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# From the Desk of Pastor Vaswig

"But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of God who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light." (1 Peter 2:9) So states the author of 1 Peter in a grand claim for God's beloved baptized. We have been studying 1 Peter in these last few weeks and this is a verse in the book which stands out. While the verse seeks to indicate the special nature of a relationship established by the Holy Spirit with the community of the baptized it has simultaneously over the years been used as a means to indicate superiority. "A chosen race" — wow, is that a dangerous thing to say. In a time where racism of varying kinds manifests itself to suggest one race or one people has a special designated status before God can be easily misconstrued. Or consider "a holy nation." An equally dangerous phrase when improperly understood. When nationalism is on the rise throughout the world and many countries are enacting xenophobic, anti-immigrant platforms, we need to be very careful in our understanding of what the author of 1 Peter is actually trying to indicate.

The best way to get at the author's intent is to view the same through our mutual callings as the beloved baptized. The author elaborates on the same when he says that "we have been called out of darkness into His marvelous light." Which suggests we have been enlightened by the Spirit to exude the love of God in Jesus Christ. Remember in the Rite of Holy Baptism `Let your light so shine before others that they may see your good works and glorify your Father who is in heaven." So our "status" as the baptized should translate not into formats of religious or cultural imperialism but rather as those who seek to manifest God's love for the sake of the world. Such love always takes on a characteristic of humility before God and others. Such love is inconsistent with projecting superiority over anyone. So when we read this line from 1 Peter we do so carefully, conversationally always remembering the intent of the line to embolden the baptized to live into their (our) callings as God's beloved. Never suggesting haughtiness or arrogance but rather callings to mutually love one another and the world for the cause of the Crucified and Resurrected One. God bless each of you as you seek to live out your baptisms faithfully.

Pastor John L. Vaswig



### **Our Savior Lutheran Church**

## From the Council Presidents

Chuck Bachman & Bob Johnson

Bob and I have always found it easier to get to know fellow attendees by working and studying side by side. Community can start by attending worship services. Bible study, kitchen crews, worship teams, building and grounds and endowment committee are just a few of the many ways to enrich your life at Our Savior Lutheran. We have both been long time B. and G. members. We don't do good works to achieve salvation but to celebrate our faith in Christ. I'm sure the



meals team and community outreach members feel the same way. One of my most interesting committees I was on, was the call committee. I learned so much about other churches by meeting prospective pastors for our church. The awesome treats Joan Friel brought, helped too.

Saturday, Oct 22<sup>nd</sup> will be a grounds clean-up day from 9am to noon. Volunteers are needed whether for one hour or three. We will have leaves to rake, pot holes to fill and weeds to pull. We have a Shepherd of the Hills Icon to install, too. A life size wood carving of Jesus will go up in the entry way.

Pastor Vaswig's sermon on Sept. 25 was from Luke chapter 17 about the rich man and Lazarus. The last verse has always stayed with me about the present time nearly 2000 years after Christ has died; "He said to him, (the rich man) If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead". We long for a new prophet but sometimes it's as simple as "showing we are Christians by our love" (and good works).

Faith and good works go hand in hand. OSLC has many members who belong to the local Kiwanis club which does good work in our community. Others start something new, like John and Stacy Smith doing a monthly cleanup in Issaquah. Diane and Doug Tanner have long been advocates for community helping. Whether you do your good works thru OSLC, on your own or part of other organizations, we salute you.

Chuck Bachman

# **Parish Administrator Wanted**

Parish Administer Our Savior Lutheran Church 745 Front St South Issaquah, WA 98027

\$24-\$26 per hour part-time D.O.E. Monday thru Friday 5-hour day shifts

The Parish Administrator is the first person seen by visitors and members and requires good people skills with a need to serve. The work is supporting leadership with various tasks and projects. This staff person must have an attitude to say yes to requests from the Pastor and Council leaders. Skills required will be good phone etiquette, computer skills and general office knowledge. There will be coordination with various building maintenance companies, janitorial services and rentals of the facilities. There is a weekly bulletin to be prepared for the Sunday church service along with frequent emails to be sent to members. Being a member of an Evangelical Lutheran Church of America congregation is not required but is very helpful; being a Christian is required.

