

Our Saviour's Messenger

November 2011

FROM
THE
PASTOR



"O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever."

1 Chronicles 16:34

November brings thoughts of thanksgiving as the harvest is brought in and time is set aside for our national Thanksgiving Day. This is a time to reflect on the blessings of life and to give thanks to God for God's gracious providing for our "daily bread" in all its forms, great and small.

King David of ancient Israel could not help but express his gratitude to God for God's many mercies. Israel had defeated its enemy, the Philistines; King David brought the Ark of the Covenant to Jerusalem which would become the center of government and worship for God's people. The Ark of the Covenant, that sacred box containing the stone tablets of the ten commandments given to Moses, was a sign of God's presence with Israel in their wandering through the wilderness and then into battle for the Promised Land. God was present to help and to bless! The road was not easy; there were too many times when the people failed God; but, God remained faithful.

David, the musician king, sang praise to God for his many mercies and his gracious care: "O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever." These words would be repeated in a number of the Psalms by King David. These words are ones that you may be familiar with.

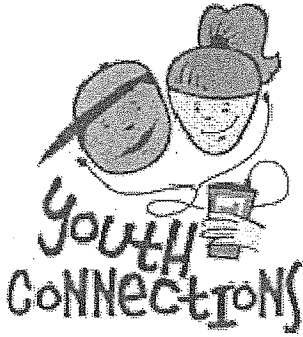
Yet, do you find that it is easy to accept the blessings of life and fail to give the Giver thanks? It might not be that we are ungrateful; more likely it might be that we are distracted by the "stuff" of life. Or, perhaps we take our blessings for granted and thereby fail to acknowledge the One who is the source of all blessings. In failing to give thanks to God, it is easy to forget God and end up living life on our own terms, apart from God.

A provocative question passed along by someone recently asked: "What if you woke up this morning and had only the things you thanked God for yesterday?" Would your life be far less than it was the day before? Like children in the excitement of opening a gift, it is easy for us all to forget the giver. Yet, in thanking the giver we are doubly blessed, both in receiving the gift and recognizing the goodness of another to us. As we approach this season of Thanksgiving, and each day, it would be well for us to step back and give thanks to the One who has given us life, and all that we need in this life. And in our fallen estate has God has given us new life through our Lord Jesus Christ that we might be a people of hope and gratitude – even in our failings and struggles.

With this "attitude of gratitude" I would like to say thank you to all of you for your many kindnesses and acts of support for me as your pastor. Also, I extend a special thank you to all of you who gave cards and gifts to me this past month for "Pastor Appreciation." Thank you to all of you for the many ways you are God's hands and feet in sharing the grace of God as the Body of Christ at Our Saviour's.

Your fellow servant – *Pastor Jeff*

BLESSINGS
FROM
GOD



“You never saw him, yet you love him. You still don't see him, yet you trust him— with laughter and singing. Because you kept on believing, you'll get what you're looking forward to: total salvation.”

-1 Peter 1:8-9 (The Message//Remix 2.0)

Greetings!

It definitely feels like Fall is rushing in this year and the picturesque colored trees have been stripped of their leaves in a hurry.

To start off, the youth and I would like to thank Jon Markusen and his family for donating a television for the youth room to replace the old one. It's much nicer to watch videos and play games on a television where the color isn't fading or turning strange colors. We are still in need of a DVD player with a remote and an assortment of board games and other fun objects to keep in there. We could also use a larger CD player/stereo to replace the current one that no longer reads regular or burned CD's. The youth would appreciate anything! The youth room has become a sort of youth center for youth of the community to come in and hang out after school from 3:30pm-5:00pm, Monday-Friday. There's usually about 4-8 students coming by every day and staying for the whole time.

We are still accepting names of people who could use help within the community for our service fundraisers, so if you know of someone that could use help raking leaves, shoveling snow, getting groceries, anything...please feel free to stop by the Youth Director's office and talk with me!

