

*Our Saviour's Lutheran Church E-Bulletin Week of April 21<sup>st</sup> - April 27<sup>th</sup>* 

**Our Purpose:** Celebrate, cultivate and share God's love. **Our Values:** Welcoming, Compassion, Serving, Respect.

## **Announcements**

JOIN US FOR WORSHIP ON SUNDAYS: We will be worshiping In-Person and via livestream on BOTH Facebook and YouTube. On Sunday at 10:30am tune in to <u>https://</u> www.facebook.com/oursavioursarlington or <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/</u> UCkurr6FCzoyHjmcdQmHOlqw

If you worship online and would like to receive communion, please contact Pastor John at <u>pastor@arlingtonwachurch.org</u> or (360) 435-8921 to set up a visit.

## Scripture for this week: Acts 4:5-12, Psalm: 23, John 10:11-18, 1 John 2:3-28

Adult Education Sundays at 9:30am in the classroom. We are working through the Augsburg Confession. Class meets on April 21<sup>st</sup>. AC 20-Good Works, AC 21-Saints. Next class meets on April 28<sup>th</sup>, AC 22-Both Kinds, AC 23 -Marriage of Saints.

**Quilt Sunday** will be held on April 28<sup>th</sup>. Following a blessing, the 40 quilts, together with 55 baby care kits, will then be packed for shipment in May to Lutheran World Relief. The quilts will be combined with those from other Lutheran churches throughout the U.S. and sent to the needy, throughout the world. If you would like more information on Mission Circle, please contact Donna DeWard.

**Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup> there will be a Mother's Day breakfast,** provided by the men of Our Saviour's. If you would like to help or would like more details, please contact Jim Kjargaard at 360-435-4348. Plan now to attend!

**Poverty 101 - June 8<sup>th</sup> -**Poverty 101 is a training class that will help our community better understand the unique challenges of long-term poverty. It is designed to provide tools that will help each of us find the best way to engage with the people God puts in our path. There will be a class held here at Our Saviour's 9:00am-3:00pm. Register online on the Everett Gospel's website: https://egmission.org/eventbrite-event/everett-



Building a solid foundation for relational poverty alleviation



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**OSYM** (Our Saviour's Youth Ministry) **Sundays** meets weekly from 9:30a.m. - 10:15a.m.. Meet in the Preschool room. Come enjoy Bible lessons, games, treats and service projects. OSYM Sundays is open to children ages 3 years old through 5th grade. Questions, contact Ellen Winter.

**Outreach To The Vulnerable Team:** How can we help with those who need shelter, warmth and food? By providing food items such as oatmeal, fruit cups, bottled water, granola bars, canned meat, peanut butter, energy bars, or other non-perishable items that take little or no preparation. You can drop off these items at church from 9am to 2pm Monday to Thursday and Bob will take them to the Arlington Community Resource Center. For questions or more suggestions on how you can help please call Bob Zerbel. Thank you.

LINC Northwest - Saturday April 27th, 10am-1pm- It's time to start Spring Cleaning! We want to help by taking those unwanted items off your hands. Make a drop-off during our Spring Cleaning Donation Days and your donation will go towards LINC's mission of serving our community. Drop off is located at the LINC office in Lakewood, 1424 172nd St NE Marysville, WA. Items we accept: Clothing, Shoes, Bags, Purses, Backpacks, Small kitchen tools & appliances (Toasters, Mixers, Coffee Makers, Countertop Grills, etc.), Small household appliances (Radios, Small Stereos, Handheld/Small Power Tools, etc.) Books, DVSs, and CDs. Please ensure all donations are in gently used, working condition. We CANNOT accept paint, cleaners, chemicals, construction waste or hazardous items. Thank you!



## Lutherwood's ALL HANDS ON DECK

Work Weekend May 31 - June 02, 2024 Housing and food provided (camping is also welcome!) Get dirty, make friends, and build muscle! We need people to work on a variety of projects. All skill levels are welcome. Complimentary Lodging Provided! REGISTER HERE

# Volunteer and Donation Opportunities at Josephine

March 2024



## SHORT-TERM VOLUNTEERS



- **Knitters:** basic knitting skills and a willingness to learn
- **Sewers**: straight stitching and a willingness to learn
- **Project assistants**: encouraging and supportive interaction with our residents

## MATERIAL DONATIONS

- Birdseed
- **Reading glasses**: 2.5 magnification and greater
- Washable wool yarn: unused and remnants are welcomed
- Hand towels: unused
- Travel-sized toiletries: shampoo, toothpaste, body wash, lip balm, toothbrush (unused)



Contact our delegate Toni Forsman for more information at (360)435-5482.



Our Saviour's has purchased a congregational bundle. Members can register for any LiVE course or retreat for FREE! **Promo code: Contact the church office for the code.** In order to register for any LiVE retreat or course for free, registrants simply need to enter that promo code on the registration page and the total cost will become \$0.

