



Weekly eNews Announcements

May 31st, 2017

"Our Saviour's Lutheran Church welcomes all to the love of Christ through Worshipping, Learning, and Serving."

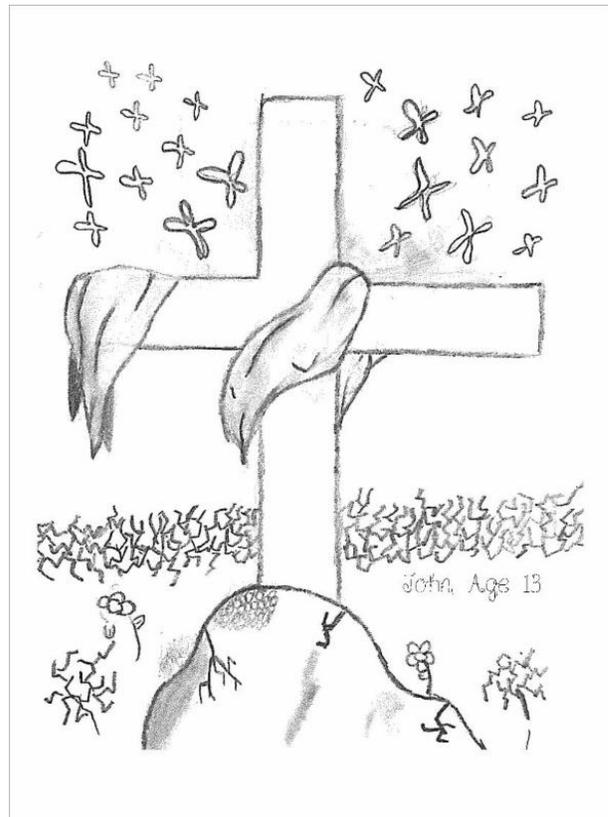
Worship This Week

****NEW WORSHIP TIMES****

Saturday 5:30 pm

**Sunday 9:00 am*
& 10:30 am***

Pentecost

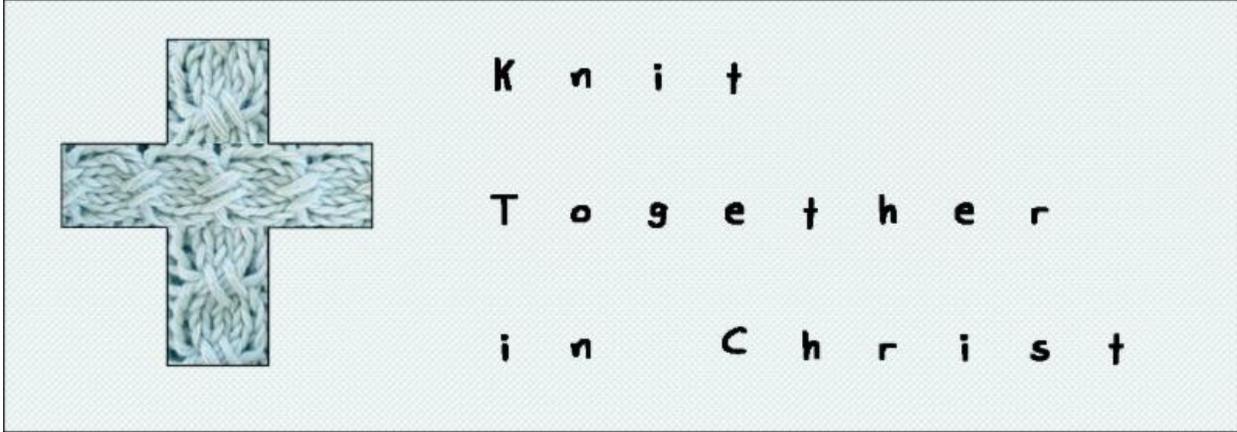


Upcoming Events

WORSHIP ASSISTANT TRAINING

You have the gifts to do this job! Why not join our training and sign up to help? Join us on June 4th at 11:45 am for Worship Assistant Training!

