



**Our Saviour's**  
LUTHERAN CHURCH

## Weekly eNews Announcements

July 3, 2018

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



Worship This Week



This Weekend: Saturday Worship

5:30pm

Sunday Worship

8:30am

10:30 am

**LISTEN TO THE PAST SERMONS HERE:**

[Fruit of the Spirit: A Fruitful God - May 27](#)

[Fruit of the Spirit : Growing in Love - June 3](#)

[Fruit of the Spirit: Growing in Joy - June 10](#)

[Fruit of the Spirit: Growing in Peace - June 17](#)

[Fruit of the Spirit: Growing in Patience - June 24](#)

[Fruit of the Spirit: Growing in Kindness - July 1](#)

<https://our-saviours.org/sermons/>

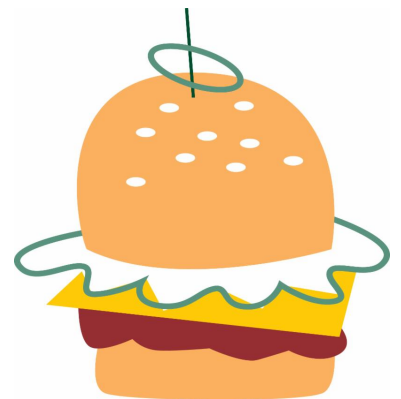
**Upcoming Events**

**KIDS NIGHT IS CANCELLED!**

Look for the next Kid's Night In during late August!

**28th ANNUAL CHANCEL CHOIR BURGER BASH**

**HAMBURGER BASH** Our Saviour's Chancel Choir 28th Annual Hamburger Bash on Sunday, July 8 from 5 p.m. to ??? at the home of Barb and Jim Slattenow, 2700 Chaparral Drive. Bring a dish "if you wish" -Hamburgers, the works, drinks, and table service provided. Give a shout out to Barb if you can or cannot attend at [slattenow@gmail.com](mailto:slattenow@gmail.com) or 223-0441.



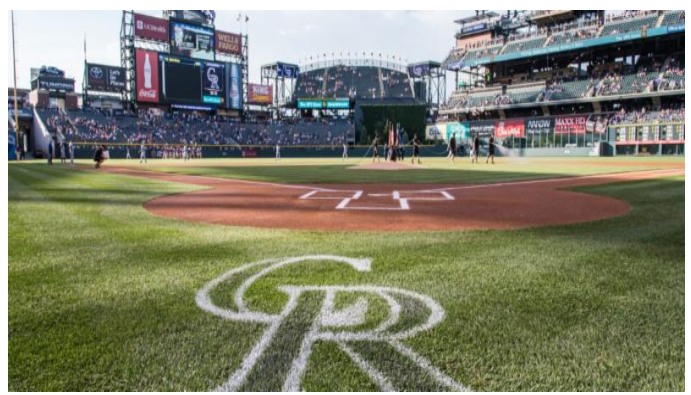
**FOCOLU ROCKIES GAME!**

**Rockies Game!**

Thursday, July 12 @ 11:00am

\$20  
Meet at Spirit of Joy

Sign up here:



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## ICE CREAM SOCIAL



RSVP to  
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or by phone  
9704846033—Marty Larsen  
9702060116—Janice Skinner

Dan & Marty Larsen's House  
2700 Bevan Circle

# ICE *Cream* Social

For Seniors/Retirees

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Sunday, July 15th 3:00 pm

## SUMMERFEST



## TOADALLY KIDS

Family friendly event July 14, 5:30-9:00 at Houska's Garage. Music, drinks, snacks and music by the Blues Dogs. Free event - donations to benefit 4 youth programs for needy families in our school district. Help Coats and Boots, Project Smile dental / vision, Super Hero Underwear and Socks and ChildSafe (support for victims of sexual abuse) serve more local children. 100% goes to these 4 programs. Thanks to Houska's Garage Band Events, Overland Sertoma Club, our sponsors and volunteers!

# TOADally Good Time!



Raising needed funds for four organizations!



Performance by  
The Blues Dogs  
Food, Drinks & Auction

Saturday, July 14  
5:30pm – 9pm

**ChildSafe** – ChildSafe is a local nonprofit that provides therapy for child abuse victims, particularly victims of child sexual abuse. Its mission is to repair the damage caused by sexual abuse, reduce the risk of re-victimization and prevent the cycle of abuse from carrying over into future generations.

