# 2022



# OSL

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <b>1:00pm</b> Education Committee meeting	2	3 <b>10:30-11:30am</b> Feeding SD Truck @ St Michael's	4
				Pastor Deb @	Synod Assembly	– Sioux Falls
5 9:30am Worship and Communion in the building and live on FB and YouTube 10:30am Potluck 11:15am Council and Committees mini-retreat @ OSL 7:00pm HS Youth Group	6	7	<i>8</i> <b>9:30am</b> Bible Study w/Pastor Deb @ OSL and on Zoom <b>6:30-7:30pm</b> VBS Volunteer training @ OSL	9	10	11
12 9:30am Worship in the building and live on FB and YouTube <i>Fellowship following worship</i> 11:00am Visitation/Home Communion Training	13	14	15	<i>16</i> <b>3:00-5:00pm</b> Hermosa/ Fairburn Food Bank open	17	18
	Vacation Bible School @ OSL 8:30am-11:30am					
19 Father's Day Commissioning of Home Communion / Visitation Ministers 9:30am Worship and Communion in the building and live on FB and YouTube 10:30am Pie and Ice Cream	20	21 9:30am WELCA	22 9:30am Bible Study w/Pastor Deb @ OSL and on Zoom	23	24	25 8:00-3:00 Community Rummage Sale and Craft/ Vendor/ Rummage Sale @ Community Center
				OSL Picture Directory Dates		
26 9:30am Worship in the building and live on FB and YouTube <i>Fellowship following worship</i> 11:00am Church Council Meeting	27 9:30am Bible Study w/Pastor Deb @ OSL and on Zoom	28	29 Illoni 4000 Bike group staying @ OSL	30	ynodical Conven	2
			HS Youth Group Trip-Salt Lake City			
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Feeding SD Food Box Friday, June 3rd St Michael's Catholic Church 10:30-11:30am

Feeding SD's new rules.... \*Must have photo ID with you \*No more than 2 persons in the car \*Can no longer deliver boxes to others-they have to be there themselves to pick up their own boxes

# CRAFT, VENDOR AND RUMMAGE SALE FAIR

Saturday, June 25th 8:00am-3:00pm Hermosa Community Center Hermosa SD

> Space available to rent: Approximately 10 foot spaces

Inside: \$20 Parking Lot: \$15 \*Limited electric inside and outside +\$5.00 \*Tables available, if requested. \*Canopy and weights not provided

> Concessions Stand in the Parking Lot Breakfast, Lunch and Snack Menu Fundraiser for Bible Campers

Held in conjunction with the Hermosa citywide rummage sale.

Please contact Nick at 701-690-8063 or hermosacommunitycenter@gmail.com



It's time for a new church pictorial directory!!



It's been quite a few years since we've all gotten together to have a new church pictorial made ~ Please join us June 22-25 to make our new 2022 directory a great success! Check your bulletins for more information as we get closer to the dates!

We have partnered with The Dakota Gallery, a South Dakota company, to produce a new 2022 church pictorial directory!!

Everyone will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and a new directory for participating!

You will have the opportunity at the time of your sitting to order additional professional portraits for your home and for gifts!

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#### A PRAYER ON FATHER'S DAY

Let us pray for all the fathers among us today: For our own fathers, those living and those who have passed away; for the fathers who loved us and for those who fell short of loving us fully;

For all who hope to be fathers some day and for those whose hope to have children has been frustrated; for all fathers who have lost children.

For all women and men who have fathered others in any way – those who have been our substitute fathers and we who have done so for those in need.

We pray this all in the name of God, our great and Loving Mother. Amen.

Adapted from Women's Common Prayers (Morehouse, 2000)

Women ELCA

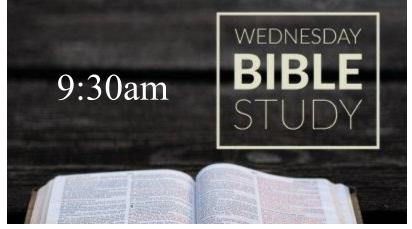
We give thanks for all the fathers in our lives!



In honor of Father's Day, following worship on June 19th, we will be having pie and ice cream. We are looking for volunteers to bring pie. If you would be willing, please let Josie in the church office know. Thank you!

