



# Our Saviour's LUTHERAN CHURCH

March 10, 2020

## WEEKLY eNEWS ANNOUNCEMENTS

### WEEKEND WORSHIP

*SATURDAY 5:30 PM*

*SUNDAY 8:30 AM & 10:30 AM*

*NO Children/Youth Sunday School*

*Adult Education 9:30 AM:*

*"A Dialogue on Race"*

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Devotional

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### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9 am - 2 pm

Tuesday - Thursday 9 am - 4 pm

Friday 9 am - 12 pm

Natalie will be out of the office March 15th - 21st. Please get in anything you need for announcements for that week by March 11th.

The online directory has been updated and includes photos! Check it out via your OnRealm account on a computer or on your phone! If you need to register:

<https://onrealm.org/OurSaviours/Account/Register>

Printed copies of the new family picture directory will be out in March.

## WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Worship volunteers help make worship services meaningful for all!  
Thank you for your gracious shared gifts!

**VOLUNTEERS WE NEED FOR THIS WEEKEND:**

5:30 pm: Ushers/Greeters  
8:30 am: Ushers/Greeters, Worship Assistant  
10:30 am: Ushers/Greeters, Worship Assistant

[Sign up to Volunteer  
Here](#)

## THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

[Wednesday Lent  
Devotion](#)

Click on the button to see the weekly Wednesday Devotional for you to discuss in small groups!

### Response to COVID-19 at OSLC

We want to assure you that we have a team of members in the medical profession working on our protocols and procedures. We will have a website link with information in the coming days. We will make some changes to a few logistics of how we worship and be cleaning main surfaces in between services in addition to the regular cleaning. For now here are some things to keep in mind:

- Stay home from church when you are sick. God will understand and your fellow parishioners will appreciate it.
- Important to frequently wash your hands. Soap & water for 20 seconds or an alcohol based hand cleaner are recommended.
- Cover your mouth and nose when coughing & sneezing. Try using the crook of your elbow or your shoulder for cover instead of your hands.
- Throw away tissues right away after they have been used to cover your cough or blow your nose. Then wash your hands.
- Keep your distance. Persons within a 6 foot radius are considered having a moderate risk for exposure to a sick individual. You can "pass the peace" with a peace sign or elbow bump just as well as a handshake or hug!

### NO YOGA THE WEEK OF MARCH 15th!

**Daytime Connections Senior Breakfast Thursday March 12th at 8:30 am.** Guest presenter David Neils. Breakfast burritos will be provided, but we would love if you bring a side to share. RSVP to the church office.

## WEDNESDAYS IN LENT - My Soul Magnifies the Lord

As Mary saw the gift of grace that came to her so we too can see how God is working in our lives. Hear the stories of the people of God from this church.

Leslie Means  
Ted Swanson  
Brian Nugent  
Tina Stegall

Worship at 6:30 pm

**Change in Music Rehearsals:**

4:30 pm - Handbell Choir  
5:10 pm - Cherub Choir  
5:30 pm - Windstrings  
5:40 pm - Alleluia Choir  
7:00 pm - Chancel Choir

**Soup Suppers** Wednesdays throughout Lent until April 1st. Sign-up sheets are on the Outside Our Walls table. Please sign up to bring soup, bread, mac and cheese or to help set up and help serve. Suppers will be from 5:15-6:20 pm with the Lenten service starting at 6:30 pm.



Please join us after the Saturday 5:30 evening service on March 14, to celebrate **Lea Bowne's 98th birthday!** If you are unable to attend, please consider sending a card to her to celebrate her special day. Lea has been a member at OSLC since 1977.

“Dialogue on Race” is the next **Adult Forum Series** presented by OSLC Faith & Justice Team during Lent this year. The series begins this Sunday, March 15, 9:45 a.m. in the East Meeting Room. Each session will begin with a 10-minute video that will set the stage for the discussion that follows. A participant book (\$10 suggested donation) is available but not required. This ELCA resource includes 7 chapters that will be covered over 6 weeks. (concluding the three weeks after Easter).

March 15: “What Does It Mean to Be White” – Leader, Melanie Reed

March 22: “The Bible and Race in America” – Leader, Sharon Petersen

March 29: “Say It Loud: I’m Black & I’m Proud” – Leaders, Chris Marston & John Bisbee

**Craft with us!** Happy St. Patrick's Day! It is time for our monthly crafting get together on March 16, at 6:00 pm in 5W. We can

bring our bleach wipes to clean for any germs!

