## Reflect the Image of Christ

We are transformed into His own image from one degree of glory to another.

2 Corinthians 3:18

## Our Savior Lutheran School News

# December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

### Let's Dress Up For Christmas!

The Preschool through 1st grade students presented "Let's Dress Up for Christmas" program on Sunday, December 3rd. Wonderful job!



## December

- 5 Chapel 8:30am Advent Midweek Worship 2nd & 3rd Grade 7pm
- 6 JV & V Boys Basketball Games
- 8 Pee Wee Basketball Games
- 9 Worship 8 & 10:45am Bible Study 9:30am Advent by Candlelight 2pm
- 11 JV & V Boys Basketball Games
- 12 Chapel 8:30am Advent Midweek Worship 4th & 5th Grade 7pm
- 15 Pee Wee Basketball Games Advent by Bonfire
- 16 Worship 8 & 10:45am Bible Study 9:30am
- 19 Chapel 8:30am Advent Midweek Worship 6th - 8th Grade 7pm











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### **Upcoming Christmas Programs**

Wednesday, December 5 @ 7pm: A Shepherd's Story presented by 2nd & 3rd Grade Wednesday, December 12 @ 7pm: Glorious Song, Marvelous Light presented by 4th & 5th Grade Wednesday, December 19 @ 7pm: The Carols of Christmas presented by 6th - 8th Grade

#### **CHRISTMAS PROGRAM DVDS**

DVDs of each Christmas program are available for order in the front office. They are \$5 each and will be created once orders have been placed.

#### **CHRISTMAS BREAK**

Christmas break is December 24th through January 4th. School resumes on Monday, January 7th. The church and school offices will be closed December 24th through January 1st.



#### **ANGEL TREE**

We are partnering again this year with Wellspring, Samaritas and Homeless Angels who has provided us with people who could use a Christmas gift this year. Please consider picking up a name or two from the tree that will be displayed in the lobby of the church. The gifts are due back to the church by December 9th. Please contact the front office with questions.

#### SCHOOL MUSIC PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

Wed., Dec. 5 7:00pm Grades 2 & 3 Wed., Dec. 12 7:00pm Grades 4 & 5 Wed., Dec. 19 7:00pm Grades 6 - 8

#### **ADVENT A TO Z FAMILY DEVOTION**



This family devotion contains Advent poems centered on an alphabetically arranged word for each day. Each word has a corresponding bible verse for the day. There are also links to a decorative chain that are assembled each day throughout December. From

"angels" & "egg nog" to "stars" & "wreaths", these prayers provide a daily guide for children of all ages as they prepare to celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus. These are located on a display in the church lobby. Please take a devotional booklet and the corresponding sheet of chain links.

#### **FOOD BANK NEEDS**

The Food Bank is in need of new or gently used children's winter clothing, stuffed animals and rolls of Christmas wrapping paper. If you have items you would like to donate, please drop them off in the Food Bank bin in the Church Lobby.

#### **LIVING NATIVITY 2018!**

Join us to celebrate the birth of our Lord at our Living Nativity on Saturday, December 22 from 5-7pm. There will be live animals, crafts, refreshments and a



guided journey outside where you will experience the true story of Christmas.

#### **GIFTING THAT GIVES BACK**

Find gifts for everyone on your list while raising funds for our organization with the holiday gift guide. Shop gift cards

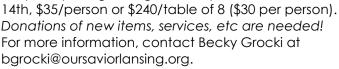


from over 750 top brands, including Best Buy, Amazon, Nordstrom, The Home Depot and more. Whether you buy the gift cards to give as presents to family and friends, or to use them to buy your gifts—our organization earns with every gift card purchased. It's simple, it's thoughtful and it's truly the gift that keeps on giving. Shop the gift guide at **ShopWithScrip.com/GiftGuide** 

## MAKE YOUR AUCTION RESERVATIONS TODAY! Saturday, March 2 at 4:30pm

You can reserve your spot today by filling out an RSVP card in the front office or go to:





#### FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY

Imagine what the people of God, could do for the Kingdom of God, if they were debt free. What would you be able to do if you were debt free? Financial Peace University will walk you through the process that will get you there and make it incredibly practical in your daily life. We'll be offering FPU again here at OSL, beginning January 9th from 6:30 - 8:00pm. For more information, please contact Michelle Stahl at stahl.michelle22@gmail.com.

#### ADVENT BY BONFIRE



Join Our Savior's Men of Courage on Saturday, December 15, from 6:00-8:30pm, Dinner (tacos, burritos, nachos, etc), Michigan craft beer

sampling, Prize giveaways, Jesus time led by a special guest speaker and a bonfire! Location is 7607 Williams Rd., Lansing and cost is \$10/person. Sign up in the church lobby.

#### **HOT LUNCH TIDBIT**

Pomegranates are one of the healthiest foods on the planet. Packed with nutrients and powerful plant compounds. If you



want to reap the many health benefits, pomegranates have to offer, either eat the arils directly or drink pomegranate juice.