

# **OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**

## **SUNDAY WORSHIP**



**February 4, 2024**

### **Fifth Sunday after Epiphany**

*ELW is Evangelical Lutheran Worship, our red hymn book located in the pew rack in front of you. The songs are in the back half of the book, with the song number at the top of the page.*

*\*An asterisk indicates the congregation should stand in body and/or spirit.  
Congregation's speaking and singing parts are in bold font.*

**PRELUDE** - *Hear Us, We're Your Children* Arr by Handt Hanson

*Please use this time to prepare for worship.*

### **WELCOME**

#### **\*THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM**

*All may make the sign of the cross as the presiding minister begins.*

Blessed be the Holy Trinity † One God, the fountain of living water,  
the rock who gave us birth, our light and our salvation.

**Amen.**

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and forgiveness. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism....

To you be given honor and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

**Amen.**

**\*GATHERING HYMN** - ELW #740 - *God of the Sparrow*

#### **\*GREETING**

The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion  
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**And also with you.**

#### **\*PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**FIRST READING: Isaiah 40:21-31**

Word of God, word of life.

**Thanks be to God**

**PSALM 147:1-11** (In the front of the hymnal, congregation reads even verses.)

**SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 9:16-23**

Word of God, word of life.

**Thanks be to God**

**\*GOSPEL ACCLAMATION ELW #878 (vs 5)**

**Soli Deo Gloria**

5 A bil - lion voic - es in one great song, now soft and  
gen - tle, now deep and strong, in ev - 'ry  
cul - ture and style and key, from hill and val - ley, with sky and  
sea, with Christ we praise you e - ter - nal - ly:  
So - li De - o glo - ri - a! So - li De - o glo - ri - a!

The Holy Gospel according to Mark. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

**\*GOSPEL: Mark 1:29-39**

...This is the Gospel of Jesus Christ. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

## **SERMON**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**- *Bring Many Names* (see insert)

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION**

*After each petition of the prayers:*

Merciful God, **Receive our prayer.**

Knowing the Holy Spirit intercedes for us, we offer these prayers and the silent prayers of our hearts in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

## **\*EXCHANGE OF PEACE**

**OFFERING & OFFERING ANTHEM** - *Where There's Grace* by Brian Wilson , Michael Newbolt (Chancel Band)

1. God creates, and Earth rejoices; heavens span their time  
Where there's grace, where there's grace.  
Creatures walk and clouds rise fashioned; waters bless the land  
Where there's grace, where there's grace.

Refrain (*all sing*) - Lift ev'ry voice, the love of Christ proclaim  
Let all the world adore, God's sacred name

2. Nations tumble, families struggle; children bear it all  
Jesus comes, let them come.  
Lives lie broken, God's tends healing; no one is too far  
Jesus comes, let them come.

**\*OFFERING PRAYER** - *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* (all sing)

Come, thou fount of every blessing, tune my heart to sing thy grace  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise  
While the hope of endless glory fills my heart with joy and love  
Teach me ever to adore thee; may I still thy goodness prove.

Almighty God, your love is cast, like seed upon the ground  
O let the dew of grace appear, and righteous fruits abound

## **\*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise. Amen.**

It is indeed right that in all places and spaces we give thanks and praise to you...

Trusting in the mercy and compassion of God who is with us as Parent and Creator, let us pray as Jesus taught:

**Our Father, who art in heaven  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses,**

**as we forgive those  
who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.**

## **COMMUNION**

At Jesus' table, heaven and earth are joined as one. Come and see.

*This is Christ's table. You and all are welcome here, without exception. Please follow the ushers' direction, filling in the communion rail starting on the right side. You may stand or kneel. If you prefer a blessing, cross your hands over your heart. Gluten free wafers are available. The wine is red; the grape juice is clear. Please let an usher know if you would like communion brought to your pew.*

**COMMUNION HYMN** - ELW # 479 *We Come to the Hungry Feast* (all sing)

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

*When Twilight Comes*

## **POST COMMUNION BLESSING**

**SENDING PRAYER** (said in unison)

**Almighty God, you anointed Jesus at baptism with the Holy Spirit and revealed him as your beloved Son. Keep all who are born of water and the Spirit faithful in your service, that we may rejoice to be called children of God, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever more. Amen.**

