

REFORMATION SUNDAY



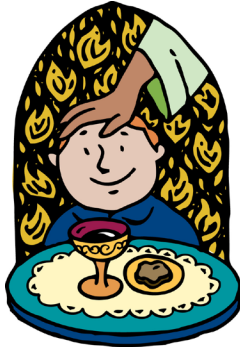
Sola Gratia
Grace Alone

Sola Fide
Faith Alone

Sola Scriptura
Scripture Alone

10:00AM SUNDAY WORSHIP
OCTOBER 27, 2024
(IN-PERSON & ZOOM WORSHIP SERVICE)

Lutheran Church of Our Savior
231 Jayne Avenue
Patchogue, New York 11772



Meet
Our
Confirmands

**Kaleia Bosch
Emilia Gomez
Sebastian Lora
Lyla Rudish
Jackson Terhune
Margot Terhune
2024**



Drawing of Martin Luther by member Michael Maas

Sunday, October 27, 2024
Reformation & Confirmation Sunday

“A Season of Adventure in a Year of Growing in Faith”

Claire Repsholdt – Pastor

**PLEASE TURN CELL PHONES OFF
TO PREPARE YOUR HEART AND MIND FOR WORSHIP**

WELCOME to God’s House! We are happy that you are with us to Worship God together.

Lutheran Church of Our Savior is a congregation with a big heart. We all know how difficult it is to be new, but we want you to know that no matter who you are or where you find yourself in life, you are invited to join us for worship and fellowship. Come to hear God's Word, share in the Sacraments and discover new ways to reach out to the world with God's peace and grace.

Everyone is a child of God. From crying babies to enthusiastic seniors, we recognize that we are all called to be one body with many members. We welcome people of all races, ethnicities, of every marital status, political affiliation, sexual orientation and gender identity or expression. Those of different faith traditions, different physical, mental and emotional abilities and those in recovery or struggling with addiction are always welcome. We are committed to embracing the work of anti-racism, social and economic justice, and environmental care. We sincerely hope you join us in our journey toward greater love, understanding, and mutual respect for each other.

The bottom line: We welcome you! We are grateful to the one, holy Triune God who blessed us with this church. We know that no matter who you are Jesus accepts you and so do we. May our prayers, the hearing of God’s Word, and God's grace and love make our burdens lighter, our hearts encouraged, and our souls refreshed.”

Let us pause before the service to turn our thoughts toward God in silent prayer and meditation.

HOLY COMMUNION

Setting Four

The people rise in body or in spirit.

PRELUDE

WELCOME TO OUR ONLINE CONGREGATION

We are blessed to be joined each week with a faithful crew of digital worshippers. Let's take this time of gathering to offer them a warm hello!

CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ✝ one God,
who forgives all our sin,
whose mercy endures forever.

Amen.

Let us confess our sin and come to God for healing.

Silence is kept for reflection.

Gracious God,

have mercy on us.

**We confess that we have honored you with our lips,
but have harmed our neighbors with our tongues.**

**The cravings at war within us
cause conflicts and disputes.**

**In our desire to be first
we make distinctions among ourselves.**

We place the needs of the poor and the suffering last.

In your great mercy, forgive us our sins.

**Draw near to us with grace in time of need,
and turn us to follow in the way of Jesus Christ,
our Savior and Lord.**

Amen.

God promises to forgive our iniquity
and to remember our sin no more.

By grace you have been saved.

In the name of ✝ Jesus Christ,
the source of eternal healing,
your sins are forgiven.

Amen.

GATHERING HYMN

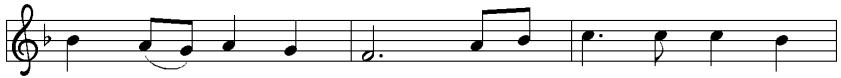
All Are Welcome (ELW #641)



1 Let us build a house where love can dwell and all can safe - ly
2 Let us build a house where proph-ets speak, and words are strong and
3 Let us build a house where love is found in wa - ter, wine and
4 Let us build a house where hands will reach be - yond the wood and
5 Let us build a house where all are named, their songs and vi - sions



live, a place where saints and chil - dren tell how
true, where all God's chil - dren dare to seek to
wheat: a ban - quet hall on ho - ly ground where
stone to heal and strength - en, serve and teach, and
heard and loved and trea - sured, taught and claimed as



hearts learn to for - give. Built of hopes and dreams and
dream God's reign a - new. Here the cross shall stand as
peace and jus - tice meet. Here the love of God, through
live the Word they've known. Here the out - cast and the
words with - in the Word. Built of tears and cries and



vi - sions, rock of faith and vault of grace; here the love of
wit - ness and as sym - bol of God's grace; here as one we
Je - sus, is re - vealed in time and space; as we share in
strang-er bear the im - age of God's face; let us bring an
laugh-ter, prayers of faith and songs of grace, let this house pro -



Christ shall end di - vi - sions:
claim the faith of Je - sus:
Christ the feast that frees us: All are wel - come,
end to fear and dan - ger:
claim from floor to raf - ter:



all are wel - come, all are wel - come in this place.

