

# A Little Bit of Sunshine

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When [Jesus and his disciples] had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my lambs.” A second time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” He said to him, “Yes, Lord; you know that I

love you.” Jesus said to him, “Tend my sheep.” He said to him the third time, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” And he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep. John 21:15 – 17

Shortly after Jesus rose from the grave, according to John’s Gospel, he showed up on the beach of the Sea of Tiberius where the disciples had reverted to their old lives as fishermen. They went fishing?! Of course they did. They were guys. What else do you do when you don’t know what to do? You go fishing. Makes perfect sense.

Of course, Jesus had bigger plans for them than this... a more urgent mission. It’s on that beach that he asks Peter where his priorities lay. “Do you love me?” Jesus asks. “Yes Lord; you know that I love you.” “Feed my lambs.” Jesus says... “Tend my sheep...feed my sheep.”

Much can be, and has been, made of that imperative laid at Peter’s feet. The Church’s mission must be nothing less than “feeding Jesus’ sheep,” if indeed we love Jesus. But what, exactly, are we to feed them with? Was Jesus referring to the good news of resurrection life? Most certainly! But could it be even more basic than this...more elemental? I’m guessing yes. Trying to fill people’s ears and hearts with Easter while leaving their bellies empty seems not only counter-intuitive, but downright demonic. There is a world of need at our doorstep, and we cannot ignore basic life needs while on a mission to satiate spiritual needs. It doesn’t work.

The Church knows this, even if we have been, at times, slow to act on it. But we continue to try. Feeding ministries have been an integral piece of our mission and continue to be so. Here at Our Savior’s, we are constantly raising up opportunities to answer Jesus’ call to “feed [his] sheep,” through our neighborhood food shelves, city-wide feeding ministries, school Back Pack Program, etc. The month of March was dedicated to just such efforts among us here, as all of our *Love Your Neighbor Jar* gifts were dedicated to our larger Church’s efforts to address the needs of hungry people around the world through the ELCA World Hunger Appeal.

Now in April, I’d like to challenge us to come full-circle, as it were, and along with our feeding ministries lift up the opportunity to make sure folks are fed with the Word as well. For the last eight years or so, our Campus Ministry at Black Hills State University, located in our “Living Room” building at the corner of Jackson and Yale, has been hosting college students for weekly meals and faith exploration. We’re currently in a time of transition as we search for a new permanent Campus minister, but the dinner-church program continues.

Looking forward in hopes of strengthening that ministry, along with our high-school ministry and Young Adult study group that meets there, we’ve had to do some re-model to the exterior of The Living Room. A generous matching gift has been given, and we’re close to having the project completed. We have about \$10,000 left to raise.

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So here's the pitch:

During the months of April and May we'd like to challenge ourselves here at OSLC to finish this off and invest in ministry to and with our young adults at BH and within our own congregation who use The Living Room as a gathering spot for faith exploration and growth. On Wednesday, May 8, we'll be hosting an Open House at The Living Room to celebrate the renovations and show off this great tool for ministry. (Read more about it in the May newsletter next month!)

Let's answer Jesus' question with a loud, enthusiastic YES... and feed his lambs... with bread for the stomach AND with the Bread of Life! As an Easter church, what else could we do?

*Pastor Stephan Sandness*

Our Savior's  
Annual Meeting of the Congregation  
is Sunday, April 21  
at 9:45 AM  
in the Fellowship Hall.

Agenda: Ministry Reports, Council  
Elections, and Financials Update



**NEW  
Member  
Class**

**New Members  
to be received  
April 21  
at both worship services.**

If you are interested in membership at this time,  
please call the church office at 605-642-3715.  
New Member orientation is Thursday, April 18  
at 5:45 PM.

