

# WELCOME

## THANKS FOR JOINING US!

A warm "Welcome!" to all who have joined us to worship the risen Lord Jesus Christ today. Here are a few things we thought were important to help you feel at home with us today.

All are welcome to join in **Holy Communion** at the Lord's Table today. Gluten-free wafers are available in the center aisle.

Our Savior's wants to encourage families to praise God together but if you desire, a **volunteer staffed nursery** for children ages four and under is available during worship. **Children's bulletins** and **activity bags** are also available. See an usher for assistance.

**Restrooms** are located past the nursery, near the library. Our ushers will be glad to point you in the proper direction.

Please sign the red Friendship Pad in your pew to let us know you were here and use the name tags in the baskets to get to know those worshipping around you!

## WEEKLY CROSSROADS

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**Emily Tveite, Director & Campus Pastor, Lutheran Campus Ministry, Madison, WI**



Pastor Emily Tveite began her work at Lutheran Campus Ministry in Madison in August 2015. She was born and raised in Austin, Texas and earned her undergraduate degree in Religion from St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota. She completed her seminary studies at the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago. During that time, she served as Intern at St. Andrew Lutheran Church in Vancouver, WA. The experience of working in the Pacific Northwest equipped her for working in a climate of declining religiosity and inspired her passion for journeying with those new to the Christian faith.

Before beginning her work on campus, Pastor Emily served as Associate Pastor at St. John's Lutheran Church in Oregon, WI, where her work focused on faith formation for all ages. Her husband, Paul Tveite, recently earned his Ph.D. in Mathematics at the University of Wisconsin - Madison and works in software development. Pastor Emily enjoys cooking and eating, playing board games, and reading. She and Paul love to travel and especially love discovering America's National Parks.



**Welcome Raegan!** This Sunday during 10:30 worship, through the waters of baptism, we welcome into the family of faith, Raegan Mae Thiede, son of Trenton and Meredith Thiede. Raegan's sponsors are Travis Thiede and Lindsay Nelson.

# THIS WEEK AT OUR SAVIOR'S

Pastor On-Call for pastoral concerns outside of regular office hours:  
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### Sunday August 27

8:00AM Worship  
10:00AM Contemporary Worship Practice  
10:30AM Worship

### Monday August 28

7:00PM Boy Scouts

### Tuesday August 29

10:00 AM Monthly Crossroads Folders  
6:30 PM Martha Circle

### Wednesday August 30

9:00AM Staff Meeting

### Thursday August 31

### Friday September 1

7:00 PM Eat Boldly

### Saturday September 2

9:00AM Contemporary Worship Practice  
10:00AM AA  
5:30PM Worship

### Next Sunday September 3

8:00AM Worship  
10:00AM Contemporary Worship Practice  
10:30AM Worship

**Thank You!** A big thank you to everyone who donated food and helped serve at the Sunshine Supper on August 21. This was a great outreach event and we served 167 people!

### Dinner & a Movie Thursday, September 14 at 6:30 pm

Bring a dish to pass and come join us for the movie "The Shack." After suffering a family tragedy, Mack Phillips spirals into a deep depression that causes him to question his innermost beliefs. Facing a crisis of faith, he receives a mysterious letter urging him to an abandoned shack in the Oregon wilderness. Mack journeys to the shack, encounters a trio of strangers, and finds important truths that will transform his understanding of his tragedy and change his life forever. Dinner & a Movie is the 2nd Thursday of every month. Come for dinner, to enjoy each other's company and to watch a movie. Sign up at the Welcome Desk.



**Eat Boldly at Club 60 Restaurant** All are invited to dinner at Club 60 Restaurant in Columbus on Friday, September 1 at 7:00pm. Sign up at the Welcome Center and join us for this fun fellowship outing and invite your friends!



A Congregation of the ELCA

August 26 & 27, 2017

## PRAYERS

Today in our Prayers

Shawn Bryant  
Wayne Burmeister  
Howie Chaussee  
Adeline Dankert  
Sue Durtschi  
(Delores Durtschi's daughter-in-law)  
Kim Koster  
Kaylee LeGrande  
(granddaughter of Ron & Becky Wornson)  
Sherri Quinn  
Dorothy Schey  
Family of Gene Skrenes  
Dick Spilde  
Don & Betty Stralow  
(parents of Debi Boles)  
Don Strudell  
Steven Walden  
(brother of Gary Walden)  
Laura Weber-Meyers