Also, if anyone has been holding on to the “Yes, I Will...” bulletin inserts from a few Sundays ago and hasn't turned them in to the offering plates or the Youth Office, you're still able to do so. It's a great way to connect with the youth through prayer and requires as little as signing the piece of paper and praying or if you feel led, to as much as mentoring a youth. The choice is yours!

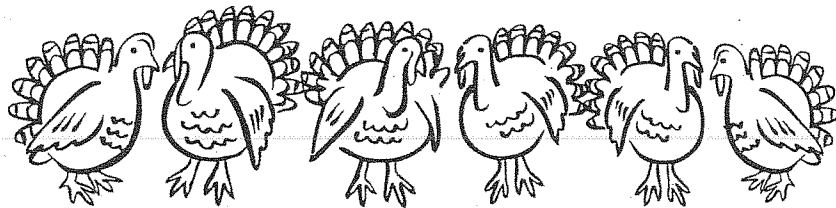
Starting this month will be a new youth group geared for youth in grades 4-6. Depending on how it's received, it will meet on either a bi-weekly or monthly basis on Sundays at 2:00 pm in the Youth Room of Our Saviour's. It will be a fun time with snacks, worship, a message, and lots of games!

As always, the youth and I are looking for any adult willing to volunteer and help with youth activities! Ministry is always better when there are more people and it's a great opportunity to connect with the youth of the community!

Well, that's all for now! Thanks for reading and I pray that you all have a blessed November and beginning of the Holiday Season! Thank you for the love and support you continue to show the youth of the church!

Blessings,

Tynan Nelson
Youth Director
(701) 331-4047



Have a Blessed & Happy Thanksgiving!

ACOLYTE SCHEDULE

Nov. 6	Austin Moe & Audrey Beck
Nov. 13	Daniel Onstad & Joey Mongeon
Nov. 20	Noah Skavhaug & Nick Holcomb
Nov. 27	Claire Welch & Alexis Holcomb

WEDNESDAY PARENT HELPER

(4:30 – 5:30 pm)

November 2	Parents of Gavin Gillespie
November 9	NO Worship Wednesday
November 16	Parents of Ian Helgeson
November 23	NO Worship Wednesday
November 30	Parents of Zachary Hell



'Noisy Offering' Sunday.

Our offering totaled \$104.22.
Thank You for your help to
the mission work in the
Central African Republic.

Our next 'noisy' offering will be on
November 20th.

PARK RIVER BIBLE CAMP

24th Annual Quilt Auction @ PRBC

Saturday, November 5, 2011

10:00 am ~ Quilt Viewing
10:30 am - 12:00 pm ~ Soup & Sandwich Buffet
12:30 pm ~ Auction starts

November 11-13 ~ "Deer Hunter Widows"

Quilt Retreat

Cost: \$95.00

November 18-20 ~ Scrapbook/Stamping Retreat

November 22 ~ "Community Thanksgiving
Service" @ 7:00 pm ~ sponsored by The Western
Walsh County Ministerium

Baptisms



Brune Squire Kjelland, son of Aaron
& Becca Kjelland, was baptized on
Sunday, October 2, 2011 at Our
Saviour's. His sponsors were Don &
Kim Olsen and Vance & Karen
Anderson. He joins brothers Jonas,
Sander & Torfinn.

Welcome to
Our Family

May God Bless Brune as he grows in the faith!

"A child of God should be a visible beatitude,
for joy and happiness, and a living doxology,
for gratitude and admiration."

--- Charles H. Spurgeon

SUNDAY SCHOOL

This month we will have a 'Service Sunday' on
November 13th. On each 'Service Sunday',
students will be involved with a community
service activity during the regular Sunday School
time. Students may be transported to another
location for the activity. We would like to
encourage parents to attend and participate too!

There will be NO Sunday School on November
27th due the holiday.

Board of Education ~

Mary Martin – 284-6884

Judy Troftgruben – 284-6428

Mandy Hagen – 229-3223

Shannon Markusen – 284-7329

Susan Degner – 284-7482

"Education is an investment, not a cost." --- Eddie Basha

Operation Christmas Child

Pack your shoe box with love, send it with prayer,
and share the good news of Jesus Christ with a
hurting child. That's the power of a simple gift.

