Septuagesima (January 28th, 2018)

Welcome in the Name of Jesus! May the Triune God who gathers us around Himself in the Word and Sacrament to bless us with His forgiveness this evening be your source of comfort, strength, and renewal as you worship today. Please register your attendance on the cards in the pew. Blessings, and do come again!

Communion Statement

Please register for communion by filling out the back of the attendance card provided in the pew. If you are not a communicant member of Our Savior Lutheran Church, please speak with a Pastor or an Elder before Communion. See the back of the card in the pew for more details about our Communion practice, and these Bible passages: Acts 2:42; 1 Corinthians 10:17, 11:26; Romans 16:17.

Introit

The cords of Sheol entangled me; the snares of death confronted me. In my distress I called upon the LORD.

- From his temple he heard my voice. I love you, O LORD, my strength.
- The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer.

For you save a humble people,

but the haughty eyes you bring down.

[You have] equipped me with strength

and made my way blameless. For this I will praise you, O LORD, among the nations. and sing to your name. Glory be to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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What's Happening This Week

Sunday:	<u>8:00 AM</u> Divine Service	9:30 AM Christian Ed Hour
	<u>10:45 AM</u> Divine Service	e <u>3:00 PM Catechism</u>
	<u>4:30 PM Book Club</u>	
Monday:	<u>7:00 PM</u> Divine Service	
Wednesday:	<u>10:00 AM Life Light</u>	<u>6:00 PM Handbells</u>
	<u>6:30 PM C</u> hoir	<u>7:00 PM</u> Confessions
Thursday:	<u>1:11 PM Bible Study</u>	

Serving in Worship

Elder: Ron Van Voast (8:00), Mike Hoffland (10:45), Chuck Hall (7:00) Elder Apprentice: Colton Bell (8:00), Colby Siltzer (10:45) Altar Guild: Marty Albright, Marcia Ziegelman (8:00), Suzie Townsend, Donna Debowey

Ushers: Don Hogarth, Joel Rasanen (8:00), Volunteer (10:45) Ushers Next Week: Howard Sellenrick, Howard Schwartzkopf (8:00), Volunteer (10:45) Organist: Veronica Fearneyhough (Sunday), Margaret Carlstead (Monday) Flowers: None

In our prayers this week:

(10:45)

Ida Hutton, Speedy Recovery (Ron and La Velle Van Voast) [1/22] Family and Friends of Paul Nerge (Nephew of Ted Erickson) [1/22]Bernie Finch, Recovery [1/22] Mo, Cancer (Friend of Sharon Judd) [1/14]Craig McDowell, Brain Tumor (Cousin of Connie Neal) [1/14] Linda Dykstra, Recovery from Pam McDowell, Severe Health Issues (Wife of Connie Neal's Cousin) [1/14]

- Family and Friends of Betty Bogenpohl (Mother of Laurie Anderson) [1/11] Joyce Paneitz, Health Concerns [1/11] Rachel Siltzer, Health Concerns [1/10]Radia Black, Spinal Stenosis (Grandaughter of Delene Eckardt-Jobes) [1/10] Surgery [1/10]
- **Richard Doll, Medical Concerns** (Brother-in-Law of Bob and

Kathy Banker) [1/7] Joyce Moench, Recovery from an Injurious Fall (Jim Moench) [1/7]Steve Richter, Leukemia Treatment (Son of Joyce Sorenson) [1/7] Pat Decklever, Fluid around Heart and Lungs [1/7] Karen Terrell, Kidney Disease (Kathy Siltzer's Sister) [1/7] Jenny Barclay, Safe Travels on Trip Overseas [1/7]

Sunday - February 4th, 2018 ~ Sexagesima

8:00 AM Divine Service (LS) 9:30 AM Christian Education Hour 10:45 AM Divine Service (LS)

12:30 PM Elders Meeting 3:00 PM Catechism

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GROWING IN FAITH "THROUGH THE WORD" "He who belongs to God hears what God says." John 8:47 Weekly Worship: Sunday (8:00) ~ 93/67 (LS) Sunday (10:45) ~ 26/23 (LS) Monday (7:00) ~ 9/9 (LS) LS = Lord's Supper

Each Sunday we will be challenged as a congregation to memorize a single verse of Scripture. The verse will come from one of the lessons for the following Sunday and we will recite it together the following Sunday. This week's verse to recite is:

Psalm 9	95:1
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Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

For a sheet you can take home with you with all of the verses for the current month, please look in the narthex.

