Sermon Series

06/21 Esther 4:1-17 – "For Such a Time as This"
06/28 Esther 7:1-6, 9-10 – "Turning the Tables: Justice and Vindication"

Prayers - If you would like to have a prayer request shared with the congregation in a public manner, please email them to Deb Curtis by Thursday at 9 am rcdciowa@gmail.com. Email private prayer requests to Pastor Joel: pastorjoel@reachingoutinlove.org.. Pastor Joel will share these latter requests with the prayer team.

Please Pray for:

Tricia & Derek Baker, Tracey Berry, Ginger Berggeson, Terry Brenner; Danielle's aunt, due to breast cancer, Andria Huisden Brown, Crue Bucknell & Family, Lorinda Cruikshank, Pamela Dawson, Joy Evenson, Lynn Vallandingham's sister, Bill Gathright (Judy's brother), Dean Godsy and Carol Howard suffering with kidney disease waiting to be put on transplant list. Darren Johnson, Betty Karr, cancer diagnosis (Dawn Schneiderer's mother), Marica Kennison, Charla Kusilek (eyes), Darrin Lee, Nancy Michaelson's nephew; Frankie Lindquist, Chip Long, Gordie Menken, Jim Morris, McKenna Mortimer & Family, Fred Naes, Jesse Northweather (Joy's father-in-law) for healing, Shari Ommen (Joy's sister) for healing, Bruce and Linda Petersen, Holly Petersen (Chrones), Letha Piper (friend of Linda Eisinger) to prayer list for stem cell transplant May 26th and Kirstin Sanning (Linda Petersen's daughter), Scarlet, Jean Walker and LaTrice Wilson.

(*Names on this list for more than one month are removed at the end of each month unless an extension is requested.*)

Military Safety: Dylan Benedict, Mason Brenner and Cassidy Culver

You can contribute flowers for our altar in honor or memory of someone, to celebrate an event, or to the glory of God. A flower chart is located at the Information Center. Please indicate if you want live flowers, at a cost of $45 provided by River City Florists or silk flowers at a cost of $15. If choosing silk flowers, let Linda Petersen know your preferred arrangement.

OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

*I am the vine; you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing. (*John 15:5)

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Calendar for the Week of 06/21/2026

Sunday:	**09:00 a.m.**	Classic Worship in the Worship Center
	10:00 a.m.	Father's Day Breakfast
	10:30 a.m.	Modern Worship in the Worship Center*
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Worship, upstairs to the right*
	10:30 a.m.	Discipleship Group
Thursday:	**07:00 p.m.**	Praise Band Rehearsal
Sunday:	**09:00 a.m.**	Classic Worship in the Worship Center
	10:00 a.m.	Brunch in the Fellowship Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Modern Worship in the Worship Center*
	10:30 a.m.	Children's Worship, upstairs to the right*

Father's Day Brunch: We hope you're hungry this morning! Brunch is being served in the Fellowship Hall after the 9am service in honor of Father's Day! A full brunch of pancakes, sausages, egg casseroles, fruit and other goodies is being served. Eat heartily! Brunch provided by Connection Team 3 and helpers.

A huge THANK YOU to all who helped with Family Fun Fest 2026 last night! What a delightful, fun-filled evening with food, bingo, true/false trivia, coloring contest, cake walks, musical chairs music & more! Thank you, too to all who came out to enjoy Christian fellowship, entertainment and, well, fun festivities! PS~~ While it took a number of people to pull this off, we owe an enormous debt of gratitude to **Marjorie Beenders** who was the driving force that never gave up on this happening!

ATTENTION NEEDED!! Several times in the last couple of weeks I have discovered lights left on in various areas in the building during the week. I have also found air conditioners running because someone adjusted the thermostat but failed to reset it when no longer needed. We need to not waste energy. If you turn on a light, adjust a thermostat, use a fan please make sure to turn them off or reset when you no longer need them. Also, I was going to compliment us for being careful to make sure doors close to locked position when exiting the building, but today (Tuesday)the downstairs door was not in locked position when I arrived at the church. When exiting the locked downstairs doors please exit the door on the right as it usually closes to locked position without issue. Thank you for taking care of our building with these simple tasks. Wayne Sharp

Bible Studies: All Are Welcome!! – Both of these bible studies are held once a month and make use of the ELCA Gather magazine bible study which is geared towards women. The Tamar bible study meets at church and the Circle meets at our individual homes. Please make time in your schedule to attend and if you have any questions, please contact Gloria Sharp at (573)462-9758 or Deb Curtis at (573)338-3779 for details.

