



Pentecost

OUR SAVIOR
LUTHERAN CHURCH

WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH

MISSION

Burning with the Spirit of Christ in us, we are called to serve our neighbors. In following Jesus' teaching and example, we at Our Savior Lutheran Church will feed souls through worship, word, and witness while feeding our neighbor with our hands and actions.

We are honored you have chosen to worship with us today. Our Savior is a community that aspires to follow Jesus so that all may know of the love of God in Christ.

FAMILY RESOURCES At the sanctuary entrance there are books and clipboards with paper & crayons. Children are welcome to take these items into worship. Additionally, the family area just outside the sanctuary has full audio and a view of the service. There you will find toys, books, seating, and room to roam.

HOLY COMMUNION Communion is the central gathering meal of the church. In this meal Christ promises to be fully present, offering forgiveness, a renewed faith, and a regenerative life. Everyone is invited to come forward, as you are able. Individual servings of bread & wine (red) or juice (white) await you; gluten-free bread is available. If you prefer to receive a blessing, please cross your arms over your chest.

WE'D LOVE TO CONNECT If you find yourself in a time of spiritual need or you're searching for more, we would love to walk with you. Simply fill out a Connections Card and we will contact you.

ABOUT THE LITURGICAL ARTS INSTALLATION: "50"

The term *Pentecost* comes from a Greek word meaning "fiftieth." It refers to the festival celebrated on the fiftieth day after Passover. In Christian tradition, Pentecost represents fulfillment of the promise that Christ will baptize his followers with the Holy Spirit.

LAST SUNDAY'S MUSIC CHOICES

Parish Musician David Liu often changes his choices for prelude, postlude, and offering music last minute, as the Spirit guides him. Here are last Sunday's choices:

June 1, 2025

Prelude: L. Van Beethoven, *Pathétique*, Movement No.1

Offering Music: P. I. Tchaikovsky, *The Seasons*, Excerpts from *June*

Postlude: F. Chopin, *Ballade No. 1*

Day of Pentecost
Sunday, June 8, 2025
10:00 a.m.



Our Savior Lutheran Church
745 Front Street South
Issaquah, WA 98027
425-392-4169

HOLY COMMUNION

GATHERING: THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLS US TOGETHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD.

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

In the name of the Father,
and of the + Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Baptized into Christ, let us confess our sin.

Merciful God,
you free us to love others,
but we neglect our neighbors and follow our own way.
You lead us by the Spirit of joy and peace,
but we turn away from the abundant life you offer.
You surround us with patience, kindness,
and generosity,
but we grow weary in doing what is right.
In your mercy, forgive us.
Do not give up on us.
Heal us, break our bonds,
and show us the path of life.
Amen.

You belong to Christ Jesus
and you are God's children through faith.
In the cross of + Christ,
and through the power of the Holy Spirit,
your sins are forgiven.
Clothed with Christ, you are a new creation.
Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

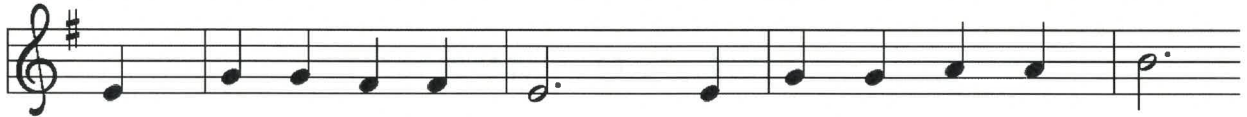
Spirit of Gentleness

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GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

KYRIE



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

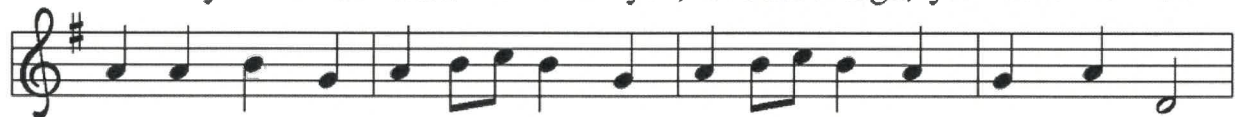
CANTICLE OF PRAISE



- 1 Glo-ry be to God in heav-en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo-ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho - ly One we now ac-claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might-y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:
Son of God and gra - cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WORD: GOD SPEAKS TO US IN SCRIPTURE READING, PREACHING, AND SONG.