Franklin Graham

President, Samaritan's Purse

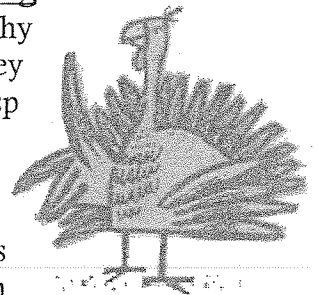
Operation Christmas Child brings joy and hope to
children in desperate situations worldwide through
simple, gift-filled shoe boxes and evangelistic
materials that tell the Good News of God's love.

Pick up a box today and return it by Nov. 13th.

We are looking for someone who would be
willing to deliver the shoe boxes to Grand Forks
during the latter part of the week of Nov. 14th. If
you could help with this, please call the church
office @ 284-6197. Thank You!

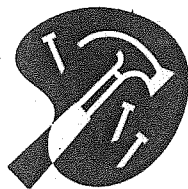
Happy Thanksgiving

"I have never understood why
anyone would roast the turkey
and shuck the clams and crisp
the croutons and shell the
peas and candy the sweet
potatoes and compute the
cranberries and bake the pies
and clear the table and wash
the dishes and fall into bed exhausted when they
could just as easily sit back and enjoy a hamburger
or a pork sandwich."



—The Turkey

Bldg/Grounds Update



- D&D Roofing has completed the re-roofing project on the 1989 Addition and so far there are no new leaks.
- The Nursery has been sheet rocked & will hopefully be ready for use in the near future. If you are interested in painting the new walls & ceiling, please contact Linda in the office.
- We have contacted someone to complete the dirt work around the outside of the church near the kitchen and are hopeful that this will be done by freeze up.

We would like to "Thank" everyone who took the time to mow the lawn this past summer. Your help was greatly appreciated!

We would also like to "Thank" everyone for their donations and continued financial support. The much-needed repairs to our church building would not be feasible without you.

As we have said in previous letters, there are still many projects that need to be done in & around the building. If you are interested in donating your time or possibly being compensated for completing projects around the church, please contact one of the Building & Grounds Committee members.

Thank You,
Justin Loftsgard, Eugene Bossert,
Mike Otto, Dwight Byron
OSLC Building & Grounds Comm.

Just A Note



Please let the
office know
when you are

leaving, so your newsletter can be
forwarded. Thank You! ☺

Enjoy your winter months in a warmer
climate.

Five Kernels

The Plymouth Pilgrims celebrated the first Thanksgiving Day in fall 1621, but by the next May, their food supply was depleted. The harvest of 1622 was a failure, and the Pilgrims often lived for days on just a few kernels of corn.

Amid a drought in 1623, the people sought divine intervention. After praying for nine hours on a hot July day, they were blessed with a two-week rainfall. Edward Winslow wrote, "It was hard to say whether our withered corn or drooping affections were most quickened and revived." The Pilgrims never went hungry again.

Start a Thanksgiving tradition by placing five kernels of corn at each place setting. Point out a blessing that each kernel represents. For example:

1. God loves us.
2. God provides for all our needs.
3. God gives us friends, just as the Indians befriended the Pilgrims.
4. God hears and answers our prayers.
5. God is preparing a place for us in heaven.

Then have family
members share
five things for
which they're
grateful.

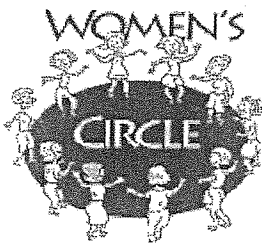


The Bible According to Kids

Children say the funniest things about Scripture. Here are a few examples:

- "In the first book of the Bible, God got tired of creating the world, so he took the Sabbath off."
- "Moses led the Hebrews to the Red Sea, where they made unleavened bread which is bread without any ingredients."
- "The Egyptians were all drowned in the dessert. Afterward, Moses went up on Mount Cyanide to get the Ten Amendments."
- "The greatest miracle in the Bible is when Joshua told his son to stand still and he obeyed him."
- "When Mary heard that she was the mother of Jesus, she sang the Magna Carta."

