



Cross of Calvary

LUTHERAN CHURCH

1103 W. Chestnut Ave. Olivia, MN

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May 22 – May 29

Worship Times

Sunday: 9:00 AM

Coffee Hour

Sunday: 10:00 AM

Sunday school

Sunday: 10:00AM

Building Hours

Mon-Thurs

8:30 – 7:00

Fri-Sun 8:30-2:00

Office Hours

Mon, Tues, & Thurs

8:30 -3:00

Wednesday 8:30-4:00

Friday 8:30 – 2:00

Pastor

Matthew Hausken

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Parish Minister

Jeni Skeie

jeniskeie@gmail.com

Admin. Assist.

Sue Altmann

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Custodian

Craig Boen

Sunday 05.22	Worship Service at 9:00 Senior Recognition Sunday Please join the seniors during coffee hour!
Monday 05.23	Ruth Bible Study – 1:30 PM
Tuesday 05.24	Men’s Bible Study 6:30 & 7:00 AM
Wednesday 05.25	Women’s Bible Study at 9:00 AM (Chapter 13) Dorcas Bible Study - 9:30 AM
Thursday 05.26	
Friday 05.27	
Saturday 05.28	Graduation Party from 2-5
Sunday 05.29	Worship Services: 9:00

May Worship Assistants

Ushers: Brian Kingery, Alex Gay, Gregg Helin & Daren Sagedahl

Acolytes: Maddy Cole & Preston Stuhl

Sound Board/Clicker:

Communion Helper: Jeff Keltgen

Altar Guild: Karen van der Hagen, Kaylee Hammerschmidt, Laura Julson & Sandy Padrnos

Bible Studies

Men's Bible study: Tuesday mornings at 6:30 & 7:00 AM

Women's Bible study: Wednesday morning at 9:00 AM

Dorcas Bible study: last Wednesday of month at 9:30 am/Fellowship Hall

Ruth Bible study: 4th Monday of month at

1:30pm/church library



DAY CAMP with GLLM will be June 27-30. It is for youth who have finished K-6th grade. Cost is \$40 with \$100 cap for families. Sign up at the google sign up on our website.

<https://forms.gle/t3tu1rDFZgeY35J76>

Camp House offers a week of camp for confirmation age youth (finished 7-9).

Talk to me - Jeni - if you are interested.

Talk to Jeni if you are wondering what to do! All the options are at gllm.org 2022 Summer Camp



Randy Harrier – Family & Friends
Chrissy Boen – Family & Friends
Ken Ziesmer – Family & Friends
Liz Elfering – Family & Friends
Marlene Bratsch – Friends & Family
Clifford Metteer - Family
Jon Hackman Family
Carol Horrmann – Friends & Family
Paula Sing – Lynnette Blem
Lyn Tesch – Family & Friends
Pat Aalderks – Family & Friends
Gloria Franzen – Friends & Family
Ric Aalderks – Friends & Family
Brandon Ochs – Family & Friends
Candy Kath – Pam Olson's sister
Laurie Hogberg – Family & Friends
Trevor Solem – Friends and Family
Chet Boen – Family & Friends
Tim & Emily Merten family – Angela Cole

Bird Island Blood Drive
Our Savior's Lutheran Church

510 E Dogwood Ave.

Bird Island, MN 55310

Monday, June 6, 2022

1:00pm-7:00pm

Please Call Jill W. at (507)430-0569

or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767)

or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: Bird Island, MN

to schedule an appointment.

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by
visiting [RedCrossBlood.org/Rapid Pass](http://RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass) to complete
your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your
appointment.

Cross of Calvary Quilters

The last two years they have work very hard to make 109 quilts.

84 have been distributed

6 Ronald McDonald House

6 Santa Closet

6 Renville Co. Associations

10 House of Hope

6 Safe Avenues

15 Vets in St. Cloud

5 Cancer Walk in the Park

14 Cross of Calvary Seniors in 2021

16 Cross of Calvary Seniors in 2022

Quilters: thank you very much for sharing your wonderful talents. Your dedication
to make someone more comfortable and warm does not go unnoticed.

Thank you again!!

MAY 22, 2022

Sixth Sunday of Easter



God leads, we follow.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

These passages are related to the Lectionary texts for this Sunday.