**Coats & Boots** – The NORTH Fort Collins Business Association, in conjunction with JAX Outdoor Gear, purchases high-quality coats and boots to distribute to children impacted by poverty in our community. Coats & Boots started with helping 60 kids at one school and now, 10 years later, helps 22 elementary schools and 900 kids.

**Super Hero Underwear** – This program delivers brand new underwear and socks to 12 different groups, including Poudre School District, Respite Care, Salvation Army and Project Self-Sufficiency.

**Project Smile** – This program provides treatment to children who are in need of dental and vision care. More than 6,000 students have received dental screenings and nearly 4,000 have received vision screenings.

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## LEARNING

### WOMEN & JUSTICE

Something to ponder:

***Women make up 51% of the population but only 17% of the national elected leadership and at that rate of election will achieve parity with men in leadership in 500 years***

The ELCA is committed to the full and equitable participation of **all** people in church and society. Yet there is a systemic sin of sexism leading to oppression and marginalization of women in the world. The ELCA is working towards a churchwide policy on this issue and we have an opportunity to be a voice in this movement for understanding and progress.

You are invited to join a special summer session: The Study and Discussion of the Draft Social Statement on Women and Justice; Thursday mornings beginning at 9:30 a.m. Comments on the Social Statement will be gathered and sent on to the ELCA after our session.

July 19, Week 1: **Why do words and images for God matter?**

July 26 , Week 2: **How do we challenge the misuse of Scripture against women and girls?**

August 2, Week 3: **Part 1 of Draft Social Statement Discussion of Convictions 1-19**

August 9, Week 4: **Part 2 of Draft Social Statement Discussion of Convictions 19-36**

**A fall evening session will begin later in August/September-stay tuned!**

## THEOLOGY PUB



**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.

**Next Date: July 23 at Horse and Dragon**

## OSLC BOOK CLUB

All are welcome at the OSLC Book Club. Read some new books, make connections with interesting people, and enjoy lively discussions.

We meet the first Monday of each month, 7-8:30 pm.

If you have a good book to recommend, would like to host a meeting, or have any questions please contact Diana Hutchinson.

### Upcoming Schedule:

Date	Book - Author	Hostess
Aug 6	<i>Kitchens of the Great Midwest</i> J. Ryan Stradal	Naomi Johnson
Sep 3	<i>Eight Flavors: the untold stories of American cuisine</i> by Sarah Lohman (also on Hoopla)	Diana Hutchinson
Oct 1	<i>The ship of brides: a novel</i> by Jojo Moyes	Wanda Knauer & Robin (meet at OSLC)
Nov 5	<i>A Gentleman in Moscow</i> by Amor Towles	Karen Wulff
Dec 3	<i>Notorious RBG: The Life and Times of Ruth Bader</i>	



When Lars Thorvald's wife, Cynthia, falls in love with wine--and a dashing sommelier--he's left to raise their baby, Eva, on his own. He's determined to pass on his love of food to his daughter--starting with puréed pork shoulder. As Eva grows, she finds her solace and salvation in the flavors of her native Minnesota. From Scandinavian lutefisk to hydroponic chocolate habaneros, each ingredient represents one part of Eva's journey as she becomes the star chef behind a legendary and secretive pop-up supper club, culminating in an opulent and emotional feast that's a testament to her spirit and resilience.

Each chapter in J. Ryan Stradal's startlingly original debut tells the story of a single dish and character, at once capturing the zeitgeist of the Midwest, the rise of foodie culture, and delving into the ways food creates community and a sense of identity. By turns quirky, hilarious, and vividly sensory, *Kitchens of the Great Midwest*

is an unexpected mother-daughter story about the bittersweet nature of life--its missed opportunities and its joyful surprises. It marks the entry of a brilliant new talent.

## CHILDREN & FAMILY

## YOUTH

### FoCoLu EVENTS



<http://focolu.org/>



[Like us on Facebook!](#)

For info about our summer events: FOCOLU website, <http://focolu.org/>.