FIRST READING

Genesis 11:1-9

¹ Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. ² And as they migrated from the east, they came upon a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. ³ And they said to one another, "Come, let us make bricks and fire them thoroughly." And they had brick for stone and bitumen for mortar. ⁴ Then they said, "Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves; otherwise we shall be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth." ⁵ The LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which mortals had built. ⁶ And the LORD said, "Look, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do; nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. ⁷ Come, let us go down and confuse their language there, so that they will not understand one another's speech." ⁸ So the LORD scattered them abroad from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city. ⁹ Therefore it was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth, and from there the LORD scattered them abroad over the face of all the earth.

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 104:24-34, 35b (sung responsively)

²⁴ How manifold are your | works, O Lord!

In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full | of your creatures.

²⁵ is the sea, great and wide, with its swarms too man- | y to number,
living things both | small and great.

²⁶ There go the ships | to and fro,
and Leviathan, which you made for the | sport of it.

²⁷ All of them | look to you
to give them their food | in due season.

²⁸ You give it to them; they | gather it;
you open your hand, and they are filled | with good things.

²⁹ When you hide your face, | they are terrified;
when you take away their breath, they die and return | to their dust.

³⁰ You send forth your Spirit, and they | are created;
and so you renew the face | of the earth.

³¹ May the glory of the Lord en- | dure forever;
O Lord, rejoice in | all your works.

³² You look at the earth | and it trembles;
you touch the mountains | and they smoke.

³³ I will sing to the Lord as long | as I live;
I will praise my God while I | have my being.

³⁴ these words of | mine please God.
I will rejoice | in the Lord.

^{35b} Bless the Lord, | O my soul.
Hal- | lelujah!

SECOND READING

Acts 2:1-21

¹ When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. ² And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

⁵ Now there were devout Jews from every people under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶ And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷ Amazed and astonished, they asked, “Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?” ⁸ And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹ Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹ Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God’s deeds of power.” ¹² All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, “What does this mean?” ¹³ But others sneered and said, “They are filled with new wine.”

¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, “Fellow Jews and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵ Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

¹⁷ ‘In the last days it will be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams.

¹⁸ Even upon my slaves, both men and women,
in those days I will pour out my Spirit,
and they shall prophesy.

¹⁹ And I will show portents in the heaven above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

²⁰ The sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day.

²¹ Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.’ ”

The word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

THE GOSPEL (This will be presented in various languages.)

John 14:8-17

The holy gospel according to St. John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

⁸ Philip said to [Jesus,] “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.” ⁹ Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’?” ¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own, but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹ Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, but if you do not, then believe because of the works themselves. ¹² Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. ¹³ I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.

¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. ¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him because he abides with you, and he will be in you.”

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY

Come, Gracious Spirit, Heavenly Dove

ELW 404

APOSTLES' CREED

Let us confess our faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed:

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.***

**On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayer.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

MEAL: GOD FEEDS US WITH THE PRESENCE OF JESUS CHRIST.

OFFERING STATEMENT

OFFERING MUSIC

Debra Zadinsky, Violin and David Liu, Piano
A Poor Wayfaring Man of Grief—James Montgomery, arr. McDonald and Nelson

OFFERING PRAYER

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

PREFACE

It is indeed right . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow-er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo-ry. Ho-san - na in the high - est.
Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -
san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

The kingdom of God is set before you.
Eat and rejoice.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION AT THE RAIL

LAMB OF GOD



1 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
2 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;
3 O Lamb of God, you bear the sin of all the world a - way;



you suf-fered death our lives to save: have mer-cy now, we pray.
you set us free from guilt and grave: have mer-cy now, we pray.
e - ter-nal peace with God you made: give us your peace, we pray.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

In the Singing ELW 466

Lord, Who the Night You Were Betrayed ELW 463

Bread of Life, Our Host and Meal ELW 464

POST-COMMUNION BLESSING AND PRAYER

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENDING HYMN

Gracious Spirit, Heed Our Pleading: Njoo kwetu, Roho mwema ELW 401

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Share the good news.

Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE



Pentecost and the Holy Spirit by Jen Norton

OSLC Announcements

The WORD in Our Worship (WOW) Bible Study Continues on Wednesday, June 11

God's Word is woven throughout our liturgy, so knowing the biblical stories that inform our liturgy can open up whole new worlds of meaning in our worship.

You're invited to attend a Bible Study of the Scriptures in our Liturgy with Dr. Randall (Randy) Webb on the four Wednesdays in June. Even if you couldn't attend on June 4, please join us on June 11, 18, and 25. This Bible Study will meet in person at 12:00 noon and 7:00 p.m. in Anderson Hall.



Spiritual Writing

Message from Pr. Olaf: I have received requests from several people to continue the spiritual writing class. I am happy to offer this class if there is sustained interest. One possibility is to have an ongoing class that breaks for summer, Lent, and Advent. Another possibility is to have two six-week blocks, one in spring and one in fall.

If you are interested in such a class, please email Pr. Olaf (pr.o@oslcssaquah.org) and indicate your format preference (blocks or ongoing). We would need at least five people who commit to attend most sessions. Thanks for your interest.



Companions Bible Study

Last Monday, June 2 was the final session of Companions Bible Study this spring. The group will resume in the fall.

Annual Congregational Meeting TODAY, Sunday, June 8

Join us **TODAY, Sunday, June 8** in Anderson Hall immediately following worship as we set the church's course for next year at our Annual Congregational Meeting. Your attendance is important, and we hope to see you there!

Printed copies of the Annual Report and Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Budget are available in the narthex.



Mariners Game Group Event— Faith and Family Day

Saturday, August 2 at 1:10 p.m., at T-Mobile Park vs. the Texas Rangers

Come and join your fellow Mariners' fans at a baseball game! Tickets are \$21 each. **The registration deadline is Monday, June 30.**

Please sign up online at <https://www.hslckirkland.org/ms-game> Questions? Contact Joan Friel at 425-823-2727 or office@hslckirkland.org (her work church).

OSLC Announcements

Serving in Worship Today

Presider: Pr. Olaf Baumann
Preacher: Pr. Kristin-Luana Baumann
Assisting Minister: Anne E.
Psalm Cantor: Dave C.
Pianist: David Liu
Violinist: Debra Zadinsky
Pentecost Gospel Presenters:
Vicki, Norwegian
Pr. Olaf, German
Nina, French
Pr. Kristin-Luana, Hawaiian
Randy, American Sign Language
Nora, Swedish
Ushers: Carl and Judy B.
Altar Guild: Stacy S.
Sound/Videography: Gabby G.



SUMMER '25

Tiny House 2025

Built with love

JUNE 23-27, 9AM-4PM
JUNE 28, 8AM-6PM
JUNE 30-JULY 3, 9AM-4PM

Open youth grade 6-12 and all adults.
Cost: \$50 per person

Scan here to register:

Questions? Contact Doug Johnson

Vacation Bible School

Mt. Si Lutheran Church

FREE

VBS 2025

Splish Splash

Water and the Word of God

Dates: July 14-18

M-F + 9-12pm

www.elfpnw.org to register

SIGN UP →

VBS 2025

Splish Splash

Water and the Word of God

Sammamish Hills Lutheran

July 21-25, 9-12pm

St. Luke's Lutheran Church
August 11-15, 9-12pm

OSLC Announcements

Men's Group Meeting Tuesday, June 10

The next Men's Group Meeting will be held Tuesday, June 10 at 7:00 p.m. at Gaslamp Bar & Grill, 1315 NW Mall Street, Issaquah.

