



Vision

All will know and experience God's love.

Mission

To be a welcoming community, rooted in scripture, growing in faith and proclaiming Jesus is the way.

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Welcome Guests

**Sunday, May 26, 2024
Trinity Sunday**

- **Restrooms** are located downstairs from the Church Lobby.
- **Handicap access** to the lower level is inside Door #1 or you can exit the front left door of the sanctuary, go through the 1st double doors and left at the next double doors.
- A **Hearing Assist** system is available in the back of church at the Welcome Center.
- **Children's Bulletins** are available for ages 3-6 and 7-12.
- **The Nursery** is available for parents and children. Exit the front left door of the sanctuary (no matter how noisy your children are ... it's OK ... really.) and follow the signs.

Sunday Schedule

- ✦ **8:15am**—Classic Traditions
- ✦ **9:15am**—Fellowship Time
- ✦ **9:30am**—Christian Education
- ✦ **10:45am**—New Song

Live Stream and Cable Options

- ✦ **Church Center app** or <https://oursaviorexcelior.churchcenter.com/channels>
- ✦ **Visit www.oslcs.org** and click on Video Ministry or the Facebook image at the top
- ✦ **10:45am Broadcast on Mediacom Channel 21** on Saturdays & Sundays at 7:00pm

Digital Check-in

We invite everyone to digitally check-in each week, especially if you are watching at home.



- In-person
- Live streaming
- Watching later

Pull out your smart phone and check in the entire household (first/last name and email required for each adult).

- OSLCS.org**
- Check in on the **Church Center app**
- Scan the **QR Code** →



No smart phone or e-mail? Please sign the registration pad in the pews.

Christian Education

Matthew—Summer Adult Bible Study, Sunday, 9:45-10:30am, Room B06 with Pastor Fred [Resumes June 9](#). Each session stands on its own, come as often as you can!

Revealing Jesus in the Old Testament—(Returning in the Fall) Mondays, 3:30pm

Women's Bible Study—(Returning in the Fall) Tuesday afternoons

Zoom Bible Study—(Returning in the Fall) Wednesday mornings

Men's Bible Study—(Returning in the Fall) Fridays, 6:15am

Today's Worship Service

Holy Communion

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“Holy, Holy, Holy”

Invocation

Opening Sentences

Confession & Absolution

Kyrie

Salutation & Prayer of the Day

Children's Message & Digital Check-in

Reading of God's Word

Genesis 1:26-31

Psalms 139: 13-18

John 8:1-11

Apostles' Creed

“In Christ Alone”

Message

Offering

Prayers

Preparation for the Sacrament

Lord's Prayer

“Remembrance (The Communion Song)”

Post Communion

Benediction

“Your Love Awakens Me”

Announcements

Are You Getting the Weekly E-News?

If you are not getting the Our Savior eNews in your e-mail box on Fridays, please sign up now! Log onto www.oslcs.org and sign up toward the bottom of the page or scan the QR code to get started.

You can also log onto www.oslcs.org and click on **“This Week's Bulletin”** to see the [Friday eNews](#), weekly bulletins and quarterly ministry updates. Don't miss out!



Sunday, May 26



Deadline to attend

The deadline to attend the 100th Anniversary reception is **Friday, May 31**. If you are only attending the 10:00am Worship Service, there is no need to register. All the details are on the next page.

Sunday, June 2

We Want to Hear From You!

Please join us on **Sunday, June 2nd at 9:30am** in the Fellowship Hall for a congregational listening session regarding the church building.

This is your opportunity to hear from Station 19 and learn more about their information gathering process. They also want to hear from you as they consider potential updates to our space. It would help Station 19 in their planning to understand the following:

- What do you love most about the ministry at Our Savior?
- What are the feelings/impressions/experiences the church should/could make for first time visitors?
- What are some of the best features of the site and facilities?
- What parts of the facility, if any, do you think need improvement?



People in Need



We will be collecting for the People in Need Fund **today** to help those in our church family and in our community who are in need of assistance.

Online giving

- Use an envelope in the pew
- Scan the QR Code
- **Text** any amount to **84321** and follow the instructions. Key word: *People in Need*
- Give through the Church Center App

May 27-June 1

Excelsior Memorial Day Parade & Service

Remember those who have given their lives in service of our country by lining Water Street to watch the parade on **Monday, May 27 at 11:00am**. It begins at Excelsior Elementary, goes down Water Street, and continues to Oak Hill Cemetery. Walk behind the firetrucks to the cemetery, and gather on the hill for the short, moving graveside service (MHS choir, Girl and Boy Scouts, American Heritage Girls, American Legion, bugle taps) that follows at 11:30.