View the 2023-24 Catalog HERE:

https://dq5pwpg1q8ru0.cloudfront.net/2023/07/26/12/35/37/f14857d7-123d-4240-b09fef0d20ae41ee/2023-2024%20LiVE%20Course%20Catalog.png

## **Upcoming Events**

Becoming Communities of Belonging Retreat "Abide" Weekly Synod-Wide Bible Study

## Synod-wide Bible Study Abide in the Word - Bible Study

Tuesdays, 7-8pm via zoom

This year-long, Synod-wide weekly Bible Study takes participants on a deeper dive into the following Sunday's Lectionary text. Participants will have the chance to experience the diverse perspectives and voices of various guest facilitators from across the synod.

This is a FREE LiVE offering! No registration needed. You can find the zoom link HERE: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81964249827</u>

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#### Community Drop-Off Days

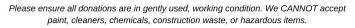
- Saturday, March 16, 10 am-1 pm
- Saturday, April 27, 10 am-1 pm

Drop-off days will be located at the LINC Office in Lakewood!

1424 172nd St NE Marysville, WA 98271

### Items We Accept

- Clothing
- Shoes
- Bags, Purses, Backpacks
- Small kitchen tools & appliances (Toasters, Mixers, Coffee Makers, Countertop Grills, etc.)
- Small household appliances (Radios, Small Stereos, Handheld/Small Power Tools, etc.)
- · Books, DVDs, and CDs



## **Prayers of Concern and Thanks**

Loving God, we remember that you are our source of life and hope: Remind us daily of who we are - and whose we are - your beloved children. Instill in us that each neighbor we meet is your beloved child as well: someone to learn from, someone to be cherished, someone to be treated with honor and respect, someone to be lifted up. Lead us to be your joy, grace, and love in your world. We pray for all the world's refugees and for peace in Ukraine & Gaza.

Adult caregivers caring for loved ones Bachier family in Lebanon (co-worder of Lisa Masters) Caleb McCormick - health challenges (friend of Jamie Smith) Crystal Chamberlin - health concerns Dennis Heaton - health challenges Diana Breon - health challenges Ed Molsee - health challenges (friend of Carol Lindenmuth) Ellen Winter - health challenges Erik Breon - healing from recent surgery Faith Breon - health concerns during pregnancy Frank Gonzales - healing for crushed heel Jennifer Way - health challenges Karie - dad fell and mom had surgery to remove cancer (co-worker of Lisa Masters) Keith - receiving heart medical procedures (family friend of Toni Forsman) Leslie Faxon - completed chemo, continuing w/Keytruda treatments & doing well, prayers for ongoing treatments & health (friend of Ruth Gonzales) Linda Staswick - health issues (cousin of Beth Husted) Lon White - healing prayers (friend of Bev Curtis) Margaret Larson - health challenges Nancy Fruetel - prayers for her continued recovery from back surgeries (cousin of Judy Donoghue) Paul Chamberlain - health concerns Robbie - family in Israel (co-worker of Lisa Masters) Ron Gierhan - continued health issues Residents and caregivers of Josephine, blessing and protecting them from pain and suffering, supporting each one with God's Love and Grace. Ryan Blacker - health issues (nephew of Toni Forsman) Vickie Campbell - continued recovery from pneumonitis Those serving in uniform.

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|   | EVANGE            | MERICA  |      | Arlington, WA 98223<br>360-435-8921<br>www.arlingtonwachurch.org                 | Our Saviour's<br>Office Hours        |
| Ministers: All the baptized. We live out our ministry in our daily lives and in the Church. |                   |   |      |  | Monday - Thursday<br>9:00am - 2:30pm |
| Pastor  |                   | John<br>Schraan                                     |      | il: pastor@arlingtonwachurch.org<br>ce Hours: Tue & Thu 12pm-1pm                 | Friday<br>Office Closed              |
|   | Office<br>Manager | Tammy Email: office@arlingtonwachurch.org<br>DeWard |      | il: office@arlingtonwachurch.org   |                                      |
| This Week at Our Saviour's    April 22 <sup>nd</sup> - April 28 <sup>th</sup> Monday        |                   |   |      |  |                                      |
| Tuesday   |                   |   |      |  |                                      |
| Wednesday   |                   | 5:00pm  |      | Choir Practice   |                                      |
| Thursday  |                   | 6:00pm  |      | Basketball   |                                      |
| Friday  |                   | 10:00am   |      | Comfort Squad  |                                      |
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| Sunday  |                   |   |      | Adult Learning Class   |                                      |
|   |                   |   |      | OSYM Sundays for Kids  |                                      |
|   |                   |   |      | Worship In-Person and Online via Facebook & YouTube<br>Coffee & Conversation     |                                      |
|   |                   |   |      | Basketball   |                                      |
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