



# Good Morning!

February 8, 2009

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## Today's flowers on the Altar

have been given to the glory of God by the Wedemeier and Goorsky families in honor and celebration of Norm Goorsky's 80<sup>th</sup> birthday.



## This Week At Our Saviour's

### MONDAY 09

Chatty Stampers - 1pm - Patio Room  
Recorders - 5pm - Office

### TUESDAY 10

Men's Bible Study - 7am - Patio Room  
Hannah Lydia - 1pm - Patio Room  
Council - 7pm - Patio Room

### WEDNESDAY 11

Rebecca - 1pm - Patio Room  
Primavera cooks - 2pm - Activity Building  
Celebrations Reh - 6:30pm - Sanctuary

### THURSDAY 12

Chancel Choir Reh. - 7:15pm - AB, Sanctuary  
Beyond - 7:30pm - Norris House

### FRIDAY 13

Bible Study - 9:30am - Patio Room  
JL Progressive Dinner - 5pm - Youth Center

### SATURDAY 14

Women's Day Apart - 9am - Activity Building

### SUNDAY 15

Chapel - 7:45am - Koch Chapel  
Traditions - 8:45am - Sanctuary  
Sunday Forum - 10:10am - Koch Chapel  
Sunday School - 10:10am - Activity Building  
Celebrations - 11:15am - Sanctuary  
Lunch - 12:30pm - Activity Building  
**Annual Meeting - 1pm - Sanctuary**  
Encounter Service - 5:30pm - Koch Chapel



Please add to your prayer list...



Prayers of Concern for:

Ron Almgren      Ellsworth Hanson  
Helen Von Thun

## Sunday 10:10 a.m. Christian Education

### SUNDAY FORUM

Koch Chapel

**FEB. 8: "IS THERE AN ELEPHANT IN THE ROOM: CAN WE DO THEOLOGY IN LIGHT OF EVOLUTION?"** Dr. Tom Lindell, UA Professor Emeritus, Molecular/Cellular Biology. Charles Darwin's proposal for evolution via natural selection was seminal in that it posited that no external influence, other than the environment, was needed to account for how life evolved. Those who interpreted Darwin saw no room for God as "Creator" and the controversy ensued which emanated into a conflict between science and religion. If this is true, and God is still part of our belief system, it demands a whole new way of thinking theologically.

**FEB. 15: "THE GALAPAGOS ISLANDS"** led by Eileen McCormick & Jennifer Strand

### BIBLE STUDY

Patio Room

**ACTS:** led by Pastor Marilyn

Come join this study of Paul's missionary journeys and how they connect with our life journeys and the mission of the church today!

## Wednesday Options Education

Dinner at 6:00 p.m. Activity Building / Nursery Available  
(There is a suggested donation of \$3 per adult, \$2 per child to help cover the cost of the meal)

Youth Classes Meet From 6:45 - 7:30 p.m.

### Faith Development Classes, (Feb 4, 11, 18)

**Should I or Shouldn't I?** (3-5 graders, AB 1, Ginny Phillips)

**Help! My Friend Needs Me** (6-8 graders, Kris Wedemeier)



### Kids Club



GOD'S P.A.L.S.  
LITTLE LEAGUE  
MIDDLE LEAGUE  
JR. LEAGUE  
SR. LEAGUE

PreSchoolers (Play & Learn Storytime)  
Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> graders  
3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders  
6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> graders  
High School youth



**ADULT CLASS** (meets from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m., Jan. 14 - Feb. 11) Koch Chapel

**"The Seven Deadly Sins"** led by Pastor Marilyn

This class will take a contemporary look at what was known in the Medieval period as "the seven deadly sins." We'll look at such tempting topics as pride, greed, gluttony (do dark chocolates count?), lust, sloth, anger and envy. No fire and brimstone preaching from your pastor, just a chance to look at whether these things still matter and what they mean today.

## College & Young Adult

**BEYOND** a group of 20-30-somethings that meets THURS. - 7:30 P.M. at Norris House. please contact Kristin at [BeyondOSLC@gmail.com](mailto:BeyondOSLC@gmail.com) for more details.

## EVENTS

**TODAY: A GREATER GIFT FAIRTRADE SALE** will be on the patio. Hearts of various media and other red colored items will be available. Several kinds of tea, including Rooibos and Chai along with the usual popular teas, will be there, too. The next sale will be in March.

**FEB. 9: CWU - "CLAIMING A NEW VISION TOGETHER."** 9-11:30 a.m. at St. Andrews Presby. Church (old building) (7650 N. Paseo del Norte) Claudia Ellquist, newly elected as National Church Women United Action and Global Concerns chairperson, will be honored. All are welcome to come, share fellowship with refreshments at 9am. *For more information please call Mary Lou Barker 299-5882 or Martha DeWarf 327-3000.*

## Weekday Morning Classes

**TUESDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY 7:00 A.M.**

Patio Room

We are continuing **Isaiah** with direction provided by volunteer participants. Please bring your Bible and join us for fellowship. Chuck Jonaitis

**FRIDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY 9:30 A.M.**

Patio Room

We are studying **Jeremiah**. All are welcome! For further info. please contact Florence Howe.

**FEB. 14: WOMEN'S DAY APART.** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Activity Building. Sign up on the patio today! A half day "retreat" for the women in our church. The theme is "Women of Wisdom". Speakers include Pr. Marilyn - "A Wise Heart", Mary Lou Forier - "Wrinkled Wisdom", Linda Johns - Laughter Yoga, Claire Thai - harpist, and more! Continental breakfast and lunch (catered by Meredith Savin) will be served. Cost is \$8.50. Please plan to attend this day of fellowship and refreshment!

