

When despair for the world grows in me and I wake in the night at the least sound in fear of what my life and my children's lives may be, I go and lie down where the wood drake rests in his beauty on the water, and the great heron feeds. I come into the peace of wild things who do not tax their lives with forethought of grief. I come into the presence of still water. And I feel above me the day-blind stars waiting with their light. For a time I rest in the grace of the world, and am free.

- The Peace of Wild Things,
Wendell Berry



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 8/30/26

Musician: Vicki Walechka
Greeter/Usher: Sandra Koppelman
Reader:
Communion Assistant: Marleen Newbrough
Video Operator: **Volunteer Needed**
Fellowship: Julie & Aaron Rogers

Serving in Worship 9/13/26

Musician: Vicki Walechka
Greeter/Usher: **Volunteer Needed**
Reader: Cindy McCabe
Video Operator: **Volunteer Needed**
Fellowship: **Volunteer Needed**

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Creation in Christ Sunday

September 6, 2026

Welcome to Worship

Sometimes the most faithful thing we can do is to tell the truth, even when it's uncomfortable, undesirable, and unwise in the eyes of the world. The apostle Paul experienced this on a boat during a storm at sea.

Ice Cream Social + God Squad

On Wednesday, September 16, all ages are invited to our first night of **God Squad and Confirmation** for the 2026-2027 academic year. Join us from 6:00 – 7:00. ICE CREAM is included, so you won't want to miss this! Sign-up to bring a sweet treat in the narthex or online – [HERE](#).

Growing Into God's Promises

Coming this fall – The Congregational Vitality Project!

Like disciples and apostles in the past we will take time to pray, think, imagine, create strategies and lay out plans to steward the Gospel into the next chapter of Our Savior's life is holy and urgent work as we seek to discern God's will and understand God's preferred and promised future for each of us and the community of faith where we are nurtured, fed and sent to live out our many callings.

Starting on September 13th, the church council will facilitate a survey asking about where we are now and where we're going. Your support and participation are *VITAL!*

Calendar:

Sunday, 9/6

- 9:00 a.m. Worship & Holy Communion
- 10:00 a.m. Fellowship

Tuesday, 9/8

- 6:30 p.m. Church Council Mtg

Sunday, 9/13

- 9:00 a.m. Worship
- 10:00 a.m. Fellowship

Prayer Concerns:

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

Members: Charlotte Jacoby+, Karen Johnson+, Bradley Riba+, Michaela Biehn+, Jayne Martin+, Dianne Hansen+, Doug Starkweather+, Dan McCabe+, Molly Stoffel+

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