

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH



MARCH 2023



WORD AND WORSHIP

CHRIST IS OUR RANSOM

I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live I live by believing in God's Son, who loved me and took the punishment for my sins.

Galatians 2:20

The phrases, "God's Son," "loved me," and "took the punishment for my sins" are lightning and thunder from Heaven against the idea that we are saved by good works. Our will and understanding contained such great wickedness, error, darkness, and ignorance that we could only be freed by an exceedingly high-priced ransom. Why do we think that our human reason is naturally inclined to the best and can correctly lead us? Why do we think each person should do as much as he can? Why do we bring our terrible sins, which are mere straw, to an angry God, who Moses calls "a raging fire"? Why do we want to haggle with God, trying to exchange our stubble for grace and eternal life? Listen to this passage. It says there's so much evil in our nature that the world and all creation can't reconcile us to God. God's son had to be offered for our sins.

But consider the price of this ransom carefully. Look at Christ, who was captured and offered for you. He is infinitely greater than and superior to anything else in creation. How will you respond when you hear that such a priceless ransom was offered for you? Do you still want to bring God your own good works? What is that compared to Christ's work? He shed his most precious blood for your sins.

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS
10:30 am in the Fellowship Hall

LADIES BIBLE STUDY
10:30 am

WEDNESDAY BIBLE CLASS
10:00 AM



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TAKE IT TO THE LORD IN PRAYER



For the spreading of the Gospel of Jesus Christ
-here, there, and everywhere-
through the word and deeds of
ALL God's people.



PRAYERS FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING

End of coronavirus

Our nation and
People of Ukraine
Christians - return to the Bible
Middendorf family - Mourning the passing of Cole Shelton
Phyllis Huddleston - Friend of Art & Linda Wehmeyer, health concerns
Amy Neuzil - sister-in-law of Bob Mullins, upcoming surgery
Courtney Sims - granddaughter of Ray & Ellen Sims, recovering from surgery
Linda Mueller - niece of Ray & Ellen Sims, cancer treatments

OUR ADOPTED MILITARY:

Nick Beagley (Bretscher)

CONTINUING HEALTH ISSUES:

Stan & Dorothy Barsky, Frances Bell, LeRoy & Fran Ettling, John Folkerts, Billy Lane, John Morgan, Jim Thomas

PRAYERS FOR OTHERS:

For the homeless in the Bridgeton area. For our missionaries who serve the Lord in foreign lands. For persecuted Christians around the world. For innocent civilians trying to survive in war-torn areas. Those who serve in our nation's armed forces and our Government leaders. For God's grace that we may have the desire to love our enemies and pray for those who persecute us.



"FEED THE HUNGRY"

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1st
9:00 am



Needed: donations of fruit, loaves of bread, individually wrapped chips & snack items

Please have all donations brought to the church kitchen before Wednesday

Especially needed are people to help assemble the lunches and drive to St. Patrick's!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS - MARCH 2023

1	W	FEED THE HUNGRY 9:00 am LENT SERVICE 7:00 pm Chimes/Choir 6:00 pm - 8pm	21	T	
2	TH	CHAIR YOGA 10:15 am	22	W	BIBLE STUDY 10:00 am LENT SERVICE 7:00 pm Chimes / Choir 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
3	F	(Church office Closed) Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm	23	TH	CHAIR YOGA 10:15 am
4	S	Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm	24	F	(Church office Closed) Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm
5	SUN	SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:00 am Bible Study/Sunday School 10:30 am	25	S	Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm
6	M	(Church office Closed)	26	SUN	SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:00 am Bible Study/Sunday School 10:30 am
7	T		27	M	(Church office Closed)
8	W	BIBLE STUDY 10:00 am LENT SERVICE 7:00 pm Chimes /Choir 6:00 pm - 8pm	28	T	Elders meetig 7:00 pm
9	TH	CHAIR YOGA 10:15 am	29	W	BIBLE STUDY 10:00 am LENT SERVICE 7:00 pm Chimes / Choir 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
10	F	(Church office Closed) Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm	30	TH	CHAIR YOGA 10:15 am
11	S	Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm	31	F	(Church office Closed) Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm
12	SUN	SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:00 am Bible Study/Sunday School 10:30 am VOTERS MEETING (after Bible Study)			
13	M	(Church office Closed)			
14	T				
15	W	BIBLE STUDY 10:00 am LENT SERVICE 7:00 pm Chimes /Choir 6:00 pm - 8pm			
16	TH	CHAIR YOGA 10:15 am			
17	F	(Church office Closed) Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm			
18	S	CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE 7:00 pm Narcotics Anonymous 7 pm			
19	SUN	SUNDAY WORSHIP 9:00 am Bible Study/Sunday School 10:30 am Narcotics Anonymous Business Mtg. 1pm			
20	M	(Church office Closed)			



