 21

During July and August, the New-Life Spirituality group will be reading and discussing the book, *Between the Dark and the Daylight* by Joan Chittister. They meet in participant's homes beginning at 6:30 p.m. (unless otherwise noted.)

- July 10th, @ the home of Bill and Carol Bergsma (Chapter 2)
- July 24th, location TBD. (Chapter 3)
- August 7th, **5:00 p.m.** potluck dinner @ Ray and Barbara Extract's (Chapter 4)
- August 21st, location TBD (Chapter 5)

If you'd like to more information or have questions, e-mail Don Miller at Mr.don.miller@gmail.com.



Hope and Faith Circles are monthly women's Bible study groups that meet in participants homes. The study focus for both studies is from the Lutheran Magazine, *Gather*.

#### **Hope Circle**

Friday, September 16th

Hope Circle meets in participant's homes on the third Friday of each month at 9:30 a.m. This study is currently in recess until September 16th. For more information on Hope Circle, please contact Sandy Aldworth at (425) 837-1233 or mtnlady@comcast.net.

#### **Faith Circle**

Monday, September 19th

Faith Circle meets on the third Monday of each month at 1:30 p.m. in participant's homes from September to May. If you'd like more information or would like to join Faith Circle, please contact Gwynn Wilkinson at (425) 392-1893 or gwynnlw@gmail.com.

#### Save The Date! Women's Retreat 2017

March 3-5, 2017 @ Rainbow Lodge, North Bend

As you may recall, our annual Women's Retreat was cancelled this year because we did not have enough women who could commit by the due date. At that time, many of us expressed an interest in attending, but we simply did not meet the number needed.

We have already secured the weekend of March 3-5, 2017 at Rainbow Lodge in North Bend, and I am hopeful that after this missed opportunity last year, we can come back together in ministry and fellowship this coming year with gusto! Wouldn't it be awesome to not only meet our need but exceed our requirement???

We want to keep this wonderful retreat time together, but yet cannot financially put it on without the commitment from enough women saying that they will attend. OSLC is financially obligated to pay for 35 attendees – if fewer than 35 women sign up, the church has to pay the difference. The lodge fees have increased from two years ago, naturally – the cost for the weekend will be \$150 for double-occupancy, and \$160 for a private room. But for two nights lodging and four meals (that you don't have to plan or clean up after), this is still a great deal!

As I did last year, I have created an online poll to gauge interest in the retreat for March 3-5, 2017. Here is the link: http://goo.gl/forms/0ReBpIIYxX7dXvII2

Please respond by August 1st. We can cancel our reservation with the lodge six months in advance without penalty.

If I do not receive 35 "definite maybes" by August 1st, I will go ahead and cancel the retreat for 2017.

If you are not feeling very web savvy, just let me know by phone call or text message at 425-941-2925 if you think you might be able to attend. Again, please let me know by August 1st.

Of course, please ask your friends and neighbors if they might be interested in attending and include those in our "maybe" numbers. The more, the merrier!

Thank you for your consideration. If you have any questions, comments, or other suggestions, feel free to call/text me at 425-941-2925, or send me an e-mail at frielj4@comcast.net.

Joan Friel
OSLC Women's Retreat Coordinator



#### Thank You!

#### Pr. Dick Christensen

Dear Sisters and Brothers:



Thanks be to God and to you for the 18 months we have had together. I will look back on the moments of ministry with a profound appreciation for your willing partnership in the Gospel

Thanks be to you for all the kinds words, cards, and gifts which marked the end of my time with you. Affirmations of ministry are always welcomed, but fully and finally the ministry among you was not about me. It was (as it will be) about God and the Gospel.

When you read this you will be on the edge of new Pastoral leadership. I trust that you will welcome Pastor Telyea and his family with the same warmth and commitment to partnership with which you welcomed me.

Like a "bad penny" I will return to be with you. But, whether here or there you and I will always be sisters and brothers in Christ.

God's Peace, R. L. Christensen



#### Issaquah Schools Foundation

Our Savior Lutheran Church,

You are Amazing! We are so excited to share with you, the impact you have had on students this past year. This would never have happened with you.