## *The "Love Your Neighbor" Jar*

for the month of April will benefit  
Artemis House

*February's Love Your Neighbor Jar raised  
\$1,620.63 for Camp Scholarships for OSLC  
campers going to Lutherans Outdoors  
camps.*

## **Trea\$urer's Report** *As of February 29, 2024*

Year-to-date Offerings:	<b>\$94,560.62</b>
Year-to-date Expenses:	<b>\$105,267.92</b>
Year-to-date Budget	<b>\$101,213.04</b>

## **✠ Pastoral Acts ✠**

### **Baptism**

**March 3**

**Clara Rose Keefe**, child of Andrea &  
Marshall Keefe

### **Funerals**

**March 1**

**Linda Easthouse**, Spearfish

**March 7**

**Larry Weiers**, Spearfish

**March 8**

**Vi Westrum**, Spearfish

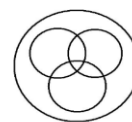
**March 21**

**Lillian Roark**, Spearfish

**March 30**

**Blanche Sands**, Belle Fourche

**Friendship Ministry**  
Extending the love of Christ  
from Friend to Friend



Friendship Ministers are members of our church who listen, care, encourage, and provide emotional and spiritual support to people in our congregation and community who are facing a transition, going through stressful times, or experiencing loneliness.

To learn how you can receive care, call Nancy Christopherson at 605-645-2723. The care you will receive is confidential and free.

Two new folks are joining us in conversation to become Friendship Ministers. If you would like to consider that, too, please call Deacon Laura at 605-642-3715.



If you are looking for a gift for someone, please consider the new WELCA cookbooks. They are full of great recipes from members of our church, as well as tips and helpful hints. At only \$20.00, these books make wonderful gifts. All proceeds go to

WELCA to help support their many projects. You can see Julie in the church office if you would like to purchase one.

Dear friends in Christ,

We have just come through Holy Week and the celebration of Easter. As we move forward now through the season of Easter in the church year, we remember that we are called as a community of faith to LIVE as **Easter people**. In his book, ***Baptized, We Live***, Pastor Dan Erlander wrote, "The covenant people into which we are invited is the church—the Ecclesia (Greek for "called out ones"). The church lives as the family which has received the gift of the new age—forgiveness, reconciliation, liberation—and has been commissioned to proclaim the new age in word and deed. We, the church, do not deserve to be this covenant people. Our inclusion is a gift of God. This is GRACE!" In the days ahead, as we welcome—as we plan—as we worship—as we celebrate—we remember that we live and move in this incredible freedom.

On April 21, we will joyfully welcome **New Members** to our congregation! New members are formally received into membership twice a year at Our Savior's—generally in April and November. We look forward to getting to know each other and serving together in God's mission through this church. Each one who gathers with us informally, too, is considered part of the family—included and loved.

We each come with unique gifts which together fit into this body of Christ. Perhaps you have found a way to use your gift in Senior Choir or Bell Choir or Joyful Journey Worship Team. Maybe you are using your gift to teach or help in Sunday or Wednesday School. Many are using their gifts in serving Funerals or in Fix-it group.

I'm especially looking for a few who want a once-a-month serving opportunity to assist us in worship at senior living facilities. If you are trying to discover your gifts or looking for a place to use the ones you know are yours, there are many additional opportunities. I'm happy to help you discover, make connections, and find your niche!

*God's peace and blessings ~  
Deacon Laura Lee Campbell*

## **Spearfish Community Food Pantry needs for April**

saltine crackers, canned chicken,  
applesauce, cookies, grape jelly,  
pork and beans

### **Gather**

Women's Evening  
Bible Study

*Scripture and nature:*

*Teachers of faith,*

by Rev. Sara Olson-Smith



Concluding:

Tuesday, April 16, 6:30 -7:45 pm

*Food: Daily bread for the health of the world*

As a resource, we use the **Gather** magazine of the Women of the ELCA.

We meet at the church Fireside Room/Library.  
RSVP to [oslc1@rushmore.com](mailto:oslc1@rushmore.com) or 605-642-3715

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## **SonShine Squad**

Did you know our SonShine Squad teams will be visiting 22 of our home bound folks? We invite you to join us at our next meeting to see what we are all about. We will be making a small craft to take to the people we visit. If you would like you can make the craft or just join in the fellowship. Our April meeting will be Wed., April 3 at 1:00 pm at the church. For more information, please call or text Cheryl at 605-673-1334.



*Please remember your  
Secret Sister during  
the month of April by  
mailing a card and  
keeping her in prayer!*

*Save the date: Secret Sister Reveal -  
Saturday, June 15 (time to be determined)*

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# Confirmation

**Confirmation Parents:** Please pay special attention to the upcoming schedule. On April 3, 10, & 17 I will be meeting with only the 8<sup>th</sup> graders as they make final preparations for their Affirmation of Baptism Day. On Wed. April 24 we will have a Fellowship Night with the 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Graders. On Wednesday, May 1 at 6:26 PM our 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be sharing their faith statements during worship as they prepare to affirm their baptism on May 5 at the 2<sup>nd</sup> service.

