

**God Manifests His Glory in the Humility and Weakness of Christ Crucified**

The Lord tells His people, "I brought you up from the land of Egypt and redeemed you from the house of slavery" (Micah 6:4). By the sacrifice of His beloved Son, He has redeemed us from our slavery of sin and death; He has forgiven our transgressions by the shedding of His blood. His great mercy and salvation lead us "to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly" with our God (Micah 6:8). We boast only in the incarnate and crucified Lord Jesus. He is "the power of God and the wisdom of God" (1 Cor. 1:24). He is our life and salvation, our "wisdom" and "righteousness and sanctification and redemption" (1 Cor. 1:30). Now He opens His mouth and teaches us His wisdom. By His cross and Passion, the kingdom of heaven is ours. We receive mercy and are satisfied; we see God and are called sons of God in Christ. "Blessed are you," therefore, "when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely" on account of Christ (Matt. 5:11).

## **WORSHIP SERVICE AND BIBLE STUDY INFORMATION**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Children ages 3 - 8th grade-Sundays at 9:15.

**SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** Sundays at 9:15am in the Fellowship Hall.

**TUESDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS:** The Gospel of John-Tuesdays at 6:30am in the Library.

**TUESDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY:** The Bible as One Complete Story-Tuesdays at 9:00am in the Fellowship Hall.

**WOMEN'S HOME BIBLE STUDY:** Prayer-2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 6:30pm.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY:** Hebrews-Wednesdays at 7:00pm in the Library.

**THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:** The Gospel of Mark-Thursdays at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall.

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** Quiet Strength by Tony Dungy- 2nd and 4th Saturdays at 8:30am in the Fellowship Hall.

## **CHARITABLE INFORMATION**

**FIRST QUARTER SPECIAL MISSIONS:** For the first quarter of 2023, our Special Mission Offering will support Lutheran Braille Workers (LBW). LBW works to ensure that all people throughout the world who are blind or visually impaired will have access to the Good News of salvation, by providing Bibles, pamphlets, and other materials in Braille, Specialized Large Print, and Audio Christian materials. To sponsor Special Missions, please sign up on the bulletin board.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERING:** Second quarter Sunday school offerings will be going to India - Gospel Adventures through Lutheran World Relief. Offerings will support youth clubs in India and ensure the continuation of the spreading of the Gospel!

## **CHURCH INFORMATION**

**NO BIBLE STUDY:** Pastor Stanton will not be holding Bible Study between services on Sunday, January 29th. Bible Class will resume on Sunday, February 5th.

**CHILDREN'S BULLETINS:** Families with children, be sure to pick up a children's bulletin on your way into church. These bulletins are kid friendly and match the Gospel reading for the day. It is another way that your child can follow along in the service in their own way! Be sure to see an elder or usher for one!

**CHILDCARE TEACHERS NEEDED:** Blessed Savior Lutheran ECC is looking for loving, energetic, qualified team players to serve as teachers/aides in our childcare room. This is an immediate need we have to fill so please spread the word! Early childhood courses and experience is preferred. Hours are flexible, wage is based on experience! Contact Director Jennifer Leinss to learn more about becoming a part of this great team! 262-786-6465 or [jleinss82@gmail.com](mailto:jleinss82@gmail.com).

**LUTHERAN SCHOOLS FAIR:** We are excited to celebrate Lutheran Schools! Stop in the Fellowship Hall during the Education Hour on Sunday, January 29th to visit with our area Lutheran Schools to see what exciting things they are up to in their ministry, and to listen to our church members share what they love about their school. Everyone who attends has a chance to win a \$25 gift card from Raise Right.

**PRESCHOOL ENROLLMENT:** Open enrollment has begun! If you have or know of anyone looking for 2K, 3K, 4K, or childcare and would like more information or to register please contact Jennifer Leinss 262-786-6465 or [jleinss82@gmail.com](mailto:jleinss82@gmail.com). Register before March 31st to receive \$25 off the registration fee!

**P.A.C.K.S and POTLUCK:** All are invited to join us for a potluck on Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> at 6pm. We will have the opportunity to hear from Jeff Van Biever of Acts 1:8 Ministry on how we can use Planned Acts of Christian Kindness (P.A.C.K.s) to reach others with the message of the Gospel. Please sign up on the bulletin board and bring a snack food to share!