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

CANTICLE OF PRAISE

This is the Feast

Refrain
Assisting minister



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.

All



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us



free to be peo-ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis - dom and



strength, and hon - or and bless-ing and glo - ry are his.

Refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.



2 Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



hymn of all cre - a - tion: Bless-ing and hon - or and glo - ry and



might be to God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.

Final refrain



This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God, for the Lamb who was slain



has be - gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Almighty God, gracious Lord, we thank you that your Holy Spirit renews the church in every age. Pour out your Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep them steadfast in your word, protect and comfort them in times of trial, defend them against all enemies of the gospel, and bestow on the church your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Please be seated.

FIRST READING

Jeremiah 31:31-34

The renewed covenant will not be breakable, but like the old covenant it will expect the people to live upright lives. To know the Lord means that one will defend the cause of the poor and needy (Jer. 22:16). The renewed covenant is possible only because the Lord will forgive iniquity and not remember sin. Our hope lies in a God who forgets.

A reading from Jeremiah.

³¹The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. ³²It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. ³³But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. ³⁴No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, “Know the LORD,” for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PSALM

Psalm 46

Psalm will be sung during the season after Pentecost. The verses printed in plain text will be sung by psalmists and congregation will respond in the verses in bold text.

***The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our stronghold.
(Ps. 46:7)***

¹God is our ref-^luge and strength,
a very present^l help in trouble.

²**Therefore we will not fear, though the^l earth be moved,
and though the mountains shake in the depths^l of the sea;**

³though its waters^l rage and foam,
and though the mountains tremble^l with its tumult.

⁴**There is a river whose streams make glad the cit-^ly of God,
the holy habitation of^l the Most High.**

⁵God is in the midst of the city; it shall^l not be shaken;
God shall help it at the^l break of day.

⁶**The nations rage, and the^l kingdoms shake;
God speaks, and the earth^l melts away.**

⁷The LORD of^l hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob^l is our stronghold.

⁸**Come now, regard the works^l of the LORD,
what desolations God has brought up-^l on the earth;**

⁹behold the one who makes war to cease in^l all the world;
who breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the^l
shields with fire.

¹⁰**“Be still, then, and know that^l I am God;
I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted^l
in the earth.”**

¹¹The LORD of^l hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob^l is our stronghold.

SECOND READING

Romans 3:19-28

Paul's words stand at the heart of the preaching of Martin Luther and other Reformation leaders. No human beings make themselves right with God through works of the law. We are brought into a right relationship with God through the divine activity centered in Christ's death. This act is a gift of grace that liberates us from sin and empowers our faith in Jesus Christ.

A reading from Romans.

¹⁹Now we know that whatever the law says, it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. ²⁰For “no human being will be justified in his sight” by deeds prescribed by the law, for through the law comes the knowledge of sin. ²¹But now, apart from law, the righteousness of God has been disclosed, and is attested by the law and the prophets, ²²the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction, ²³since all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God; ²⁴they are now justified by his grace as a gift, through the

redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵whom God put forward as a sacrifice of atonement by his blood, effective through faith. He did this to show his righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over the sins previously committed; ²⁶it was to prove at the present time that he himself is righteous and that he justifies the one who has faith in Jesus.

²⁷Then what becomes of boasting? It is excluded. By what law? By that of works? No, but by the law of faith. ²⁸For we hold that a person is justified by faith apart from works prescribed by the law.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

The people rise in body or in spirit.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia



GOSPEL

John 8:31-36

Jesus speaks of truth and freedom as spiritual realities known through his word. He reveals the truth that sets people free from sin.

The holy gospel according to John the eighth chapter.
Glory to you, O Lord.

³¹Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, “If you continue in my word, you are truly my disciples; ³²and you will know the truth, and the truth will make you free.” ³³They answered him, “We are descendants of Abraham and have never been slaves to anyone. What do you mean by saying, ‘You will be made free’?”

³⁴Jesus answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. ³⁵The slave does not have a permanent place in the household; the son has a place there forever. ³⁶So if the Son makes you free, you will be free indeed.”

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Please be seated.

CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

"He is Calling You"

HYMN OF THE DAY

A Mighty Fortress is Our God (ELW #504)

1 A might - y for - tress is our God, a sword and shield vic -
2 No strength of ours can match his might! We would be lost, re -
3 Though hordes of dev - ils fill the land all threat - 'ning to de -
4 God's Word for - ev - er shall a - bide, no thanks to foes, who

to - rious; he breaks the cruel op - pres - sor's rod and
ject - ed. But now a cham - pion comes to fight, whom
vour us, we trem - ble not, un - moved we stand; they
fear it; for God him - self fights by our side with

wins sal - va - tion glo - rious. The old sa - tan - ic foe
God him - self e - lect - ed. You ask who this may be?
can - not o - ver - pow'r us. Let this world's ty - rant rage;
weap - ons of the Spir - it. Were they to take our house,

Hymn continues on next page

has sworn to work us woe! With craft and dread - ful might
 The Lord of hosts is he! Christ Je - sus, might - y Lord,
 in bat - tle we'll en - gage! His might is doomed to fail;
 goods, hon - or, child, or spouse, though life be wrenched a - way,

he arms him - self to fight. On earth he has no e - qual.
 God's on - ly Son, a - dored. He holds the field vic - to - rious.
 God's judg - ment must pre - vail! One lit - tle word sub - dues him.
 they can - not win the day. The king - dom's ours for - ev - er!