Our Saviour's



MARTHA CIRCLE

OCTOBER HOSTESS: Margaret Gutterud
BIBLE STUDY: Iva Johnson
PRESENT: 7 members
BUSINESS: Reminders of – Quilting on October 17 & 18; Soup & Sandwich on October 20; A report was given by Marsha on the knitting/crocheting group (things they have been making and where they have been sent).
NOVEMBER HOSTESS: Phyllis Loftsgard
BIBLE STUDY: Marsha Johnson

RUTH CIRCLE

OCTOBER HOSTESS: Met @ Good Sam w/Evelyn Flaten
BIBLE STUDY: Attended Bible
Study led by Pastor Jeff
PRESENT: 7 members
BUSINESS: A get-well card was signed by all; our Harvest offerings are due; Quilting will be held on Oct. 17 & 18; Soup & Sandwich Luncheon & Craft Sale on Oct. 20; election of officers will be conducted next month.
NOVEMBER HOSTESS: Meet @ Good Sam w/Margaret Winther
BIBLE STUDY: Attend Pastor Jeff's Leaders Meeting on Nov. 22 @ 5:00 pm

LYDIA CIRCLE

OCTOBER HOSTESS: Lorie Clemetson
BIBLE STUDY: Patsy Helland
PRESENT: 10 members
BUSINESS: Reminders of – Harvest Offering, Bible Study starting on Sundays or Mondays, WELCA, Soup & Sandwich Day; talked about the December Christmas Program.
NOVEMBER HOSTESS: Meet @ Church w/Susan Phelps
BIBLE STUDY: Kay Alkofer



Soup & Sandwich Day

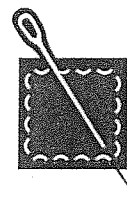
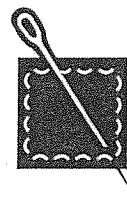
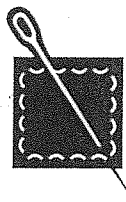
Proceeds going to local & world missions

Another Successful Year...

Thank you to everyone who helped out with Our Saviour's Lutheran Church Annual Soup & Sandwich Luncheon and Bazaar. Also, to everyone who donated items for the bazaar, they were greatly appreciated. Not enough can be said for the time and effort of our women (and men) in the kitchen before and during this event. Thank you to all who faithfully help out each and every year. This event couldn't happen with- out you!!

We would like to encourage anyone who hasn't been a part of this in the past to join us next year.

Blessings!



WELCA will be quilting on November 14th and 15th @ 9:00 am. Bring a sack lunch and enjoy the day. Our November WELCA meeting will be on Tuesday, November 15th at 6:00 p.m. with a potluck & movie. Everyone is welcome!

Ladies if you would like to join or change to a different Circle, please call the church office @ 284-6197, ASAP.

Women's Christmas Party

Monday, December 5, 2011 @ 6:00 p.m.

The evening will include supper, a program and a \$5.00 gift exchange. Ladies, please plan to attend and bring friends from our church and/or from the community for a night of fun and fellowship.

If possible, we would appreciate a call to the church office @ 284-6197 with the number planning to attend, to help in determining how much food to make. However, is you decide at the last minute that you would like to attend, just come. We would love to see you there!

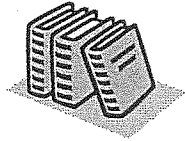
LIBRARY NEWS

The Library committee met on October 10th. Several books, donated by Lois Winther, were cataloged. We were also happy to receive a book entitled Luke's Story by Tim LaHaye and Jerry Jenkins. This book is by the authors of the Left Behind series. In Luke's Story, we learn about his rise from a Greek slave to an educated physician. This book tells about his conversion from Saul to Paul and how he pledges himself to serving Christ.

A Bible Trivia game was donated to the library. We have several games for all age groups in the library.