**YOUNG AT HEART:** All are welcome to join us on Thursday, February 2nd at 11am in the Fellowship Hall! We will be welcoming New Berlin Police Officer Tony Fus, who will be leading a discussion on how we can avoid scams and what to look out for. Following the presentation, we will enjoy a boxed lunch. Please sign up on the bulletin board so we can plan accordingly!

**WOMEN'S MINISTRY EVENT:** Ladies of all ages are invited to join the Women's Ministry on Tuesday, February 7th at 6:30pm. Linda Phillips will be speaking to us about the work she has been doing to bring hope and goods to Ukrainian refugees, along with the message of salvation. We will also update you on where we stand with our current mission grants.

**BAPTISM BUDDIES:** We are looking for individuals or families who would be interested in serving as mentors to our families who have recently had a child baptized through 3 years old. As a mentor/buddy, you would be responsible for sending monthly mailings and celebrating baptism birthdays. Please contact Jaime Greene for more information.

**YOUTH GROUP:** Who wants to play Whirlyball? On Sunday, January 29th we'll head to Brookfield Square to try our hand at this new game! We'll meet at 6pm, grab dinner, play, and then be back by 8pm. Cost is \$25/person and you need to sign up to attend. Parents-we are in need of chaperones for this event-please contact Jaime if you're able to help out!

**WISH LIST ITEM:** We would love to purchase a set of Concordia Commentaries for Blessed Savior to use-whether for individual use, for Bible Study leaders, and eventually a new Pastor. Each Commentary costs \$65, and there are currently 44 books available. If you would be interested in helping us purchase these Commentaries, please make a check to Blessed Savior and indicate on the memo line, or on the pew envelope that it is for the Concordia Commentary. If you have any questions, please contact the Church Office.

**SOUP-ER SUNDAY:** Between now and the Big Game on Sunday, February 12th, we invite you to bring in cans of soup for the Bethany Lutheran Food Pantry. Tell us if you think the AFC or NFC will win the big game by placing your donation(s) on the appropriate table in the Fellowship Hall. And don't forget to enter your name and email address for a chance to win a Ha Ha Clinton-Dix shirt!

**CRAFT NIGHT:** Calling all crafters! Grab whatever crafts you're working on, a snack to share, and join us for Craft Night on Friday, February 3rd at 6pm in the Fellowship Hall.

**PARTNERS IN PRAYER:** Join us as we lift up our Preschool students and staff, our members who are students, and our local schools in prayer on Monday, February 6th at 9am in the Sanctuary.

**KIDS HEART CHALLENGE:** Our students will once again participate in the American Heart Association Kids Heart Challenge. In addition to heart healthy activities, our students will be raising money for the Heart Association. If you would like to donate, please go to: <http://www2.heart.org/goto/BlessedSavior>

**BLESSED SAVIOR COMMUNICATIONS:** If you are not receiving the weekly "Blessed Savior Bits" email, or our monthly Newsletter via email and would like to, please contact the church office with your email address so we can update our records.

# PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSIONS

## **We pray for our members:**

Karen Nancy Bettylynn Joanne Ron Marc Linda Norma Irma Richard

## **We also remember in our prayers these friends and relatives of our members:**

Frank Curtis Anita Lynn Dan Carol Ellie

## **We pray the Lord to watch over those who are serving in the military:**

Garrett Corwyn Erika Carlos Mary Darren

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## **WEEKLY CALENDAR FOR JANUARY 27th-FEBRUARY 5th**

<b>FRI</b> 6:00pm Family Craft Night	7:00pm Confirmation
<b>SAT</b> 8:30am Men's Bible Study	7:00pm Choir Rehearsal
9:00am Handbell Rehearsal	<b>THURS</b> 9:30am Bible Study
<b>SUN</b> 8:00am Worship	7:00pm Worship
9:15am Education Hour	<b>FRI</b> 6:00pm Craft Night
10:30am Worship	<b>SAT</b> 9:00am Handbell Rehearsal
<b>TUES</b> 6:30am Bible Study	<b>SUN</b> 8:00am Worship
9:00am Ladies Bible Study	9:15am Education Hour
<b>WED</b> 9:00am Quilters	10:30am Worship
7:00pm Bible Study	11:30am Confirmation Retreat

### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:**

**Monday-Thursday, 9:00am-4:00pm**

**Fridays 9:00am-1:00pm**

### **PASTOR STANTON'S OFFICE HOURS:**

**By Appointment Only**

**Attendance:**176 **Offerings:** \$9,267.00 **Needed Weekly:** \$10,212.08