The people rise in body or in spirit.

CONFIRMATION – OCTOBER 27, 2024

At the conclusion of the hymn of the day, those making affirmation may gather with the minister at the font.

Presentation

The presiding minister addresses the assembly.

Dear friends, we give thanks for the gift of baptism and for Kaleia, Emilia, Sebastian, Lyla, Jackson and Margot, one with us in the body of Christ, who are making public affirmation of their baptism.

A representative of the congregation presents the candidates.

I present Kaleia Bosch, Emilia Gomez, Sebastian Lora, Lyla Rudish, Jackson Terhune and Margot Terhune. who desire to make public affirmation of their baptism.

The presiding minister continues with prayer.

Let us pray.

Merciful God, we thank you for these siblings in faith, whom you have made your own by water and the Word in baptism. You have called them to yourself, enlightened them with the gifts of your Spirit, and nourished them in the community of faith. Uphold your servants in the gifts and promises of baptism and unite the hearts of all whom you have brought to new birth. We ask this in the name of Christ.

Amen.

Confirmands Bible Verses

Comments and Reading by Pastor Claire Repsholdt

Kaleia Bosch – Psalm 19:1

The heavens are telling the glory of God, and the firmament proclaims his handiwork.

Emilia Gomez – Romans 13:8

Owe no one anything, except to love one another, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law.

Sebastian Lora – Matthew 6:6

But whenever you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret, and your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

Lyla Rudish - Philippians 4:6-7

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Jackson Terhune - John 6:13-14

So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. 14 When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, “This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.”

Margot Terhune – Matthew 3:16-17

And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him, and he saw God’s Spirit descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from the heavens said, “This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.”

Profession of Faith

The presiding minister addresses the candidates. The assembly may stand and join in the responses.

I ask you to profess your faith in Christ Jesus, reject sin, and confess the faith of the church.

Do you renounce the devil and all the forces that defy God?

I renounce them.

Do you renounce the powers of this world that rebel against God?

I renounce them.

Do you renounce the ways of sin that draw you from God?

I renounce them.

The presiding minister addresses the candidate and the assembly.

Do you believe in God the Father?

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.
Amen.**

The presiding minister addresses the candidates.

You have made public profession of your faith. Do you intend to continue in the covenant God made with you in holy baptism:
to live among God's faithful people,
to hear the word of God and share in the Lord's supper,
to proclaim the good news of God in Christ through word and deed,
to serve all people, following the example of Jesus,
and to strive for justice and peace in all the earth?

The candidate responds:

I do, and I ask God to help and guide me.

The presiding minister addresses the assembly.

People of God, do you promise to support these siblings and pray for them in their life in Christ?

We do, and we ask God to help and guide us.

Let us pray.

We give you thanks, O God, that through water and the Holy Spirit, you give us new birth, cleanse us from sin, and raise us to eternal life. Stir up in Kaleia, Emilia, Sebastian, Lyla, Jackson and Margot the gift of your Holy Spirit: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence, both now and forever.

Amen.

The candidates face the assembly.

Let us rejoice with these siblings in Christ.

**We rejoice with you in the life of baptism.
Together we will give thanks and praise to God
and proclaim the good news to all the world.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Challenged by God's Word in Christ, let us pray for the church, the world, and the whole creation.

A brief silence.

Lord of all, we give thanks for the whole church throughout the world. Open wide the paths toward unity between denominations so that all

followers of Christ may join in shared worship and mission. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Renewing God, as the dying leaves display their beauty, we are reminded that nature's cycle of life includes and requires both life and death. Instill in your people a mission of preservation and appreciation for trees, animals, and waterways threatened by climate collapse. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Gracious God, in the spirit of reformation we pray for all who cry out for relief from systemic oppression especially those in countries torn apart in war. May the hearts of those who occupy seats of power be reformed so that peace becomes the center of our life together. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Comforting God, be with all who are sick, suffering, or grieving in our own community and beyond especially the family and friends of Bill Ellis. Surround them with the promise of your love, comfort, and grace that never ends. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Divine Guide, continue to challenge this community to be ever reforming in our ministries and outreach efforts. Inspire creative ideas among us so that the communal, grace-filled word of God remains at the heart of our ministry. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Almighty God, in Christ's resurrection you ensure that though life be wrenched away, death cannot win the day. May the truth of your saving grace through faith sustain our hope for life in you. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

We pray for those celebrating their birthdays this week, **Ryan Degen** and **Sheryl DiFiore**. God of grace, **hear our prayer.**

Into your hands, O God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in the saving grace you freely give, both now and forever. **Amen.**

PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.