Sunday	John 14:23-29	The sending of the counselor
Monday	Acts 16:9-15	Paul travels to Macedonia
Tuesday	Revelation 21:10, 22–22:5	River of life
Wednesday	Proverbs 3:5-6	Trust God
Thursday	Acts 1:1-11	The ascension of Jesus
Friday	Numbers 6:22-27	Blessing for the people
Saturday	Psalms 67	Tell the nations to praise God
Sunday	John 17:20-26	Jesus prays for his disciples

SCRIPTURE VERSE FOR THIS WEEK

“When she [Lydia] and her household were baptized, she urged us, saying, “If you have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come and stay at my home.” And she prevailed upon us. Acts 16:15 (NRSV)

PRAYERS AND BLESSING

A Prayer for the Week:

Dear God, help us to understand how you lead us each day to care for others for the sake of Christ Jesus our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Mealtimes Prayer:

Thank you, God, for giving us food; for the food that we eat and the friends that we meet. Thank you, God, for all that you do. Amen.

A Blessing to Give:

May the Lord be gracious to you and bless you and make God’s face to shine upon you. (Psalm 67:1)

CARING CONVERSATIONS

Discuss in your home, small group, or use for personal reflections:

- ☑ Do you make your own decisions or rely on others to help you make decisions? Explain.
- ☑ When is a time you felt God was leading you in your life and/or relationships?

DEVOTIONS

Read: Acts 16:9-15.

Congregations are urged to establish vision and mission statements and make plans accordingly. In the midst of such important planning, it is important to remember who is in charge, who is doing the actual leading. We may take aim at ministry objectives, but when we arrive at the goal or destination, hopefully, we recognize that God was there awaiting our arrival. In Acts 16, Paul and his fellow missionary friends believe they are led by a vision of a man from Macedonia to go there. When they arrive, it is not a man, but a group of women whose hearts are opened, and it is Lydia who opens her home to them. Whether it is Paul in his day or we in our day, it is good to remember that it is not we ourselves who bring God to people.

Discuss: How have you shared your faith with others as Lydia did?

Pray: God, just as you led Paul to Macedonia, lead us each day that we may bring joy and the good news of Christ to waiting hearts. Amen.

SERVICE

Jesus calls us to serve our neighbor in love. Based on the Daily Bible Readings and theme for this week, where do you sense God is leading you to serve others?

RITUALS AND TRADITIONS

Psalm 67 is a prayer reminding us that God blesses us and continues to bless us. Think or talk about ways you and those you know have been blessed by God. Pray the Psalm by inserting your name or that of another and say: God, our God, has blessed _____. May God continue to bless _____; let all the ends of the earth worship our God. Amen.



Cross of Calvary Graduating Class of 2022

Tyler Amsden

Chad & Gena Amsden

Open House: Saturday, May 21st from 1-5 PM
36518 3830th Ave, Olivia

Andy Bahl

Nate & Katie Bahl

Hunter Borer

Leah Peterson – Jesse & Amber Borer

Open House: Sunday, June 5th from 1-5 PM
606 S. 12th St. Olivia

Kaylee Fennern

Kris & Jeremy Kopel - Erick & Autumn Fennern

Open House: Saturday, May 28th from 2-5 PM
Olivia American Legion

Kiera Fischer

Erik & Shelby Gass – Jeremy Fischer

Open House: June 18th from 4-8 PM
Gramma's House 460 S. 6th St, Bird Island

David Garcia

George & Elisha Garcia

Open House: Saturday, June 11th from 2-6 PM
460 S. 6th Street, Bird Island

George Garcia Jr.

George & Elisha Garcia

Open House: Saturday, June 11th from 2-6 PM
460 S. 6th Street, Bird Island

Bria Henriksen

Brent & Susan Henriksen

Open House: Sunday, May 22nd from 2-5 PM
1306 Bayberry Ave. West, Olivia

Jack Iverson

Marc & Sarah Iverson

Jerson Kopka

Keith & Sara McNamara – Mark Kopka
Open House: Saturday, June 4th from 4-8 PM
75212 370th Street, Bird Island

Cameron Larson

Keith & Stacy Larson
Open House: Saturday, June 4th from 10-1
Cross of Calvary Church, Olivia

Allie Paulsen

Randy Paulsen & Michelle Ryan
Open House: Saturday, June 4th from 3-7 PM
86388 440th Street, Bird Island

Nicholas Serbus

Robert & Nanette Serbus
Open House: Saturday, May 21st from 4-8 PM
75420 225th Street, Renville

Lily Thompson

Aaron & Heather Thompson
Open House: Saturday, June 11th from 2-5 PM
307 Lake Ave South, Spicer

Cole Visser

Shannon & Jen Visser

Samuel Welchance

Jeanne Welchance
Open House: Saturday, May 21st from 2-5 PM
Cross of Calvary Church, Olivia