

July 5, 2025

Dear Saints of Christ Our Savior,

HAPPY 249th BIRTHDAY USA!

If you have news to share with our parish family or if you have some feedback (including corrections) on our weekly newsletter, please reach out to me.

Email revhollowleg@gmail.com, Phone or text 816-769-2277. If you're aware that someone doesn't receive emails, please let me know and we can get these announcements to them. Privacy of email addresses is respected.



Digital Bulletin- Download now at coselc.org and select "Worship Bulletin". Get the upcoming church bulletin on your phone or device.

Copies of Pastor's Sermon are available Sundays at the mailbox center in the church narthex. Electronic versions are posted on the church website usually on Sunday afternoons.

Check Your Mailbox! Make it your regular stop, on your way in or out. Thank you !

Men's weekly Bible study will next meet on July 15.

Sunday Bible Study continues its study of the Epistle of James (currently in chapter 4), and we're meeting this summer in the fellowship hall. If you have further thoughts or questions, please feel free to contact Pastor or come to Bible class at 9:00 am Sundays.

Sunday School will resume in August. Any questions please contact JoAnn Schweiger at 954-600-9150.

Ladies Who Lunch will next meet at the **Grouper Shack** 230 Nix Boat Yard Dr. **Come out and join us!**

Ladies' Bible Study will take a break. See you in September!

Back to School supplies ingathering- We have an opportunity to provide needed school supplies for area schools, called Tools 4 Schools. Please see the attached file for details, and look for the dropoff box at church. Do you have a Thrivent Action Team eligibility? See Cathy Skarr to sign up for a free \$250 card for this campaign.

Fellowship and Fun Events at COSELC Sign up schedule is posted for those who wish to sponsor upcoming Sunday goodies this year. Feel free to bring whatever treats you would like to share!

Conversations on Christianity has a series of "discussion starters" posted on the CoSELC [Facebook page](https://www.facebook.com/coselc). Take a look, share with others, and join in the conversation! Contact Ray Harrison at neomonkey1@aol.com

Synod News Our First Coast circuit will soon be selecting two Pastors and two laypersons to attend the Synod Convention in July 2026 in Phoenix. If you are interested in running for the layperson delegate or alternate slot, please see Pastor Stirdivant.

Grief Support (Free Resource)- Going through times of grief doesn't always follow a calendar, however, there can be times of the year (loved one's birthday, memorable holidays, etc.) when missing the dearly departed is especially difficult. Send an email message to veronica.krogen@gmail.com if you are interested in receiving a no-cost, no-obligation message of comfort when those tough times of the year come around for you.

Bible Study at Stirdivants' will next meet **Friday July 25**. 6:30 – 8 pm.

YOU CAN TEACH LAYPEOPLE THEOLOGY... Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen to recent in-depth interviews about: A Lutheran View of Natural Law, The Problem of Male Friendship, Christian Endurance, Did Martin Luther Remove Books from the Bible? and more. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org, Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app and a podcast provider.

Hymn of the Month: LSB 590 Baptized into Your Name Most Holy

Catechism Corner Learn By Heart Confession- What do you believe according to these words?; LSB Morning Prayer- Prayers and Benediction

Read up for this Sunday, Pentecost 4 (Proper 9C*) — Isaiah 66:10–14; Galatians 6:1–18; Luke 10:1-20
*Proper numbers for the Sundays in the Pentecost season refer to a list of readings that can be found in the front of the LSB hymnal, page xix.

Discuss at home:

Prayer: Almighty God, You have built Your Church on the foundation of the apostles and prophets with Christ Jesus Himself as the cornerstone. Continue to send Your messengers to preserve Your people in true peace that, by the preaching of Your Word, Your Church may be kept free from all harm and danger; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

For Whom are we Praying? **Kathleen** is undergoing treatment for cancer, Sherryl Mull; **John** has lung cancer, spreading to the lymph nodes, Pam Harper; **Caleb** is undergoing tests to diagnose severe headaches, Judy Lutz; **Jim** is suffering end-stage lung disease, Susan Gould; **Olivia and Don** are trapped in dangerous areas overseas, Pastor; **Sophia** delivered her baby girl, Autumn, and both are healthy and well, Krika Stirdivant; **Shannon** is recovering from hospitalization, Larry and Sherryl Mull; **Joyce** is suffering from back pain.

First names only are published here and on the website. Church member submitting prayer request is listed for reference.

If you want your prayer request included, please contact Pastor. If you want a name removed from the prayer list for any reason, please contact Pastor [directly](#).