## "All are Welcome" Our invitation can reflect the hospitality of Jesus.

Join WELCA at our next gathering Tuesday, June 7th at 9:30 am at OSL and on Zoom **We will be studying the June Bible Study in the Gather magazine**  *Crafted in Christ-A summer of rest and renewal* Extra copies of the Bible study are available in the church office. Contact Josie at 605-255-4662 or <u>osl@mt-rushmore.net</u> and she will mail one to you. WELCA meeting to follow. Zoom Meeting ID: 518 251 3825 Password: OSLHermosa The link will also be emailed and posted on the OSL Facebook page and website. Bible Study Leader: Cathy Dahl Hostess: Gwen Schroeder *All women are invited to join us each month to spend a morning to learn about the bible and to enjoy time with friends.* 



Sunday morning worship at 9:30 am Wednesday morning Bible study at 9:30 am (in person and on Zoom) Zoom Meeting ID: 518 251 3825 Password: OSLHermosa

\*\*If anyone wants to be a part of an weekday evening Bible study, please contact Pastor Deb and we will get one going. She is also willing to begin an intergenerational family Bible study if there is interest.

## Peter, Paul and You Journeying through Acts

All are invited to join Pastor Deb this summer in worship and in Bible study as we journey through the book of Acts with Peter, Paul and companions as they are filled with the Holy Spirit and travel about proclaiming the Gospel. We will learn

the story of the first Christian churches as we explore our own stories as individual people of faith and as a community of faith at Our Savior's Lutheran Church. All are welcome!



\*\*Those who are grieving losses of any sort.

\*\*Those recovering from COVID-19, surgeries, and those who are ill or hospitalized, including Maysyn Sorenson; Patty Baker (Friend of Linda Morrison); Reece Ullerich (Friend of Linda Boll); Sara (Cousin of Toni Ramsey); Matt (Cousin of Jake Borden); Gary McKean (Nephew of Lane Pine)

\*\*Those with on-going concerns, including Iris Brimer; Helen Murphy (Sister of Mikkey Twitero); Roger Spitzer (friend of Dar and Gwen Schroeder); Clay Wahlberg; Peg Tesch; Kimberly Heuer; Lynzee Makowski (Niece of Rebecca Kaiser); Esther Downen; Jason Boll (Son of Linda Boll); Rod Dikoff (Cousin of Roger); Shelly (Friend of Carla Oerter); Suzan Heidelberger; Chelle Schefcik

\*\*For the community of Uvalde, Tx and all affected by the recent school shooting

\*\*For students, teachers and staff as they begin their summer break.

\*\*For Bible campers and Camp Staff

\*\*For our military members and their families

- \*\*For those who are homeless and those whose homes do not provide warmth and safety
- \*\* For the people of Ukraine and Russia

\*\*For our leaders at every level

\*\*For our siblings in Christ, our friends and enemies, both near and far

### BECOME A HOME COMMUNION MINISTER!

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Do your gifts include visiting with others and listening to stories? Can you carve out the time to go and visit someone in their homes once a month? Are you looking for a way to serve and be the hands and feet of God outside the walls of the church building? Then this new to OSL ministry opportunity might just be for you.

Join Pastor Deb and others as we explore how to take communion out of the building and into the homes of our family of faith who are unable to be present with us in worship. Being a home communion minister is not hard. You simply set up a time to visit. Show up and enjoy a time of conversation and share in communion together. The is an opportunity to live out your baptismal calling which will bring you as much joy as it does the person you are visiting. A list of those who are homebound will be provided and you will get to choose who you would like to visit. You are welcome to show up on Sunday and learn more before making a commitment to this ministry. If you have questions or are interested but unable to attend, please visit with Pastor Deb. A commissioning of those serving will happen during worship on June 19.



Thank you to the wonderful Outreach Committee, for all your planning and executing of a very successful Mother's Day Buffet! We served around 220 people, and it was an excellent event, not only for our Bible Campers, but also our

community! Outreach Committee: Bill and Tammy Dennert, Marvin and Carol Neugebauer, Dar and Gwen Schroeder, Doris Hillman, Collette Carlson and Alan Johnson

Thank you also to all those that brought salads, desserts, rolls etc. We had such a beautiful variety, and it was all delicious! Your time and generosity are very much appreciated! Thank you to all those that attended the Mother's Day Buffet and contributed through freewill donation to our Bible Campers. We have such an amazing congregation and community!