~ Chris Blain

- April 3: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade only Faith Statements Work
- April 10: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade only Faith Statements Work
- April 17: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade only Faith Statements Work
- April 24: 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Fellowship Night
- May 1: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Presentation of Faith Statements @ Wednesday Word
- May 5: Affirmation of Baptism @ 10:45 AM Worship Service

## April Acolyte Schedule

**Sundays, 8:30 AM Worship**

Ryan Keller, Willow Routh

**Sundays, 10:45 AM Worship**

Alora Vig

## High School Youth Group

**7:10 PM, Wednesday Evenings**

The Living Room, 810 N. Yale.

**For all freshmen through seniors.**

On these gathering nights we discuss matters of faith, life and anything on your mind. It is a great hour of fellowship and faith formation. It is a very informal and meaningful evening and bringing a friend or friends is always welcomed.

Our High School Youth are encouraged to sign-up for reminders by sending a text to:

**text @oslc to the number 81010**

Questions? Please contact Chris Blain at [ckblain@gmail.com](mailto:ckblain@gmail.com).



## Senior Ministry



## Games & Pizza

Thursday, April 11

10:00 AM

OSLC Fellowship Hall

Bring your Friends!



## Sunday Morning Transportation

Need a ride to church on Sunday mornings? Call the church office (605-642-3715) by 2 pm Friday afternoon to reserve a ride.

## Worship DVD and Bulletin



If you are homebound on Sunday mornings and would like to have a DVD and bulletin of worship, please let us know at 605-642-3715.



In Nov. 2019, I was diagnosed with Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia (cancer) which in turn, damaged my kidneys, placing me on dialysis. I have been placed on the transplant list with Mayo Clinic (Rochester, MN). Please pray with me that I get the call for the transplant, and I ask that you consider becoming a donor ([mayoclinic.org/livingdonor](http://mayoclinic.org/livingdonor)).

Thank you for your continued prayers,  
Deb Simpson



On Wednesday, May 1, during our Wednesday Word worship service at 6:26 pm, the congregation is invited to come and listen as the 8<sup>th</sup> grade confirmands share their faith statements.



Our Sunday, May 5, 10:45 am worship service will be filled with statements of Christian faith, as the eighth graders have completed their two years of confirmation instruction. This service will also be available to watch via live-stream from our website, and it will also be archived.

The following 8<sup>th</sup> graders will be confirmed:

Nevada Donahey, Tripp Donat, Tiernan Frederickson, Jonah Gatz, Kenadi Hayford, Haley Heubrock, Emme Johnson, Liv Johnson, Tatum Martin, Brooklyn Moser, Elijah Overby, Lily Rath, Burke Simonyak, Carson Skavang, Bridget Smoot, Samuel Soulek, Lainee VanKampen, Bridger Wiese, Taycee Ziegler

These confirmands were made members of the church in baptism. Confirmation includes a public confession of the faith into which they were baptized, underscoring God's action in their baptism.

OSCL Quilters are in need of material to use for our mission quilts. If you have any bits and pieces you won't be using, please consider donating them to the quilters. We are looking for material that can be cut into strips about 22" by 8-9" wide. These stripes make what we call Twelvers. Quilts that consist of 12 21" squares. Materials need to be clean. Also we find the price of batting has increased from ~ \$106 to over \$170 a roll. So blankets (not wool) and mattress pads are needed more than ever. As you start your spring house cleaning please consider the quilters' needs. Thank you.

## Scriptures

**April 7** Acts 4:32-35  
Psalm 133  
1 John 1:1—2:2  
John 20:19-31

**April 14** Acts 3:12-19  
Psalm 4  
1 John 3:1-7  
Luke 24:36b-48

**April 21** Acts 4:5-12  
Psalm 23  
1 John 3:16-24  
John 10:11-18

**April 28** Acts 8:26-40  
Psalm 22:25-31  
1 John 4:7-21  
John 15:1-8

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Festival in the Park

July 19-21

This will be the 37<sup>th</sup> year for participation by Our Savior's Lutheran Church! More info in the coming months.