#### **Parish Administrator Requirements**

- -An associate degree in business, office management or related field.
- -Two years of office or administrative experience.
- -Excellent communication an interpersonal skills.
- -Ability to problem solve and keep a positive attitude.
- -Be an upstanding representative of our church community.

## Parish Administrator Responsibilities

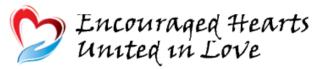
- -Manage the daily operations and maintain office and janitorial supplies.
- -Coordinate, plan and execute church events.
- -Handle all church communications and publications, creating and distributing bulletins and newsletters.
- -Assist with scheduling meetings, renting church facilities, and enforcing church policy.
- -Build relationships with the pastor, council leadership, the congregation and the community.

Send resumes to office@oslcissaquah.org

Meanwhile, many thanks to the volunteers who are keeping us afloat!



# **Our Savior Community**



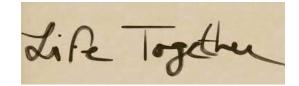
Food, Fellowship & the Future Gatherings

More than 50 people have signed up to attend one of these gatherings. This is so great...and there's still room for you to participate! The last three scheduled gatherings will be held on October 4th (5:30-7:30pm), October 8th (10:00-noon), and October 9th (noon-2:00). Our final sign up after worship will be on October 2nd. You can also sign up by leaving a message with the church office at 425-392-4169, or by email at OSLC\_TREASURER@HOTMAIL.COM

Thanks so much to our wonderful hosts for providing space to gather and a meal: Debby Beck, John McDowell, Connie Fletcher, Chuck Bachman, Marilyn Carlson, Jane Wuest, Lena Schaper and Bob Johnson. And, thanks to all of you who will be there to enjoy a meal together, fellowship and engage in conversation about where the Spirit is leading Our Savior Lutheran Church.

Your Stewardship Team Sue Friddell Ray Harbolt Helen Nychay Wendy Winslow Pastor John

# First Peter Study: Noon and Evening Bible gatherings continue



The biblical writing of First Peter has often been called an epistle of courage, while simultaneously an epistle of hope. Courage and hope are qualities we are called to as God's beloved.

Join us at noon for bring-your-own lunch, and for dinner at 5:45 (meal provided), we will be exploring the book of First Peter together as a community of faith.

A baptismal letter written to a persecuted community in the 1st century, the book's message remains pertinent to our own lives of faith. Come and join your fellow members of the household of faith as we enjoy fellowship and conversation.

There will be no classes on Wednesday, October 5; the study will resume Wednesday Oct. 12.

# **Our Savior Community**



## Sunday, October 2 - Food Drive for Issaguah Food Bank

Bring items from this list and leave on the table in the Narthex – and THANKS!

We kindly ask for only unopened, unexpired items from this list. The list changes as our need for items changes. Updated August 22, 2022.

Chili Hearty Soup (Progresso, Campbell's Chunky, etc.)

Canned Pasta **Peanut Butter** 

Pasta, Pasta Sauce Canned Tuna, Canned Chicken, Spam

Protein Drinks (individual servings) Crackers

Protein Bars (Protein Kind Bars, Protein Clif Bars, etc.) Cereal

White Rice (2 lb bags only, please)

Hamburger Helper / Pasta Roni / Rice a Roni

Canned Vegetables

Pancake Mix (regular and gluten free)

Condiments (ketchup, mustard, syrup, soy sauce,

jam) - regular not jumbo sized, please

Individual snacks for kids lunches

Cooking oil (16-20 oz bottles only please)

Feminine pads (regular or super sizes,

no tampons please)

Diapers - sizes 4, 5, 6; Pull-Ups - sizes 2T-3T & 3T-4T

Ramen

Canned Fruit

Coffee (not decaf)

Body Wash, Bar Soap

Shampoo

Deodorant

Toothpaste

**Baby Wipes** 

#### Saturday, October 22 9 am - noon

Come join us for some fun fellowship, skip a trip to the gym, and help keep our campus beautiful. There may even be donuts....! It's always rewarding to accomplish a spiff-up, and the place looks so good once it's done. Thanks to all who come out to support the Buildings and Grounds Committee in so many ways, including this way.