# OSLC CAMPS 2018

## **Rainbow Trail Confirmation Camp** **July 15-21**

Register online at [www.rainbowtrail.org](http://www.rainbowtrail.org)

Cost: \$445.00 OSLC pays \$100 per camper so  
subtract \$100 when paying Rainbow Trail

## **Summerfest Family Camp at Sky Ranch** **August 3-5**

Register online at [www.our-saviours.org](http://www.our-saviours.org)

Cost dependent on lodging choice

## **Sky Ranch Week for 1st grade-8th grade** **August 5-10**

Register online at [www.skyranchcolorado.org](http://www.skyranchcolorado.org) with  
code 180SLCFC

Cost: \$200 for half week Round-Up, \$400 for full  
week OSLC pays \$50 for half week and \$100 for full  
week which will show up when you register.

Sky Ranch offers further discount when you register by  
April 15th!

Partial and full Scholarships are available by  
contacting Pastor Leta or Pastor Michael

**SERVICE & GIVING**

**HOMEWARD ALLIANCE HELP NEEDED**

Homeward Alliance (formerly Homeless Gear) is looking for somebody to work in the food pantry at the Murphy Center on Fridays from 9:30 to noon. If anyone is interested, please contact [Sam@HomewardAlliance.org](mailto:Sam@HomewardAlliance.org), or Carol Bisbee at [cjtraveler@msn.com](mailto:cjtraveler@msn.com) or 229-1520



## FOOD DRIVE

### Annual Food Drive for Food Bank of Larimer County

Outside Our Walls annual Food Drive for the Food Bank of Larimer County will be the weekend of **July 14/15**.

Hunger in Larimer County often goes unnoticed. We live in a great

community, so it's easy to overlook hunger when it doesn't touch you or someone you love. That's because hunger hides behind closed doors. It lives in the home of a single mother who skips dinner to make sure her children have enough to eat. It lives in the apartment of the grandfather who has to choose between a meal and taking his medicine. It lives in the bedroom of a young child who has to make it all night without food until the next school day when she knows she will be fed.



**14% Larimer County residents live at or below the Federal Poverty guideline.**

**40,200 Larimer County residents are food insecure.**

**8.4% of seniors are food insecure.**

**30.8% of single mothers live in poverty.**

**33% of school-aged children in Larimer County receive free or reduced meals.**

**Please Donate These Nutritious  
Non-Perishable Foods:**

- \* Peanut Butter (non-hydrogenated oil)
  - \* Whole Grain Pasta
  - \* Brown Rice
  - \* Canned Tuna & Chicken in Water
  - \* Whole Grain Oats & Cereal (Low Sugar)
  - \* Canned Fruits (In Juice)
  - \* Canned Soup (Low Sodium)
  - \* Beans & Lentils
  - \* Nuts, Seeds & Dried Fruits
- No glass containers please. Thank you.

**If you wish to donate money, please know that \$1=\$5 worth of food. When writing your check, please make it out to OSLC with Food Bank of Larimer County in the memo line.**

### **FAITH FAMILY HOSPITALITY**

If you volunteer with FFH and have not yet completed a training, or if you would just like to learn more, our next training will be held July 8 from 1-2:30 at Christ United Methodist Church and July 9 from 7-8:30 pm, location TBA.

Plymouth and Heart of the Rockies will be hosting the week of July 8 and are looking for some help. Their signup genius link is <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e084daca929a4fd0-ffhatplymouth7>.

The FFH Sherwood Transitional House is getting ready to begin construction in hopes of housing families that need a little more time to secure permanent housing. Tours of this wonderful community project are being given by executive director, Annette Zacharias, on Tuesdays from 2-4 pm at 321 Sherwood near Old Town.

Please call Jodi Loecke, (970)371-5345 if you have any questions.

### **ONE VILLAGE ONE FAMILY GIFTING**

Our gifting program has provided kitchen items for **11 families in 2018.**

Thank you to everyone who has donated items to keep our supply closets stocked.

**Our current need is for  
medium size plastic cutting sheets/boards**  
*No wooden boards, please*



*(Want to help, but don't like to shop? Donations gladly accepted in the office.)*

**NEWS FROM KISS -- KENDRA INSPIRING SENIORS TO SING**

I wanted to connect with you and let you know that I am missing all of you and the beautiful music we make together for the seniors.