WORSHIP SCHEDULE MARCH 2023

Serving: March 5th

ALTAR FLOWERS: Lent - No Flowers
ALTAR GUILD: Kathy Leonard; Pauline Tulloch
ELDER: Bill Fey
COUNTER: Dan & Marie Woodcock
FELLOWSHIP: June Hahn; Beautiful Savior
MUSICIAN: Karen Haak
GREETER: Bonnie Miller
READER: Harry Grodie
SOUND & LIGHTS: Tim Decker; Bob Mullins
USHER: 1

Serving: March 12th

ALTAR FLOWERS: Lent - No Flowers
ALTAR GUILD: Kathy Leonard; Pauline Tulloch
ELDER: Bill Fey
COUNTER: Sally Lane & Rebecca Wegman
FELLOWSHIP: Dennis Niehaus
MUSICIAN: Anita Tissi
GREETER: Sharon Leriche
READER: Art Wehmeyer
SOUND & LIGHTS: Tim Decker; Bob Mullins
USHER: 2

Serving: March 19th

ALTAR FLOWERS: Lent - No Flowers
ALTAR GUILD: Marlene Muraski; Linda Watts
ELDER: Bill Crichton
COUNTER: Jo & Abbey Sundermeyer
FELLOWSHIP: ?/ Devin Linhardt
MUSICIAN: Monica Kelpé
GREETER: Dan & Marie Woodcock
READER: liturgist
SOUND & LIGHTS: Tim Decker; Bob Mullins
USHER: 3

Serving: March 26th

ALTAR FLOWERS: Lent - No Flowers
ALTAR GUILD: Marlene Muraski; Linda Watts
ELDER: Bill Crichton
COUNTER: Christine Foelsing
FELLOWSHIP: Harry & Regi Grodie
MUSICIAN: Kay Kinder
GREETER: Rebecca Goveia
READER: Bill Crichton
SOUND & LIGHTS: Tim Decker; Bob Mullins
USHER: 4



CONGRATS TO BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR MEMBERS ON THEIR SPECIAL DAY

**MARCH BAPTISM
REMEMBRANCES**

Linda Watts	03/01
JoAnn Hopkins	03/02
Tom Hopkins	03/03
Betty Wagner	03/05
Izabella Muraski	03/06
Kaylin Muraski	03/06
Nicholas Muraski	03/06
Stanley Barsky	03/10
Dorothy Barsky	03/18
Nancy Barry	03/23

**MARCH BIRTHDAY
REMEMBRANCES**

David Wilson	03/05
John Morgan	03/10
Abbey Sundermeyer	03/10
Dennis Niehaus	03/12
Don Templeton	03/12
Kate Mullins	03/21
Becky Williams	03/26

**MARCH
ANNIVERSARIES**

Tim & Nancy Barry
03/06/1970
53 yrs



**Jesus said
to him,**

*“I am the way,
the truth, and
the life.
No one comes
to the Father
except
through me.”*

John 14:6 NKJV



WORD OF TRUTH

**“Not one word of all the good promises that the LORD had made to the house of Israel had failed; all came to pass.”
Joshua 21:45**



To learn more, support the work in Ukraine and help those affected by this war, visit lcms.org/ukraine.

SPAGHETTI DINNER

AFTER THE VOTERS MEETING

MARCH 12th
2PM - 4PM
ADULTS - \$10.00
12 AND UNDER - \$5.00

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