This year, weather permitting, the morning will include a flyover by two military propeller driven aircraft. Let's not forget the real reason why we celebrate Memorial Day. God bless America!

Pickleball

Beginning on May 30, we are transitioning to a summer schedule. During the summer months, Pickleball for Men, women 18+ and youth 13+ with their parent(s) are invited to play on **Thursdays from 6:00-9:00pm**. Look at the calendar for exact dates.

National Youth Gathering Meeting

There will be a National Youth Gathering parent/youth meeting on **Sunday, June 2 at 5:45pm**. If your child is interested in attending in 2025 or you want to learn more about it (no commitments necessary) please attend this informational meeting.

LWML Mites

Be sure to bring in your LWML Mites next Sunday, which are used for local, national and international Mission Grants.

The Summer LWML Quarterly is also available in the Fellowship Hall.

Sunday, June 9

Youth Event

The youth will be participating in a year end *Amazing Race* on **Sunday, June 9 from 5:00-8:30pm**. Check your email for details and for details of the adult help that will be needed.

June 10-15

Upcoming Events

Cribbage

Join God's Guys on **Monday, June 10 at 7:00pm** for Cribbage in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome to participate.

Sunday, June 16

100TH Anniversary Celebration
Sunday, June 16, 2024

OPEN HOUSE - 8:30am - Donuts & coffee and tour the Our Savior campus
WORSHIP - 10:00am - in the Community Center for a time of worship
RECEPTION - Immediately following the service
 Chaska Event Center (3210 Chaska Blvd) for a time of fellowship
 A complimentary lunch is served at 1:00pm, followed by a short program
 (Advanced registration is required for meal by May 31)

GROWING IN FAITH
 100 Years
 Our Savior Lutheran Church, Excelsior

For more details, visit:
www.oslcs.org/100th-Anniversary/

Lunch registration

Our Savior Lutheran Church, 23290 Highway 7, Excelsior, MN

Registration for Anniversary Lunch

The reception & lunch that will follow the 100th Anniversary worship service at Chaska Event Center is complimentary, but advanced registrations is required. **You must register by May 31 to attend the reception & lunch.** If you are only attending the worship service, you do not need to register.

You can scan the QR code and register or call the church office at 952-474-5181 with your meal choice.

Meal Choices

- ⇒ Bruschetta Chicken (GF) with mashed potatoes and grilled vegetables
- ⇒ Chianti Beef Tips (GF) with mashed potatoes and grilled vegetables
- ⇒ White Wine Penne Pasta, lemon/garlic cream, tomatoes and spinach (Vegetarian)
- ⇒ Kids Meal - Chicken Tenders, fries & fruit

There is also a **commemorative 100th anniversary booklet** being created. If you want to receive one, you can reserve your copy when you register for the reception or an order form will be available later.

Opportunity to Protect Our Protectors

Shield616 works tirelessly to help first responders go towards danger knowing that they have the best physical protection available and the love of their community behind them. Their passion is to serve first responders, including police, sheriff, fire, and EMS.

The TOUR de SHIELD616 is a fundraising bike ride on June 19-23 that is making a stop in Excelsior. The ride helps to provide vests and is also a promise to never forget those who gave the ultimate sacrifice. This year they will be honoring Pope County Sheriff Deputy Josh Owen EOW 4-15-23.

Our Savior has the honor of hosting about 40 riders, many of which are first responders, on Thursday, June 20. They will be arriving in the late afternoon, eating supper, and staying overnight in our Community Center. They will eat breakfast and continue their ride across Minnesota.

What can you do to help? Would you like to welcome, share the Gospel, pray over and love on these bikers/first responders? Would you like to help cook or serve dinner (5-6pm) or Breakfast (7am)? **Contact Laurie.Bromenshenkel@oslcs.org.**

Would you like to participate in or volunteer during the bike ride? Would you like to donate to this organization as they help protect our protectors? **<https://shield616.org/2024-tour-de-shield616-minnesota-ride/>**



Church Photos

- * May 5 Salad Luncheon Photos can be seen by scanning this QR code ⇒
- * If anyone has any church photos from the 50's and 60's, please share them with Kat at verge41productions@gmail.com