Thank you for all those who supported the high school graduates and confirmands with gifts and prayers in May.

Thank you to Pastor Deb and the OSL Congregation for the gift cards to REVIVE for Administrative Assistant Day. I really appreciate it! -Josie





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June 29 - Illoni 4000 Bike group staying at OSL. OSL will again be hosting this amazing group of bicyclists as they travel 4000 miles across the United States gathering stories from people affected by cancer as well as money for organiza-

tions helping those with cancer. Pastor Deb is looking for people willing to help with hosting by providing a place to shower for cyclists; providing snacks, supper and breakfast; welcoming cyclists and answering questions; and showing them where the laundry mat is in town. Please contact Pastor Deb if you are willing to serve in this way.

A menu for supper and breakfast will be provided.



Just the facts, Ma'am.

Here are the facts: 1. Regular offerings for January - April, 2022 were \$34,707.42 compared to \$35,604.40 for the same time in 2021. We did have some special service offerings and other income to bring our total income to \$35,086.26 at the end of April. Our expenses have increased from \$37,439.48 for Jan - April, 2021 to \$45,580.84 for Jan - April, 2022. As of the end of April we had a net ordinary income loss of \$10,494.58. We have a balance \$21,530.83 in our checking/savings account.

\$8,897.84 of this amount are in restricted funds.

- 2. Thank you to those who heard the call and were able to give more in offering in April.
- 3. Thank you to those who continue to give of their time, talents and resources to the best of their ability.
- 4. The ministry of our congregation continues. We are looking forward to hosting Vacation Bible School this month and helping a number of youth attend Bible camp this summer. We will also be hosting the Illoni 4000 one night as they bike across the United States. The Youth Group will be growing in faith as they travel together to Salt Lake Center to learn and grow on their summer trip. A new picture directory is underway so we can better connect with our worshiping community. We gather together for worship and Bible study. We help those with immediate needs by filling tanks of gas and other ways through our hospitality funds. In April, we collected \$658.00 to aide the Lutheran Social Services Foster Care program in their ministry.
- 5. Pastor Deb recently learned we have an outstanding challenge match for the broadcasting/sound system which we are enjoying. Although our bill has been paid, you can still give to this fund to reimburse money we used from savings. Your donations will be matched up to \$1000.
- 6. Everyone who calls the community of faith at OSL their home will need to work together in order for all of the ministry to which we are called is able to be fully funded and completed. Please prayerfully take a look at your financial giving to OSL. If you are unable to attend church in person, please consider using Tith-ly or mailing your offering to the church. If you have questions, please visit with Mike, Pastor Deb or another Council member.



## The OSL Church Council met on May 15, 2022.

#### Present: Chelle Schefcik, Mike Baschnagel, Jason Virtue, Dar Schroeder, Linda Morrison, Gene Deyo, Gloria Olawsky, Steve Pendegraft, Pastor Deb Grismer

Highlights not covered elsewhere in the newsletter.

**Property Committee:** Volunteers will be cleaning the lights so additional hours do not need to be added to Kendra's hours. New trees will not be planted this year at the church.

Outreach Committee: Father's Day will be celebrated with Pie and Ice Cream again this year.

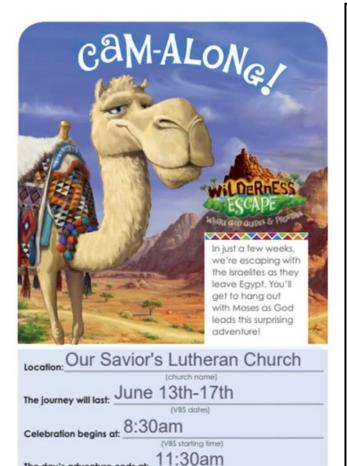
**Worship Committee:** The Worship Committee members decided not to include 'passing of the peace' during worship at this time.

**Pastor Deb's Report:** I will be inviting parents of children to a round table discussion around moving forward with our Christian Education ministry with families and children this summer. We will also be welcoming new members to our congregation on a Sunday morning sometime this summer. Our summer worship series and Bible study will focus on walking through the book of Acts.