# Worship



# Worship With Us Sunday Mornings at 10:00 am

# The Season of Pentecost Continues Through October

**In-Person:** Our Savior's Executive Committee strongly suggests attendees continue to wear masks in worship, principally because of singing. Please continue to stay home if feeling sick, and

receive Holy Communion in a safe manner

**On-line:** When sound and videographers are available, worship services are live-streamed at 10:00 am. A link to the service is published weekly, or you can click here: <u>Worship Live</u>. If you try the link prior to 10:00 am each Sunday, you may see a message "video unavailable."

Services are recorded and posted to the <u>Our Savior YouTube Channel</u>. If needed, pull down the menu under "Uploads," then click on "Past Live Streams." Or go to our website <u>www.oslcissaquah.org</u>

Gather with us for fellowship and coffee hour each Sunday following worship.

Do you enjoy hosting? Coffee hour hosts are needed. You now have the option to sign up to bake/bring treats only, help with coffee, or sign



up for both. The sign-up sheet is located in Anderson Hall next to the kitchen pass through window, and there are several folks happy to walk you through the kitchen and teach you how it all works.

Thanks for your participation in making our time of fellowship truly wonderful.

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# **Small Group Ministries**



# Mission Quilters

# Join the Fun & Fellowship

OSLC Mission Quilters have been meeting for 34 years! According to records kept since 1987, 4200 quilts have been donated to Lutheran World Relief. Another 100 quilts will be ready to ship to LWR in November. An

additional 580 quilts have been donated to other individuals and organizations including OSLC high school graduates, the Issaquah Food & Clothing Bank, Vine Maple, Eastside Baby Corner, ministries in Russia and Africa, Issaquah Nursing and Rehab, Compass Housing Alliance and Passage Point. There are lap quilts ready for Veterans once the Puget Sound Honor flights resume.

Mission Quilters meet in Anderson Hall on Thursday mornings from 9:30 am until 12:00 noon to pin quilt edges and tie the quilts together. We'd love to have you join us for ministry and fellowship; **no experience needed!** There are also other ways for you to be involved in this ministry. If you'd like to talk with one of the Mission Quilters, please contact Sue Friddell at (425) 392-9730 or email <a href="mailto:fridsd@aol.com">fridsd@aol.com</a>.



The prayer shawl ministry provides knitted or crocheted shawls to those who are hospitalized, sick or just need a hug! Yarn and patterns are available. No experience necessary.

If you are interested in participating in this ministry, or, learning how to knit or crochet, contact Wendy Winslow at wendywinslow@hotmail.com.

# **Northwest Washington Synod**

# The Spirit

Bishop Shelley Bryan Wee

# From the Bishop:

"Sometimes it's boring.

Sometimes it's thrilling.

Sometimes it makes me cry."

(Quote from "The Wonderful Ordinariness of Congregational Life" by Cheryl Fullerton, Christian Century, March 2022)

Recently I was thinking about church. (Full disclosure ... I think about church quite a bit.) But, in particular, I was thinking about the rhythm of church life. And I think the above quote from Cheryl Fullerton sums it up pretty nicely.

#### Sometimes it's boring

I admit, sometimes there is something that is uninteresting about church. Perhaps it is the repetitive nature of it. Perhaps it is the cyclical nature of things. Perhaps it is seeing the same people in the same pew week after week and year after year.

We know that Fred will sing the hymns out of tune ... every time. We know that Mary will cluck her tongue at someone's tattoo peeking out from their sundress. We know that Mike will fall asleep during the sermon, and we know that Dan will try to share the peace with every single person. We know that the children will fidget. We know that the baby might cry. We know that we have rituals and sacraments and prayers that we say each week. We know that sometimes we won't hear the utter preposterousness and absurdity and utterly amazing news that Jesus loves each of us and all of us – that sometimes this message sails over our heads because we're too busy looking at the bulletin.

And yet ...

### Sometimes it's thrilling

I always get goosebumps when I hear the words, "I baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." I rejoice each Easter when we all shout, "He is risen! He is risen indeed!" Candles lit in darkness bring hope and light on Christmas Eve. When I am privileged to place bread in people's hands and I see young, old, wrinkled, black, white, brown hands reaching out for Jesus, it is truly miraculous.

