



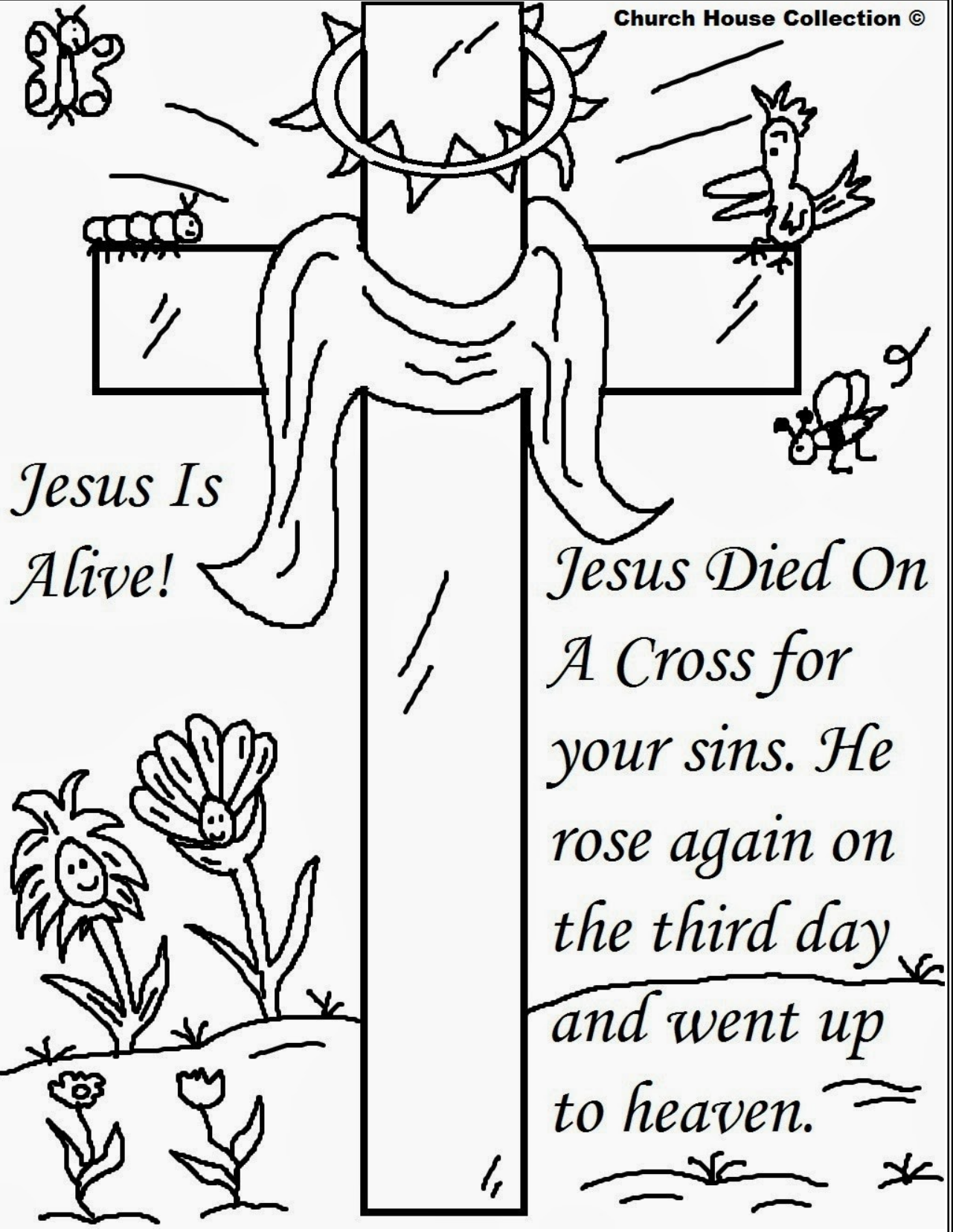
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OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH COUNCIL MINUTES March 3, 2021

The OSLC Church Council met for its monthly meeting on March 3, 2021 following Lenten services in Fellowship Hall. Members present were: Cory Blomgren, Susan Jeckell, Kevin Juhnke, Chantel Neperman, John Smith, Janice Werner, Misty Willhite and Pastor Todd Mathison. Absent were Todd Horning and Kris Vollmer.

President Blomgren called the meeting to order. Pastor Todd led the group in prayer.

Secretary's Report: February minutes were read by Susan. On a motion by Chantel, seconded by Kevin, the regular monthly minutes for February 2021 were approved. Motion carried.

Treasurers Report: Chantel reported checking balance \$30,714.32 and savings balance of \$29284.71. The 2nd draw of PPP loan was looked into, and we do not qualify. On a motion by John, seconded by Janice the report was approved. Motion carried.