### FEB 15: THE OSLC ANNUAL MEETING

is scheduled on February 15, 2009 to begin at 1 p.m. in the Sanctuary. The luncheon following the 11:15 service will be prepared by the OSLC Via de Cristo community. Sign up in the office for Nursery care. *Please come and participate in the life of the church.*



Annual Meeting

**FEB. 15: Walking dog theater's, "THE GOSPEL OF JOHN."** At 7 p.m., the Performing Arts Center at Greenfields Country Day School (6000 N. Camino de la Tierra.) Three actors, David Anderson, Laurie Portocarrero, and Glen Williamson, bring to life the drama and poetry of the Gospel with stunning simplicity and imagination. The actual text of the Bible in a modern yet poetic translation is used. This live performance employs drama, choral speaking, storytelling, and song in a breathtaking journey that is inspiring and accessible to everyone. For more information please contact: Cathy Rex at (520) 490-6032 or [TucsonAnthro@aol.com](mailto:TucsonAnthro@aol.com). *See the bulletin board outside of the office.*

**FEB. 21: PLAY -"MURDER, MUSIC & MAYHEM."** Presented by The Fifth Commandment at 6 p.m. at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church (7570 N. Thornydale Rd.) Come and have a most enjoyable evening for only \$10, including dinner. Clues are available for \$1 each as tables race to solve the mystery and win the evening's prize. For more information and ticket reservations please call the church office at 744-2665 (by Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>.)

**FEB. 16 & 17: RALLY IN THE VALLEY XIV-LUTHERAN SENIORS ASSEMBLY** The theme this year is, "And Grace will lead me home..." The program includes, music, food, exhibits, and a marketplace. Pastor Lars is an Interest Group Leader.

*If you have any questions please contact Patty Sirls or Jo Musser-Kraus.*

**FEB.19: LIVELY LUTHERANS-TOUR OF THE TUCSON RECYCLE FACILITY** (3909 Runway Drive.) The tour begins at 9:30 a.m., but you must be there by 9:25 a.m. Wear suitable shoes for walking on rough surfaces. Lunch will be at Mimi's. If you need a ride, meet at the church office. We will leave at 9 a.m.

*Please sign up in the office by 2-16-09 and pick-up a map for directions.*

**FEB. 28: RUMMAGE SALE IS COMING** We're getting ready! Please drop off donations on Sundays! We can **not** take computers and we need plastic grocery bags. If you need assistance, call Kris Wedemeier (327-6521) as soon as possible. Thank you.

## ALL YOUTH GROUPS

**MOMMIES GROUP.** Mar. 1st! 1 p.m.

**GOD'S PALS** (Toddlers!) Mar. 1st! 1 p.m.

**LITTLE LEAGUE:** (Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd graders!) **PAINT YOURSELF SILLY!!** Sun. Mar.1st, 1p.m. \$20

**MIDDLE LEAGUE:** (3rd, 4th & 5th graders!) **FONDUE PARTY!** Fri. Feb. 20th, 6 p.m. (no dinner)

**JR. LEAGUE:** (6th, 7th & 8th graders!) **PROGRESSIVE DINNER!** Feb.13th, 5 p.m.

**SR. LEAGUE:** (High School!), **OUT TO LUNCH! TODAY!** 1 p.m.

**JR. & SR. LEAGUE: RUMMAGE CALLS** every Saturday. Please meet here at 10 a.m. to sort & price treasures!

How to sign up for events:

Email:[krisw@oslc.psemail.com](mailto:krisw@oslc.psemail.com) - or call the office,327-6521, Kris W., 241-9519 or the league's youth leader. Youth bulletin board in Activity Bldg.

## Helping Hands

(Ecumenical Action) Blue Box on Patio

**PRIMAVERA AND GOSPEL RESCUE MISSION:** warm caps, scarves and gloves (clean/used or new). Put in the red box. OSLC men will deliver these items when they serve dinner on Wed., Feb. 11th.

**OUR FAMILY & ST. JOSEPH'S PANTRY:** Include with your food donations: crackers; canned potted meat, Vienna sausages and other ready to eat food that does not need refrigeration or heating.

**GOSPEL RESCUE MISSION:** Work clothes, personal care items, esp. deodorant/antiperspirant, tennis shoes, socks and Vit. C tablets, non-alcohol cold medicine. Please label **GRM** and bring to the office.

**RECYCLE:** the fronts of Christmas and other greeting cards to be made into new cards. New greeting cards and envelopes, stationery and calendars are needed by people in various shelters.

## StewardSHIP Launchings

Valentine's Day is approaching. How can you open your heart to God's gifts? Maybe more importantly, how can and do you respond?



## See Our Bulletin Boards

(outside the church office)

- \*Needs of refugee families
- \*World Hunger
- \*Community Information
- \*Fairtrade Sales

## Who's Who at Our Saviour's

Marilyn Ascarza  
Senior Pastor

Lars Hammar  
Associate Pastor

Kris Wedemeier - Director,  
Youth & Family Ministries

Tammie Anderson,  
Nursery Coordinator

Kathy Oksol  
Volunteer Coordinator

Norene Walters  
Organist/Chancel  
Choir Director

Chuck Josephson  
Pianist

Eric Cross  
Celebrations Team Director

Jacob Acosta  
Encounter Musician

Patty Sirls  
Office Coordinator

Jennifer Strand  
Publications  
Coordinator

Ann Scrivener  
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Frank Navarro  
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Danny White  
Custodian