With school starting and the cooler weather, reading may become more popular with everyone. We try to keep our selection of books and videos interesting for all ages. Stop in the library or contact Mavis or myself to help you find the right reading material for you.

OSLC Library Committee
Phyllis Loftsgard &
Mavis Nelson



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A **Mission/Harvest Festival** will be held during Sunday worship, **November 13 at 10 a.m.**

Pastor Chad Bruchlacher, campus pastor at Christus Rex (Lutheran Campus Ministry) at UND, Grand Forks, will be our guest speaker. As part of his presentation he will show slides on his recent trip to visit our missionaries in the Central African Republic. We have supported mission work in the CAR, as our Companion Synod with our Eastern ND Synod; this has been done through our monthly "Noisy Offering" as well as through our "Extra Mile for Mission" emphasis. We hope for a good turn out that day to celebrate the work we do together in that poor nation, and to see how we are working together in mission to make a difference.

### Harvest Sunday Potluck Dinner Sunday, November 13<sup>th</sup>

Our Worship Service will center on thankfulness for God's provision for us. We will have a potluck dinner following worship. Come and join the fellowship!

If your last name begins with:

- A – F Bars or Cookies
- G – O Hot Dish
- P – Z Salad & Buns

## WELCA NOTES

Our Saviour's WELCA members were busy quilting on October 17 and 18 and the regular monthly WELCA meeting was held on Tuesday, October 18 at 7:30 p.m. Callie Hurtt, a recent UND Pre-Med graduate, told about her mission trip to Nicaragua last March. We enjoyed her pictures and stories about what she had done there. Callie is the daughter of Tom and Carla Hurtt of Hoople, and the granddaughter of Art Flaten. Callie will be leaving on a 5 week mission trip to Ghana in mid November and is very willing to tell us about it when she returns. We will keep her in our prayers.

It was reported that meals for the Laura Munoz family are being delivered three evenings a week. If you are interested in providing a supper, please contact Sheryl Kjelland or Sarah Thompson.

Thank you to all who worked, provided vegetables or bazaar items, or who came to eat at our Soup and Sandwich Luncheon. It was a very good day!

The Nominating Committee is beginning its search for WELCA Officers for 2012. Consider saying "yes" if you are asked.

We look forward to our November meeting which will be Tuesday, November 15, beginning with a potluck supper at 6:00 p.m. After supper we will watch the movie "Pray the Devil Back to Hell," which is about Liberia and the struggles that have gone on there. **Please note:** this meeting is open to anyone (even men) – So please bring something for potluck and come and join us! We'd love to have you!

Please put Monday, December 5 on your calendars. That is the date of the Women's Christmas Party at Our Saviour's. Lydia Circle is working on much of the planning for this event.

God's blessings to each of you!

Let us thank the Lord for His many blessings to us!

Sheryl Kjelland

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"Thank You" to Gaylin Moe for delivering our mission project boxes to Grand Forks in October. It is much appreciated!



MEMORIAL GIFTS

RADIO FUND

Listed weekly in Our Saviour's bulletin.

If anyone is interested in sponsoring a radio broadcast, please contact the church office @ 284-6197. Thank You!

BLDG/MAINTENANCE

IMO Joni Okeson ~ from Earl & Marcie Weisz

IMO Vern Seboe ~ from Earl & Marcie Weisz

from Darlene Monson

from Elroy Kjelland

from Erena Seboe

from Gary & Karen Johnson

from Lorraine Phelps

from Allen Dahl

from Sherie Anderson & Kenzie

from Roger & Mavis Nelson

from Phyllis Loftsgard

In Celebration of Terry & Elsie Borgeson's anniversary on Oct. 25
from Sarah Borgeson & Adam Bueling

GENERAL FUND

IMO Vern Seboe ~ from Toby & Cheryl Welch

Thank You for your donations and gifts!

We Extend Our Sympathy

Milton P. Hjelmstad, age 69, passed away on Sunday, October 2, 2011 at Altru Hospital in Grand Forks. His funeral was held at Our Saviour's on Friday, October 7th.