Education: Education committee did not meet this month. First Communion was postponed due to weather- rescheduled for March 7, 2021.

Worship & Music: New altar cloths will be used beginning this Sunday, March 7th, 2021.

Life, Growth & Stewardship: March's mission is the 2022 Luther League Mission Trip. Life, Growth & Stewardship will meet in March/April to brainstorm ideas for use of the Mission Endowment funds to present to Council.

Property: Kevin reported the trim on the entry steps will be repaired.

Old Business: The upgraded audio/visual and livestream capabilities are nearly ready to be used for services.

New Business: Luther League is in need of two new advisors for the current year. We will be looking to fill this position as soon as possible. Members were also asked to gather new activity possibilities for the youth to engage in. Discussion on the use of Fellowship Hall for private parties was had. There was a motion by Janice and 2nd by Kevin to once again use Fellowship Hall for private gatherings, following state guidelines on occupancy and social distancing. Motion carried.

Pastor's Report: Pastor Todd reported a quieter month, but very happy news of being able to return to VVM for visits. He presented the need to upgrade our CCLI license to include streaming and to add a second "seat" to the Presentation Software. On a motion by Janice, seconded by Chantel, it was approved to upgrade and to add a second seat. Motion carried.

With no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned on a motion by Chantel, second by John. The next Council Meeting will be April 7th at 7:00pm. The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Jeckell
Council Secretary



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<https://oslclamberton.churchcenter.com/giving>



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PO Box 67
Lamberton, MN 56152



BUDGET RECAP as of 3/21/2021

Total Outstanding:

Accounts Payable \$0
Estimated Payroll \$4,100.00

Income:

2/21/21— 3/21/21 \$6,525.62
In Checking Acct. \$28,079.14
In Savings Acct. \$29,284.71

Needed weekly to Meet budget

\$3,200.00

Our Savior's Women Group Minutes

Our Savior's Women met March 9th.
Devotions & thank offerings were led by Judy K.
The secretaries & treasurer's reports were given.
Thank offering monies from Oct. were dispersed
as follows:

Green Lake Bible Camp - \$200
Lutheran Campus Ministries, Marshall - \$200
Brookings Campus Ministries - \$200
Salvation Army - \$200
Lamberton Cemetery - \$200
Shetek Bible Camp - \$200
Redwod Area Hospice - \$400

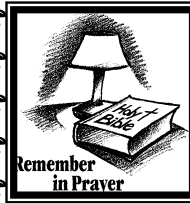
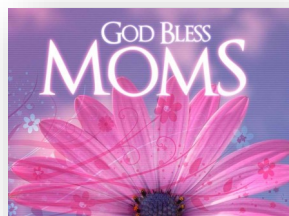
Elaine led the Bible Study. Judy K served lunch.

Judie Harnack, Secretary

Mother's Day Slideshow

Pictures of your Moms and Grandmas are
wanted for a slide show on Mothers Day!
Pictures need to be sent to Sharon Vollmer
by **Friday, April 30th.**

Email them to sharonkvollmer@hotmail.com,
text her @ 507-227-6334 or drop them off
at church.



Please note our list of people
needing our prayers regularly.
This list is much more complete
since it addresses ongoing
issues while the Sunday bulletin
list is aimed at more immediate
concerns. We ask that you would keep all these
people in your prayers each day.

Marcella Dammann (health Issues)
Randy Hammerschmidt (health issues)
Larry Lange (health issues)
James Voigt, *Jeannie Horning's dad*
(Hodgkin's Lymphoma)
Savannah Rausch, (large B cell lymphoma)
Bruce & Barb Anderson's granddaughter
Dorothy Dietl (hospice)
Mark Coulter (health concerns)
Todd Mattison (medical issues)
Tiana Iverson (on-going chemo)
Nicole Worthley (back surgery recovery)
Jean Lange (back surgery recovery)
Helen Nyberg (back issues)



Pray for people affected by COVID-19 and other
disasters ...

Media System Operator Schedule

4/1/20 Maundy Thursday	Val Halter (507-276-0008)
4/2/20 Good Friday	Sam Furth (507-227-7666)
4/4/20 Easter Sunday	1st Service - Jodi Smith (507-360-8326)
4/4/20 Easter Sunday	2nd Service - Char Graff (507-829-0105)
April 11, 2020	Dominic Smith
April 18, 2020	Karli Arkell (507-829-2448)
April 25, 2020	Char Graff (507-829-0105)

Our heartfelt sympathy to the
family and friends of



**Steve Clarken
Vernon Bloedow**

May the strength and hope of God's love be theirs.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

VBS Save the Date -
June 6-10 - Go Fish Guys

**Save
the
Date**

No Sunday School Easter Sunday or
Confirmation Sunday (May 2)

Memory Work Certificates will be
presented on Sunday, April 18 - so
keep working!