This week's verse to memorize for next Sunday is:

2 Corinthians 12:9

But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me.

Congregational Announcements

- 1. Special Announcement ~ After much thought and prayer I have decided to resign my position of Director/Teacher of Our Savior Lutheran Pre-School, effective June 15th, 2018. I have truly enjoyed my time here at Our Savior both in the classroom with God's precious little ones and in worship and fellowship with you, the members of Our Savior. I believe that God is leading me to move back to Missouri to spend more time with my family. It is my prayer that God will continue to bless the ministry of Our Savior Lutheran Pre-School! Laurie Anderson
- 2. Church Council Summary ~ The Council met on Monday, January 22. Normal reports were presented. The Council took action to make recommendations in regards to the changing situation at the preschool for a Special Congregational meeting on Feb 25th. The Council approved our annual district pledge, appointed a new nominations committee, filled a vacancy in the board of elders, approved some church security training from the Cheyenne Police, approved defibrillator training, and heard updates on the Church Directory which is delayed at Lifetouch.
- 3. Congregational Forum and Special Congregational Meeting in February ~ On Feb. 11 at 1:00pm there will be a congregational forum to discuss matters of our preschool outreach to the community. On Feb. 25th at 12:15pm we will have a Special Congregational Meeting to grant a peaceful release to Laurie Anderson, consider Council recommended changes to the Preschool program, to eliminate the auxiliary office of Preschool Director/Teacher, and also to provide appropriate care for Laurie as she transitions.
- **4. Reformation Book Club Resumes!** ~ We will meet today, Sunday, January 28th at 4:30 PM in the Social Hall to discuss the next book "How to Live a Christian Life".
- 5. Ladies Birthday Luncheon at Culver's ~ February 5th at 11:30 am. All ladies are welcome to join this get together held the first Monday of each month!
- 6. It's a Baby Shower! ~ Children are a blessed gift from our Lord, and we are excited to celebrate with Pastor, Tiffany and their family as they prepare to welcome their son to the family this Spring. Please join us in blessing them with the gifts of fun, fellowship, food, and baby essentials at a baby shower in the fellowship hall at Our Savior on Saturday, February 10 from 2 to 4pm. All ladies are welcome to attend. If you have any questions, please see Katy Heimer or Vanessa Rasanen.
- 7. A Quick Reminder: Lydia Circle will resume our monthly meetings in February on Tuesday, February 13th, at 1:00 pm.
- 8. A Special Thank You ~ Anita Tripple was the committee photographer for the wonderful 60th Anniversary Celebration that recently took place here at our Savior. She did an outstanding job and we would like to extend a sincere thank you to her for her efforts they were professional and so appreciated! Thank you Anita!
- **9. A Request for Our Members** ~ We would like to as that any members who may have taken pictures of the 60th Anniversary Celebration please share them with us here at the church office. Thank you!
- 10. 60th Anniversary Mugs ~ OSLC's 60th Anniversary Mugs have arrived! These mugs are of excellent quality and feature a surprise logo. The cost is \$5 per mug and a sign up sheet has been placed in the Narthex. If you have pre-ordered mugs please make sure to pay for and pick up your mug order. If you haven't reserved a 60th Anniversary mug be sure to do so today as they are going quickly. For more information please contact Suzie Townsend or Suzi Taylor. You are also welcome to see Natalie Bell in the church office for assistance with orders and pickup of mugs.
- **11. Do You Have Greeting Cards?** ~ LaVaughn Bresnahan is collecting all used cards for donation to St. Jude's Children's Hospital. The donation box for these cards is located in the entryway. No Hallmark cards please. Thank you for your support of this worthy cause!
- **12. Offering Envelopes** ~ Offering envelopes for 2018 have arrived and available for pickup in the Narthex! If you don't see a box with your name on it please be sure to leave your information on the sign up sheet that has been provided.
- 13. LWML Mission Mite Minute ~ Mission Central, based in Iowa, is the go-to resource for the new missionaries looking for assistance on their chosen path. There are so many things necessary to have in place before you begin your work as a missionary things like learning the language, transportation, housing expenses. Mission Central is there for the missionary to help with all these needs. For more information please go to www.lwml.org/2017-2019-mission-grant-5.