## Office Notes:

The deadline for submission of items for the May newsletter is **Tuesday, April 23**. Please send your newsletter items to Lisa at [oslc4@rushmore.com](mailto:oslc4@rushmore.com)

Ways to give electronically:

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Scan the code or go to our website, click on the Online Giving button:

Clicking on that button will take you to a secure page on which you can donate to the vital ministries of Our Savior's Lutheran Church directly from a checking or savings account, or using a credit or debit card.

**Did you know...** Our website contains the monthly newsletter, monthly calendar, and much more...Check it out at: [www.oslcspearfish.com](http://www.oslcspearfish.com).

Has your address or phone number changed? Please let us know at 605-642-3715 or e-mail Julie at [oslc@rushmore.com](mailto:oslc@rushmore.com)

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Minutes were read and reports were given from our February meeting.

Janet reported there were 41 Personal Care kits sent by Deborah Circle. Good job ladies.

We are thankful for the ladies of St. James for hosting the World Day of Prayer March 1.

Funeral committee reported March has been a sad and busy month. We are so thankful for having such devoted ladies to help these families.

Please mark your calendar for April 20. Bear Butte WELCA Spring Gathering will be held at St. James Lutheran Church in Belle Fourche from 9am to 2pm. Cost will be \$10. The main speaker will be on the Holy Land. Personal care items will be collected for the Artemis House, requesting baked items for Silent Auction with proceeds going to BHSU Ministries.

April 27 reminder for Spring Prayer Brunch & General Meeting hosted by Esther Circle.

September 6-7 Fall Retreat and workshop at Outlaw Ranch

As each year passes we think we are as youthful as last year. Spoiler Alert we are not!!!! I know the women do a fantastic job with the Julefest and think they can go on forever. I know we have many new women and many that have been in the background who may think they have to be invited to participate. Not so. If you are interested in learning and may be willing to help take some of the load off the shoulders of some of these jobs, please let one of us know. We are looking of ways to keep making this fund raiser a success.

June 15 has been set for the Secret Sister reveal. Until then please keep your Secret Sister in your prayers and send a reminder to let her know she is in your thoughts. Thank you all for keeping Miranda in your prayers as well.

Blessings to you all and wishing you all a Wonderful Easter. He Has Risen indeed.

Next WELCA Board Meeting: Wednesday, April 3

Kitchen Duty March/April: Esther Circle

*Mary Goddard, President*

## WELCA Calendar

April Kitchen Duty  
April 3 ~ 9:30 AM  
April 20 ~ 9:00 AM

Esther Circle  
WELCA Board Meeting  
Bear Butte Conference  
WELCA Spring Gathering  
@ St. James Lutheran Church  
Belle Fourche, SD  
April 27 ~ 10:00 AM  
Spring Prayer Brunch and  
General Meeting

## *Circle Meetings*

### Circle Study Leaders

April 3, 9:00 AM

### Esther Circle

April 11, 1:00 PM

**Leader:** Lila Bliss

**Hostess:** Kathy Helmer

### Deborah Circle

April 8, 10:30 AM

**Leader:** Helen Merriman

**Hostess:** Barb Hargis

### Ruth Circle

April 18, 10:00 AM

**Leader:** All

**Hostess:** Loretta Greni

## WELCA Spring Prayer Brunch & General Meeting

**Saturday, April 27, 10:00 am**



**Sharing the Dream trip to Guatemala**

**Speakers: Barb Gauger and Janet Reindl**

Brunch served by Lori Kirk

Cost: \$10

Tickets will be available and sold between services on April 14 and April 21. RSVP by Tuesday, April 23 by calling Janet Baker at 701-425-6136.

## *Ruth Circle Needs Help!*

We will be filling School Bags in July - August, but this means that we need to make School bags!

So, we have cut School Bag kits and have put them out for the month of April for those who like to sew simple projects. Check out the table near the office. It has kits prepackaged with instructions for you to use. Please sign out the kits and check them back in when you've finished. Deadline is end of April. Thanks for your assistance. Last year we sent more than 90 school bags to LWR. We are on track this year to do the same.

# Children's Ministry News

## April 2024



### Sunday & Wednesday School

Sunday School and Wednesday school continue through the month of April. Some of the lessons include Doubting Thomas, The Great Commission, and the Good Shepherd.

