

W is for Whirlwind

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that he is strangely comforted by the mystery of it all.

- Anna Carter Florence, "A Is For Albaster"

Our Savior's Lutheran Church

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Purpose Statement

We are called to let our light shine as instruments of the Holy Spirit so that all may know God's love.

Serving in Worship 8/02/26

Musician: Vicki Walechka
Greeter/Usher: **Volunteer Needed**
Reader: Greg Davis
Communion Assistant: Jody Block
Video Operator: **Volunteer Needed**
Fellowship: Kay Wendelschafer & Vicki Walechka

Serving in Worship 8/09/26

Musician: Vicki Walechka
Greeter/Usher: Terry & Sandy Bateman
Reader: **Volunteer Needed**
Video Operator: **Volunteer Needed**
Fellowship: Bob & Judy Hahn

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Tenth Sunday After Pentecost

August 02, 2026

Welcome to Worship

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VBS Was a Success!

Thank you to everyone who made VBS a wonderful week here at OSLC. A special, big THANK YOU to Julie Rogers for all of her time and talents!

Campfire Church

Who doesn't love a campfire/cook out during the summer? Join us on Wednesday nights at 7:00pm for Campfire Church! We'll gather on the parsonage lawn for a casual time of worship and fellowship. Bring a lawn chair or blanket to sit on and we'll provide s'more fixin's. Feel free to bring your favorite beverage and other snacks.

Rootbeer & Hymns

There is a grand tradition within the Christian church of bringing together hymn-singing and pub culture. A popular legend has it that Martin Luther used tavern tunes for hymns (not true). 'Beer & Hymns' has emerged as a not-so-new form of worship. Our Savior's is hosting 'RootBeer and Hymns' on Sunday, August 9th at 11:30am. We'd gather on the grassy knoll by the Muni, sing some favorite hymns with a band and song leader, and serve root beer and root beer floats. Sign-up to help serve or donate supplies at the Welcome Table or contact Marcia Carlson (507) 317-9235.

Calendar:

Sunday, 8/02

- Worship w/ Holy Communion at 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday, 8/05

- Campfire Church at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, 8/09

- Worship at 9:00 a.m.

Prayer Concerns:

(Prayer concerns are listed for 3 weeks unless otherwise requested)

Members: Charlotte Jacoby+, George Bauer+, Kevin Mueller+, Karen Johnson+, Bradley Riba+, Michaela Biehn+, Jean Seely+, Jayne Martin+, Dianne Hansen+, Doug Starkweather+, Joanna Starnier+, Dan McCabe+, Molly Stoffel+

Non-Members: Aiden Domras+, Cindy Wieland+, Holly Kallestad+, Deb Vieth+, Gary McCabe+, Shawn Heckman+, Maggie Blanshan+, Koreen Larson+, Shawn Green, Dean Grabow+, Emil Heckman

Those in the military service:

Active Military: Brendon Brown, Alex Garrison, Chris Glassel, Tyler Seitz, Tyler Piotter, and Christopher Rohlfing. We pray for all veterans who have served in our nation's Armed Forces.

Summer Office Hours

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