BEING KNIT TOGETHER IN CHRIST



The theme for Pastor Leta's sabbatical is that we are joined and knit together in Christ. In keeping with that theme she is asking that knitters in the congregation participate by knitting squares that will be used as part of the sabbatical experience. The squares can be any size (1" x 1" to 4" x 4"), any color, any pattern. This is an opportunity to use some of the left-over yarn in your closet, and it is a good time to teach your children to knit a simple project. We need 250-300 squares which can be left in the basket outside Pastor Leta's office. There is also yarn on the table to be used in making the squares. If you have questions or need additional yarn, contact Ruth Brown at 484-9445 or billandruthb@comcast.net.

These knit squares will be given out to the congregation on June 19th and we will be asking you to take them with you someplace you go this summer, take a picture of where you are with the square and send the photo to natalie@our-saviours.org to be used in a photo display this summer showing how we are knit together no matter where we go!

JOIN OUR FACEBOOK GROUP:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1349603485105413/>

17TH ANNUAL LOAD-A-TRUCK FOOD DRIVE

June 17 & 18

The Outside Our Walls committee is once again sponsoring a food drive for the Larimer County Food Bank. **Non-perishable items most needed:** Peanut butter, canned meat/fish, canned fruit in fruit juice, whole grain, low sugar cereal, whole grain pasta, brown rice, macaroni and cheese, canned soup (low sodium), beans and lentils, nuts, seeds, and dried fruits.

OOW will be providing grocery bags and lists of non-perishable items for the Food Bank and Kids Café two weeks and one week before the collection weekend.

Monetary donations are always welcome.

\$1= \$5 of food and \$10= 115 pounds of produce.

Checks are to be made payable to OSLC with Food Bank of Larimer County written in the memo line.

Thank you for your continued support for this program.



FOOD DRIVE

CALL FOR SUMMER MUSICIANS

Share your talents during worship this summer!

All instruments, voices and styles of music welcome.

Please let us know which service dates and times (9:00, 10:30 or both) you are available.

June: Sundays: 11, 18, 25

July: Sundays: 2, 16, 23, 30

August: Sundays: 6, 20, 27

September: Sunday Sept 3

Contact Natalie in the church office or Crystal Kerr at crystal@our-saviours.org

SUMMER PICNICS

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WEDNESDAYS, JUNE 7TH, 14TH, 21ST

AUGUST 23RD & 30TH

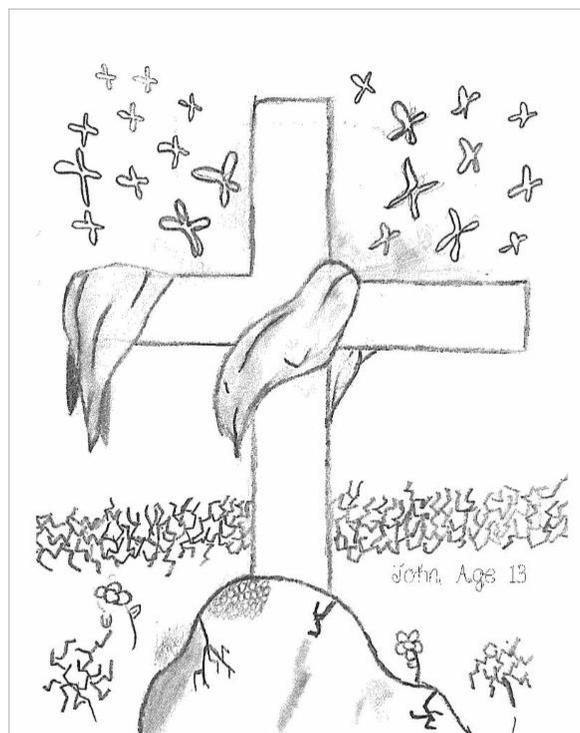
6:00 PM @ OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN



We will provide the burgers & hotdogs, but we ask that you bring a side dish to share.

LEARNING

"Easter People - Easter Promise"
WORSHIP AUDIO



Miss a week? Want to hear again?
Click for the sermon!

Easter People – Easter Promise

[Week 1: April 23rd](#)

[Week 2: April 30th](#)

[Week 3: May 7th](#)

[Week 4: May 14th](#)

[Week 5: May 21st](#)

[Week 6: May 28th](#)

THEOLOGY PUB



THEOLOGY PUB is an opportunity for people to be honest and open about topics of faith, ask any questions, and at the end of the night, know that it's perfectly fine if we disagree with one another.

