

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
MAY 12, 2024

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Worship Service: Sundays at **8:00 a.m.**

WELCOME TO ALL guests and visitors. It is great to have you here with us to receive the gifts of God in this place. If you have any questions, please speak with an usher. We look forward to seeing you again!

COMMUNION: The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is being offered to our confirmed communicants today and is administered in accordance with the Holy Scriptures and the Lutheran Confessions. It is celebrated in the confidence that we truly receive, under the bread and wine, the body and blood of our Lord, Jesus Christ, through which we further truly receive the forgiveness of sins. Besides individually receiving Christ's gift of forgiveness in this Sacrament, all those who commune here make a confession of their unity in the faith as it is believed and taught in our Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod and in this congregation. Therefore, if you are not a confirmed communicant member, in good standing, of a Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod congregation, we kindly ask that you respect our beliefs and refrain from coming to the altar to receive the Sacrament until you have had an opportunity to speak with the Pastor.

Those serving in May

Pastor: Rev. Joel Picard

Usher(s): Tom & Raylene Tisdale

Greeter(s): Carole Zimmerman

Elder: Jerry Roby

Media: Doug Woebbeking

Altar Guild: Gail Hartz

Piano: Ophie Hart

Organ: Joy McGinley

2nd Elder: Doug Woebbeking

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ENTRANCE HYMN

In Christ There is No East or West **LSB 653**

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Sit

OLD TESTAMENT READING

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

EPISTLE READING

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God

Stand

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HOLY GOSPEL

John 17:11b–19

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the seventeenth chapter.

C Glory be to Thee, O Lord.

[Jesus said:] “Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. While I

was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me. I have guarded them, and not one of them has been lost except the son of destruction, that the Scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you, and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves. I have given them your word, and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. I do not ask that you take them out of the world, but that you keep them from the evil one. They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

G Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

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SERMON HYMN

Blest Be the Tie That Binds**LSB 649**

SERMON by Pastor Picard

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CLOSING HYMN

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Blessings and safe travel for Pastor Picard, as he leaves during the closing hymn to meet his Knoxville congregation for their 9:30a worship service.

OSL Education Opportunities:

Sunday School: Sundays @ 9:30-10:30am, leaders – *Chris & Jerry Roby*

Adult Bible Class: Sundays @ 9:30-10:30am, leader – *Doug DeJong*, et al

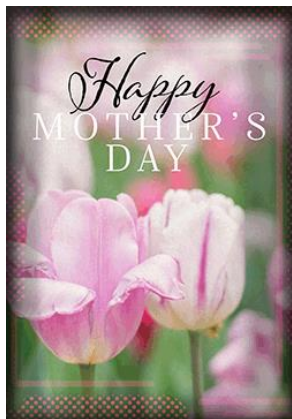
Wednesday Bible Study: 1-2:30pm, leader – *Pastor Picard*

OSL West (3rd Thurs of the month): 10:15-11am, leader – *Pastor Brandt*

This Week at Our Savior

| Day | Date | Time | Description |
|-----------|------|-------------------------|--|
| Sunday | 12 | 8:00a 9:00a 9:30a | Worship Service Fellowship Bible Study & Sunday School MOTHER'S DAY |
| Monday | 13 | | |
| Tuesday | 14 | 6:30p | Trustee's Meeting |
| Wednesday | 15 | 1:00-2:30p 6:30p | Bible Study w/ Pastor Picard Elder's Meeting |
| Thursday | 16 | 10:15a | OSL West Bible Study (Pr. Brandt) |
| Friday | 17 | | |
| Saturday | 18 | | |
| Sunday | 19 | 8:00a 9:00a 9:30a | Worship Service Fellowship Bible Study & Sunday School GRADUATION SUNDAY |

Happy Birthday to
 5/13 Raylene Tisdale
 5/16 Jerry Fortune
 5/17 Beverly Willaby
 5/18 Carole Zimmerman
 5/19 Jo Moses



Upcoming Dates of Interest

May 19 – Graduation Sunday

June 2 = Confirmation Sunday

**(Bible Study/Sunday School will start at 9:30a and the
Divine Service will begin at 11:00a)**

KARTER SMEAD



Karter is the son of Scott & Sabrina Smead and grandson of Jo Moses. He will be graduating from Lynnville-Sully on May 18th. In the fall, Karter will be attending Cornell College in Mount Vernon with a football scholarship.

Remember in your prayers.....

- Dawn Mesner will be undergoing surgery at the University hospital in Iowa City on May 16. We pray for God's blessings and comfort.
- Jeromy Van Baale, son of Carol Twedt, who is re-entering the hospital. Prayers for expert medical advice and guidance in decision-making.
- Ula Dow is experiencing a chronic health condition that often leaves her quite tired. We pray that medications assist her in regaining and sustaining her energy.
- Virgil Hartz, has been transferred to long term care at Newton Village
- Jane Chaplin (Texas), Loretta Tool's sister, suffering with Parkinson's Disease and onset of Dementia.
- Nancy Janssen, at Newton Healthcare Center for medical attention
- Stephanie Wellik, medical concerns
- Jan Vos & wife, Machele, son-in-law of Carol Twedt, recovering at home (stroke)
- The Ministry of The Pregnancy Center of Central Iowa
- The suffering of those impacted and all people who continue to be impacted by the devastation of the Hamas-Israel War and the impact of the gang wars in Haiti.
- People of Iowa and the Midwest who are trying to put their lives back together following the series of tornadoes that have hit in April and so far this month.

Our Missionaries

Rev. James and Angela Sharp, Uruguay

Carl & ChenHsi Li Hanson, Korea.

Dr. Stephen & Maggie Oliver, Taiwan



*In case of hospitalization or desire for a pastor visit, please contact
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Please let Mickey know if you have an addition or update to the Prayers for the congregation. Thank you.