We have added a new facility. Sugar Valley Estates in Loveland would love us to visit. It is an independent living facility. I am also rethinking a couple facilities that might need something other than an interactive program. I am still trying to figure out if I can meet skilled care needs in a different way. If you have any ideas or thoughts about this, please send them my way. Even if we make a difference for one person during a program, it is worth it; however, I also need to balance music with other interests.

Please let me know if you would like to volunteer for any programs in July. I sure could use help with our bigger venues like Columbine Commons, Collinwood, and Lemay Rehab. Any help is very appreciated and your love for the seniors makes the programs even more beneficial for them. They love seeing you and ask about you when you are not with me. They get tired of my babbling. :)

Thank you so much for your support. I truly believe we are making a difference.

Love to you all,

Kendra

## July Program Schedule

Tuesday, July 3 - Stepping Stones Adult Day Program - Loveland - 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 10 - Columbine Commons - Windsor - 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 11 - Windsong Memory Care - Fort Collins - 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 11 - MacKenzie Place Memory Care - Fort Collins - 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 12 - Sugar Valley Estates - Loveland - 2 p.m.

Friday, July 13 - Good Samaritan Independent - Loveland 9:15 a.m.

Friday, July 13 - Good Samaritan Assisted - Loveland 10:30 a.m.

Tuesday, July 17 - Peaks Care Center - Longmont - 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 18 - Lemay Rehab - Fort Collins - 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 18 - Brookdale Memory Care - Fort Collins - 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 19 - Brookdale Marianna Buttes - Loveland - 10:30 a.m.

Thursday, July 19 - Collinwood - Fort Collins - 2:30 pm.

Friday, July 20 - Parkwood Estates - Fort Collins - 2 p.m.

Tuesday, July 24 - Brookdale Assisted Living - 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 25 - The Suites - Fort Collins - 2:30 p.m.

Friday, July 27 - Meadow View - Greeley - 2 p.m.

Wednesday, August 1 - Stepping Stones Adult Day Program - Loveland - 2 p.m.

**BUILDING UPDATES**



## Capital Campaign Update

Total received as of June 11: \$1,166,234.74

Total pledged over three years: \$1,635,322

## Building Program Headline News

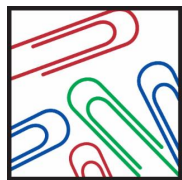
See more information at <https://our-saviours.org/buildingprogram/>

The second phase of construction is well under way to expand the narthex and nursery, build a new music room with storage, and expand and remodel the main bathrooms. During this phase, the narthex is inaccessible, and the Fellowship Hall, kitchen, classrooms and offices are connected to the Sanctuary only by an outside route. The window at the back of the Sanctuary provides a view into the internal construction and remodeling area, and the building expansion is visible from Lemay.

Building renovation and expansion will continue for most of this year. For your safety, please abide by ALL posted signs and instructions.

## OTHER NEWS

### OFFICE NEWS



## Office Hours

**Monday**

**1:00 pm - 4:00 pm**

**Tuesday - Friday**

**9:00 am - 4:00 pm**

**The Office will be closed**

**Wednesday, July 4th**

**Thursday, July 12th**

## RESERVED PARKING



**See a Reserved Parking Spot? These are saved for those that need a shorter walking distance with easy access to the sidewalk.**

## 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>

## WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

<b>Saturday, July 7, 2018</b>	<b>5:30 PM</b>
<b>Greeters/Usher</b>	
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Erik Thompson
<b>Sound System</b>	
<b>Acolyte</b>	Gabe Stadtmueller
<b>Sunday, July 8, 2018</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>
<b>Greeters</b>	
<b>Ushers</b>	
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	
<b>Sound System</b>	

<b>Acolytes</b>	Katie Perschau & Josh Hennen
<b>Coffee Host</b>	Lisa Olsen
<b>Sunday, July 8, 2018</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>
<b>Greeters/Usher</b>	
<b>Worship Assistant</b>	Mike Hoover
<b>Sound System</b>	
<b>Acolytes</b>	Rhianna Bertram & Katie Brown
<b>Monday, July 9, 2018</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>
<b>Offering Tellers</b>	Linda Bury

Below are options to volunteer:

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



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