**The people greet one another with a safe sign of Christ's peace.
Then the people are seated.**

OFFERING

At this time, we encourage you to reflect on the gifts you have been given and how you can share them with others. If you are able to make a financial gift to LCOS, you can do so by scanning the QR Code Card in your pew, on our website or when the Ushers pass the Offering Plate.

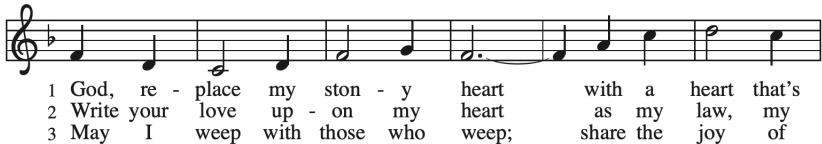
If you are able to give time, please speak with a council member or other leader about how you can contribute to the needs of the congregation and our community. Let us encourage one another to give generously whenever and wherever we are able, as a celebration of the abundance we have received.

OFFERTORY CHOIR ANTHEM Led by: Stephen Goldstein "Song of the Trinity" by: James Denton

OFFERING HYMN

Spirit, Open My Heart (ACS-1043) Verses 1 & 3

Refrain



Refrain



The people rise in body or in spirit.

OFFERTORY HYMN

Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful (ELW #182)



Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of



bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be



fed with the bread of life. Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all; u -



nite them with the prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your



pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

OFFERING PRAYER

Blessed are you, O God,
source of every gift of your creation.
By these gifts and with our lives,
help us to serve one another and all in need,
through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.
Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy,
that we should at all times and in all places
give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God,
through our Savior Jesus Christ;
who on this day overcame death and the grave,
and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

And so, with all the choirs of angels,
with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven,
we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

RESPONSE (*Sanctus*): **Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW HC4**

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san-na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high - est.

COMMUNION

You are indeed holy, almighty and merciful God.
You are most holy,
and great is the majesty of your glory.

You so loved the world that you gave your only Son,
so that everyone who believes in him may not perish
but have eternal life.

We give you thanks for his coming into the world
to fulfill for us your holy will
and to accomplish all things for our salvation.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering, therefore, his salutary command,
his life-giving passion and death, his glorious resurrection and ascension,
and the promise of his coming again,
we give thanks to you, O Lord God Almighty,
not as we ought but as we are able;
we ask you mercifully to accept our praise and thanksgiving
and with your Word and Holy Spirit to bless us, your servants,
and these your own gifts of bread and wine,
so that we and all who share in the body and blood of Christ
may be filled with heavenly blessing and grace,
and, receiving the forgiveness of sin,
may be formed to live as your holy people
and be given our inheritance with all your saints.

To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
be all honor and glory in your holy church, now and forever. **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as our Lord has taught us:

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our trespasses,**

**as we forgive those
who trespass against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
forever and ever. Amen.**

PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

We invite everyone viewing this service on zoom from home to join in a prayer of Spiritual Communion.

In union with your faithful people at Holy Communion, O God, we offer you praise and thanksgiving. We remember your death; we proclaim your resurrection; we await your coming in glory. Since we cannot receive the sacrament of your body and blood today, we ask you to come into our hearts. Empower us with your grace, God, and let us never be separated in this life or the life to come. **Amen.**

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Jesus welcomes you to this table.
Come, here is your God.

COMMUNION: This week our confirmands will receive communion at the rail first. Then communion will be distributed at the altar rail.

The Lord's Table is open to all wherever you are on your journey of faith. Ushers will guide you pew by pew to the altar rail. Please fill out a communion card from the pew rack and give it to one of the ushers to help us keep track of attendance.

There is white grape juice already poured into the cups before the altar; otherwise, please pick up an empty cup for wine. There are also gluten-free and regular wafers; please let the pastor know if you are gluten intolerant.

If you are not ready to receive the Lord's Supper, you are welcome to come forward and receive God's blessing. If you are unable to come forward, please let one of the ushers know so that communion can be brought to you. After receiving the bread and wine or blessing, it is customary to say "Amen."

COMMUNION SONG (*Agnus Dei*):

Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
 us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
 mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
 sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Please be seated.

COMMUNION HYMNS

One Bread, One Body (ELW #496)

Here I Am Lord (ELW #574)

Beautiful Savior (ELW #838)

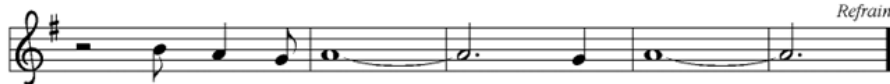
Refrain

One bread, one bod-y, one Lord of all; one cup of
 bless-ing which we bless, and we, though man-y
 through-out the earth, we are one bod - y in this one Lord.

Hymn continues on next page



1 Gen - tile or Jew, ser - vant or free,
 2 Man - y the gifts, man - y the works,
 3 Grain for the fields, scat - tered and grown,



wom - an or man, no more.
 one in the Lord of all.
 gath - ered to one for all.

