

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOR
November 15, 2026

Visitors and families, welcome! We are honored to have you worship with us today! Worshiping in a new place or with children can be a challenge. But in the words of Jesus: "Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them"(Matthew 19:14). We take that attitude seriously and hope to serve you as you bring yourself and your little ones into the presence of Jesus today.

Resources for Visitors and Families:

If you have a question or concern about anything this morning, please ask the Pastor or Ushers who will be happy to assist you.
Children are invited to the front of the Sanctuary during the children's message to participate in an age-appropriate message.
Kids' Boxes with church-appropriate items are available in the church entryway.
A Quiet Room is also available for stretching little legs if needed.

Prayer Chain: Prayer requests may be emailed to Linda Bornhoft at **lcos.prayers@gmail.com**. If you are unable to email, the church office can be contacted (805-937-1116).

Praying for five families of our congregational family each week is one way that we show our care for one another. Please keep these families on your prayer list this week: Trista Fry, Sarah Ganschow, Jordan & Julie Hahn, Brenden & Katie Harrell, and Mark & Connie Hathaway.

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God.

Mowing Reminder: November 21 – No mowing





Advent worship will take place on **Wednesdays (December 2, 9 & 16) at 7:00 PM** preceded by **Soup Suppers at 6:00 PM**. Sign-up sheets for the Soup Suppers are in the entrance of Stahnke Hall. Please sign up today!! ☸



The preschoolers **LOVED** learning about Moses and the Red Sea, so we made sure to act it out again today! We also talked about the Ten Commandments. God gave us rules to help us live good, safe lives that honor Him.

Please keep our teachers and kids in your prayers. Each week we will list one teacher and four students to pray for. Keep these on your list for this week: Miss Ofelia, Brooke, Cana, Delani, Evelyn.



The preschool is looking for a janitor! This position is roughly 7 hours a weekend, with necessary tasks including vacuuming, mopping, dusting, bathrooms, and trash and pays $22.50/hr. If this is something you, or someone you may know, would be interested in, please send Katie Harrell a message at upwardbound.lcos@gmail.com.



Thank you to all the volunteers for another successful PNO (Parents Night Out) on Nov 13th. Please plan to share Jesus' love with our preschool and church families at future PNO events. They occur the third Friday of the month from 6-8pm. For more information, please see Lisa DiModica at 805-354-4443.



You are invited to be grateful with your church family on Thanksgiving Day, November 26th. **Worship** with us at **10am**, then **feast** with us in Stahnke Hall at **2pm**. Please sign up on the patio with number of people attending and if you want to bring rolls/bread, whipped cream, or dessert. The Foley's need a final head count by November 19th. Please direct questions to Lisa DiModica at 805-354-4443.

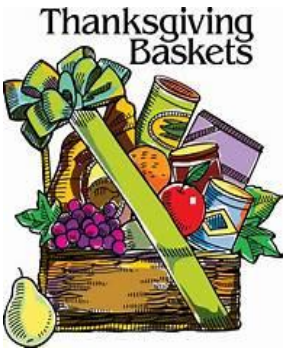
I'LL BE VERY THANKFUL FOR HELP! I am looking for a couple volunteers to help me decorate the Stahnke Hall tables for our Thanksgiving Dinner. We'll meet at Stanhke Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 24th at 1:30pm. See me, Peggy Payne, or call me at 714-267-1633.



Please fill out the **Attendance Cards** and place them in the offering plate so that, together, we may encourage one another through faithful church attendance, Christian fellowship, participation in the Sacrament, and prayers for one another.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

All shoeboxes have been adopted. Thank you! However, Monday the 16th begins National Collection Week. Please bring back the box you adopted so it may be packed with all the boxes!
Please sign up to help during the week to receive nearly 2,000 shoeboxes as LCOS is a drop off location for the area. Sign-up sheet is in the Stahnke Hall narthex area. Times are: Monday 2-6; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 4-6; Saturday noon -2; Sunday noon-4; and Monday 9-11 AM (or until loaded and closed).



Once again, we are collecting non-perishable food in November until the 22nd, for those who may need some extra help during the Thanksgiving holiday. Please bring your food items, like canned vegetables and fruits, soups, peanut butter, cereal, rice, plus Thanksgiving food items like stuffing mix, canned yams, canned cranberries, etc. and place them in the basket in the Narthex upon entering church. If you know of anyone (you, your family, your neighbors, your friends, your acquaintances) who could benefit from this, please let Linda Sweeney know at 805-934-3112.

Adult Fellowship is morphing into ***FAMILY FELLOWSHIP*** this month! So come as a family with those kiddos and enjoy some games, prizes, food and fellowship ***TODAY at 2PM!*** Those kids always bring so much energy to our games and one of them is ***"Watch Your Mouth!"*** Should be interesting, don't you think! So come out for some fun Christian fellowship!





Please let the church office know no later than **November 16** of your availability for December.

The deadline to submit information or announcements for the December newsletter is **November 20**. Thank you!

Thank you to everyone who joined our "Ask the Expert" estate planning workshop on October 30, 2026. Together, we explored opportunities to care for our families and support Lutheran Church of our Savior.

If you were unable to attend or have additional questions, contact Diana Raasch with Lutheran Church Extension Fund (LCEF) would be happy to help. Contact Diana to request an estate planning guide or continue the conversation.

You can also explore LCEF's estate planning resources, including information about ways to provide for loved ones and support the Church through your plans. To receive additional planning information, email Diana to request LCEF's quarterly newsletter.

NOVEMBER 15, 2026 – NOVEMBER 22, 2026	
Sunday **11/15**	**9:00 AM – SS/Bible Study** **10:00 AM – Praise/Communion Service** **11:00 AM – Council Meeting** **2:00 PM – Family Fellowship**
Monday **11/16**	**Ministry Availability Due** **2:00-6:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection**
Tuesday **11/17**	**4:00-6:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection**
Wednesday **11/18**	**4:00-6:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection** **6:30 PM – Handbell Practice**
Thursday **11/19**	**4:00-6:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection**
Friday **11/20**	**Newsletter Deadline** **4:00-6:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection**
Saturday **11/21**	**12:00-2:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection**
Sunday **11/22**	**9:00 AM – SS/Bible Study** **10:00 AM –Worship Service** **1:00 PM – New Member class** **12:00-4:00 PM – OCC Shoebox Collection**