Everyone is invited to join us for...

## CELEBRATION SUNDAY      POTLUCK BREAKFAST BRUNCH

### April 28 at 9:45am!



Join us as we say *Thank-You* to our STUDENTS & VOLUNTEERS for a great year of Children's Ministries!

*We will recognize Sunday school & Wednesday school volunteers, Confirmation Guides, Cradle Roll volunteers, those "behind the scenes" volunteers and more!*

Please bring a breakfast item to share.

*Suggestions:* If your last name starts with:

A—F= Fruit OR Breakfast Meats (fresh fruit, fruit salad, Pan of Bacon, Sausages, etc...)

G—L = Breakfast Breads (muffins, rolls, quick breads)

M—Z = Breakfast Casserole (baked eggs, French toast bake, breakfast burritos, etc...)

We would appreciate having some gluten free and dairy free items as well!

*We will recognize Sixth Grade students as they transition from Sunday & Wednesday school into Confirmation.*

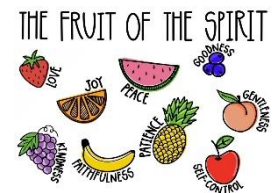


Summer camp with Lutherans Outdoors is available for all students that have completed grades three through twelfth grade. Family camp is also available. All camps fill up fast, some dates are already unavailable! Families are urged to register as soon as possible and BEFORE April 15 to get the early bird discount!

Look at dates, camps available, and register here: [www.losd.org](http://www.losd.org)

### KIDZONE!

KidZone meets on Wednesday, April 3 from 1:00 to 5:00pm at the church. As a reminder, we will have the Annual KidZone bowling & pizza celebration on MAY 1 from 1-3pm at Queen City Lanes. We return to the church after bowling.



### VBS at OSLC

We are searching high & low for a volunteer director for VBS this summer! The dates have not been set but will be sometime the week of June 24 – 28. As the director, you would work with Miss Beth to select the theme, set the dates, and recruit volunteers. If you are interested, please contact Miss Beth at [oslc youth@rushmore.com](mailto:oslc youth@rushmore.com) or text/call 605-381-8695 or find me at church.



## April Faith & Care Group (#12)

Doris Anderson  
Jon & Laura Bosworth  
Doreen Cooper  
Lori Deibert  
Doug & Barb Deppe  
Dave Dutton  
Pam Englund ☐  
David & Loretta Greni  
Karen Griffith  
Loren Hanson  
Loren & Arlene Hindbjorgen

Bill Jordan  
Duane & Bonnie Kirk  
Jack & Connie Kushman  
Jill Lesselyoung  
Bob & Vicki Lochner  
Randy & Eylene Macy  
Casey & Laura Miller  
Bob & Sandy Nichols  
Marc Niemi  
Tom Niemi  
Bev Olheiser

David & Janet Osborn  
Peter & Cindy Ostman  
Janet Reindl ☐  
Dan & Renee Schenk  
Travis Schenk  
Chris Schlup  
Amber Schweigert  
Jack & Lilia Sears  
Kathe Shockey  
Kyle & Brandy Vavruska



This group will receive an email link to SignUp Genius where you can volunteer for the days and times that work best for you to serve as Welcome Center Host, Usher, Communion Assistant, Snack Provider, and Coffee Server.

Anyone (outside of this group) is also welcome to sign up if you wish! Email [sommerlyn.mortensen@gmail.com](mailto:sommerlyn.mortensen@gmail.com) that you want to receive the link.

### Welcome Center Hosts (2):

Arrive 30 minutes before the service begins. Stand by the Welcome Centers (one on each side). Warmly greet each group as they arrive.

### Ushers (2):

Arrive 30 minutes before the service begins. Stand by counters by the glass doors of the Sanctuary (one on each side). Welcome each family group or individual as they enter, hand them a bulletin, and assist them to find a seat if necessary. Count all heads in the room and record the number on the chart at the counter. At the time of communion, begin at the **front** and release one row at a time. If there are people in the Southeast section, start them first. Be the last to go up for communion.