Here I Am Lord (ELW #574)



1 "I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my peo - ple cry.
 2 "I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne my peo - ple's pain.
 3 "I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.



All who dwell in dark and sin my hand will save.
 I have wept for love of them. They turn a - way.
 I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.



I, who made the stars of night, I will make their dark-ness bright.
 I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love a - lone.
 Fin-est bread I will pro-vide till their hearts be sat - is - fied.



Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?"
 I will speak my word to them. Whom shall I send?"
 I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send?"



Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you



call - ing in the night. I will go, Lord, if you



lead me. I will hold your peo - ple in my heart.

Beautiful Savior (ELW #838)

1 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, King of cre - a - tion,
 2 Fair are the mead - ows, fair are the wood - lands,
 3 Fair is the sun - shine, fair is the moon - light,
 4 Beau - ti - ful Sav - ior, Lord of the na - tions,

Son of God and Son of Man!
 robed in flow'rs of bloom - ing spring;
 bright of spar - kling stars on high;
 Son of God and Son of Man!

Tru - ly I'd love thee, tru - ly I'd serve thee,
 Je - sus is fair - er, Je - sus is pur - er,
 Je - sus shines bright - er, Je - sus shines pur - er
 Glo - ry and hon - or, praise, ad - o - ra - tion,

light of my soul, my joy, my crown.
 he makes our sor - rowing spir - it sing.
 than all the an - gels in the sky.
 now and for - ev - er - more be thine!

The people rise in body or in spirit.

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE (*Nunc Dimittis*):

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise (ELW #204)



Thank-ful hearts and voic - es raise; tell ev-'ry-one what God has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - joice and bear Christ's ho - ly name.



Send us with your prom - is - es and lead your peo - ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Holy God,
you have welcomed us to this meal
and fed us with dignity at your table.
Send us now to welcome others
and to be at peace with one another,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

BENEDICTION

God all mighty,
God most merciful
✠ bless you, keep you,
and give you peace.
Amen.

SENDING HYMN

We Are Called (ELW #720)



1 Come! Live in the light! Shine with the joy and the love of the
 2 Come! O - pen your heart! Show your . . mer - cy to all those in
 3 Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that great day when all will be

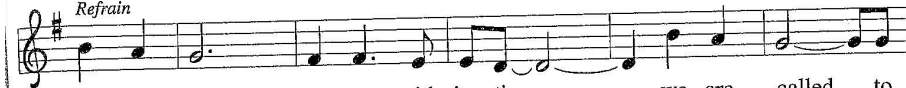


Lord! We are called to be light for the king - dom, to
 fear! We are called to be hope for the hope - less, so
 one! God will reign, and we'll walk with each oth - er as



live in the free - dom of the cit - y of God.
 ha - tred and blind - ness . . . will be . . . no more.
 sis - ters and broth - ers . . . u - nit - ed in love.

Refrain



We are called to act with jus - tice, we are called to



love ten - der - ly; we are called to serve one an -



oth - er, to walk hum - bly with God.

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Follow Jesus.

Thanks be to God.

**ALTAR FLOWERS HAVE BEEN
PLACED THIS SUNDAY FOR:**

**IN HONOR OF THE
CONFIRMANDS
CONGRATULATIONS!**

By: The Bosch Family

**GOD BLESS
EMILIA GOMEZ &
THE CONFIRMANDS**

By: The Blake Family

**IN HONOR OF THE
CONFIRMATION OF
EMILIA GOMEZ**

By: Lois Goelz

**GOD BLESS JACKSON ON
YOUR CONFIRMATION WITH
LOVE FROM YOUR HEAVENLY
ANGEL MRS. KUHN**

By: Eileen Kuhn - Memorial

**IN MEMORY OF
MY MOTHER
ALICE SILVERSTEIN**

By: Leah DeBiase





ASSISTING IN TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

Lay Assistant	Janet Bachmore
Acolyte	Eric Adamo
Crucifer	Molleigh Jutting
Lector	Ann Entress
Psalmist	J.R. Lotito
Children's Church Volunteers For this Sunday is BOLDED	Kristen Ascenzio, Kerri Maloof, Gena Mizzi, Karen Mizzi and Anna Mazard
Tech Assistants Tech for this Sunday is BOLDED	Matt Aleixo, Peter Angelica, Michael Johonnett, Kerri Maloof, Jason Mueller and Jeremy Terhune
Altar Guild	Margarita Lopez
Tellers	Elly Supinsky
Ushers	Don & Ann Entress

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor	Rev. Claire Repsholdt
Deacons	Janet Bachmore, Angela Bello, Peggy Kurz, Carol Rios & Penny Liles-Clukey
Musicians/Organist/Pianist	Stephen Goldstein
Office Administrator	Nancy Gonzalez