## FLOWERS

Altar Flowers Given by

Laurie Popp  
In honor of 1st anniversary of  
Joe and Danielle Gest  
Dawn and Bill Rednour  
In thanks to God for our children  
and grandchildren

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**Youth Ministry Events and Announcements**

**Confirmation Kick-off Event  
Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:30–8pm!**

Confirmation is right around the corner and our kick-off event is scheduled for Wednesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8pm! We'll have ice cream sundaes, and our special guest, Hypnotist Paul Knight, will be here for an awesome "welcome back" event! Remember, this event is required for all confirmation students, so make sure to get this on your calendar. Confirmation classes begin the following week, Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>. If you have yet to register your 6<sup>th</sup> through 9<sup>th</sup> grade student for confirmation, please contact Matt Weber, Director of Youth and Family Ministry (matt@oslc-elca.org).

**2018 ELCA Youth  
Gathering Registration  
Now Open!**

Every three years the ELCA hosts a national gathering for all current 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders. That means this is a HUGE event with 30–40,000 people attending! You do not want to miss this event!

*Registration is open now through*

*November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017.* After November

8<sup>th</sup>, registrations may not be accepted and your cost will go up. We will be traveling with our entire synod by coach bus departing on Tuesday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Also plan to attend the synod pre-gathering retreat at Lutherdale Bible Camp with our group (April 27-28, 2018). The total cost for this trip and the pre-gathering event is approximately \$1000 per person; however, OSLC has a strong history of fundraising for youth trips especially the national youth gathering. We already have our fundraisers planned out and ready to go and our goal is to prevent you from having to pay more than \$325. A sign-up sheet is located at the Welcome Desk. *We ask that you pay a deposit of \$325 when you sign up in order to reserve your spot on the trip.* Please drop off your check with Matt Weber or the front office. Checks should be made out to OSLC. Questions should be directed to Matt Weber (matt@oslc-elca.org).



**RIOT High School Ministry Summer Bonfire Night**

**Sunday August 27**

All 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students and friends are invited to join us at OSLC for our last summer bonfire night on Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup> from 7:30pm-9pm! Bring a lawn chair, bug spray and come hungry for snacks and s'mores! We'll hang out around the bonfire, play games, and get to know some of the new freshmen in the group! If you plan to join us, please sign up at the Welcome Desk so we know how many people to expect. See you there!

**Sunday School Registration Is Open!**

Sunday School is just around the corner. The first day of Sunday School is Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. In the past we have started a week earlier but September 10<sup>th</sup> is God's Work Our Hands Sunday, and we are encouraging our Sunday School kids to work with their families that day to do God's work. You can register your kids for Sunday School anytime. Pick up a registration form at the Welcome Desk or print one off of our website, [www.oslc-elca.org](http://www.oslc-elca.org).

**Baptism Enrichment Class**

Those who are planning a baptism in the near future should consider the Baptism Enrichment class planned for Saturday, September 9 at 10:00am. In this 60 minute class, we will discuss the meaning of Baptism and how parents and sponsors can nurture their children in faith. Participants can sign up on the Welcome Center or call the office at 608-837-3111. We will meet in the Chapel, childcare is available.

**New Member Class This Fall!**

Sign up to attend New Member classes this fall. Three classes at 9:15am on September 24<sup>th</sup>, October 1<sup>st</sup>, and October 8<sup>th</sup>. Ice cream social on Thursday Oct 12<sup>th</sup> at 6pm. Sunday Oct 15<sup>th</sup> is installation. Sign up at the Welcome Center!

**Wanted: New Member Mentors!**

Sign up to be a New Member mentor. It's simple. Be a friend, a point of reference and a guide to everything OSLC. Sign up at the Welcome Center. MUST be able to attend ice cream social on Thursday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:45pm. More questions? Contact Tonya Koskelin at [evangelism@oslc-elca.org](mailto:evangelism@oslc-elca.org) or 608-213-6014

**Save the Date: GODS WORK. OUR HANDS!**

**Sun., Sept. 10—12—3pm** This will be Our Savior's third year participating with nearly 10,000 congregations of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) for a national day of service, "God's Work. Our Hands." Our Savior's members will go out into the community wearing our bright yellow t-shirts to serve our neighbors in Sun Prairie and surrounding communities. Most of these activities are cross-generational, engaging children and adults together in serving our brothers and sisters...being God's hands in a broken world and being the church together. Sign Up for volunteer activities continues at the tables in the narthex. Please remember to sign up for the potluck as well.