Please keep the Hjelmstad family in your prayers.

"Coping with the Holidays" is an evening designed to address grief issues due to a loss by death of anyone special in your life. It will provide helpful ideas and suggestions in preparing for the holidays without your loved one. All losses by death, from miscarriage on, will be discussed. There is **no cost** to the participant and the event is open to the public.

"Coping with the Holidays" will be held on **Tuesday, November 15, 2011**, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at **Sharon Lutheran Church, 1720 South 20th Street, Grand Forks**. The event is sponsored by Altru's Hospice and Pastoral Services. Written materials and holiday refreshments will be provided. Walk-ins are welcome, but to assist in planning, please call **Pastoral Services at 701-780-5300** if you plan to attend.

Similar events in the region will be held:

Nov. 8 @ 6:30 pm ~ Cedar Inn in Cavalier, ND

Nov. 9 @ 7:00 pm ~ Choice Financial Community Room
in Grafton, ND

The Holidays will soon be upon us again! Yet, for anyone who has experienced loss, holidays may be especially difficult. This could be through death, divorce, or any other loss that brings grief. It may be recent or it may have happened some time ago. Grief may be magnified in this time of family gatherings, parties, gift giving, and "holiday spirit." What once was looked forward to with anticipation, in loss, may become difficult and even dreaded. The Western Walsh County Ministerium is again offering a "Coping With the Holidays" event, **Sunday, November 20, at 2 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Park River**. This is free and open to all. If you, or someone you know, might benefit from such a meeting please come and invite others to come. If you have been through such times in the past and have insights to help others, please come. Together we can help one another deal with loss in this time of celebration. As a community, and as churches in this area we can help "bear one another's burdens" and lend a helping hand.

"Each of us has cause to think with deep gratitude of those who have lighted the flame within us."
--- Albert Schweitzer

NOVEMBER 2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 Reformation Sunday~wear red 9:00 AM Sunday School/Adult Study/Coffee 10:00 AM Worship/Children's Choir 7:00 PM Bible Study 7:00 PM Youth Blitz @ OSLC	31 9:00 AM Bible Study	1 9:15 AM Martha Circle 10:30 AM Text Study @ Osnabrock 2:00 PM Ruth Circle	2 9:00 AM Knit/Crochet Group @ OSLC 3:30 PM Children's Choir 3:45 PM 8th Gr. Confirm. 4:30 PM 5th & 6th W.W. 5:00 PM 9th & 10th Gr. Confirm. 5:30 PM Junior Choir 6:00 PM Senior Choir 7:00 PM Lydia Circle	3 2:30 PM Good Sam/Communion	4	5 24th Annual Quilt Auction @ PRBC
6 9:00 AM Sunday School/Adult Study/Coffee 10:00 AM Worship/Communion/Jr. & Sr. High Choir 11:00 AM Youth Committee Meeting 2:00 PM Hymn Sing w/S.Kjelland's piano students 3:30 PM Hymn Sing w/S.Kjelland's piano students 7:00 PM Bible Study 7:00 PM Youth Blitz @ OSLC	7 9:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop 7:00 PM Cub Scout Leader Mtg.	8 9:00 AM Grafton Conference Pastors @ Adams 9:30 AM Library Meeting	9 NO 5th & 6th Worship Wednesday 9:00 AM Knit/Crochet Group @ OSLC 3:30 PM Children's Choir 3:45 PM 8th Gr. Confirm. 5:00 PM 9th & 10th Gr. Confirm. 5:30 PM Junior Choir 6:00 PM Senior Choir 7:00 PM OSLC Council Meeting	10	11 CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED Veterans Day	12
13 MISSION/HARVEST SUNDAY 9:00 AM Service Sunday/Adult Study 10:00 AM Worship/Children's Choir/Baptism/ Shoebox Blessing 11:00 AM Potluck~Everyone Welcome! 2:00 PM Grades 4-6 Youth Group @ OSLC 7:00 PM Bible Study 7:00 PM Youth Blitz @ OSLC	14 9:00 AM Bible Study 9:00 AM Quilting 7:00 PM Boy Scout Committee 7:00 PM Scout Den	15 9:00 AM Quilting 10:30 AM Text Study @ Cavalier 6:00 PM WELCA-potluck & movie	16 9:00 AM Knit/Crochet Group @ OSLC 3:30 PM Children's Choir 3:45 PM 8th Gr. Confirm. 4:30 PM 5th & 6th W.W. 5:00 PM 9th & 10th Gr. Confirm. 5:30 PM Junior Choir 6:00 PM Senior Choir	17 11:00 AM Western Walsh Ministerium @ Good Sam 5:30 PM Worship Committee 6:15 PM Music Committee	18 NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE!	19
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27 9:00 AM Coffee/NO Sunday School or Adult Study 10:00 AM Worship 11:00 AM F/C #2 meets for December 2:30 PM Good Sam Service 7:00 PM Bible Study	28 9:00 AM Bible Study 7:00 PM Scout Pack	29 10:30 AM Text Study @ Langdon	30 9:00 AM Knit/Crochet Group @ OSLC 3:30 PM Children's Choir 3:45 PM 8th Gr. Confirm. 4:30 PM 5th & 6th W.W. 5:00 PM 9th & 10th Gr. Confirm. 5:30 PM Junior Choir 6:00 PM Senior Choir 7:00 PM Advent Service w/choirs	1	2	3