This and That

Budget & Attendance

Weekly offering received: May 18

- Total received: \$9,571.30

Fiscal offering year to date: May 18

- Total offering received: \$388,573.78
- Total offering budgeted: \$422,326.35
- % above or below budget: -8.0%

May 19: 115 + 56 = 171 Livestream: 43 + 18 = 61

Prayers


- Guide and direct the leaders of Our Savior; Give the leaders of this state and nation the wisdom and integrity to lead us;
- Lord, please provide a qualified Toddler teacher for Our Savior School;
- Heavenly Father, provide joyful and willing volunteers to help guide & teach our kids through full day and half day VBS;
- Grant Your peace and reconciliation to overcome all hatred, conflict, and war;
- Provide healing to those who are sick and strength to those facing long term illnesses including: Lu Beise, Ken Kuhnly, Darwin & Vangie Krueger, Don Hoekstra, Sarah Pietz, Rosie Breheim, Marlene Doheny, Joan Lange;
- We pray for those celebrating birthdays this week.

Help is Still Needed

Vacation Bible School Volunteer Needs

- Mon-Fri Full Day Adult Volunteer (8:45-3:15) - 1
- Mon-Fri Morning Adult Volunteer (8:45-12:15) - 2
- AM Bible Story Leader for Preschool/Kindergarten - 1
- AM Bible Story Assistant (could be youth) - 1
- AM Snack Assistant (could be youth) - 2
- AM Skit/Story/Verse leader for preschool/kinder - 1
- Am Skit/Story/Verse assistant - 1
- PM Checkout Helper - 1
- Provide OR Serve Lunch for 10-12 people - 2 days
- Contact Laura to help Laura.Kimber@oslcs.org




May

<p>26 ★ Holiday Schedule ★</p> <p>Worship w/ Communion *10:00am Single Worship Service ** NO Bible Study **</p>	<p>27</p> <p>All Programs Closed— Childcare, Preschool, Kindergarten, Extended Care & Offices</p> 	<p>28</p> <p>6:00pm Trustee Meeting 7:00pm Troop 409 PLC Meeting</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p> <p>12:00pm A Time for Prayer 6:00-9:00pm Pickleball (13+ with parent to adults)</p>	<p>31</p>	<p>1</p> <p>9:00am Recovery Support Group</p>
<p>No Preschool or Kindergarten (Childcare Open)</p>						

Services on Mediacom
Ch. 21 Saturdays &
Sundays at 7:00pm

June 2024
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This calendar is constantly being updated!
Check out the very latest events and activities at
<https://oursavior/excelcslor.churchcenter.com/calendar>

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>2 Worship *8:15am Classic Traditions 9:15am Fellowship 9:30am Congregational Listening Session with Station 19 9:30am Praise Team Practice *10:45am New Song</p> <p>5:45pm National Youth Gathering Informational Meeting 6:30pm 6th-8th Gr Woven Youth 6:30pm 9th-12th Gr Elevate Youth</p>	<p>3 6:00pm Troop 409 Meeting</p>	<p>4 5:30pm 100th Anniversary Meeting 6:30pm Elders</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6 12:00pm A Time for Prayer 6:00-9:00pm Pickleball (13+ with parent to adults)</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>1 9:00am Recovery Support Group</p> <p>8 9:00am LWMML Convention Meeting 9:00am Recovery Support Group 1:00pm Gym Rental</p>
<p>9 Worship w/ Communion *8:15am Classic Traditions 9:15am Fellowship 9:30am Adult Bible Study 9:30am Praise Team Practice *10:45am New Song</p> <p>5:00-8:30pm pm 6th-8th Gr & 9th-12th Gr Youth "Amazing Race"</p>	<p>10 7:00pm Cribbage</p>	<p>11 6:00pm Building Expansion Committee</p>	<p>12 6:00-8:00pm Music Rehearsal</p>	<p>13 12:00pm A Time for Prayer 6:00-9:00pm Pickleball (13+ with parent to adults)</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15 9:00am Recovery Support Group T troop 409 PLC Meeting</p>
<p>16 * 100th Anniversary Celebration * Worship 8:30am Open House (Fellowship Hall) *10:00am Single Worship Service (Community Center) Reception & Lunch to Follow (Chaska Event Center)</p>  	<p>17</p>	<p>18 6:30pm Board of Directors</p>	<p>19</p> 	<p>20 12:00pm A Time for Prayer 6:00pm Childcare Advisory Committee 3:00pm TOUR de SHIELD616 arrival & Supper</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 9:00am Recovery Support Group</p>
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