



OUR SAVIOR'S
LUTHERAN CHURCH
Planting Faith - Nurturing Hope - Sharing God's Love

Prayers for the weekend of July 5, 2026

Trusting in God's steadfast love for all God has made, let us pray for the church, the world, and all of creation.

God our unity, your church flourishes in different languages, cultures, and movements. Grant us wisdom to discern when our yokes are too heavy, that we may live and serve in the freedom of your rest. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

God our home, you model freedom through the love shared across communities of trust and goodwill. Bless families as they gather this weekend, and be with those who are alone, help us to feel the presence of your love with us. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Holy Trinity, you show us the splendor of diversity, and the beauty of unity in your own divine life. Bless the nations of the world with healing and peace, and help us to delight in our differences and gifts, and teach us to share them with each other in mutual respect. As America celebrates its independence, give those whom we have entrusted with authority, the spirit of wisdom, and curb every abuse of that trust, so that both here and abroad, justice, humility, and peace may flourish. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

God our comfort, liberate all in our community who are captive to fear, who have become isolated or ill, or who are in any need. We pray for David Johnson, and for those we now mention in our hearts. We also remember the families of Mavis Carl, and LaVonne Johnshoy as they mourn their deaths. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Grateful for your abundant provision and trusting in your goodness, we cast all our cares upon you, through the abundant grace of Christ Jesus.

Amen.

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Announcements

If you are visiting us today, please stop by the Welcome Center to pick up a Friendship Bag. It's our way of saying, "Thank you for being with us and come again soon."

Due to cancellations, we now have 4 open spots for the Twins Baseball game on July 9th. Tickets are \$135 per person to cover tickets and transportation. Great seats behind home plate in the shade! If you or someone you know would like to go on this trip, please call the Church Office ASAP at (605)336-2942 to reserve your spot!

Have Your Cake & Freedom, Too! Join us on Sunday, July 5th from 9:30am-10:30am for cake & fellowship in the Gathering Place, served by the library volunteers.

OSL is excited to bring back comedian Tim Boyd on July 29th. We will have live music by the band Short Notice and a Potluck at 6pm (OSL will provide BBQ's, you are invited to bring sides/desserts), and Tim will take the stage at 7pm. Free will offering.

Stop by the library and pick up your summer reading BINGO card! BINGO is open from June 10th - July 12th! Each BINGO earns you a ticket (maximum of 4 + 1 blackout) to place in a jar for the prize of your choice!

Retired clergy (including deacons, SAMs, etc.) and/or their spouses are invited to Pastor Nancy & Pastor Tedd's home on July 15th at 5pm! Whether you served near or far, please join us. BBQs & chips will be provided, you are welcome to bring a side to share. RSVP to Pastor Nancy nrieke@oslchurch.com or call the OSL church office.

The OSL Church Office & Library will be closed from July 13-July 17th as we work to replace our air conditioning unit. Staff will be working remotely, but will be available for emergencies. We will not be scheduling any on-site events during that week. We anticipate the project to be completed on July 17th. Worship services are scheduled as normal for July 18th & 19th. If we encounter any issues, we will communicate accordingly.

You are invited to join Pastor Michael for the next 3-week session of Songs for the Soul, beginning July 28th. Sign up at the Welcome Center!

Upcoming Events:

07/05/26: Have Your Cake & Freedom, Too! 9:30am-10:30am

07/09/26: Twins Trip

July 13-July 17: Church Office & Library Closed for air conditioning unit replacement. Staff working remotely.

07/23/26: The Greater Good at 12:00pm

07/29/26: Comedian Tim Boyd at 7pm; potluck & music by Short Notice starts at 6pm.