April 11 - Burning of the Palms



CONFIRMATION PARENTS & STUDENTS:

Wed. April 21st
Interviews with Committee starting
at 6:30

Wed. April 28th
Rehearsal and photos at 4:00 P.M.

Sun. May 2nd
10:00 A.M. Rite of Confirmation
Service

APRIL USHER SCHEDULE

Deb Furth
Brian Kletcher
Sam Dammann
Dale Gustad



Steve Halter—Sub



TAXI—Please call
an usher by
Fridays for a ride!

APRIL ACOLYTE & VIDEO SCHEDULE 9:00 A.M. Worship Service



Good Friday, April 2, 2021
Carter Beranek-R & Mason Huffman

April 4, 2021 EASTER SUNDAY
7:00 A.M. Addison Irlbeck-R & Bowen Hesse
9:00 A.M. Ella Erickson-R & Braiden Davis
Video: Jake Erickson (either service)

April 11, 2021
Corey Arkell & Blake Paplow
Video: Courtney Bedner

April 18, 2021
Video: Carter Beranek

April 25, 2021
Addison Irlbeck & Mason Huffman
Video: Eva Redman



Please remember it is your
responsibility to find a replacement
for your designated worship service.
Thank you!!



April Birthdays

- 2nd - Val Halter, Brenda Kreinbring
- 3rd - Joan Blomgren
- 4th - Dale Gustad, Sarah Kronbach
- 5th - Katie Halter, Jami Holman
- 6th - Betty Baumann, Eli Evans
- 7th - Vernon Jaeger, Alison Kircher
- 8th - Bruce Starkson
- 10th - Natalie Kenney
- 11th - Jordan Matter
- 12th - Shirley Thram, Bonnie Peterson, Delaney Willhite, Lindsey Willhite
- 13th - Floyd Bottem, Stephanie Kurtz, Bernie Senst
- 15th - Maria Bedner, Marcella Dammann
- 16th - Diane Graff, Travis Vollmer, Sophie Paplow, Aron VanMeveren
- 17th - Sandra Batalden, Roger Polkow
- 19th - Jesse Valentin, Blake Paplow
- 20th - Joann Pfarr, Jason Willhite
- 22nd - Shane Neperman
- 26th - Jeff Timm, Brekken Sauer
- 27th - Nathan Knutson
- 28th - Megan Imker, Sophie Redman
- 29th - LeeAnn Luttman
- 30th - Laura Omann

APRIL ALTAR GUILD



Connie Lambert
Marie Dammann
Connie Albrecht

PRAYER CHAIN: If you have a prayer concern you would like passed along to the Prayer Chain, please contact Judy Kuehl, 507-822-1716, or the church office. Please specify if you want the concern on (1) the Prayer chain and/or included in Sunday morning prayers which will be included for two (2) Sundays unless request is renewed. Thank you.

April



- 2nd - Jason & Misty Willhite
- 13th - Shane & Chantel Neperman
- 17th - Cory & Joan Blomgren
- 18th - Glen & Chris Pfarr
- 20th - Jess & Leah Bittner, Brian & Nicole Kramin
- 25th - David & Jill Irlbeck
- 26th - Lucas & Justina Erickson
- 30th - Matt & Melissa Bedner, Kenny & Mary Jo Vollmer

Luther League News!

Greetings from Luther League advisors!

Luther League went tubing at Mount Kato with 21 students and had 6 chaperones. We all had a BLAST and followed up our outing with a stop at Pizza Ranch. Our next meeting will take place April 14th at 6:05pm. No Easter breakfast this year.

Wishing all a Blessed Easter filled with Peace, Love and Joy. He is Risen!

JOIN OUR



Luther League
is looking for
more adults to
join their youth
advisor team!

They are short team members and need at least one person/couple to join in the fun right away! If interested contact Cheryl Van Meveren 507-227-5874 or Kari Redman 507-676-3071!

ATTENTION 2021 SENIORS!

The Luther League Scholarship form will be mailed out to each senior. If you would like to apply, return the completed form to the church office by May 3rd.

Holy Week Services

Maundy Thursday, April 1, 2021
7 P.M. @ UMC

Good Friday, April 2, 2021
7:00 P.M. Lent Service

Sunday, April 4, 2021
7:00 A.M. Easter Sunrise Service
9:00 A.M. Easter Service

The Jelly Bean Prayer

RED
is for the blood he gave,
GREEN
is for the grass he made.

YELLOW
is for the sun so bright,
ORANGE
is for the edge of the night.

BLACK
is for the sins we made,
WHITE
is for the grace he gave.

PURPLE
is for his hour of sorrow,
PINK
is for our new tomorrow.

