



2014 at Our Savior's Lutheran

Sunday	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 9:30 Worship/Communion Grounds Committee Meet 11:00 Confirmation Class <i>All Saints' Day</i>	3	4 6:30 Council Meeting	5 5:30—7:00 D.O.G. Night	6
9 9:30 Worship Evangelism Committee Meet 11:00 Confirmation Class <i>Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost</i>	10	11 <i>Veterans Day</i> 7:00 Men's Breakfast 10:00 Text study at Outlaw Ranch	12 5:30—7:00 D.O.G. Night	13 5:30 Hermosa School soup and pie
16 8:30 Worship/Music Meeting 9:30 Worship/Communion 11:00 Confirmation Class <i>Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost</i>	17	18 9:30 WELCA 9:30 Bear Butte Conf. Belle Fourche 6:00 God's Cupboard meeting	19 5:30—7:00 D.O.G. Night	20 4:00 LCM Meeting
23 9:30 Worship/Communion Third graders receive Bibles 11:00 Third Grade Bible class December Care and Serve meet <i>Christ the King Sunday</i>	24 December Newsletter Deadline	25 7:00 Men's Breakfast 10:00 Text study at Outlaw Ranch	26 NO D.O.G. Night	27 Happy Thanksgiving Day <i>Office closed</i>
30 9:30 Worship Stewardship Sunday Service of the Word for Healing 11:00 Confirmation Class <i>First Sunday in Advent</i>				

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday & Wednesday 9:00–12:00 & 1:00–3:00
Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 9:00 –12:00

Please stop in or call anytime
605-255-4662

November Events



Sunday, November 2nd-All Saint's Day
During the service you will have the opportunity to light a candle in memory of a loved one to honor and remember them.



SKIT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

There will be a practice on *Saturday, November 15th, at 10:00am* for interested people. On *Sunday, November 16th*, we will present an original skit during worship. This will be a fun look at our gifts and how we use them. Please contact Pastor Becky if you are interested in participating. Both adults and youth are welcome!



WHO: 6th grade through 12th grades
WHAT: Fall Festival Fun and Food-Chili, apple cider, games, and more
WHEN: Sat., Nov. 15th, 12pm-2:00pm
WHERE: Our Savior's Lutheran Church
WHY: Did you read the "what" section?

All men interested in getting together for food and fellowship are invited to the **Men's Breakfast** every other Tuesday morning at 7:00am at the church. **This month November 11th and 25th.**



The **WELCA Bible Study** will meet at 9:30 am, **November 18th** in the church fellowship hall.

Kathy Thompson will present the bible study.

*We have begun a new bible study
"The Old Testament: A Historical and Literary
Introduction to the Hebrew Scriptures.*

Esther Downen will serve as hostess.

**God's Cupboard
November 21st
9:00am—Noon**



Our community food pantry located at the church will be open on the third Friday of each month, from 9:00 am to noon. If you are interested in being a volunteer to work the open dates, please talk to Pastor Becky.

**D.O.G. Night—Disciples of God
Wednesdays ~ 5:30—7:00pm
NO D.O.G. Night November 26**

We are now exploring the Genesis story about "the first sin" in Genesis 3 about Adam and Eve until Nov. 12th. On Nov. 19th we move into our "Jesus is Born" unit for three weeks only. We will NOT meet the week of Thanksgiving. Remember that each unit has a memory verse for your child and sign up sheets are in the fellowship hall. Please sign your name when you have told the memory verse to an adult. The verses are always on the fellowship tables and lists are available to take home. We also are sending a "Family Conversation" sheet home for each unit to help you dig deeper into our Bible stories.



3RD GRADE BIBLES

We invite the families of 3rd graders to attend worship on November 23rd to receive a Bible and a blessing. We hope that you will also join us at 11:00am to learn more about your bibles.

DECEMBER CARE & SERVE TEAM!

*will meet during fellowship on
Sunday, November 23*

Council Host, Greg Neugebauer

December Care & Serve Team: Joy & Stan Neugebauer, Chic Schneekloth, Jim & Nancy Schultes, Kevin & Luanne Vining.



Advent begins Sunday, November 30th. We will be decorating the church for Advent and Christmas on **Saturday, November 29th at 1:00pm.** Anyone who would be able to help will be much appreciated.



Pastor Appreciation Sunday October 12

Left, Pastor Becky Piper is presented a plant from Alan Platte, Church Council president, on behalf of the church family.

Right, Pastor Becky with the cake given to her for fellowship hour.



Financial Giving Opportunities

There are several ways to give financially to the church. We offer the Simply Giving program so that your giving happens automatically. To sign up for this program, please pick up a form in the office. The council is working on an envelope or card to have in the pews for those whose giving is set up automatically so that during the offering, you can place the card in the offering plate. There is also a way to give via our website through *paypal*. Another way to give is if you are an Amazon shopper, you can go through the church website and the church will receive a small percentage from your purchases. We also have monthly mission giving opportunities. There is a donation box located downstairs during fellowship time. If a check is placed in the offering plate, please indicate that it is for mission of the month. Or, you can place your financial gifts in the offering plates during Sunday worship.