Join others to enjoy the beverage of your choice every **fourth Thursday, 6:00-7:30pm.**

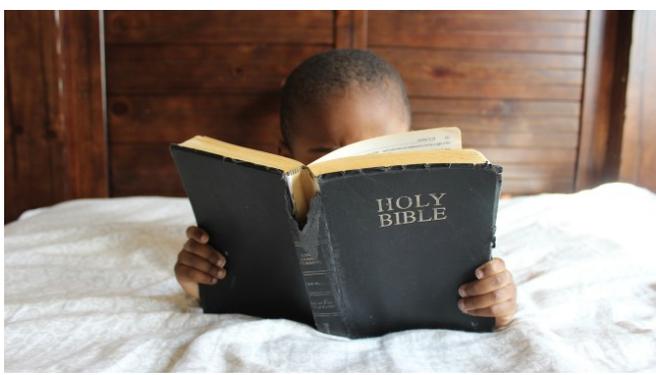
June 22nd at Dungeons & Drafts

BOOK CLUB

Jun 5	A man called Ove by Fredrik Backman	Wanda Knauer & Robin Castor (meet at church)
Jun 19	A man called Ove - Movie Night	McKenzie Place
Jul 3	A Short History of Nearly Everything by Bill Bryson	Naomi Johnson
Aug 7	Commonwealth by Ann Patchett - Fort Collins Reads	
Sep 4	Being Mortal by Atul Gawande	Shelly Carroll
Oct 2	High Tide in Tuscon by Barbara Kingsolver	

CHILDREN & FAMILY

Bible in 52 Weeks



Bible in 52 Weeks
Next Meeting: June 11th

Here is a link to the June home devotions:

[Bible Stories in a Year Faith Formation Journeys](#)

June Home Stories:

