

This Week at Our Savior – December 18-25

Sunday	Sunday School Adult Education Coffee Hour Worship Soup Lunch & Caroling	9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. <i>following worship</i>
Monday	Council Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday	Bible Study @ <i>Tacos & More</i> Men Who Love Beef @ <i>The Max</i>	6:45 a.m. 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday	Worship @ Careage of Wayne Advent Supper Advent Worship F.L.o.C.	2:30 p.m. 5:45 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday	Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship Christmas Eve Candlelight Worship	5:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.
Sunday	Christmas Day Worship	10:00 a.m.

2011 CONTRIBUTIONS

If you would like to “catch up” on your 2011 offering before the end of the year, please have your envelopes to Our Savior by *Thursday, December 29th*. Any offerings received after this date will have to be credited to 2012.

DATE FOR ANNUAL MEETING SET

The Annual Meeting of Our Savior Lutheran Church will be held on *Sunday, January 29, 2012*. *All committees are reminded to turn in their year-end reports by December 28th*.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The St. Olaf College Christmas concert will be shown on NETV on Friday December 23rd at 10pm. St. Olaf is an ELCA college located in Northfield MN.

PRAYERS REQUESTED

The office received word from Rowan Wiltse that Meadow Lark Ministry is experiencing difficulty as they try to distribute the soap, toothpaste & toothbrushes and quilts to the children of the Rio Grand Valley. Prayers are requested for their safety and success.

POINSETTIAS

Anyone wishing to share a poinsettia to add to the beauty of the Christmas holiday is asked to bring it to the church by December 22nd. Please have the plant marked with your name.

Welcome & Announcements

WELCOME!

Christmas is a time for lifting up our voices in joyous songs. Sing in exultation! Let us join together in harmony as we praise God for the incomparable gift of Christ. And let us show our kindness to one another with a warm welcome to all. **We ask all worshippers to please share with us their presence by completing the Worship Register attached to the bulletin. Detach and place in the offering plate.**

HEARING ASSISTANCE

Hearing devices are available at the sound tech booth at the back of the sanctuary.

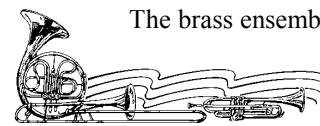
CHILDREN'S BULLETINS....are available for the younger worshippers of Our Savior. You can find them on the stand near the sound tech booth.

RADIO BROADCAST

In loving memory of Darleen Dunklau Topp by the Mike Dunklau family. Radio broadcast of our Sunday morning worship service can be heard live on KTCH.

WELCOME A TOUCH OF BRASS

The brass ensemble, *A Touch of Brass*, joins us in worship this weekend. Their presence has become a holiday tradition for Our Savior, and a wonderful way to get our hearts ready for the coming nativity. The services will also include the Our Savior Choir, Joyful Noise, combined ensembles and congregational hymn singing.



CHRISTMAS CAROLING

This Sunday, December 18th, join us as we go Christmas Caroling at Careage of Wayne, The Oaks and the homes of several members of OSLC. We'll enjoy lunch following the 10am worship service and then head out to carol.



PREPARING FOR CHRISTMAS!

The fourth Mid-week Advent service will be held this Wednesday evening, December 21st. The service begins at 7:00pm and includes the Holden Evening Prayer and The Voices of Advent.

Supper will precede the service from 5:45—6:45 p.m. in the church Social Room.

CHRISTMAS WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve candlelight services will be at 5:00 and 9:00pm. The 9:00pm service will include communion. A Christmas Day service with communion will be at 10:00am. Invite family and friends!

The 5:00pm Christmas Eve worship service will be broadcast live on KCTY-FM (104.9).

This Weekend's (12/17&18) Worship Assistants

6:00 p.m.

Greeters-Harold & Sharon Fler
Lay Worship Assistant-Vicky Jones
Acolytes-Justin Dean, Logan Milligan
Projection-Kris Robinson
Sound-
Ushers-Rod & Melia Hefti, Dave Baier

10:00 a.m.

Greeters-Ron & Karma Magnuson
Lay Worship Assistant-Diane Ehrhardt
Acolytes-Octavia Pugh, Sylvia Jager
Projection-Kris Robinson
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Ushers-Lonnie & Diane Ehrhardt, Steve McLagan, Steve Rasmussen

Christmas Eve & Day (12/24 & 25) Worship Assistants

5:00 p.m.

