



# LIVING SAVIOUR LUTHERAN CHURCH

## Announcements for the Week of June 5, 2016



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Third Sunday After Pentecost  
The Reverend Angela K. Powell, Pastor  
Don Huff, Minister of Worship and Music



God's Work:  
Our Hands

**WELCOME TO WORSHIP:** We are delighted you are here and have been praying for you. If this is your first time, we are honored you chose to worship with us. If you have been here before, welcome back! We invite you to leave contact info in the friendship pads, guest cards, or at the welcome center. Children are welcome in worship, or we have a nursery downstairs, where Ms. Carla provides loving care of those up to age 5. Restrooms are located in the sanctuary through the door directly opposite the entrance doors. We pray this worship will renew and prepare all to go out into God's world to love and serve.

**THE ALTAR FLOWERS TODAY** are given by Bill and Sandy Larsen to the glory of God and in honor of our children and grandchildren.

**CHURCH MUSIC SUNDAY** is a day set aside to give thanks to God for His gift of music in the church, and for those who are His hands and voices in bringing this gift to our worship. The theme of the Word portion of the service will be "God is Praised." Celebrate as we, through music, scripture and the spoken word, explore some of the ways our mighty and loving God is praised in song. Alleluia! Soli Deo Gloria!

**GRADUATE RECOGNITION** Our graduating senior high schoolers will be recognized and honored during today's worship. CONGRATULATIONS to all graduates, high school and college, and their families. May God bless them all with his love and continue to guide them, as they move on to new opportunities and accomplishments in their lives.

**TOWN HALL MEETING** Immediately following worship today, the town hall meeting will be to update all on our financial standing.

**SKY HIGH** middle schoolers and high schoolers are invited to "Sky High" this afternoon at 1:30p.m.! Parents need to sign a waiver.

**PASTOR ANGELA WILL HAVE A NEW MEMBERSHIP CLASS**, tomorrow evening (Monday), at 6 p.m., with an opportunity to join on Sunday, June 12.

## **FAITH LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES THIS MORNING (9 to 10 a.m.)**

**G.I.F.T.**, a multi-generational, interactive, educational experience for KG through grade 8.

**SUMMER GIFT WILL BEGIN TODAY** with “Bible Bingo”. Living Saviour’s Summer Gift program will be learning about the Bible with a focus on the Books of the Bible. **Do you know how many books in the Bible? In the Old Testament? The New Testament?** Come join us for learning and fun! **Prizes** for anyone who can recite either the Books of the Old Testament or New Testament or both sections

**SMITHFIELD ELEMENTARY NEEDS FIELD DAY VOLUNTEERS** June 6-7-8 Remember Field Day? A time at the end of school for fun and activities, races, games, snacks. Well, Smithfield Elementary is having Field Day June 6-8 And we need you to sign up to help for field day!  
<http://signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4fabaa2ba0fb6-field1/> If you sign up to volunteer, please report to the gym at 8:00, as we will need help taking things outside to set up. If you come after 8:00, you can meet us on the track. I do have some 4th and 5th grade helpers, but will ESPECIALLY need help on the day of the 4-5 event (as they can't run their own stations). PLEASE if you have questions- don't hesitate to shoot me an email! [megane.sawyer@cms.k12.nc.us](mailto:megane.sawyer@cms.k12.nc.us) YOU make a difference in the life of a child in our community by your presence. I'm planning to be there! **Pastor Angela**

**DINNER NIGHT OUT:** The next Dinner Night Out will be on Wednesday, June 8, 6:30 p.m., at Red Rocks Café, Strawberry Hill Complex, 4223 Providence Road, Suite 8 – Charlotte, NC 28217.

**PRIMETIMERS** will meet Wednesday June 15, 11:30 a.m. at the Outback Steakhouse on Pineville-Matthews Rd. Ages 50 and above are welcome.

**GOD’S WORK OUR HANDS 2016** we are planning projects through the month of August and we pray that each member will find a project that inspires them to get on board and become part of this amazing initiative to do God’s work, with our hands!

**BLOOD DRIVE:** Thank you to the 15 people who were able to donate blood, and to any who tried but were unsuccessful. Each of you are a blessing and made for a great collection day. Frank DeLoache plans to have the blood mobile back in August during the God’s Work Our Hands—or in this case—Blood time of serving. Be on the look out!

**LIVING SAVIOUR SOFTBALL** Summer is here! The LSLC Softball team invites you to attend games this week June 6th vs. Team Church at 7:30 p.m. and June 10th vs. St. Matthews at 6:15 p.m. Check the website for location.

**MAKING SENSE OF SCRIPTURE:** Pastor Angela is offering a class on the book, *Making Sense of Scripture* by Dr. David Lose beginning Wednesday July 6 to August 10, 7-8:30 p.m. Please place your order for the book with Sherry in the office,; the cost is \$13.00

**CAMP VIVACE 2016 —REGISTRATION OPEN:** The dates for our Music, Drama, Arts and Craft Camp have been scheduled for **Monday, July 11 through Friday, July 15**, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. This is for rising 2nd graders through 6th graders. On Friday evening at 7 p.m. all campers will present a program for family and friends.