We know that Fred cares for his wife with Alzheimer's. We know that Mary still grieves her daughter. We know that Mike works the late shift, and we know that Dan only leaves his group home for church. We know that the children will hear of Jesus. We know that the baby will grow up in the community of elders. We know that sometimes

# **Northwest Washington Synod**

we will hear and understand, if even for a moment, the utter preposterousness and absurdity and utterly amazing news that Jesus loves each of us and all of us.

And so ...

#### Sometimes it makes me cry

Church is not for the faint-hearted. Church is not for people who only want to be with their own kind. Church is for the young, the middle-aged and the old. The healthy and the sick. The spiritually depleted and the spiritually full. Those who are seeking, those who are exhausted, and those who are filled with fire for justice. We all come together. The Freds and Marys and Mikes and Dans. And we sing and we pray, and we receive Jesus, in community, together.

Church is wonderfully boring and thrilling. We catch glimpses of the divine amongst the coffee pot and petty disagreements. We see Mary hug the tattooed young girl after she is baptized. We see Mike exchange high fives with Dan. We see Fred with tears singing at the top of his lungs, "I Know that My Redeemer Lives."

There is nothing like church.

"Sometimes it's boring.

Sometimes it's thrilling.

Sometimes it makes me cry."

+ Bishop Shelley Bryan Wee bishop@lutheransnw.org



# **Northwest Washington Synod**



# A Fundraising Evening With

## WORLD CHANGERS FOR PALESTINE





REV. DR. MITRI RAHEB

**RICK STEVES** 

# WEDNESDAY, OCT. 5, 2022 | 7-9 PM

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOLS 6215 196TH ST. SW | LYNNWOOD, WA 98036

Join us for an evening and opportunity to hear from the founder of Dar al-Kalima University and co-founder of Bright Stars of Bethlehem, Rev. Dr. Mitri Raheb and Travel Expert, Rick Steves in person for updates on Dar Al-Kalima University and Palestine.

For more information and to register, go to www.lutheransnw.com/events.

To learn more about Dr. Raheb and Bright Stars of Bethlehem, visit www.brightstarsbethlehem.com.

#### **ELCA Events**

## World Food Day Celebration



Join ELCA World Hunger for a celebration of World Food Day, hosted by Rick Steves and special guest Mark Jansen, CEO of Blue Diamond Almonds. This special event will be streamed online so you can celebrate with ELCA World Hunger wherever you are!

When: Sunday, Oct. 16, 4 p.m. Central time

Where: ELCA Facebook page and ELCA YouTube channel

RSVP not required; simply visit our Facebook or YouTube page to attend. Facebook and YouTube accounts are not required. Can't stream it live? The recording will be available on Facebook and YouTube after the event is over.

**Questions?** Contact <a href="mailto:hunger@elca.org">hunger@elca.org</a>.





# ELCA Coaching Network Weekly Sessions Wednesdays at 11am (Pacific)

ELCA Coaching will continue with the theme of COURAGEOUS LEADERSHIP. We have invited various ministries to host these gatherings each week. There will usually be time for small groups in breakout rooms so that leaders across the church can continue to learn from each other and leave each gathering with at least one action step.

Join Zoom Meetings here:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/180439412?

pwd=WlVwUUxyUE5mY2IxMktHQXFJdGNMdz09

Meeting ID: 180 439 412 / Passcode: 648160

Recordings from prior gatherings can be found here: <a href="https://www.elcacoaching.org/">https://www.elcacoaching.org/</a>
<a href="podcasts/media/series/courageous-leadership">podcasts/media/series/courageous-leadership</a>

# **Lutheran Counseling Network**

# Lutheran Counseling Network Faith and Everyday Life October 2022

Psalm 34:18

I recently visited Rancho La Hermosa orphanage near Primotapia, Mexico. In this orphanage there were more than 20 children, who previously had



been living on the streets. The mission of the orphanage is to rescue children from the streets and provide them with school, clothing, food and a future. I saw God's light in these children. I saw them playing and enjoying their summer vacation withclothing, good food, love and care. Ordinary people are donating their time and money to build school rooms and more dorms to continue restoring these children.

Seeing the work the orphanage is doing changes my perspective on how to give back. I realize one week is not enough to really help others. I have been thinking of ways to continue the call to help others. There are many in our communities that need help. My plan is to be able to do that.