Projection-Kathy Rutenbeck
Sound-
Ushers-Jim Hummel, Chuck Rutenbeck, Darrel Heier,
Kermit & JoAnne Benshoof, Cheryl Roberts,
Dave Olson, Steve Rasmussen

9:00 p.m.

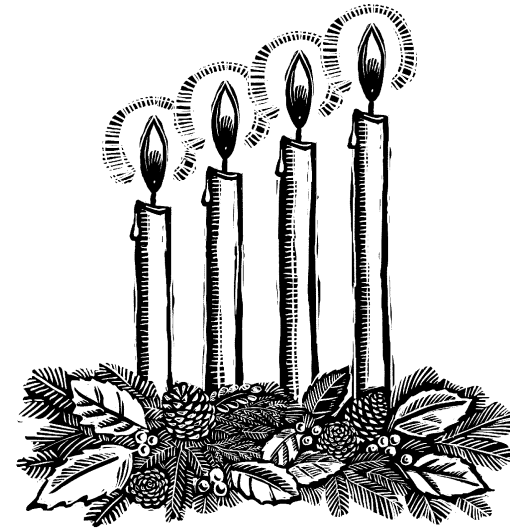
Communion Assistants-Karma Magnuson, Deb Hammer
Projection-Kris Robinson
Sound-Jerry Robinson
Ushers-Ron Magnuson, Dave Anderson, Rod Hefti, Dave Baier

10:00 a.m.

Lay Worship Assistant-Kathy Johnson
Acolyte-Schuyler Schweers
Communion Assistants-Roger & Lynette Lentz, Kim Dunklau
Projection-Margaret Hansen
Sound-
Ushers-Dave Olson, Alvin Anderson, Donna Lutt

Lessons & Carols

Featuring A Touch of Brass, the Our Savior Choir, the Joyful Noise handbell choir, combined ensembles and congregational hymn singing.



Welcome

December 17 & 18, 2011
Fourth Sunday of Advent

Our Savior Lutheran Church

5th & Main Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787

402-375-2899

Rev. Bob Oleson, Interim Pastor
Cara Jensen, Youth Discipleship Leader
Mark Kanitz, Director of Music

The Mission of Our Savior: That all may *know* Christ, *grow* in Christ
and joyfully *go* with Christ

PRELUDE

I Saw Three Ships A Touch of Brass
We Three Kings Joyful Noise
O Come, O Come, Emmanuel A Touch of Brass
Once in Royal David's City A Touch of Brass

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING HYMN: *Rejoice, Rejoice, Believers*
(ELW 244)

GREETING

CHILDREN'S TIME

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

ADVENT SONG: *Light One Candle to Watch for Messiah*
(ELW 240) vs. 4

CAROL: *O Come, All Ye Faithful*
(ELW 283)

FIRST READING: Genesis 3:1–15

Advent Carol Joyful Noise
Arr. by Hal H. Hopson

SECOND READING: Genesis 22:15–18

The Yearning Our Savior Choir
Music by Craig Courtney, Words by Susan B. Boersma

THIRD READING: Isaiah 9:2–7

CAROL: *Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming*
(ELW 272)

FOURTH READING: Micah 5:2–4

What Child is This? A Touch of Brass
Greensleeves–Kreuger

FIFTH READING: Isaiah 60:1–6, 19

CAROL: *Good Christian Friends, Rejoice*
(ELW 288)

SIXTH READING: Luke 2:1–7

While By My Sheep A Touch of Brass

SEVENTH READING: Luke 2:8–20

Angels' Carol Our Savior Choir
By John Rutter

CAROL: *Angels We Have Heard on High*
(ELW 289)
Organ introduction by Charles Ore

EIGHTH READING: **Matthew 2:1–12**

Whence is that Goodly Fragrance Flowing? Our Savior Choir
Arr. by Mark Wilberg

NINTH READING: John 1:1–14

LORD'S PRAYER

SHARING THE PEACE

OFFERING
Still, Still, Still Joyful Noise
By Douglas E. Wagner

OFFERING PRAYER

BLESSING

CAROL: *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing*
(ELW 270)

DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Hallelujah Chorus A Touch of Brass

End of Worship. Beginning of Service.