Thank You to Suzanne and Everly

Thank you to Suzanne D. and Everly for the decorations and delicious treats for our coffee hour. Thank you for your dedicated service.
—Submitted by Lois D.



Eastside PRIDE Event

Date: **Sunday, June 22nd, 2025**

Time: **12:00-2:00 pm**

Place: **Issaquah Library**
10 W Sunset Way
Issaquah, WA

Giveaways- Pride flags, stickers, prepackaged snacks, and activities - face painting, coloring pages, and more. We'll have bubble makers, music, and joy & love to share with the community.

Hosted by Spirit of Peace United Church of Christ, Faith United Methodist Church, and Our Savior Lutheran Church

✚ Share & Prayer ✚

We invite you to include these people in your daily prayers. Please email office@oslcissaquah.org your prayer requests. A complete list of prayers can be found in the Focus newsletter each month.

- ◆ **Lena S.**, for her complete recovery following hospitalization
- ◆ **Duane J.**, for the healing of neck problems
- ◆ **Mary F.**, prayers for acceptance and adjustment to her new living place
- ◆ **Dianne T.**, for her medications to work
- ◆ **Beverly P.**, for prayers after her recent hospital stay
- ◆ **Diane M.**, prayers for no more infusions and progress towards maintenance
- ◆ **Marlene P.**, who is receiving hospice care.
- ◆ For safe travels, new friendships, and fruitful ministry for **a six-member team** from Sammamish Hills Lutheran Church, Mt. Si Lutheran Church, and Our Savior Lutheran Church **traveling to Rwanda May 29-June 9** to serve with Love With Actions, a Kigali-based NGO that serves disabled children and their families (Larry T.)
- ◆ **Ray W.**, for healing from a massive heart attack (nephew of Sandy A.)

Mourning the Death of Loved Ones

Please keep their family, friends, and loved ones in your prayers.

- ◆ **Jerry Welch**

This Week at Our Savior Lutheran Church

TODAY

9:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

12:30 p.m.

2:00 p.m.

JUNE 8—DAY OF PENTECOST

Spirit of Peace UCC (SOP Sanctuary)

Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Annual Congregational Meeting (Anderson Hall)

New Creation Church (Youth Room)

Issaquah Suzuki Strings Spring Recital (Sanctuary)

MONDAY

7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

JUNE 9

Master Chorus Eastside (Sanctuary)

Boy Scout Troop 676 (Anderson Hall)

TUESDAY

1:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

7:45 p.m.

JUNE 10

Community Meal Prep (Kitchen)

Men's Group Meeting (Gaslamp Bar & Grill, Issaquah)

AA (Anderson Hall)

WEDNESDAY

12:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

JUNE 11

The WORD in Our Worship (WOW) Bible Study with Pr. Randy Webb (Anderson Hall)

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THURSDAY

9:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

JUNE 12

Mission Quilters (Anderson Hall)

Al-Anon (Education Room)

Gourmet Music and Culture Club Piano Recital (Sanctuary and Anderson Hall)

SATURDAY

11:00 p.m.

3:30 p.m.

JUNE 14

Grace Jun Student Recital (Sanctuary)

Spirit of Peace Potluck (Anderson Hall)

NEXT SUNDAY

9:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

12:00 p.m.

12:30 p.m.

JUNE 15—THE HOLY TRINITY

Spirit of Peace UCC (SOP Sanctuary)

Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Coffee & Fellowship Hour (Anderson Hall)

Zadinsky Senior Send-off Violin Class (Sanctuary)

New Creation Church (Youth Room)

Music lessons are held in all downstairs rooms throughout the week.

Emergency Pastoral Care

For emergency pastoral care, please contact Pr. Olaf Baumann at 360-912-1830
or Pr. Kristin-Luana Baumann at 360-912-1245.