This is what God calls the church to do. God calls us to help widows and orphans. To show each child that they are valuable and worthy of love and care. That God has loved them from the beginning of time. God knew about each of them before mom or dad or anyone else. He calls his creation perfect. He never makes mistakes and has a purpose for each of these children.

How has God blessed you and called you to help others? I invite you to ask God to reveal howyou can help in your community, your church, or to the ends of the earth.

Written by a staff member of Lutheran Counseling Network

## Giving & Offerings

Your gifts and offerings power the mission and ministry of OSLC. Regular contributors are the heart and soul of keeping the doors open, the ministries funded, and the community support, well, supported! We are so thankful for all who give of their time and treasure.



You shop. Amazon gives.

There are several ways to support the church regularly, even when traveling or

'snow-birding', using the technology that most of us use all the time.

You can set up automatic recurring donations through your bank or credit card with online banking services. This is usually free of charge to you and the church.

You can give through the church website (www.oslcissaquah.org) or download the Vanco Mobile app from the app store on your device. Note that Vanco does charge a fee to the church, though the service is free to users.

If you must take Required Minimum Distributions from your retirement accounts, they can be donated (all or part) directly to the church as a tax-deductible gift.

If you're a Thrivent investor, you earn Thrivent Choice Dollars. This is one way Thrivent gives back—they provide the Choice Dollars, and you choose where to donate them! You can direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars to OSLC with the click of a button.

Did you know you can support OSLC when you buy from Amazon? Their SMILE program supports many non-profit organizations—if you shop on Amazon, you can opt in to send some of that support our way.

Surely there are many more ways to support OSLC; put on your thinking cap, and if you find another one or three, share the word! Others may enjoy knowing about other ways to support the congregation.

Questions? Contact Financial Secretary, Lena Schaper by email at oslc\_financialsecretary@hotmail.com.

# **OSLC In Our Community**

Did You Know?

Community Organizations that use our church building for meetings and training:





















## We remember in prayer...

Justin Carter; Lynnette; Norris, his wife Cheryl and his caregiver, Ruth Inqulsrud; Megan Friel; Bob Beck; Guests of the Community Meals Program; all affected by COVID19; Mark & Shelley Howe (moving to Oregon); Nancy Cumming; Barbara Jones (mother of Ron Sordahl) and her family as she enters hospice care; Dan & his family (brother in law of John & Jennifer McDowell); Carla, suffering from severe back problems (Marlice Gilmore).

<u>We pray for members and friends</u> serving in the Military; Fire and Police Department personnel; Emergency Room personnel. We prayer for safety and strength to those living in the wake of all disasters, and all who serve as first responders.

We ask for peace and comfort for those mourning the death of loved ones: Josee Jordan (long time member and missionary); Duane Pankratz (father of Marilyn Carlson)., Mark Vonarx (family of Marilyn Carlson), Marianne Sattler (sister of Paul Isop).

Healing and peace of mind: Lyle Lewis; Steve & EmilyGacek; Josee Jordan; Lucy Acker, Nicole DeCamp; Rachel Powell (Dave Carlson); Henrik & Patty Christopherson; Vern Lindquist; Mary Fricke, Jerry & Linda Nack, Marian James; Katie Moeller; Margot Inman; Dorothy Soland; Randi Strom; Jeanne Kuipers; John Pass; Florence Kinnune; Ray & Carol Harbolt; Bernice Jensen, Sandy Aldworth; Jen Winslow; Larry Pruitt.

<u>Undergoing cancer treatment:</u> Kirsten Olshausen, Scott Paine (Rowan Hinds); Kip Hauser (father of Cheryl Hauser); Vernell Johnson (Shelley & Mark Howe); Roger Stanley (Alice Lewis); Tim Rutten (cousin of Mark Howe); Tom Killoran (Shelley Howe); Chris Howe (brother of Mark Howe); Peggy Scalise (cousin of Mark Howe); Eileen Letts (cousin of Mark Howe); Keith DeCamp (brother of Ken DeCamp); Doug McVety (Helen Nychay); Larry Harbolt (Ray Harbolt); Richard (Debby Beck); Dianne Tanner.

<u>Living with cancer:</u> Harold Mandt (brother of Mary Ann Hult / Lorna Robertson); Sonja (Dianne Tanner); Gerald Welch (Vern and Jeannie Lindquist); Duane Jacobson; Mary Lewis (sister-in-law of Lyle and Alice Lewis); Suzanne Lewis (daughter-in-law of Lyle & Alice Lewis); Barbara Jones (mother of Ron Sordahl); Al Batt (Connie Fletcher)

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.