### Communion assistants (2):

During the Offering, go to the Sacristy behind the altar and wash your hands with soap and water. Pick up a cup for wine. Then come out and stand by the bell cabinet during the Words of Institution and Lord's Prayer. Pastor will serve you communion. He will then give you a tray of bread (wafers). There are also gluten free wafers in small containers on the rail. Follow the pastor's lead to move to the front of the rail. As each person comes to you, place a wafer on their open hand (without touching the person) saying, "The body of Christ, given for you." If the person asks for gluten free, give them one of the bread containers from the rail. Upon finishing, hand the tray back to the pastor.

### Snack providers (4):

Bring 4 dozen cookies or bars to the church kitchen by 8 am on Sunday morning (or on Friday by 3 pm prior to your Sunday).

### Coffee Servers (2):


Check in with the Kitchen Coordinator (Pam Englund) by 8:15 am to familiarize yourself with the kitchen and to get instructions. She will have coffee and lemonade prepared. Keep the cookie trays in the kitchen until right before serving. Return to the kitchen after communion. Put cookie trays and coffee urns on the serving table. Be ready to serve at 9:30 am. Serve coffee as people come through the line. Near the end of coffee hour, assist the Kitchen Coordinator with cleanup as instructed—putting things away, washing dishes, wiping down tables/chairs.





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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b> 10:30 AM Circle Study Leaders 1:00 PM Yarn Ministry 6:00 PM Good Shepherd Clinic	<b>2</b> 8:30 AM Fix-It Group 9:00 AM Quilting 5:30 PM Education Comm. 7:00 PM Young Adults Bible Study Group @ TLR	<b>3</b> 9:30 AM WELCA Board Mtg. 1:00 PM KidZone 1:00 PM SonShine Squad 5:15 PM Bell Choir 5:15 PM Confirmation 8 <sup>th</sup> Gr. 5:40 PM Wednesday School 7:00 PM Senior Choir 7:10 PM HS Youth @ TLR	<b>4</b> 12:00 PM Lunch @ TLR 1:00 PM Quilting	<b>5</b> 6:00 AM Christian Business Men's Group at TLR	<b>6</b>
	<i>Pastor's Day Off</i>	SD Synod Spring Theological Convocation			<i>Deacon's Day Off</i>	
<b>7</b> 8:30 AM Worship Service 9:45 AM Education Hour 10:45 AM Joyful Journey-led Easter Worship Service	<b>8</b> 10:30 AM Deborah Circle 1:00 PM Yarn Ministry 6:00 PM Good Shepherd Clinic	<b>9</b> 8:30 AM Fix-It Group 9:00 AM Quilting 2:00 PM Two on Tuesday Women's Bible Study 5:30 PM Mission Comm. 6:00 PM Finance Comm. 6:30 PM Church Council 7:00 PM Young Adults Bible Study Group @ TLR	<b>10</b> 5:15 PM Bell Choir 5:15 PM Confirmation 8 <sup>th</sup> Gr. 5:16 PM Wednesday Supper 5:40 PM Wednesday School 6:26 PM Wednesday Word 7:00 PM Senior Choir 7:10 PM HS Youth @ TLR	<b>11</b> 10:00 AM Senior Ministry Games & Pizza 12:00 PM Lunch @ TLR 1:00 PM Esther Circle 1:00 PM Quilting 6:00 PM Faith & Care Annual Meeting @ TLR	<b>12</b> 6:00 AM Christian Business Men's Group at TLR	<b>13</b> 8:00 AM Men's Fellowship 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM Piano Guild Auditions
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## Our Savior's Lutheran Church

1020 State Street  
Spearfish, SD 57783

**Staff:** Stephan Sandness, Senior Pastor  
Laura Campbell, Deacon  
Beth Nielsen, Director of Children's Ministries  
Julie Lee, Office Manager  
Lisa Williams, Receptionist

**Worship:** Sundays 8:30 am Traditional Worship Service  
10:45 am Joyful Journey-led Service  
*Live stream at 8:30 AM or watch later! Connect through our web site.*  
Wednesday 6:26 pm Wednesday Word

Church Office located at 1020 State Street  
Church Phone Number: 605-642-3715  
Kitchen/Quilting Phone Number: 605-722-0660

**Office Hours:** 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday

**WEB site:** [www.oslcspearfish.com](http://www.oslcspearfish.com)  
**E-mail:** [oslc@rushmore.com](mailto:oslc@rushmore.com)



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**Mission Statement:** Inspired by God's grace, we open our hearts to all in faith,  
prayer, fellowship and service through Jesus Christ.