Coming Up At OSL

This is a **quick peek** at what is coming up at Our Savior's Lutheran. For a **full overview**, please go to Coming Up at OSL on the OSL website!

Events

Special Congregational Meeting Sunday, November 2nd at 10am.

One of the recommendations of the OSL Transition Task Force was to amend the OSL Constitution and Bylaws to institute a congregation lead church. A committee was formed and is ready to recommend an amended Constitution and updated Bylaws.

We will take the first vote on the revised constitution and bylaws on November 2nd at 10am with the second vote required to be taken at the Annual Meeting in January of 2026, per the current constitution.

There are copies of the updated documents available in the Church Office if you wish to get a copy of what is being recommended.

Food drive on Sunday, November 9th

Join us for a food drive on November 9th. South Dakota is seeing its rate highest rate of food insecurity in decades at about 12.5 percent, and 75,000 South Dakota residents are at risk of losing access to supplemental nutrition benefits (SNAP) as a result of the on-going government shutdown. In tough times like these we would like to highlight our proud partnership with Food to You, also known as the mobile food pantry, which is a food distribution ministry that helps to bring donations to the local neighborhood. Any nonperishable food donation is eagerly accepted, but they would like to especially highlight their need for peanut butter at this time. Donations can be dropped off in the church office. Thank you for your prayerful

consideration to this manner! Food can always be dropped off at anytime during the month.

Come out for Friendship Club!

On Nov. 4th at 11:00a.m., Friendship Club meets for a special program on "Cooking for One or Two." Registered dietician Kristin from HyVee share information on healthy cooking, and how to downsize meals after the kids have moved away. She will provide some wonderful recipes and answer any questions you may have. Following her presentation, we will share a Thanksgiving Worship Service together, followed by a special Thanksgiving meal served in the Gathering Place. Bring a friend, and join us for Friendship Club! There is a suggested donation of \$6 for the lunch. A reminder that Friendship Club meets the first Tuesday of each month at 11:00a.m. with lunch following.

Youth updates for OSL

Join us in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, November 2nd, at 10:00 AM for a fun and engaging camp-styled worship and stay to help us decorate the Christmas Blessing Bags! All ages are welcomed!

Our Sunday School children will sing "Sanctuary" in the Celebrate Service on November 9th. We're excited to hear them lead us in worship.

Help us welcome Augustana students Lauren Schlueter and Ella Allmaras as our new High School Youth Group Leaders! Youth Group meets next on November 12th at 7:00 PM. Bring a friend! We'll bless our 2nd graders in the Celebrate Service on November 16th, then hold a milestone class for students and their guardians at 10:00 AM.

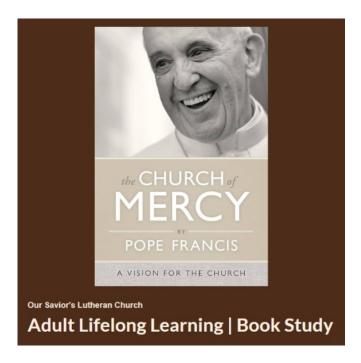
Winter gear drive at OSL!

Help students stay warm this winter! We're collecting coats, hats, gloves, scarves, and boots. All donation wil go directly to students at Marty Indian School in South Dakota. Drop-off all items by November 14th.

Adult Lifelong Learning Book Study

Our next Adult Lifelong Learning Book Study will be the Church of Mercy by Pope Francis. There will be 2 book studies on November

9th, at 3pm and 6pm. We look forward to this discussion, so please sign up at the Welcome Center or click here for the sign up genius!



Faith & Ferment on November 6th!

Come join us at the Roundhouse Pub on 69th and Cliff from 7-8:30pm for Faith & Ferment!

Calling All Lefse Makers!

Join us for a fun and flour-filled day of lefse making on **Saturday**, **November 22nd** in the Fellowship Hall. Whether you're a seasoned roller or a first-time flipper, we welcome all hands to help! Come for the fellowship, stay for the delicious tradition. OSL Lefse sale will be on Sunday, November 23rd.

Help OSL decorate for Christmas!

Hear Ye, Here Ye, 'Tis the season to plan Christmas decorations at Our Savior's. On Monday, November 24th we will provide dinner at 5:00pm and start decorating at 5:30pm. Come one and all for the food, the fellowship, the wonderful service opportunity, and the FUN.



Heartland Handbells Christmas Concert

Heartland Handbells is presenting their Christmas Concert on Sunday, November 23rd at 3:00pm at Our Savior's. Gene LeVasseur and Ellen Smook are participants and admission is free.



No one is alone in grief

Recent Loss Fall Series

"When someone we love dies, intense grief begins. This normal, natural response to loss can take many different forms and is different for everyone. Come to this group to give and receive support from others who are in the early weeks and months of this challenging journey." For more information contact Pr. Tim Lemme at 605-336-2942 or at tlemme@oslchurch.com.

November 25th, December 2nd, and 9th, 2025 5:30—6:30p.m. in the Chapel

Opportunities | Reminders



Hockey Parking Fundraiser volunteers!

Next Augie Hockey parking is October 31st & November 1st, the funds will benefit Charis Ministries. This will help fund up to 75 meals for families this Thanksgiving season. Please sign up at the Welcome Center or call the Church Office. You can sign up online here

Be a Toss Boss- A Congregation Challenge

Throughout November, Sunday School and Creation Care are teaming up for a Recycling Competition! Bring your **rinsed-out** pop cans and drop them in the collection bins along the stairs by the Gathering Place starting Sunday, November 2nd until the end of the month! It's Sunday School vs. Sunday School grades—and kids vs. congregation! At the end of the month, we'll weigh the bins to see who will be crowned the ultimate Toss Boss!

Help us celebrate 80 years!

On September 8th, 1946, Our Savior's Lutheran held it's first service in the Chapel of Old Main on the campus of Augustana College. Next year, in the fall of 2026, we will celebrate our 80th Anniversary. We are looking for a group of people to plan this celebration. If you are interested, please call the Church Office or sign up at the Welcome Center!

Want to Help?

Fall Outdoor Clean Up Day on Tuesday, November 4th

Volunteers are needed for the Fall Outdoor Clean Up Day on Tuesday, November 4th, at 8:30am. A pizza lunch will be provided at

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New member classes in November

Our next new member class will consist of two sessions, on November 11th and November 18th, from 6pm-7pm. Please contact the church office if you would like to attend, or if you know of someone who does.

Custodian position available.

OSL is hiring a full-time custodian to help maintain our facility and support event setup and cleanup. The position offers a consistent 40-hour work week, including rotating weekends. We're looking for someone energetic, detail-oriented, and a great team player. If interested, please contact the Church Office for more details or to apply. If you're interested you can click here and apply now!

Digital bulletins are available for you to use with your mobile device, whether you worship from home or at OSL.

Coming Up at OSL has all the details - and more! - in <u>Coming Up at</u> OSL on the OSL website!

Give toSupport OSL's Ministry!

The OSL Website Calendar is always up-to-date!

Find it at oslchurch.com/calendar!

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