**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY:** Did you know there is a Prayer Shawl Ministry that meets the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at 10 a.m.? Well there is, anyone who knits or crochets is welcome to join in. (They also accept yarn donations.)

### **SUMMER MUSIC OPPORTUNITIES**

Exploring Handbells— for high school and up. For those with little or no experience either in reading music and/or playing handbells. A weekly meeting time is planned - day and time TBA.

Women’s Chorus (June 19)

Intergenerational Choir (July 10)

Men’s Chorus (August 7)

If you are interested in participating in any of these Summer Music opportunities, please contact Don Huff ([dhuff@livingsaviourlc.org](mailto:dhuff@livingsaviourlc.org))

### **READING FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 12**

Luke 7.36-8.3

<http://bible.oremus.org/?q=331812323>

We continue learning who Jesus is and how he is bringing in the kingdom of God in these days of summer. Here is the story of contrasts—between Simon the Pharisee (a holy learned man of Israel) and a woman, a sinner. Simon invited Jesus to dinner, but provided none of the typical hospitality—providing for Jesus’ feet to be washed, kissing him on entry, and offering no oil to anoint Jesus’ head, all grave errors for a host. Contrast that with the woman who lavished perfume, tears, and love on Jesus’ feet. The contrast is one of LOVE—extravagant, unexpected, overwhelming love. Simon showed none, the woman showed much. Jesus relates the Extravagant Love of the sinner with her depth of forgiveness and Simon’s lack of Love with his lack of understanding of his own forgiveness.

This woman felt the full weight of her sin. She understood how she had failed herself, and more importantly God. She knelt before Jesus in full love and deep understanding of what she was forgiven from—and FOR. She was forgiven for LOVE, free now to love in a new way, she showed that love by her extravagant act of giving. At the end of the passage, is also another example of extreme love and giving—the women who followed Jesus on the way “provided from their resources.”

1-What do you understand you have been forgiven from? What are you forgiven for?

2-God has given you grace and forgiveness, what is your response?

3- God’s love and forgiveness is extravagant! How are you generous and extravagant in response?

## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Last Week's Attendance: 110

### Sunday, June 5

G.I.F.T.	9:00 a.m.
Worship	10:15 a.m.
Graduate Recognition	During Worship
Town Hall Meeting	Following Worship
Sky High	1:30 p.m.
AA Women's Meeting	6:00 p.m.

### Monday, June 6

Prayer Shawl Ministry	10:00 a.m.
New Member Class	6:00 p.m.
Softball vs. Team Church at Idlewild #1	7:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, June 7

Congressional Election	6:30 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Cub Scouts Den Meeting	6:45 p.m.

### Wednesday, June 8

Dinner Night Out at Red Rocks Café	6:30 p.m.
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### Thursday, June 9

Men's Bible Study	7:00 a.m.
Shepherd Ctr. of CLT Bridge Group	10:15 a.m.

### Friday, June 10

Boy Scouts Backpacking at Flower Gap	
Softball vs. St. Matthews at Francis Beatty #2	6:15 p.m.

### Saturday, June 11

Boy Scouts Backpacking at Flower Gap	
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### Sunday, June 12

G.I.F.T.	9:00 a.m.
Worship	10:15 a.m.
AA Women's Meeting	6:00 p.m.

*Thank you for remembering to turn off your cell phone!*

## TODAY'S WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

### 10:15

Greeters	Terry Godwin
Ushers	Don Pearce; John Williams, Elisabeth Forster
Assisting Minister	Amanda Thom
Communion Servers	Chalice: Alice Jenkins, Janet Mayer Tray: Ryan Huber, Joy Forster
Acolytes	Collin Quinlan
Childcare Attendants	Carla Gearheart and Victor Leeser
Altar Guild	Alice Jenkins and Cathy Lyall
Carmel Place (9:15 a.m.)	Andrea Abernathy and Anna Pearce

### **Serving Next Week — June 12**

**10:15 a.m.:** Mary Ann Eller; Don Pearce; Russell Stephens, John Williams, Elisabeth Forster ; Polly Farris; Caren Balentine, John Williams; Dia Hablutzel, Ray Kilminster; Kariya Proctor; Carla Gearheart ,Kari Proctor; Alice Jenkins and Cathy Lyall

**Carmel Place (9:15)** — Ray and Glenda Kilminster

**IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY** Pastor Angela can be reached on her day off or on weekends, at 704-408-9534. She will return your call as soon as possible.

Forward Announcement Bulletin submissions to [TAaron@livingsaviourlc.org](mailto:TAaron@livingsaviourlc.org) by Thursday at 9:00am

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