## SENDING ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*BLESSING

\*SENDING HYMN - ELW#819- *Come All You People*

### \*DISMISSAL

Go in peace. You are God's beloved. - **Thanks be to God.**

**POSTLUDE** *Build a Longer Table, Not a Higher Wall* by David Bjorlin

*You are welcome to leave anytime during the postlude or stay to listen.  
Please join us for coffee and conversation following worship.*

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## Welcome to Our Saviour's

**Being Christ-centered community through faith and action in the heart of Tucson.**



ELCA

Christ is our peace and breaks down the walls that divide us (Ephesians 2:14).

You are welcome at Our Saviour's because of who you are. We are a congregation of longtime churchgoers, newcomers, seekers, seasonal visitors, and returners with diverse backgrounds, life experiences, and beliefs. We follow a familiar Lutheran service with piano, organ, and guest musicians. We celebrate the cultural, ethnic, and racial diversity of the Tucson region and seek to be a place of belonging for all. We welcome those who have felt or been excluded from church spaces because of race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, financial status, or any other reason. We like the sound of young people in worship, we value the experience of our elders, and all ages between. Our communion table is Christ's table, and all people are welcome, no exceptions. Your presence here builds up the body of Christ.



## *This Week at Our Saviour's*

February 4, 2024

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
Monday 2/5	Staff Meeting	10:00AM	
	Bell Ringers	6:30PM	Sanctuary
Tuesday 2/6	Men's Bible Study	6:30PM	AB Café
	Quilters	9:00AM	AB
	Dwelling in the Word	12:15PM	Koch Chapel
	Grief Ministry	1:00PM	Patio Room
Wednesday 2/7	Bible Study	10:30AM	AB Pocket Room
	Youth	5:30PM	Ramada Room
	LCM Dinner and Worship	6:00PM	Campus House
Thursday 2/8	Choir Rehearsal	6:30PM	AB
Friday 2/9	Campus/Office Closed		
Saturday 2/10			
Sunday 2/11	Worship	9:00AM	Sanctuary
	Sunday Forum	10:30AM	AB
	Sandwich Making	10:30AM	AB Kitchen

Please see online calendar for all events.

**Today: OSLC Annual Meeting** - Following Worship in the Sanctuary

### **Lent with Our Saviour's and Lutheran Campus Ministry**

*Daytime services are led by Our Saviour's; Evening services led by Lutheran Campus Ministry. All are invited to attend either - or both.*

### **Ash Wednesday, February 14th**

12:00 PM - Imposition of Ashes - Koch Chapel

6:00 PM - Imposition of Ashes - Koch Chapel (followed by dinner)

### **Wednesdays in Lent (Feb 21 - March 20)**

12:00 PM - Brief service, followed by soup meal and Beatitudes teaching (led by Our Saviour's)

6:00 PM - Service with communion, followed by dinner (led by Lutheran Campus Ministry)

## Prayer Requests:



Our Saviour's Family: Friends and family of Lela Frieman, Jeanne, Betty, Phyllis, Mary, Kevin, Erik, Doug, Nicole, Thomas, Linda, Michaela, Sarah, Jake and Gregg.

Our Extended Friends & Family: Megan (niece of Chris & Theda Doak); Melissa and Marianna (friends of Chris & Theda Doak); Vicki (former Our Saviour's youth director); Richard (neighbor); Pete (brother of Gloria Alvillar) (Donna Lounsbury's cousin), Nealie and Emery (Family of Pastor Martha Stum)

*Names will remain on the list for three weeks, unless requested for longer.*

## Talent For TIHAN – Tickets On Sale Now



Our Saviour's will be holding the 5th Talent Show to Benefit TIHAN (Tucson Interfaith HIV AIDS Network) on Sunday February 25, 2024 from 3 pm to 5 pm. In addition to enjoying an afternoon featuring fantastic local talent, we will be hosting a luscious dessert and coffee bar featuring some of the best recipes from Our Saviour's community. Tickets are \$15 per person and will be available for sale before and after church services. Or you can contact Ms. Ellie at 520-270-9478 to arrange another time. All proceeds will go to benefit TIHAN, one of our mission outreach partners.