Thank you so much for all you do for our kids.

Sincerely,

Robin Callahan Executive Director, Issaguah Schools Foundation



#### **July Worship Readings**

Sun., July 3—7th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Isaiah 66:10-14
Second Reading: Galatians 3:23-29
Gospel: Luke 8:26-39

Sun., July 10—8th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:9-14
Second Reading: Colossians 1:1-14
Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

Sun., July 17—9th Sunday after Pentecost

Reading: Deuteronomy 20:1-22

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

Sun., July 24—10th Sunday after Pentecost

Reading: Joshua 24:1-15 Gospel: Luke 5:1-11

Sun., July 31st—11th Sunday after Pentecost

Reading: Deuteronomy 15:7-11 Gospel: Matthew 22:34-39

#### **August Worship Readings**

Sun., August 7—12th Sunday after Pentecost

Reading: Leviticus 6:2-5 Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46

Sun., August 14—13th Sunday after Pentecost

Reading: Exodus 3:1-12 Gospel: Matthew 6:25-34

Sun., August 21—14th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Isaiah 58:9b-14
Second Reading: Hebrews 12:18-29
Gospel: Luke 13:10-17

Sun., August 28—15th Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Proverbs 15:6-7
Second Reading: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14





### a Birthday!

## July & August Birthdays & Anniversaries

7/7



Rob & Christian Hanson

				,,,	Rob & Christian Hanson
7/3	Sandy Nygaard			7/11	Stan & Jeannette Patterson
7/4	Dave Taylor	8/3	Carol Bergsma	7/15	Don & Darlene Tatley
//=	Kristen Wood	8/5	_	7/17	Jeff & Marcy Wood
716			Margit Welch		Randy & Joanna Wood
7/6	Grayson Gillin	8/6	Amanda	7/19	John & Helen Nychay
7/7	Joanna Wood		Loudermilk	7/20	Don & Lorna Robertson
	John Fatland	8/9	Jeff Ziegler	_ /	Doug & Lori Downey
	Reidar Geraci		Jim Veevaert	7/23	Scott Leitch & Stacey Hesterly
7/8	Micah Howe	8/10	Caden	7/24	Peter & Jane Shen
7/10	Carla Geraci		Loudermilk	7/25	John & Elaine Stamm
7/11	Gwynn Wilkinson	8/11	Bea Lucas	7/26	John & April LaLanne
	Helen Nychay		Marilyn Larson	7/29	Jeff & Kathy Ziegler
7/12	John Kneepkens	8/12	Mary Fricke		
	Manuela Moreria	8/16	Nancy Cumming	8/1	Donald & Jean Chaney
	Wayne Price	8/17	Chuck Bachman	- 1-	Jeff & Gerrie Hendrickson
7/14	Gerald Hersey	8/18	Andrew Craig	8/2	Ziedonis & Jessica Liepins
	Jared Kincaid		Doug Downey	8/5	Martin & Heidi Fuhs
7/15	Dianne Kleingartner	8/19	Ray Harbolt	8/7	Tom & Jennifer Gardner
7/17	Mary Wuest		Wyatt Diaz	8/8 8/9	Vern & Jeannie Lindquist Justin & Katy Ulland
7/20	Alice Lewis	8/19	Andy DeVogel	8/10	Jeff & Sandy Saathoff
7/23	Alice North	8/22	Bill Bergsma	8/14	Rollie & Sherry Kiefel
7/27	Justin Hendrickson		Ethan Diaz	-,	Stephen & Gay Saunders
•	Selma Thompson	8/24	Paul Geraci	8/16	Lewis & Cheryl Landers
7/28	Becky Mogensen	8/25	Lisa DeVogel	8/20	Douglas & Dianne Tanner (50th!)
7/29	Megan Friel	8/26	Leslie Waltzer		Mark & Tami Cron
	Rachel Craig Smith	8/27	Elin Lundberg	8/25	Jon & Becky Mogensen
	Scott Hafso	8/29	Michael Friel	8/26	Scott & Peggy Coyle
			Yumio Doty	8/28	Jerry & Linda Nack
		8/30	Jordan		
			Hendrickson		
			Maury Clark		-M-
			•		