#### **Other Discussion:**

\*Donna Roebuck and Doris Hillman have transferred their membership to OSL. \*Chelle is working on including "President's Posts" on social media and in newsletters in the future.

The next Council meeting will be on June 26 following potluck.



The day's adventure ends at: [V85 ending time]
For more information, call: JOSIE 605-255-4662
[church phone number]
Permission to photocopy this resource form Crosp's Wilderwein Ecopy V15 granted for local church use.

Please let Josie or Pastor Deb know if you would like a registration form. We are trying to get as many children as we can pre-registered so we have a better understanding of supplies and what will be needed.



## It truly takes a village to offer Community Vacation Bible School

### Ways to help VBS become a reality

Be a leader! Don't worry, training and a manual are provided, along with any needed supplies.

Volunteers are needed to help during the week in the following areas:

\*Fun & Games Leader & Assistant Leader to lead Tribes (small groups) in high-fun, low-tech games

\*Drama Team – Moses and Malachi (the Wilderness Whiner) who bring the Bible story to life as well as a small cast for the daily dramas

\*Assorted Tent Hosts who interact with Tribes and teach interesting historical facts while helping the children complete a project designed especially for your tent. A tent host might have snacks, a craft or another simple project to complete with the children while visiting about daily life for the Israelites \*Tribe Leaders & Assistant Tribe Leaders – Lead a Tribe (small group) of children through the VBS activities. Help them engage in fun activities and help them make the connection between what they learn at VBS and their every day life.

Help with decorating before VBS starts as we turn Our Savior's Lutheran Church into a Wilderness Escape.

Help with the family picnic and/or clean-up at the end of the week.

Make a financial donation to help cover the expenses of VBS. Approximately \$20 will sponsor a child for the week.

Most importantly, pray for this ministry.

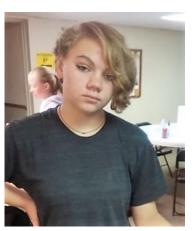
For more information or if you would like to volunteer, please contact Josie Main, OSL Administrative Assistant, at 605-255-4662 or Pastor Deb Grismer at 605-890-0781.

## VOLUNTEER TRAINING WILL BE WEDNESDAY JUNE 8TH 6:30-7:30PM @ OSL



Please pray for our June Bible Campers. If you would like to send them a note/postcard during their stay, you can mail it to: Outlaw Ranch Attn: *Camper Name* 12703 Outlaw Ranch Rd Custer, SD 57730

> Or you can email them at: outlawparentcomm@losd.org Subject: Camper's Name



Asher Etherington June 12-17th Outlaw Ranch



William Boutwell June 19-24th Outlaw Ranch

## **2022 Senior Milestone**

Callie James, Jayden Carrier, Wiley Shorb, Reno Lowe, Taylor Neugebauer, Morgan Gross Not pictured: Reach guy





MORE GRADUATIONS TO CELEBRATE... Brady Virtue– 8th Grade Graduate Matthew Ramsey– VoTech Graduate Jay Neugebauer– College Graduate



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CONGRATS TO OUR MAY CONFIRMANDS!

Brady Virtue Jaydin Borden Torin Knight Rhett Lowe Cody Dirkes Lanie Weaver Jackson Wiles





## June Mission of the Month

This month we are partnering with VBS participants and ELCA World Hunger to raise \$1000 for the Global Farm Challenge. Ending hunger isn't just about food. It's about access, justice, and caring for creation and each other. It's about hope for the kind of world we want to live in. Ending hunger means

recognizing the ways God is at work in farming communities and the ways God is calling all of us, together, to be a part of the solution.

Through giving to the Global Farm Challenge we will join congregations across the United States to help equip

communities around the world and in the United States with livestock, seeds, tools and training to turn a hungry season into a hopeful season. Together we can make a difference - creating healthier families, stronger economies and a future filled with hope. Read more at www. ELCA.org/globalfarmchallenge. *Financial donations can be mailed or dropped off at the church, placed in the Globe Offering during worship or given electronically. There is a Mission of the Month option in the dropdown section on Tith-ly. Thank you in advance for your generosity. You can also grab a 'barn' box at church to fill with change during the month and bring back at the* 



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> Sunday Worship 9:30am in the building and live on Facebook and YouTube Fellowship follows in building Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month