November



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| 2: Kristen Cherry | 12: Iver Dahl, Jr.
Nancy Gordon
Rachel Midgarden | |
| 3: Kevin Ferguson
Patsy Helland
David Laaveg | 13: Terri Bosh
Don Gordon
Darren Houser
Lyder Lundgren
Marion Onstad
Brice Welch | 20: Diane Greicar
Jeremy Samdahl |
| 4: Douglas Leith | | 21: Daniel Onstad |
| 5: Cadyn Hunter
Jeff Torkelson
Dennis Trender | 14: Darlene Onstad
Sheldon Weltz | 22: Mark Bennington
Steve Rinde |
| 6: Bonnie Dvorak
Andrew Lindell
Kathryn Lundgren | 15: Abigail Borgeson
Luther Meberg | 23: Lorraine Thompson |
| 7: Paige Bennington
Mabel Dahl
Doris Skavhaug | 17: Zachary Bosh
Orvin Espelien
Carol Kubat
Sydney Larson
Clarke Loftsgard
Julie Sundby | 24: Harold Anderson |
| 8: Randy Flaten
Michael Johnson
Alice Rustan | 18: Carole Coler
Lana Lietz
Bernice Pengilly | 25: Jamie Bennington
Jennifer Soukup |
| 9: Sarah Dahlen
Marit Johnson
Avery Rinde
Max Samdahl | | 26: Jacob Papenfuss
Jacqueline Torfin |
| 10: McKayla Bennington
Karen Seboe | | 27: Zachary Hell
Vern Houser |
| 11: Brady Hanson
Del Owen | | 29: Shane Beck
Hazel Lien
Daniel Troftgruben |
| | | 30: Emma Hagen
Dennis Larson
Susan Thomasson
Vernie Wharam |

Did you know you can receive OSLC's monthly newsletter by email? It saves on paper & postage! Go to our website & click on the Newsletter link to sign up today!



Have you checked out Our Saviour's website? It has the latest information on what's happening at church, as well as recent newsletters, bulletins, council minutes and helpful links. Check it out at: www.parkriveroslc.com

Congratulations!

Steven Gerszewski & Kelsey Johnson were united in marriage at Our Saviour's on Saturday, October 15, 2011.

Kelsey works at a bank in Detroit Lakes, MN and Steven works at a bank in Perham, MN. They will make their home in Frazee, MN, midway between their places of work.

May God Bless them as they begin their life together as husband & wife.

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All visitors are welcome to worship with us each Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Communion is observed the first & third Sundays of the month.
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