

Savior Divine Lutheran Church
10040 S. 88TH Ave. Palos Hills, IL 60465



THE GOSPEL NEWS

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**Sunday Worship
10 a.m.**

FROM THE PASTOR...

"Being Aware of Jesus' Presence"



I hope you are doing well. I have just recovered from being infected with COVID. I have to admit it has been frustrating getting this virus since I felt I went two years escaping it. However, I'm glad that I am having a good recovery. We can think of healing as a "tiny resurrection." For those of us who have been sick, I hope we can enjoy our restored health.

We are now in the Eastertide season and we know that Jesus did appear to his followers after rising from the dead. However, they did not readily identify him. Mary Magdalene was in the garden and saw someone whom she thought was the gardener. It was only *after* Jesus spoke her name, that she recognized him. Consider Jesus' walk with those two of his followers going back home to Emmaus. They did not recognize Jesus as he was walking alongside them and talking. It was only *after* he shared a meal with them, that they recognized him.

I wonder how often we miss seeing Jesus at work in our world and in our own personal lives. Yes, we do need spiritual eyeglasses to behold his presence. Let this be our **discipleship emphasis** in this Eastertide season. I would have you be on the lookout: Where do you see Jesus at work in our world today and how might his presence be in your own life?

Pastor Marty

"Continuing Our Journey"

"Trust. Pray. And thank God for his blessings along the way"

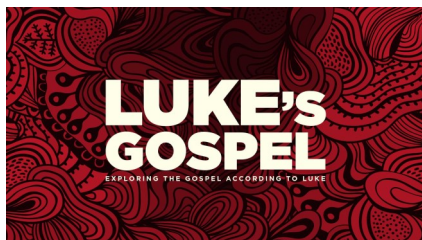
Royal Family Kids Camp



Our mission project for May/June is the Royal Family Kids Camp. As you know, this camp provides a week of unconditional love for children who are in the foster system because of neglect or abuse. It costs \$250 per child to attend. All attendees are paid for by donations. The more donated, the more children get to go. Your donations also help to provide a goodie bag for kids and a birthday celebration while at the camp. Our church has always been very generous to this worthy cause. Let's see if we can send even more kids to camp.

Linda Good
Director of missions

Discipleship Group



The group is studying Luke's Gospel. Please contact Pastor Marty if you are interested in being a part of this group. The group meets on Zoom.

Synod Assembly



The Synod assembly of the Metropolitan Chicago Synod will be held on Saturday, June 4th, at the Chicago Marriott Hotel in Naperville. Savior Divine is entitled to have two delegates from the congregation in addition to the Pastor. If you would desire to go as a delegate, please contact Pastor Marty.



Businesses We Use And Can Recommend

Kathy's Kreations 708-599-7457

Executive Green Carpet Cleaning 708-599-5151

Chicagoland Heating & Air Conditioning 708-425-0600

Father & Son Landscaping (Lawn Care) 708-430-4746

Bridgeview Roofing (Tom Metlow) 708-710-7663

K & O Decorating (inside painting) (Ken Osborne) 708-598-3209

True Green Spraying Service (Lawn Weed Control) 888-571-3427

Ted's Plumbing & Sewer (Curt Kunz) 708-846-0525

Roy Sanchez Paving (Commercial Paving) 815-762-7290

Legacy Paving (Rigo Sanchez) (Residential) 708-516-9119

Sandy Gillette (Painter) 708-574-8786

Cristinna Lungu (Home Products) www.amway.com/myshop/cristinalungu

Alonso (Clean up & Lawn Care) 708-769-2931

LET US PRAY


What better time
 And what better season
 What greater occasion
 Or more wonderful reason
 To kneel down in prayer
 And lift our hands high
 To the God of creation,
 Who made land and sky.
 And, oh, what a privilege
 As the new year begins
 To ask God to wipe out
 Our errors and sins
 And to know when we ask,
 If we are sincere,
 He will wipe our slate clean
 As we start a new year.
 So at this glad season
 When joy's everywhere,
 Let us meet our Redeemer
 At the altar of prayer.

Helen Steiner Rice



May 2022

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

1	2	3	4	5 Elsie's Pantry 2-4 p.m.	6	7
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15 Church Council	16	17	18	19 Elsie's Pantry 2-4 p.m.	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Elsie's Pantry 2-4 p.m.	27	28
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Worship Schedule April/May 2022

DATE	ASSIS- TANT	LECTOR	LECTOR	REMOTE	USHERS	COUN- TER	CAMERA
5/1 Third Sunday of Easter	Bob Good	John Vanecko	Paul Wackenhuth	Cathi Predl		Terry LeGrand	Jeff Psolla
5/8 Fourth Sunday of Easter	Linda Good	Jackie Bellettiere	Linda Good	Vicki Doherty		Terry LeGrand	Jeff Psolla
5/15 Fifth Sunday of Easter	Bob Good	Fran Lense	Matt Birk	Cathi Predl		Terry LeGrand	Jeff Psolla
5/22 Sixth Sunday of Easter	Vicki Doherty	Jill Cottrell	Vicki Doherty	Ursula Bittermann		Terry LeGrand	Jeff Psolla
5/29 Seventh Sunday of Easter	Jan Beckman	Jeff Psolla	Jan Beckman	Vicki Doherty		Terry LeGrand	Jeff Psolla
6/5 Pentecost	Bob Good	Susan Adamek	Jackie Bellettiere	Ursula Bittermann		Terry LeGrand	Jeff Psolla