# **July 2016**



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3 10:00 AM Worship 11:30 AM Praying Through the Congrega- tion (Narthex)	Fourth of July Holiday OSLC Office Closed 12:00 PM OA (Narthex)	5 9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall) 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall) 7:00 PM Jubilate Rehearsal (Sanctuary)	9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Upstairs Educa- tion Classroom / Anderson Hall) 9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall)	9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall) 7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM Al Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom) 1:00 pm Staff Meeting	8 9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall)	9:30 AM Moms w/ Kids @ Issaquah Coffee Company
Youth Mission Trip Commissioning 10:00 AM Worship 11:15 AM Mutual Ministry Committee Meeting (Library) 6:30 PM New Life Spirituality Group @ Bill and Carol Bergsma's	9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall) 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom) 1:30 PM Parkinson's Support Group (Sanctuary) 7:30 PM OSLC Book Club @ Barnes & Noble	12 9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall) 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	13 9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Upstairs Educa- tion Classroom / Anderson Hall) 9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall)	14 9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall) 7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM Al Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	15 9:00AM—4:00PM Village Theatre KID- STAGE (Anderson Hall)	16 1:30 PM Ross/Sutton Wedding @ OSLC w/ Bishop Unti Officiating
17 10:00 AM Worship 11:30 AM Town Hall Meeting	18 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom)	19 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall) 7:00 PM Jubilate Rehearsal (Sanctuary)  YOUTH MISSION TRIP	21 7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM Al Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	22	23
24  10:00 AM Worship 11:30 AM Town Hall Meeting 6:30 PM New Life Spirituality Group	25 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom)	26 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall) 7:00 PM OSLC Council Meeting (Narthex)	27 9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall)	28 7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM AI Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	29	30
31 10:00 AM Worship 11:30 AM Town Hall Meeting						OSLC facility use printed in bold print. Community facility use printed in italics.

# August 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom)	2 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall) 6:30 PM Mid-Week Community Campfire Worship @ Lake Sammamish 7:00 PM Jubilate Rehearsal (Sanctuary)	7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM Al Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	5	6
7 10:00 AM Worship 11:30 AM Town Hall Meeting 5:00 PM New Life Spirituality Group @ Ray and Barbara Extract's	8 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom) 1:30 PM Parkinson's Support Group (Sanctuary)	9 5:30 PM Issaquah Meal Program @ Fire Station 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	10 9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall) 6:30 PM Mid-Week Community Campfire Worship @ Lake Sammamish	11 7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM Al Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	12	13 9:30 AM Moms w/ Kids @ Issaquah Coffee Company  11:00 AM—2:30 PM Passage Point (Anderson Hall, Nursery)
14 10:00 AM Worship 11:30 AM Town Hall Meeting	12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom)  12:00 PM September Newsletter Deadline	16 11:00 AM Global Missions Committee (Narthex) 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall) 6:30 PM Mid-Week Community Campfire Worship @ Lake Sammamish 7:00 PM Jubilate Rehearsal (Sanctuary)	18 7.45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM Al Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	19	20 Tanner 50th Anniversary Gathering (Anderson Hall) (By invitation only)
21 10:00 AM Worship 6:30 PM New Life Spirituality Group	22 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom)	23 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	24 9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall) 6:30 PM Mid-Week Community Campfire Worship @ Lake Sammamish	25 7:45 AM TOPS (Upstairs Education Classroom) 10:00 AM AI Anon (Upstairs Education Classroom)	26	27
28 10:00 AM Worship	29 12:00 PM OA (Upstairs Education Classroom)	30 7:00 PM AA (Anderson Hall)	31 9:30 AM Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall)			OSLC facility use printed in bold print.  Community facility use printed in italics.

