

# 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 worshiping around you!

## WEEKLY CROSSROADS

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**Sun Prairie Home Companion—Sunday, October 22!** Our Stewardship program this fall will feature an in-gathering Sunday filled with lots of stories and music, comedy and grace, conversation and sacrament as we gather on October 22<sup>nd</sup> to receive our pledges for the upcoming year. Tales from Little Lake Blessing, featured Men's and Women's small groups, ads and skits, and the music of the Soggy Prairie Boys will comprise the worship on that day as we gather for one service at 10:00 a.m. Stewardship packets were mailed out this week!

**Potluck on Sunday, October 22!** Following worship on October 22, we will be hosting an old fashioned potluck in the Fellowship Hall. If your last name's initial begins with A-F, please consider bringing an appetizer or salad; G-O: Main Dish; and P-Z: Dessert. However, if you have an incredible dish in another category, please feel free to bring that instead!



**Welcome Brynn!** This Saturday during 5:30 worship, through the waters of baptism, we welcome into the family of faith, Brynn Elise Thompson, daughter of Daniel and Kayla Thompson. Brynn's sponsors are Jennifer Simon and Ryan Richter.

### Katie Luther: Here I Stand!

Katharina Von Bora was the beloved wife of Martin Luther. Dressed in Medieval costume and with a German accent, professional storyteller Pati Kachel delightfully portrays Katie Luther. Based on extensive research, this presentation is historically accurate and seasoned with good humor. Listeners will enjoy learning about Katie's abundant life as a Christian woman of great faith, a wife, a mother, and a happy homemaker. We are very excited to be bringing Pati and this wonderful story to Our Savior's on Friday, Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.!



# THIS WEEK AT OUR SAVIOR'S

Pastor On-Call for pastoral concerns outside of regular office hours:  
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### Sunday October 8

- 8:00AM Worship
- 8:00AM Just Bakery
- 8:00AM Pizza Sale
- 9:15AM New Member Class
- 9:15AM Sunday School
- 9:15AM Board of Evangelism
- 10:00AM Contemporary Worship Practice
- 10:30AM Worship
- 6:00PM RIOT Corn Maze/Bonfire Outing (carpool @ 6)

### Monday October 9

- 7:00PM Boy Scouts

### Tuesday October 10

### Wednesday October 11

- 9:00AM Staff Meeting
- 9:00AM Quilters
- 5:00PM Alleluia Singers
- 5:30PM Cherub Choir
- 5:45PM Youth Choir
- 6:00PM Gather in Prayer
- 6:30PM Adult Education Class
- 6:30PM Confirmation Mentor Night
- 7:00PM Chancel Ringers
- 7:30PM Senior Choir

### Thursday October 12

- 12:00PM Bible Study
- 1:00PM Rebecca Circle
- 6:00PM Ice Cream Social for New Members
- 6:30PM Dinner & A Movie
- 7:00PM Board of Finance
- 7:00PM Ruth Circle

### Friday October 13

- 6:00PM Family Movie Night

### Saturday October 14

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

### Next Sunday October 15

- 8:00AM Worship, New Members, and 3rd Grade Bibles
- 8:00AM Pizza Sale
- 9:15AM Sunday School
- 9:30AM 2018 Youth Gathering Info Mtg.
- 10:00AM Contemporary Worship Practice
- 10:30AM Worship, New Members, and 3rd Grade Bibles

**Adult Education Opportunities for Fall 2017** We will be offering two adult learning opportunities this fall on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. Join us for these great opportunities to enrich your faith and join in some engaging conversation with other members of our congregation.

- *The Small Catechism: Adult Version 2.0 (October 11, 18, 25, November 1)* Join Pastor Tim for this four week session to rediscover what this important little book can teach us about our faith. This will be a great opportunity to refresh your understanding of faith and to reflect on its meaning for us today!
- *Healing the Heart of Democracy (November 8, 15, 29, and December 6)* Join Pastor Dan as we discuss this book by local author Parker Palmer—and learn and practice skills on how to have honest and open conversations with others. Our faith gives us a foundation to talk about matters of the heart and how we are all members of the body of Christ.



A Congregation of the ELCA

Oct. 7 & Oct. 8, 2017

## PRAYERS

Today in our Prayers

Joyce Bandel  
(mother of Diane Padrutt)  
Shawn Bryant  
Wayne Burmeister  
Howie Chaussee  
Kim Koster  
Kaylee LeGrande  
(granddaughter of Ron & Becky Wornson)  
Sherri Quinn  
Dick Spilde  
Betty Stralow  
(mother of Debi Boles)  
Don Strudell  
Carol Vidas  
(mother of Shelly Perkolop)  
Steven Walden  
(brother of Gary Walden)  
Sally Walters  
Laura Weber-Meyers

## FLOWERS

Altar Flowers Given by

Debi Peters  
In thanks to God for Claire, Jim,  
and Laverne

Peggy and Chuck Schultz  
In honor of our  
wedding anniversary

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## Youth Ministry Events and Announcements

### RIOT High School Ministry Upcoming Events

All students in grades 9-12 are invited to our high school ministry (RIOT) events throughout the year. Stop at the Welcome Desk to pick up our Fall Calendar and sign up for some of our upcoming events.