We greatly appreciate your financial gifts that support the ministry and mission of our congregation, our SD synod, and the ELCA. Through our giving, we not only support what happens in our church and community, but also the good work being done on a larger scale throughout the state, country, and world to spread the gospel and care for our neighbor.

Our website is: oslhermosa.com

Confirmation

A reminder to our confirmation students that we will continue to offer the same class on Sunday and Wednesday so that you have two opportunities. The Lutheran traditions unit has ended and we will begin our unit on the Lord's Prayer in November. We meet at 11:00 am on Sundays or 6:00 pm on Wednesdays. There will be **NO CLASSES** on Nov. 23rd or 26th because of Thanksgiving week.



WE ARE LOOKING FOR YOU!

Our Savior's Lutheran Church is seeking a caring, energetic, and organized person to serve as the Director of Children's Ministries. This position oversees our Wednesday evening D.O.G. night program, Vacation Bible School, holiday events, and occasional summer outings. This position will help our congregation further the vision that God has for us in serving our congregation and community. This is a paid position.

If you are interested in more details, please contact Pastor Becky.



CONGRATULATIONS!

Lauren Bushman, Zachary Baschnagel, and Martin Mead who were confirmed on Sunday, October 26, 2014.

Pictured left: Zach, Lauren, Pastor Becky and Martin.

Pictured right: Zach, Martin and Lauren with their cake.





Take A Moment To Thank A Veteran

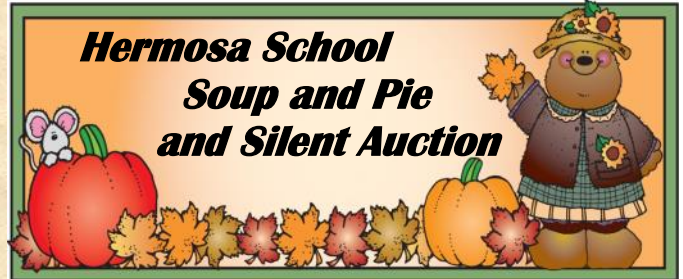
*When you see someone in a uniform,
Someone who serves us all,
Doing military duty,
Answering their country's call,
Take a moment to thank them
For protecting what you hold dear;
Tell them you are proud of them;
Make it very clear.

Just tap them on the shoulder,
Give a smile, and say,
"Thanks for what you're doing
To keep us safe in the USA!"*



**Battle River Eastern Star's
Annual Turkey Dinner
Sunday, November 9 11:00am -2:00pm**

Served family style
Hermosa Masonic Hall
Adults \$10.00
Children 5-12 \$5.00
Under 5 FREE



When: Thursday, November 13th
Time: 5:30-7:30 pm
Where: Hermosa School
Adults--\$6.00
School aged Children--\$4.00
**Come enjoy all the soup and pie that you can eat
and bid on some great items in our auction**

Veterans Day Chili Feed Dinner

Monday, November 11~~4:00-7:00pm

American Legion Post 303, Main & Second, Hermosa
Come and support the Veterans. Free will donation.
Beginning at 7:00 will be the presentation of the Post
Everlasting Ceremony for those veterans who have
passed on.



Remembering in our Prayers . . .



Family of Charles Conard (Peg's brother-in-law) Family of Kim Musser's Mother
Adare, Mikkey, Lisa, Jaime, Paul (Kristen's father), James (Joan's nephew), Butch, Ardis (Pastor Becky's grandmother), Gloria, Diane Flug's mother, Ryan, Ian & Christina (Lescarbours family), Bernie (Shelley's brother), Dale, Rob & Lindsey Whitehead, Lena (Deb VanSambeek's mother), Ron (Esther's nephew), John (Carol Neugebauer's brother-in-law), Janna (Paula's sister-in-law), Brad (Russell's brother), Hannah (Carla's friend), Verne, Ralph & Lois, Dan (Betty's brother), Varro & Dale, Colleen (Larry's F. sister), Bill (Adare's father), Richard, Pat and Tom (Cleon's friends), Bruce (Becky K's friend), Michala (cousin of Martins'), Dee Ann, Nancy (Carpenter's daughter), Geraldine (Tiffany's grandmother), Jim (VanDreissen's cousin), Jessica (Zuerleins relative), Gary & Donna (VanDreissen's friends), Ken (Judy & Karen's dad), Vera (Esther's sister).

All men and women serving our country in the military, especially Brian (Lemer's son), Alayna (Judy Bishop's granddaughter); Chase (Jenett & Larry VanDreissen's grandson); Jesse Lynch; Brian (Marvin & Judy Bishop's son); Janna, (Sharon & Leo Hundtoft's granddaughter).

Please help us keep the prayer list current by letting Pastor Becky or Peg know when you would like to have someone's name added or removed from the list.

Treasurer's Report

October 5	76	\$1,408
October 12	82	\$1,569
October 19	78	\$2,435
October 26	87	\$974
October averages	81	\$1,597

October Offerings \$ 7,304
October Expenses \$11,720
General Offerings YTD \$91,011
Total Expenses YTD \$96,510
October Mission \$219



Celebrate! Thank you!