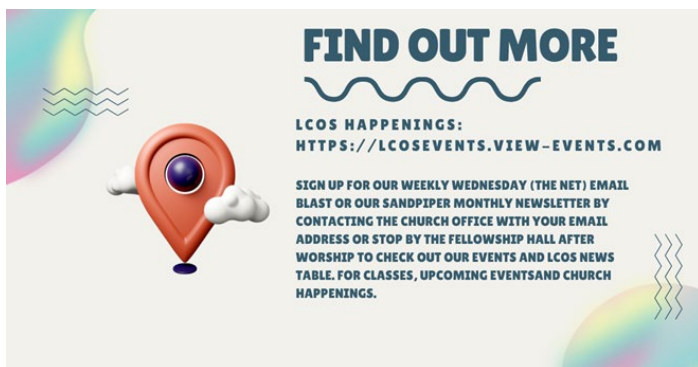
TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS: *Sunday, October 27, 2024*

TODAY:

- **STAY INFORMED ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS** can be found on the back pages of the **WORSHIP BULLETIN, CHURCH CALENDAR, AND THE WEDNESDAY NET**. Zoom participants can find a copy of Sunday bulletin on the **LCOS Church Web Page** or **Church Calendar**.
- **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29TH – CHURCH OFFICE OPENING LATER IN DAY**
- **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST – Food Pantry Begins Thanksgiving Dinner Collection**. Deadline November 17th
- **6PM WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY**
- **10AM CONFIRMATION SERVICE TODAY**
- **LCOS CRAFT BUNCH CRAFT FAIR – Saturday, November 2nd at 10am**
- **NEXT SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 3RD – All Saints Day & Cornerstones**

THIS WEEK:

- **SUNDAY WORSHIP – 10:00am**
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL – ZOOM OR IN PERSON**
- **MONDAY WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY - 9:30am – Morning Devotions on Zoom**
- **LUNCH BUNCH CRAFT GROUP – Tuesdays at 12pm in the fellowship hall.**



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ALTAR FLOWERS:

ALTAR FLOWERS MAY BE ORDERED BY FILLING OUT A PINK FORM FOUND ON THE BULLETIN BOARD OUTSIDE OF THE CHURCH OFFICE AND PLACING IT IN THE CHURCH OFFICE MAILBOX TO THE RIGHT OF THE BULLETIN BOARD.

THEY ARE \$10 PER ARRANGEMENT (\$20 FOR TWO BOUQUETS).

THIS IS A WONDERFUL WAY TO MARK A SPECIAL OCCASION OR HAVE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR IN MEMORY OF A LOVED ONE.

LIVE VIDEO RECORDING AND PHOTOS

Notice to families with small children, because we maintain an active online ministry, we frequently share photos and videos on our website and social media accounts.

We have a consent form available to maintain your permission to share images of your family. Please request a form from Pastor Claire or any of our Children's Church Volunteers to help us keep an active record.



Donations of beverages, food, paper products and your help for set up and clean up for all events are always appreciated and welcomed.

**ALL EVENT SIGN UP SHEETS CAN BE FOUND
IN FELLOWSHIP HALL**

FALL EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Join us for our Fall Adult Bible Study as we share a lite dinner and dive into the Ten Commandments.

On Wednesday's at 6pm

beginning October 16th through Wednesday, November 20th.



**LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR
LUNCH BUNCH CRAFT GROUP**

**MEETS ON TUESDAYS
FROM NOON TO 2PM**

**BRING YOUR LUNCH AND JOIN US IN
THE FELLOWSHIP HALL FOR CRAFTING
AND FELLOWSHIP. ALL ARE WELCOME.**



Crafts

**ANNUAL CRAFT FAIR
FIRST SATURDAY OF NOVEMBER
10AM-3PM**



Lutheran Church of Our Savior
**Drive-Thru
Food Pantry**



**THURSDAYS
ONLY UNTIL
11AM**



**SOLO JUEVES
HASTA LAS
11AM**

ONE BAG PER FAMILY. UNA BOLSA POR FAMILIA.

WELCA RUTH CIRCLE BIBLE STUDY

**3rd Tuesday of each
month at 10:30am
in the fellowship hall**

Join the Ruth Circle for a Bible Study based on Gather Magazine.

We meet the third Tuesday of each month. All ladies are welcome to come.

Please bring your Bible and Gather Magazine. We will have Bibles and copies on hand if needed.



Join us!

All are welcome
in this place.



Lutheran Church of Our Savior
281 Zoyne Avenue
Poughkeepsie, New York 12572



WELCA BOOK REVIEW

**November 8th
at 7 PM in the
Fellowship Hall**



Please join us as we host a Book Review of **The Women**, written by **Kristen Hannah**. It has been on many best seller lists and has great reviews, so you may have to reserve it from your local library. It is also available from Amazon.



Lutheran Church
of Our Savior

CRAFT FAIR

Saturday, November 2nd
from 10am to 3pm
in the Lutheran Church of Our
Savior Fellowship Hall
231 Jayne Avenue, Patchogue, NY

Free
Children's
craft

Handmade Crafts • Jewelleries •
Holiday Crafts • Decorations •
Plush Items • and much more

Come on down for some early holiday shopping
All proceeds will go to fund church projects.