Oct. 8: Corn Maze/Bonfire @ Schuster's Farm (6-9pm)

Oct. 15: 2018 Youth Gathering Info Meeting (9:30am)

Oct. 29: Pizza Sale Orders Due by 11:45am

Nov. 8: 2018 Youth Gathering Registration Deadline

Nov. 10-11: RIOT Lock-in @ OSLC

Nov. 12: Pizza Making/Pizza Pick-up Day (6:30am-12pm)

Nov. 16: Coffee @ Beans 'n Cream (6:45-7:30am)

### 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.* We will be traveling with our entire synod by coach bus departing on **Monday, June 25<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). *An informational meeting will be held on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am in the Chapel for all interested students and parents.*



### CHAOS Middle School Youth Group—Wed. Nights, 7:30-8:30pm!

All students in 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to join us for CHAOS youth on Wednesday nights after confirmation class from 7:30-8:30pm. CHAOS youth group will meet after confirmation class throughout the school year. So come for class and stick around for games, fun, and get to know some other students in our confirmation program too! Meet downstairs in Fellowship Hall. We hope to see you there!

**Dinner & a Movie Thurs., Oct. 12 at 6:30 pm** Bring a dish to pass and come join us for the movie "Gifted." Dinner & a Movie is the 2nd Thursday of every month. Come for dinner at 6:30 p.m., to enjoy each other's company, and to watch the movie at 7:00 p.m. Sign up at the Welcome Desk.



**Sunday School Supplies** Starting on Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>, one of the Sunday School classes will be making collages and for this we need pictures, articles and such, basically many of the things that you find in magazines. If you have some old colorful magazines lying around that you would like to donate, please bring them in for the kids to cut up and use for their collages. We will put a box at the Welcome Desk for your donations.

**Family Movie Night—Fri., Oct. 13 at 6:00 pm** Join us Fri. Oct. 13 at 6:00 PM in the theatre for a showing of "Boss Baby" (rated PG). A suit-wearing briefcase-carrying baby pairs up with his seven-year old brother to stop the dastardly plot of the CEO of Puppy Co. Sign up on the bulletin board outside the office to let us know you're coming.



### Update from C.A.T.—Care-Team Ministry for college age youth

Attention Parents of Post-High School Youth! Is your son or daughter attending college, in the military, or beginning their life away from home? The C.A.T., care-team ministry for college age youth, wants to know. Please add your college age youth to the sign up sheet at the Welcome Center so OSLC can stay connected to them. They will receive cards, care packages, and inspirational notes throughout the year to let them know we are thinking of them. If questions, please contact Charise Dunn at cdunn9901@aol.com.

**Clothesline Ministry** Wanted: Pull-on Pants! Be on the lookout! The Clothesline is rounding up adjustable waist pants for kids sizes 4T to 16! Bring in any kids' clothes New or Used to the display in the narthex. The Clothesline Ministry will handle it from there delivering pants to the proper authorities at neighborhood schools. Reward: feel good knowing you helped a youngin' in need.

**Reformation Brew** Taste the "spirits" of the Reformation while exploring the life and times of Martin Luther at a Reformation News and Brews Tour on Sun. Oct. 15, from 3:30 to 7:45 p.m. Tour begins at St. Stephen's Lutheran at 3:30 p.m includes a sampling of Reformation beer, and stops at two local brewing houses with the opportunity to learn about Martin and Katie Luther. Sign up at BrewsNewssignup.

**Women's Circles Seeking More Women!** Do you want to connect with women of all ages in our congregation? Have spirited discussions on faith based topics? Or just need some new positive friendships? Consider joining one of our 3 growing Women's Circles. Circles meet monthly as follows: Rebecca Circle—2nd Thurs of the month at 1pm at church, Martha Circle—last Tues at 6:30pm at rotating homes (7 pm -Oct. only), Ruth Circle—2nd Thurs of the month at 7pm, rotating homes. Sign up at the Welcome Center!

**Luther's Catechism in Hymns: Baptism** Luther wrote the hymn "To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord" in 1541. He may have written the tune as well. The hymn reflects the teaching on baptism found in both his small and large catechisms. Though not in ELW, the hymn with its original melody is found as #79 in the LBW. The baptism section of Luther's small catechism can be found on pages 1164 and 1165 of ELW.