Bring along whatever craft project you want to work on like scrapbooking, knitting, reading, stamping, etc. Stay for an hour or all evening – everyone is welcome as it works with your schedule. We will continue to use the north door (by old playground) for access.

We will meet on the 3rd Monday of each month-join us anytime!

**FOCOLU-Habitat Volunteers Needed** on Saturday, March 14. Five volunteers from OSLC are needed to join other FOCOLU-Habitat volunteers to work on 5 houses currently under construction at Harmony Cottages. Work will involve caulking, painting, and nailing – no special skills are needed, and all tools will be provided. Excellent weather has been requested and a delicious lunch will be served by culinary experts from Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church. If you are available and would like to volunteer, please contact Jerry Freier at [freierreed@msn.com](mailto:freierreed@msn.com) or 970-482-6163.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Easter Breakfast Sign-Up

In addition to the Cinnamon Rolls that you can order from the Ecuador Trip Youth, we would like to offer Coffee Cake, Fruit, etc. on Easter Morning with our coffee & tea. If you would be willing to make a donation please follow this link to sign up

(<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050944A4A62DA3FC1-easter>) or sign up in the Narthex.

### Theology Pub

This month on March 26th, we will meet at CB & Potts (Foothills Mall, 195 #. Foothills Parkway) at 6:00 pm. Topic will be Sexuality and the Church.



**OSLC Camps!** It's time to save the dates and register! This is a one stop spot for Rainbow Trail (July 12-18), Sky Ranch (August 2nd-7th), and Summerfest at Sky Ranch July 31-Aug 2! Click here to register!

<https://our-saviours.org/summer/camps/>

Click the link above to find out more information on our upcoming events

Click the link below for info about our faith and justice team and current advocacy projects!

Click the link below for information on upcoming women's ministry events including a NEW circle group!

ADVOCACY

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

## OSLC KIDS

**Children Give!** Your pennies, nickels, dimes and dollars in the offering can do make a difference! In Advent 2019 you gave \$664 to the Global Barnyard! In Epiphany 2020 you gave \$112 plus two boxes of books! Now for Lent you are invited to support Sproutin' Up!



This is a wonderful organization right here in Fort Collins that resources children and teens through farming and job skills training. Here is a link to their website with more information!

<https://www.sproutinup.com/> Find some chores to do at home or for neighbors to earn pennies or give from your gifts or allowance. You can also go to this website and find ways to participate and volunteer!

Kids @  
OSLC

## MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL

### Youth Bulletin Board

Do you have a band concert, sporting event, or drama production coming up? We'd love to come support you! Fill out one of the event cards and pin it to the bulletin board so your church family can come cheer you on! Email Intern Pr. Jon ([jonfry@our-saviours.org](mailto:jonfry@our-saviours.org)) with any questions!

Click the buttons below to view Middle School or High School events!

Middle  
School

High  
School

## SERVICE & GIVING

All Current Serving/Giving  
Opportunities

Click the link above for info on all current serving/giving opportunities.

**2020 UNDERWEAR DRIVE NEW** Men's briefs and boxers and women's bikinis and briefs (all sizes) are needed to distribute at the Project Homeless Connect Friday, April 10th. Please bring your donations to the Outside Our Walls basket that says UNDERWEAR by April 8th. Underwear is not just about hygiene and comfort; it also promotes dignity and self-esteem. Thank you for your continued support.

### OUR NEXT FFH DATES: MARCH 29 - APRIL 4

Our next Faith Family Hospitality hosting week is March 29 - April 5. What better way to follow Jesus than to serve those in need the week before Holy Week! We are looking for volunteers for overnight hosts, evening hosts, meal hosts, set-up/tear-down help, laundry help, grocery shoppers, and cleaning help. Please use the following Sign Up Genius link if you are interested in helping out: <https://tinyurl.com/oslcffh-spring2020>

Before our next hosting week, we have a FFH volunteer training. It will be on Sunday, March 15, from 1-2:30 pm at Foothills Unitarian Church, and Monday, March 16, from 7:00-8:30 pm in the library of St. Luke's Church. Please put this on your calendar and plan to attend, especially if you have not attended a training in the past 2 years. The training serves to give volunteers an understanding of how the FFH Overnight Shelter program operates, what the rules are for guests and volunteers, along with helpful tips on how to interact with guests. Please invite anyone who is interested in serving with FFH to the training!

We would like to invite anyone interested in coordinating with a team of established coordinators, in any capacity, short or long term, to reach out to Angie Asmus (970)646-2134 or Jodi Loecke (970)371-5345. We would love to give you more information or have you join our team.

Find ways to volunteer, updates, and FFH announcements:

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