# **October Worship Readings**

Sunday, October 2 — Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Habakkuk1:1-4, 2:1-4
Second Reading 2 Timothy 1:1-14
Gospel: Luke 17:5-10

Sunday, October 9 — Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c Second Reading 2 Timothy 2:8-15 Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Sunday, October 16 — Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Genesis 32:22-31 Second Reading 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Sunday, October 23 — Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading: Jeremiah 14:7-10, 19-22 Second Reading 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

Gospel: Luke 18:9-14

Sunday, October 30 — Reformation Sunday

First Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34 Second Reading Romans 3:19-28 Gospel: John 8:31-36





# Worship Assistants – October 2022 Service Time: 10:00 am

(unless otherwise noted)

Date & Service	Assisting Minister	Usher	Altar Guild	Sound & Vid- eography
October 2 Pentecost 17	Jen Winslow	Peter Shen	Delaney Cash Jean Pass	Jonathan Smith
October 9 Pentecost 18	Lori Downey	Sang-Beom Shim	Stacy Smith	Jonathan Smith
October 16 Pentecost 19	Joan Friel	Bill Suttmeier	Jane Wuest	Jonathan Smith
October 23 Pentecost 20	Bob Johnson	Don Robertson	Jane & Peter Shen	Jonathan Smith
October 30 Reformation Sun- day	Jen Winslow	Ken Konigsmark	Jane Wuest	Jonathan Smith

## **Volunteer Coordinators**

We're so thankful for all of our volunteers and for those who coordinate them!

Assisting Ministers: Jen Winslow

Altar Guild: Jane Wuest Ushers: Bill Suttmeier

Sound & Videography: Jonathan Smith & David Hersey



# October Birthdays & Anniversaries



10/1 Bill Loken10/3 Peggy Coyle10/4 Mark Mummy

10/5 Paul Isop 10/9 Claire Tolo

10/12 Dianne Tanner Lisa Thomassen

10/15 Kristin Mantei Larry Montague

10/18 David Robertson

10/21 Carol Harbolt Marion James 10/22 Vicky Jacobson

10/24 Dick Ferrarini

10/26 Treasure Hinds

10/28 Peter Shen

10/29 John Butler Marianne Kampf Thomas Zhu-Sordahl

10/30 Lisa Gillin Sandy Saathoff Shirley Witsoe

10/5 Michael & Joan Friel
10/6 Brad & Jacquie Marx
10/15 Lindsay & Brian Piethe
10/25 Ann Ellett & Michael Anderson
10/26 Lyle & Alice Lewis



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Sep 25	26	27	28	29	30	Oct 1  9:00am Eastside Master Choru Retreat (Sanctuary, Kitchen, Anderson Hai
9:00am SOP (Encompass Rm) 10:00am Worship (Sanctuary)	3 10:30am Congregation 6:30pm Master Chorus 7:00pm Boy Scout Troop	4 10:00am IF&CB (Ed. Room) 1:00pm Site Planning (Via 7:00pm AA (Anderson	5	9:30am Mission Quilters (Anderson 10:00am Al-Anon (Library)	7 12:30pm Companions Bible Study (Ed. Room)	8 8:30am Jen Winslow (Library) 10:00am FFF Brunch (Kitchen,
9:00am SOP (Encompass 10:00am Worship 11:00am Puppet 12:00pm Debra	10 6:30pm Master Chorus Eastside 7:00pm Boy Scout Troop 676 Meeting	11 10:00am IF&CB (Ed. Room) 1:00pm Site 3:00pm 7:00pm	12 12:00pm Life Together 2:00pm Issaquah Garden Club 5:30pm Life Together 5:45	9:30am Mission Quilters 10:00am Al-Anon 6:30pm Boy 7:00pm Finance	14 12:30pm Companions Bible Study (Ed. Room)	15 12:00pm Focus Deadline
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## **Our Savior Lutheran Church**

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# **Emergency Pastoral Care**

For emergency pastoral care, please contact OSLC Transition Pastor John Vaswig at: 253-677-4515 (mobile) JLVaswig@gmail.com