Tamar Circle: Meets the last Tuesday of the month at 9:30 a.m.

Hannah Circle: Tuesday, July 7th at 7 p.m., Maxine Clark's, 924 Manassas Place, Jefferson City

BIRTHDAY CARDS; We have revived Our Savior Lutheran Church's card ministry. As a first step we would like to send birthday cards to members and their families. If you would like to receive a handmade card on your birthday, please write your name, day and month of your birthday, and mailing address on the signup sheet in the church information center or email this information to Janene at jmgragg@gmail.com.

Sunday School Teacher Needed: We are I need of a Sunday school teacher. Amber has been very busy with her job and putting in lots of hours so is no longer available. Most of the curriculum is already available and we just need somebody to teach. If you are interested, please contact Joel Pike.

DON'T MISS THIS EVENT! SAVE-THE-DATE - SUNDAY, JULY 12, 2026. Please put JULY 12 on your calendar for JANICE RAMBO's Special "*Moving Away, but not Forgotten" Send-Off Celebration*. Janice is moving to the state of Washington to live close to her family. We are happy for her, but we are trying to figure out what life at Our Savior's will be without her. This "We'll miss you! Send-Off Celebration," held in Janice's honor, will take place following the second service (on Sunday, July 12). Our congregation will host a delicious Potluck Lunch /Dinner in the fellowship hall. Our menu will consist of Fried Chicken and Baked Ham along with side dishes that we are asking members of our congregation to make and contribute. If your specialty is salad, casseroles, desserts, or some other type of food, please bring it to the potluck to share with our guests. However, instead of bringing a side dish, if you would like to give a cash donation for the purchase of the meat, we would be most appreciative of your generosity. This won't be just any gathering. In addition to delicious food, we are planning to include some fun activities, games, entertainment, etc. Janice has been a pillar to our congregation for many years. She is respected, admired and loved. When she moves to the state of Washington to live in the same town and on the same block as her daughter and her daughter's family, we know that she will be exactly where her heart is leading her. She will be in the state of "Happiness!" We are encouraging everyone to come together as a happy and caring congregation. A "sign-up" sheet is available at the welcome center. Hoping for a really good (make that GREAT) turnout!!!!! As soon as you know if you are going to attend this event, we really would like to know so we can get a good idea as to how much meat we should be ready to serve. One more thing: if you would like to help plan the party, we'd welcome you and any clever ideas you might have. If you have any questions, please contact Marjorie Beenders, Gloria Sharp, Kate Kirchhoff, Khane Williams or Deb Curtis. Keep your eyes open. More information will follow as we get closer to the event.

Don't miss the "MOVING AWAY" to NEW YORK Get-together FOR MURRAY SUMNER!!!!! We (Marjorie and Steve) are hosting a very casual going away party/reception for Murray on **Monday, June 29 from 4 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. This is the kind of gathering where you can stop in and say hello, or you can come and enjoy each other's company for a couple of hours. Our home address is 913 Fairmount Blvd. in Jefferson City. We'll be serving snacks, pizza and soft drinks!** Everyone in the congregation is invited to stop in to visit with Murray, wish him well and we'll send our love with him as he experiences a new chapter in his life. Being a member of Our Savior's has been a very important part of Murray's life. He came to us as a teenager and he will be leaving us as a young man. We watched him graduate from high school, cheered him on as he learned to drive and celebrated with him when he got his driver's license. Also, he volunteered with several different church events. He attended Lincoln University while working a couple of different jobs including working in pet stores and the local library. He has a great future ahead of him. Please let me (Marjorie) know if you think you'll be able to join us. 573-353-1115 or marjorie@tbwgroup.net.