YOUTH GROUP

AXE THROWING



SUNDAY
NOVEMBER 10
2:00 - 4:00 PM
NY AXE SELDEN

FRIENDS WELCOME!
\$30 CHECK OR CASH

WAIVERS SHOULD BE FILLED OUT AHEAD
OF EVENT ONLINE @ NY AXE

WELCA

Thankoffering Sunday

JOIN WELCA FOR A SPECIAL
THANKOFFERING LITURGY
AND ENVELOPE AND FRESH
PRODUCE COLLECTION

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH



HELP US PROVIDE A THANKSGIVING DINNER

This year we would like to again provide the means for our
Pantry families to have a great dinner!

We would like to provide \$15 gift cards from Lidl or Aldi's or
Compare Foods (these stores are local) to supplement the
fresh produce from Thankoffering Sunday as well as a few
additional items from our pantry stock.

If you are able to help us out with a gift card or any of the
items listed below between now and Thankoffering Sunday
we would be thankful and blessed to be able to share them
with our families.

We would like brownie or cake mix, icing, canned corn,
corn bread or muffin mix, canned fruit, instant mashed
potatoes, canned yams, cranberry sauce, canned string
beans and crispy onions straws. We always enclose a
blessing card when we distribute the dinner fixings. Our
families are always extremely grateful for our gifts of food.

Thank you from Deacon Janet and the Pantry Team



Save the Date
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH
11:30AM-2:00PM



PARSONAGE FALL OPEN HOUSE

Join us for some fall fellowship at the parsonage after worship.

PATCHOGUE
INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING
WORSHIP

Tuesday, November 26th
at 7:00pm

Temple Beth El of Patchogue
45 Oak Street
Patchogue, New York



YOU ARE INVITED TO AN
Advent
FAMILY
EVENT
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH
AT 2PM

JOIN PASTOR CLAIRE & MICHELLE ALFONSO AS WE BEGIN THE SEASON OF ADVENT

- Family Christmas activity
- Light Dinner
- Then join us as we attend the Patchogue Christmas Parade on Main Street.

WELCA
GENERAL MEETING
AND
COOKIE
EXCHANGE

Join the Ladies of WELCA for their
General Meeting and Cookie Exchange
Bring your favorite homemade cookies, share the joy of baking, and leave with an assortment of festive treats to sweeten your holiday season

JOIN US AT 10:00AM FOR MEETING
all women of LCOS are WELCA members
and are invited to attend meetings
10:30AM COOKIE EXCHANGE

Saturday, December 7th

Lutheran Church of Our Savior
231 Jayne Avenue, Patchogue, New York 11772

Join us!

All are welcome
in this place.



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YOUTH GROUP

ICE SKATING

SUNDAY DECEMBER 15

1:00 - 3:00 PM

THE RINX IN HAPPAUGE

TEENS SKATE FREE

FRIENDS WELCOME!



SIGN UP AND JOIN US FOR TWO CAROLING EVENTS


Saturday, December 14th
from 12pm-2pm

Downtown Patchogue "It's a wonderful life" event

or

Sunday, December 15th at 2pm
Brookhaven Health Care Facility
in East Patchogue, New York

Christmas CAROLING



Pastor Claire and Lutheran Church of Our Savior invite you join them for two afternoons of caroling for our Patchogue neighbors and the residents of the Brookhaven Care facility.

Christmas Season

HELP DEACON JANET AND THE PANTRY TEAM SPREAD A LITTLE CHRISTMAS BLESSING TO OUR PANTRY FAMILIES

This Christmas Season LCOS Food Pantry would like to provide gift cards and board games to our pantry families. We are looking to provide a blessing to at least 40 families .

Collection Deadline
Sunday,
December 15th

DROP OFF
DONATIONS TO THE
FOOD PANTRY OR
CHURCH OFFICE

[HTTPS://LCOSEVENTS.VIEW-EVENTS.COM](https://lcos-events.view-events.com)

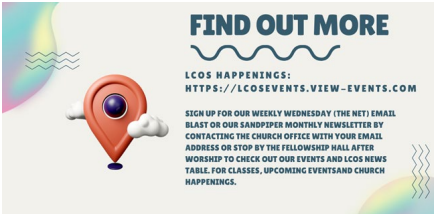
Thank you for your continued generosity throughout year.
Merry Christmas!



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WAYS TO GIVE TO LCOS
CONTACT CHURCH OFFICE
FOR MORE DETAILS

Thank you for your continued generosity and support.





For more information, scan the QR code here or visit our website:
<http://www.lcospatchogue.org/faithful-donations/>

Gifts made out to The Lutheran Church of Our Savior by check can be addressed and sent to the church at:
231 Jayne Ave, Patchogue, NY 11772.

YOUR GIVING MATTERS!