The council would like to thank the congregation for all that you give -- money, time, and talents. We appreciate working together in God's mission for our community. Our stewardship theme for November is celebrating our time and talents (gifts). Each Sunday we will focus our celebrating and thanks in a different way.

- Nov. 2 Celebrate the saints!
- Nov. 9 Celebrate tomorrow!
- Nov. 16 Celebrate today!
- Nov. 23 Celebrate Christ the King!
- Nov. 30 Celebrate hope!

Committee Meeting Dates

Grounds Committee meets the **1st Sunday** following worship service.

Evangelism Committee meets the **2nd Sunday** following worship service.

Worship and Music Committee meets the **3rd Sunday** at 8:30am before worship service.



Gloria Olawsky would like to thank everyone for the prayers, flowers, cards, visits, and phone calls, before, during and after the time of her surgery.

God's Cupboard

Thank you to the volunteers who work God's Cupboard. We greatly appreciate your time. We also would like to thank those who have made financial and food donations: Hermosa UCC Church, Hermosa School Kidstop program, Our Savior's Lutheran Church, and anonymous individual supporters. A special thank you to Pop's Grocery for working with us on providing a voucher system for fresh food items.



God's Cupboard needs your help

We would like to gather together interested individuals in the community to evaluate and plan for God's Cupboard in order to find the best ways in which to serve the community. We will meet at **Lintz Bros. Pizza on Tuesday, November 18th at 6:00 pm**. All interested volunteers are welcome to attend.

DOG Night Families:

Thank you to those parents and other adults who volunteer their time, presence and talents for DOG Night. We greatly appreciate you!

If you have a child participating in the DOG Night program, it is important for you to find a way in which to volunteer at least once a month:

- 1) Please consider attending the meal to sit at a table and provide an adult presence.
- 2) You can help plan, prepare and/or serve the meal. We have wonderful and capable volunteers who can help you with the meal planning.
- 3) Each unit is 4-weeks long. You can consider teaching a workshop for 4 weeks. Don't worry, you don't have to know everything in order to volunteer! The curriculum/lesson plans are provided for our various workshops on the Bible story: Story & Games, Movie, Drama, and Craft are some of the workshops that we have been using. Other options include music and kitchen. For our Bible story schedule, please reference our DOG Night pamphlet. What a great way to give our on-going volunteers a 4-week break!

Again, our DOG night program is a volunteer-run program and we need your presence.

To sign up for helping in the area of DOG Night meals, please call Judy Stanley at 255-4142 or Carol Neugebauer at 255-4688. To volunteer to be a shepherd or a workshop leader, please call Gloria at 255-4063 or Pastor Becky at 255-4662. To be an adult presence at the meal (and eat a great meal) from 5:30-5:55, just show up!

One quick reminder: Our doors do not open until 5:30 pm. We cannot supervise children prior to that time. You are welcome to have them play on the playground at their own risk prior to the start of the programming. If there is inclement weather, they can wait in the entrance of the church at 5:15 pm, but no earlier. Please plan accordingly.

Blessings, Pastor Becky Piper and the DOG Night volunteers

Mission of the Month for November & December

GOD'S GLOBAL BARNYARD



The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) is a church that is called to do God's work in the world. Together as the ELCA, we do more than we could ever do alone to care for those around the world who live with hunger and poverty.

ELCA Good Gifts are a creative way to do just that. Each gift changes at least three lives: the life of the person helped by your gift, the life of your friend or loved one, and your own.

A cow, a couple of goats, ten chicks, two pigs, a duck, farming tools—plus training and marketing support—can help a family farm its way to a fresh start. With new tools and techniques, crops will grow bigger and stronger than ever before. Eggs, milk and meat from farm animals will provide enough food to eat and sell on the market, helping a family escape the cycle of hunger and poverty for good.

In 2011, we raised enough money to buy 2 Family Farms, plus several animals. This year our goal is to raise \$2145 to buy three Family Farms! To support this mission and give a gift that makes a difference, you may purchase a specific animal in honor of someone and send the person a card informing them of the gift, or just drop your donation in the offering plate or in the Mission Box in the fellowship hall. (Please write checks to Our Savior's Lutheran Church, and mark them "one duck," "one pig," etc. or simply "Mission.")

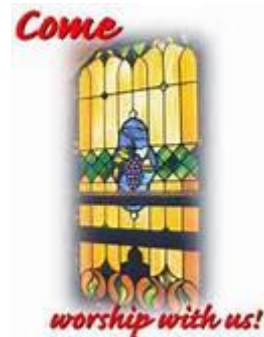
To learn more about this mission, see the display at church or visit www.elca.org/goodgifts on the web.

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Worship Time
Sunday 9:30 am
1st & 3rd Sundays
Communion

D.O.G. Night
Wednesdays
5:30—7:00



Our Mission: "We welcome others to join us in worshipping and serving Christ"