*An egg full of jelly beans, colorful and sweet,
is a prayer, is a promise, is a special treat.*

*May the joy of Christ's Resurrection fill
your heart and bless your life.*

-UNKNOWN

APRIL MISSION

Financial Assistance for Lamberton Swimming Pool: Passes & Lessons



April's Mission is our very own Lamberton Swimming Pool to provide financial assistance to those that could use some help with swimming lessons and/or swimming passes for 2021!!

Why your child should learn to swim

Reasons why your child should learn to swim are many and varied. You need to give your child the chance to learn to swim.

The most important reason is that swimming is the only sport which can save your child's life. Drowning is still one of the most common causes of accidental death in children, so being able to swim is an essential life-saving skill. It's important to remember that children who appear water confident are not always competent swimmers.

Other reasons why your child should learn to swim

Swimming is lots of fun for people of all ages and children especially love getting in the water and enjoying themselves.

But it is not just fun, swimming also provides loads of health benefits which can help to keep your children healthy and happy at the same time:

Learning to swim is a skill that once learned is rarely forgotten and it is open to people of all ages.

**Remember, you can't always be there.
Learning to swim may save their life one day.**

You can pick up a blue envelope upon entering the church before service or use your own envelope and write "missions" on it to designate for mission giving. You may also give your donation online via our website or use the link below and select 'mission'.

<https://osclamberton.churchcenter.com/giving>



Your contributions are greatly appreciated!!
Thanks for your support!





Thrivent Choice Dollars

As always, Our Savior's Lutheran Church is grateful for your consideration when you make charitable giving plans. If you are a Thrivent Financial member eligible to direct Choice Dollars, we ask you to consider our congregation as you help direct Thrivent Financial's charitable funds. For more information about how to designate Choice Dollars visit: Thrivent.com/choicevote or call 800-847-4836.

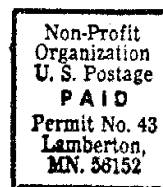




April 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>All events are contingent upon public health guidelines regarding COVID-1. Please refer to the church online calendar, it is updated as decisions are made.</i></p>						
<p>4 Easter 7:00 A.M. Easter Sunrise Service 9:00 A.M. Easter Service</p> 	<p>5 Offices Closed 9:30 VVM Services</p>	<p>6 10:00 Staff Meeting</p>	<p>Please have your bulletin announcements into the Church Office by 10 A.M. on Tuesdays! THANKS!</p>	<p>1 7:00 P.M. Maundy Thursday Service @ UMC</p>	<p>2 <i>Church Office Closed</i> GOOD FRIDAY 7:00 P.M. Good Friday Tenebrae Service</p>	<p>3</p>
<p>11 9:00 Worship/Communion 10:00 Sunday School</p>	<p>12 Offices Closed</p>	<p>13 10:00 Staff Meeting 1:30 OSW Exec. Bd 2:00 OSW Meeting 7:00 BOE Meeting</p>	<p>14 3:15-4 First Communion Instruction for 5th graders 5:15 9th Grade Confirmation 6:05 Luther League 7:00 W&M Meeting</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16 <i>Church Office Closed</i> 9:00 A.M. Community Bible Study</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>18 9:00 Contemporary Worship 10:00 Sunday School</p>	<p>19 Offices Closed Newsletter Articles Due!</p>	<p>20 10:00 Staff Meeting</p>	<p>21 5:45 9th Confirmation Interviews</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23 <i>Church Office Closed</i> 9:00 A.M. Community Bible Study</p>	<p>24</p>
<p>25 9:00 Worship 10:00 Sunday School</p>	<p>26 Offices Closed</p> 	<p>27 10:00 Staff Meeting</p>	<p>28 4:00 9th Confirmation Rehearsal & Pictures</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30 <i>Church Office Closed</i> 9:00 A.M. Community Bible Study</p> 	

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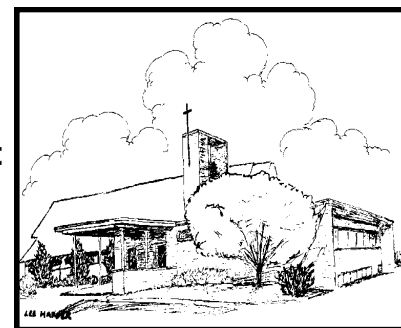


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Sundays: 9:00 A.M.
Sunday School: 10:00 A.M.
(Sept.-May)

Cable Broadcast of Services:

Lamberton -WED: 4:00 P.M.
Springfield -Wednesday: 6:00 P.M.



The Mission of Our Savior's Lutheran Church is to demonstrate Christ's Spirit through worship, witnessing, and ministry to the needs of the people of this church and the community.

- ♦ **Please have bulletins articles into the church office by 10am Tuesday mornings.**
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- ♦ **Please have your Newsletter articles or calendar items into the church office as designated on the monthly calendar.**