Give Online



STEWARDSHIP CORNER

October 13, 2024, Donations

TELLER SHEET	SIMPLY GIVING	TOTAL RECEIVED	WEEKLY DONATION COMPARED TO:	
\$1,286.00	\$1,015.00	\$2,301.00	LAST YEAR'S WEEKLY AVERAGE \$3,737.00	WEEKLY AMOUNT REQUIRED TO MEET THIS YEAR'S BUDGET \$3,900.00
			Oct 13th's donations were 38% less than last year's weekly average	<i>We needed just about \$1,600 more in order to meet our weekly budget.</i>

October 20, 2024, Donations

TELLER SHEET	SIMPLY GIVING	TOTAL RECEIVED	WEEKLY DONATION COMPARED TO:	
\$2,112.00	\$1,040.00	\$3,152.00	LAST YEAR'S WEEKLY AVERAGE \$3,737.00	WEEKLY AMOUNT REQUIRED TO MEET THIS YEAR'S BUDGET \$3,900.00
			Oct 20th's donations were 16% less than last year's weekly average.	<i>We needed just about \$750 more in order to meet our weekly budget. Better than Oct 13th, but not quite there!</i>

Thank you to our tellers on October 13th: **Linda Cook and Walter Stoerber.**

(And Walter stepped in at the last moment because the scheduled teller was not able to be at church! Thank you, Walter!)

Thank you to our tellers on October 20th: **Hank Mottl and Walter Stoerber**

We have to do better if we are going to meet our budget and fully and successfully carry out our mission.

But we've done it before, and we will do it again with the help of our loving God!

PRAYER REQUEST

IN OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS

<p><u>For those with Illness/Sickness Preparing for Surgery or Recuperating and for those who assist them and those in need of healing:</u> Barbara Marie Shepherd Brittany and Steve Diane Baruch Angela Bello Eileen Benedict Thomas Bergin Veronica Bergin Eric Bjorklund Fabiola Cahill Lawrence Cahill - Hospice Dianna Charpentier Nancy Clearly Ted Colligan Linda Cook Terry Costabile Alessia De La Vega Joaquin Sorzozano De La Vega Mary Ann Dittmeier Jeff Dittmeier Kathryn Monaco Douglas Timmy Dunn Ann Dunn Jeff Durham Bill Ellis Barbara Engesser Patty Kelly-Farmer Adeline Feeney Venus Gallant - ICU Miranda Gonzalez James Gonzalez Katherine Haberman Mark Hendricks Joseph Hernandez Marie Holst Nolan Horn-Child</p>	<p>Rachel & Paul Margaret – Recovery Michael Hyman Margaret Johonnett Marcel Joseph – Toddler Martha Kalish Peggy Kurz Don & Theresa Lanham Diane Lauben Vera Liles Thomas Liles June Lohmann Armando Luyo Carol Mc Caffrey Trevor McDonald Erin McQuade Pam Madison Ed Maguire and his family Melissa Mathieu John Meyer Bob Nielssen Jane Noack Mary O’Neill Kumi Deborah Oladapo Bruce Perry Nancy Pulsch Bill Roche Oscar Rojas Michele Sanchez Mario Saravia – Stroke Jim Schatz Grace Schumacher James Shields Scott Simonetti Rob Slater Irene Snyder Winston Sosa Rich Stewart Jim Tabb Matt Tosques Audrey Tremmel Giseli Vieira Carol Vilbig Linda</p>	<p>Miguel Villafane James Vogel Jean Wisbauer – Surgery Anthony Zeffiro – Surgery Walter Joanne – Metastatic Cancer Timothy Wittmann Janeen</p> <p><u>At Home</u></p> <p><u>In Hospice</u></p> <p><u>In Crisis/Recovery/Needs Prayers</u></p> <p><u>In Service</u> John Charpentier Will Dorvilier Ian Kuhn Corey Papile Logan Putnam</p> <p><u>Nursing Home/Rehab</u></p> <p><u>For the Families of:</u> Bill Ellis Eileen Kuhn Antonio Gonzalez Michele Barbera Liz Hansen Marilyn Clukey Mora Gibney</p>
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WE WOULD LIKE TO PRAY FOR YOU!

Please forward your prayer requests for the homebound, sick or recuperating, for those in crisis or recovery, in a nursing home/rehab or for those brave men and woman serving in our Military. **COMPLETE A BLUE PRAYER REQUEST FORM OUTSIDE THE CHURCH OFFICE OR FORWARD AN EMAIL REQUEST TO OFFICE@LCOSPATCHOGUE.ORG**



This year we are “Growing in Faith”

This season we start to explore our growing areas and create plans for the future of the church.

Together we ask:

How do we hope to grow in relationship to each other, our community and to God?

What stories might we share and what lessons might we learn to help us grow in our faith?



CONNECT WITH PASTOR CLAIRE

rev.c.repsoldt@gmail.com

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday: 12pm-5pm

Wednesday: 12pm-5pm

Sunday: 12pm-5pm

Pastor Claire would love to connect with you one on one to hear your stories of life in faith. Email Pastor Claire or call the office to schedule an appointment.

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