#### We remember in prayer...



#### We remember in prayer OSLC members:

Sandy Aldworth; Marilyn Carlson; Bob Carn; Judi Case; Maury Clark; Gene Elfstrom; Barbara Extract; Sandy Fish; Emily Gacek; Steve Gacek; Les Gagnon; Bev Geary; Carol Harbolt; Ray Harbolt; Jeff Hendrickson; Margot Inman; Duane Jacobson; Marian James; Talton Johnson; Josee Jordan; Jeanne Kuipers; Florence Kinnune; Jeannie Lindquist; Vern Lindquist; Jim Marshall; Jerry Nack; Cheryl Neeb; John Pass; Doug Patur; Nancy Peterson; Genevieve Schoen and family; Peter Shen; Glenn Smith; Randi Strom; Selma Thompson; Gwynn Wilkinson; Louise Yockey.

#### We ask for peace and comfort for those mourning the death of loved ones:

John Sisko (Ron Sordahl); Richard Lovelace (Dianne Tanner); Roy Eastman (Lois Dounis); Linda Huizenga (Karen Hansen); Jerry Bonior (cousin of Cheryl Neeb); Dennis Kamarainen (Cheryl Neeb); Carson Styron (Lyle and Alice Lewis); Corrine 'Terry' Lee (aunt of Ron Sordahl); Marie Tormaschy (aunt of Kathy Ziegler); Eric Winterstein (Rowan and Barbara Hinds); Joey Garza (Rollie and Sherry Kiefel); Al Jackson (stepfather-in-law of Paul and Robin Timmerman); Ione Leiter (mother of Cheryl Leiter).

We pray for expectant mothers: Eda Trinidad (Jeff Ziegler); Nicole Verlander (Janet Heck)

We pray for members and friends serving in the Military; Fire and Police Department personnel; Emergency Room personnel, and OSLC.

#### We offer thanksgiving to God:

For the marriage of **Scott Cron and Christy Becker**. (son of Mark and Tami Cron)

For the interim ministry of Rev. Richard 'Dick' Christensen.

For OSLC's Call Committee members: Manda Schoen, Mark Cron, Joan Friel, Craig Gillin, Cheryl Hauser, Chuck Bachman, Ralph Case.

That **Rev. Wesley 'Wes' Telyea** accepted the call to become OSLC's Senior Lead Pastor.

#### We pray for our missionaries and global missions:

Henrik & Patty Christopherson; for the congregations in Chiclayo, Peru: Pepe at Las Brisas, Merci in San Antonio and Harold at Las Lomas. MaaSae Girls Lutheran Secondary School in Monduli, Tanzania.

Prayer is putting our faith into action, and prayer is pleasing to God. Link up with our prayer chain if you have a need or if you want to share a thanksgiving or praise. Call Shirley Witsoe, 425-413-6754.

7
=
ā
کن
77
.2
S
Š
<u>ن</u>
~
$\mathbf{Q}$
:=
_
S
orship,
$\sim$
2
>
2016 W
9
$\overline{}$
$\sim$
2016
$\sim$
- •
ب
S
3
August 2
<u> </u>
$\supset$
~
_
_
>
_
_
-

Greeters Mary Fricke
425-392-1864
Bill Suttmeier Jon Smith



#### **Our Savior Lutheran Church**

745 Front Street South Issaquah, WA 98027 (425) 392-4169 office (see extensions below) (425) 392-2946 fax

Stay connected with OSLC through our Website, on Facebook or through Twitter:

Website: www.oslcissaquah.org

Facebook: www.facebook.com/oslcissaquah

Twitter: twitter.com/oslcissaquah

All information for the *Focus* newsletter is **due by noon on the 15th of each month**, unless noted otherwise. Please email items to office@oslcissaquah.org on or before the deadline.

#### OSLC STAFF DIRECTORY

Rev. Wesley Telyea	Lead Pastor	Vern Lindquist	Parish Organist
Ext. 106	wes@oslcissaquah.org		vernlindquist@msn.com
Scott Hafso	Interim Choir Director &	Steve Haugen	Accountant
Ext. 103	Worship Coordinator	Ext. 104	accountingmatters@att.net
	bellevuer@gmail.com	Katherine Mitchell	Lutheran Counseling Network
Janet HeckParish	n Administrator & Focus Editor		(425) 455-2960
Ext. 100	janeth@oslcissaquah.org	Sabrina Wick-Jensen	Nursery Attendant
Shari Lundberg	Office Assistant		
Ext. 105	sharil@oslcissaguah.org		