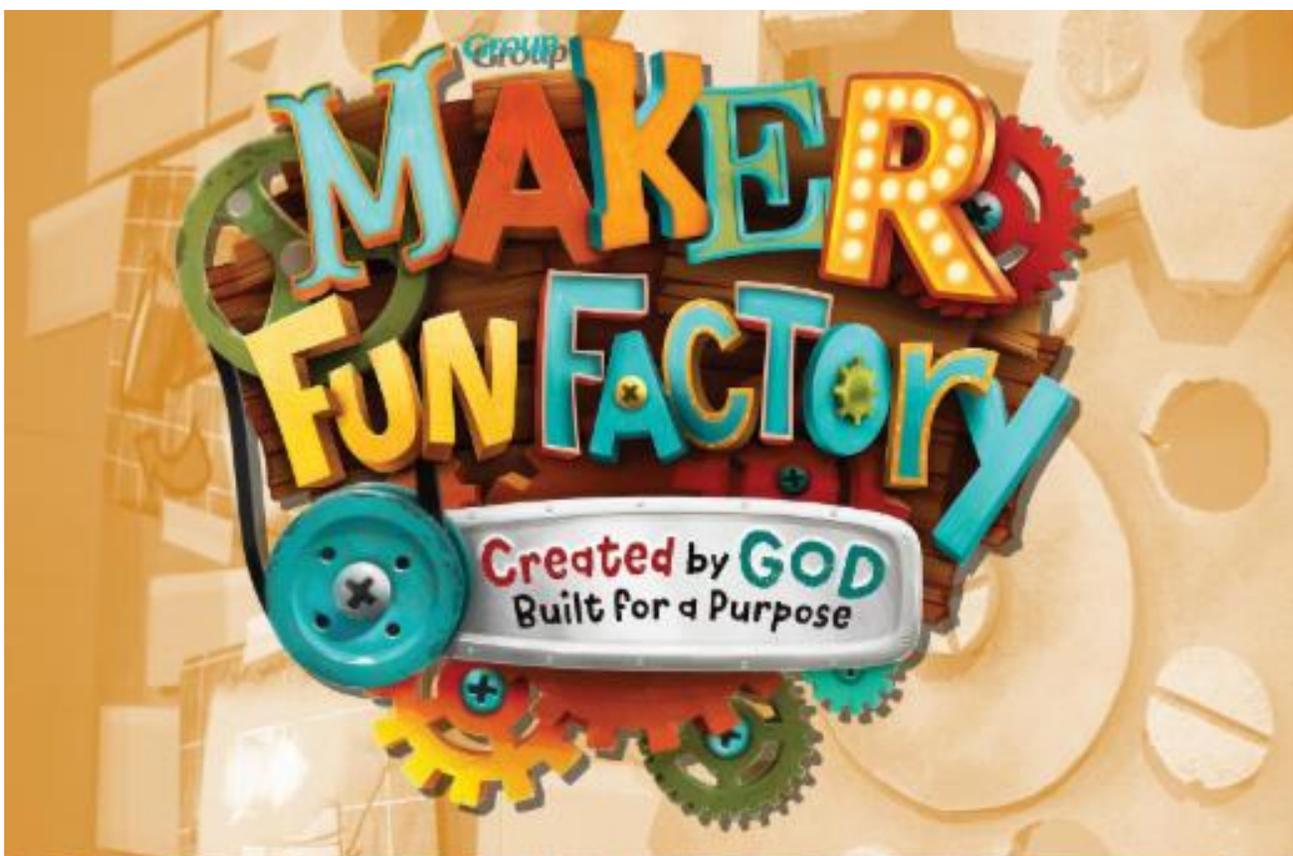
[Story 20](#)~Mary

[Story 21](#)~Elizabeth

[Story 22](#)~Birth of Jesus

[Story 23](#)~Epiphany - Wise Men

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



**Our Saviour's
Lutheran Church**

**2000 S. Lemay Avenue
www.our-saviours.org**

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2017!

Visit our VBS Station in the Narthex to sign up to volunteer, donate, or register.

You can also register or sign up to volunteer online at:

<https://our-saviours.org/2017/02/21/vacation-bible-school-registration-open-2/>

SUMMER CAMPS

Rainbow Trail Confirmation Camp July 16th - July 22nd

Rainbow Trail is a great week of camp! Join one or more of the pastors for the week and experience community, grace, scripture, and more together!

<http://www.rainbowtrail.org/>

Please Sign Up with the Church Office as well.

<https://our-saviours.org/2017/03/07/summer-camp-sign/>



Summerfest - August 4th - 6th

<https://our-saviours.org/2017/02/16/summerfest-august-4-6/>

Sky Ranch (FOCOLU) - August 6th - 11th

Kids registered online before April 15th will receive a \$20 discount!

<http://skyranchcolorado.org/>

Use FOCOLU Group Code: 17FOCOLU (Case Sensitive)

Please Sign Up with the Church Office as well.

<https://our-saviours.org/2017/03/07/summer-camp-sign/>

Sky Ranch (All Ages) - August 6th - 11th

<http://skyranchcolorado.org/>

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YOUTH

FoCoLu EVENTS

TSHIRTS ARE READY! - If you ordered a shirt, please pick it up in the church office from Natalie or Leslie. We do still have some extra styles/sizes available if you want to purchase.

Ecuador Send-Off: Our youth and leaders left for Ecuador on May 30th. Please pray for them as they travel and serve abroad.

The FOCOLU Website will be under renovation this summer. We appreciate your patience.

Upcoming Summer Events:
June 12 - 16 Vacation Bible School
June 14th Outdoor Movie Night at OSLC at 8 pm (or as soon as it's dark)

<http://focolu.org/>



[Like us on Facebook!](#)

SERVICE & GIVING

NEEDED: Gardening Volunteers

Love gardening? We could use your help! We need volunteers to help maintain our beautiful flowers and plants. If interested, please contact the church office at office@our-saviours.org

Kick-off Celebration for FoCoLu Churches and Habitat DATE CHANGE

Sunday, June 18 the FOCOLU churches will celebrate together as we have a ground blessing/wall raising ceremony for the FOCOLU sponsored home in Harmony Cottages, the first home to be built in this neighborhood. There is little parking at the site, so we will shuttle folks to and from the ceremony. Meet at Shepherd of the Hills at (1200 S. Taft Hill Rd) 1:30 pm. The ceremony begins at 2 pm. We will follow up the blessing/wall raising with an ice cream sundae/watermelon social and celebration at Shepherd of the Hills at 3:30 pm. There will be music, activities, fundraising and a meet & greet of the family of this home. If you cannot make it to the 2 pm ceremony, you are still invited to come to the celebration at 3:30 pm. We will also live stream the 2

pm ceremony at Shepherd of the Hills for those that want to watch from the church. This will be an amazing Lutheran celebration you will NOT want to miss!