## Sunday Forum and Wednesday Learning Time

### Sunday Forums in the Activity Building (10:30 am):

- February 18 Introduction to the Beatitudes
- February 25 "Blessed are those who mourn..."
- March 3 "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst..."

### Wednesday Learning Time in the Chapel (1 pm):

- February 21 "Blessed are the poor in spirit..."
- February 28 "Blessed are the meek..."
- March 6 "Blessed are the merciful..."

**THOSE SERVING SUNDAY (2/4/2024)**

<b>Presiding Minister</b>	Rev. Amalia Vagts
<b>Assisting Minister</b>	Mary Pflibsen and Vicar Wendi Van Beek
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Bonnie Phelps and Kris Sanchez
<b>Musicians</b>	Chancel Band
<b>Cantor</b>	Jordan Fouts
<b>Acolyte</b>	Mary Pflibsen
<b>Usher</b>	Patty Sirls and Pat Bonura
<b>Greeter</b>	Gloria Schmidt and Sophia Rankin
<b>Coffee Host</b>	Catalina Rankin
<b>Treats</b>	Lauretta Olson

**THOSE SERVING SUNDAY (2/11/2024)**

<b>Presiding Minister</b>	Rev. Amalia Vagts
<b>Assisting Minister</b>	Melanie Bowman and Vicar Wendi Van Beek
<b>Communion Assistants</b>	Scott Koenig and Bonnie Phelps
<b>Piano</b>	Gréta Pásztor
<b>Music</b>	Choir
<b>Cantor</b>	Nilu Dorschner
<b>Acolyte</b>	Scott Koenig
<b>Usher</b>	Bill and Ann DeVinney
<b>Greeter</b>	Ted Earle and Gloria Alvillar
<b>Coffee Host</b>	Ellie Johnson
<b>Treats</b>	Patty Sirls

**Online Offering**

We have partnered with the ELCA and Tithely to offer secure online giving. Scan the image below using your smart phone to make your offering. Or, contact the church office to set up regular online giving.



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**Sunday Worship Times**

9:00 - Sanctuary

Coffee following

10:30 Sunday Forum

**Office Hours**

**Monday - Thursday**

8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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# GRÉTA PÁSZTOR

*conducts from the piano*

## Concert

Feb. 25 2024 • 7:30pm • Crowder Hall

## Lecture Recital

Feb. 26 2024 • 7:30pm • Room 232

## Program

Bach Keyboard Concerto No. 4 in A Major BWV 1055

Mozart Piano Concerto No. 9 in Eb Major K 271

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# Bring Many Names



1 Bring man - y names, beau - ti - ful and good,  
 2 Strong moth - er God, work - ing night and day,  
 3 Warm fa - ther God, hug - ging ev - 'ry child,  
 4 Old, ach - ing God, gray with end - less care,  
 5 Young, grow - ing God, ea - ger, on the move,  
 6 Great, liv - ing God, nev - er ful - ly known,



cel - e - brate, in par - a - ble and sto - ry, ho - li - ness in  
 plan - ning all the won - ders of cre - a - tion, set - ting each e -  
 feel - ing all the strains of hu - man liv - ing, car - ing and for -  
 calm - ly pierc - ing e - vil's new dis - guis - es, glad of good sur -  
 say - ing no to false - hood and un - kind - ness, cry - ing out for  
 joy - ful dark - ness far be - yond our see - ing, clos - er yet than



glo - ry, liv - ing, lov - ing God, Hail and ho -  
 qua - tion, gen - i - us at play: Hail and ho -  
 giv - ing till we're rec - on - ciled: Hail and ho -  
 pris - es, wis - er than de - spair: Hail and ho -  
 jus - tice, giv - ing all you have: Hail and ho -  
 breath - ing, ev - er - last - ing home: Hail and ho -



san - na! Bring man - y names!  
 san - na, strong moth - er God!  
 san - na, warm fa - ther God!  
 san - na, old, ach - ing God!  
 san - na, young, grow - ing God!  
 san - na, 6 great, liv - ing God!

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