

Dear Living Saviour,

Sunday, August 4, 2024 Holy Communion 10:30 A.M.

In person or on-line <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCuMJ5vxpQpMZLB8638JxE> w
or through our website: www.livingsaviourlc.org.



(Tom Chriske)

Thanks to Pat Snodgrass for serving as our Assisting Minister for Sunday morning. Thanks to all who serve God and our community of faith.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Please update your prayer requests on the white board in the lobby. Thank you!

The Altar Flowers for this Sunday are given by Frank and Kathy DeLoache, to the Glory of God and in honor of their 46th Wedding Anniversary and children and 3 grandchildren.

SUNDAY ALTAR FLOWERS: call or email Ruth at the church office 704-542-3626 to sign up: M-F, 9-2. Your \$50 donation may be dropped off on Sundays, mailed, or by using the on-line giving. Please just note "Altar Flowers" on the memo line.

OR

Online: The **2024** online donation chart may be found here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CACAC29A6F4C16-46302964-2024>

Open Sundays: August 18, 25, September 1, 8.

2024 CRAFT FAIR! Please save the date! December 7th. 9-2

If anyone is interested, they can email me at kittygirlfriends@gmail.com

SUMMER RECITAL SERIES. Each summer the Charlotte Chapter of the American Guild of Organists (AGO) sponsors a recital series on Sunday afternoons at various churches in the area. This Sunday afternoon, August 4, the recital will be held at South Mecklenburg Presbyterian Church, 8601 Bryant Farms Rd., Charlotte beginning at 4:00 p.m. The recital will feature organist Katie Ann McCarty. There is no admission charge. A freewill offering will be accepted at each recital to support the Stigall Scholarship Fund, which helps offset private organ instruction tuition for organ students in grades 6-12.



22nd Monsignor McSweeney World Hunger Drive

Bringing hope through food and supplies, education and sustainability, spiritual growth, and providing love and joy. Over the past 21 years, through the exceptional generosity and efforts of our parishioners and friends in the community, we've been able to provide . . .

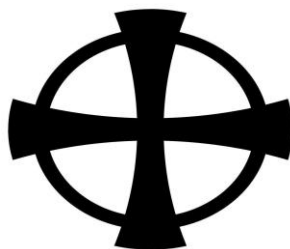
- More than 4,415,625 pounds of food and medical supplies.
- More than 3,768,000 packaged meals were shared primarily with Haiti and our local community through our meal-packing efforts.
- Hundreds of thousands of dollars for sustainability and education projects.
- More than 48,000 volunteer service hours were dedicated to serving the poor.

Living Saviour is planning to participate on Saturday, August 10th from 10:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. at the Meal-Packing event on 8015 Ballantyne Commons Pkwy, Charlotte, NC 28277, where we will join the 1,200 volunteers to assemble 300,000 meals.

**We will meet here at Living Saviour at 10:00 a.m.*

For more information, please contact Russell Hinson.

FAITH FORMATION



SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH ASSISTANTS AND ADULTS:

9:15 am Adults in the Education Wing Triple Room

9:30 am Children - ages 3 years through 5th grade (parents[s] welcome) will gather in the Fellowship Hall during the summer. Mr. Russell will have a devotion and the children will work on crafts that they will sell in the Craft Fair.

CONFIRMATION

Every 4th Sunday (12-2)...LUNCH PROVIDED!

Gathering@theTable: Gathering@theTable is moving to the 3rd Thursday of each month during the summer. The next meeting will be on Thursday, August 15th at 6:15 p.m. and meeting in July on the 18th.



Blood Drive on Sunday, August 25th !

Living Saviour will host a Blood Drive on Sunday, August 25th from 9:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m. here at the church.

To reserve a time, please visit:

https://donor.oneblood.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/1484099

SUMMER WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

We have decided to have a fun summer by watching Bible story movies such as Ruth, Esther, Daniel or something yet to be determined.

No need to buy a book & NO homework reading.

We will meet once a month during July and August. The next class will be on Wednesday, August 21st.

The movies are about an hour and half in length so feel free to bring a sack lunch or popcorn! We will start at 10AM & perhaps have a short discussion time.

Everyone is Welcome so come & enjoy a movie this summer.

DAILY DEVOTIONAL AIDS

DAILY DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS, *THE WORD IN SEASON*, are available on the welcome table where worship folders are located. The July-September 2024 Word In Season devotional is now available. If you'd like one sent to you, please contact Ruth at the church office.

DAILY DEVOTIONS, *TAKING FAITH HOME (TFH)* are available on an attachment in the weekly email you receive from the church office.

HEALTH AND WHOLENESS MINISTRY G.R.A.C.E. INFORMATION:



Active Exercise Opportunities:

Physical Exercise:

- Yoga For You:
 - Mondays - 6:15 p.m.
 - Tuesdays - 9:30 a.m.
 - Thursdays - 9:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m.
 - Saturdays - 10:00 a.m.
- Chair Yoga - Thursdays at 11:00 a.m.
- Strength and Stamina - Saturdays at 9:30 a.m.

August 2024 Health and Wholeness tip 1 H/W ministry team

The Health and Wholeness focus for August is Centering Prayer.

Tip#1: Centering prayer is a contemplative prayer that involves resting in silence in the presence of God. The prayer begins with sitting comfortably in a quiet place. Close your

eyes and breathe slowly. Repeat a word that inspires you to feel the Holy Spirit. Word examples are peace, love, Jesus, trust. A timer can be set for 5-10 minutes. Enjoy time in the presence of God.

Psalm 46:10 Be still and know that I am God.

LOST AND FOUND!

Did you leave something at the church, maybe? We have a 'lost and found' drawer underneath the name tags counter in the Fellowship Hall, as well as some items on the round table in the church office.

COFFEE HOUR—Please consider signing up to host Sunday morning coffee hour on one or more Sundays. The sheet is on the coffee hour table in the gallery. Alice Jenkins would be happy to give you more information.

Note to our devoted coffee makers: Thank you for your help in making the Sunday morning coffee! It is very much appreciated and enjoyed both before and after Worship. No one needs to purchase coffee for the near future. Through some generous donations, we have several cases of single packaged coffee (both regular and decaf), each of which makes one pot of coffee.

There are labeled plastic containers on the counter next to the coffee machine for keeping several packages. The cases of additional coffee are by the back door near the freezer in the pantry and are to replenish the containers on the kitchen counter. Thank you again for this service you provide us! We also have a good supply of other coffee supplies (creamers, sweeteners, etc.). These are in the cabinet above the coffee machine.

If you believe there are any supplies needed, please leave a note for Ruth on her desk with your name or contact Alice Jenkins. Thank you!

AUGUST NEWSLETTER COPIES are available outside the sanctuary on the table beside the building exit door. The newsletter is mailed to members monthly, but a few hard copies are available for those who prefer them.

Your Offerings:

You may use this QR code to make an on-line payment. It will take you to the church

VANCO on-line payment portal.

You may also access on-line giving through the website, click the on-line giving button to pay for flowers, make an offering to the general operating fund, or support the on-going outreach opportunities. Indicate in the line what your gift is directed towards.

You may also mail your gift to the church. Clearly state on the memo line what the check is to be used for-- General Fund, Mortgage Reduction or other purpose (such as Flowers, Special Day, etc.).

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