Questions? Contact Jerry Freier at freierreed@msn.com
or
970-482-6163

OSLC-Habitat Build Dates for 2017

June 10 - FoCoLu Build - 4 OSLC volunteers needed
June 17 - OSLC Build - 16 OSLC volunteers needed
July 8 - FoCoLu Build - 4 OSLC volunteers needed
August 5 - FoCoLu Build - 4 OSLC volunteers needed
September 28 OSLC Build - 16 OSLC volunteers needed

BUILDING UPDATES



Capital Campaign update

May 24th:

Total received: \$335,152.52

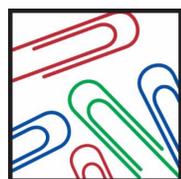
Total pledged: \$1,635,322

Did you know that over 75 members were involved in the design process? Several years ago we created this vision together using an architecture firm to help us through the process.

Detailed information can be found by the campaign sign in the narthex.

OTHER NEWS

OFFICE NEWS



**Office
Hours**

Monday 12 pm - 3:30 pm
Tuesday - Friday
9 am - 3:30 pm

We need your help!

We need volunteers to help with the office during the summer!

Contact the church office at office@our-saviours.org.

There's also a sign-up posted on the office door.



INTRODUCTION TO CENTERING PRAYER WORKSHOP

Presented by: The Rev. Michelle Danson and Anne Skamarock

Learn about the Christian Tradition of Contemplative Prayer.

Learn and practice the method of Centering Prayer

When: Saturday, June 3 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Where: St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1208 W. Elizabeth Street, Fort Collins

Presenters: The Rev. Michelle Danson and Anne Skamarock

Cost: \$25.00

(Please note that scholarships are available on request - contact Rev Lyn at rector@stpauls-fc.org)

Registration: Please call Susan Smith, St. Paul's Parish Administrator, at 970-482-2668 or email her at office@stpauls-fc.org. Send your check to St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 1208 W. Elizabeth Street, Fort Collins 80521 or pay at the door. Please make checks out to St. Paul's with "Centering Prayer" in the memo line.

CONNECTING WITH OUR SYNOD



Rocky Mountain Synod

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

God's work. Our hands.

The weekly Synod newsletter can be found at the following link:

<http://rmselca.org/email-newsletter-archive>

VOLUNTEER TO BE AN OFFERING TELLER!

Come get to know our new Office Administrator, Natalie, while helping out the church at the same time! Volunteers are needed to count offering for Monday mornings at 9:30 am or later (Occasionally Tuesdays with holidays). Haven't done it before? Not a problem! Natalie will guide you through it. It only takes about 30 minutes of your time.

Sign up to volunteer in the church office or online at:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/409094ba8ab2daa8-fall>

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Saturday, June 3 2017	5:30 PM
Usher/Greeter	Hennen Family
Worship Assistant	
Sound Board	
Acolyte	Andrew Hennen
Sunday, June 4 2017	8:30 AM
Greeter	Diana Hutchinson
Ushers	
Worship Assistant	Eva Sue Littleton
Sound Board	
Coffee Host	Rob & Debi Arone
Acolytes	Cara Butler & Brian Hutchinson
	11:00 AM
Usher/Greeter	
Worship Assistant	Laura Burlingame-Lee
Sound Board	
Acolytes	Aidan & Rebecca Burlingame-Lee
Monday, June 5, 2017	9:30 AM
Offering Tellers	Natalie Grapes & TBD

Below are options to volunteer:

1. SIGNUP GENIUS: Click [HERE](#)
2. Our Saviour's Website: Click [HERE](#)
3. Call the office: 970-484-3133

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