

Dear Living Saviour,

Sunday, November 24, 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)

Serving as worship leaders today:

Assisting Minister — **Glenda Kilminster**

Crucifer— **Benjamin Malin, Jr.**

Acolyte— **Riley Karim**

Thanks to all who serve God and our community of faith.

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REMINDER!!! The Church Office will be closed on Thursday, November 28th and 29th for the Thanksgiving holiday.

DECEMBER 15, 2024 ~ NEW MEMBER SUNDAY

New members will be received during worship on Sunday, December 15. If you (or someone you know) might be interested in learning more about membership at LSLC, PLEASE be in touch with Pr. Sara (pastorsara@livingsaviourlc.org).

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Room In The Inn will run Sundays in January and February. Please consider which area speaks to your heart in this meaningful ministry "to the least of these", our homeless neighbors. Sign-up/Info sheets are in place in the coffee fellowship area. Especially needed are overnight hosts.

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**2024 LIVING SAVIOUR PRESCHOOL FAMILIES AND FRIENDS INTERNATIONAL LUNCH DAY!**

Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a dish of your culture or your favorite dish. Miss Elsie Davis will be bringing a sweet potato pie; the sweet potatoes will represent Africa, and she will also be wearing an original Nigerian print dress.

You do not have to dress up, but please bring your favorite dish to share. All are welcome!

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2024 CRAFT FAIR! Please save the date! December 7th, 9-2. If anyone is interested, they can email me at kittygirlfriends@gmail.com

2024 BREAKFAST WITH SANTA! Please save the date! December 14th, 9-11. Registration is now open on the website: <https://livingsaviourlc.org/event/breakfast-with-santa-2/>

CHRISTMAS CONCERT. Living Saviour Choirs, accompanied by an orchestra and organ will present the Christmas Concert on **Sunday, December 8 at 3:00**. The popular event attracts not only our members, but many folks from our community. There is no admission charge. A free-will offering is taken to support a charitable cause.

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**The Altar Flowers** for this Sunday are given by Marty and Alice Jenkins, to the Glory of God and in gratitude for their children and grandchildren who will be gathering this week for Thanksgiving and in celebration of all Thanksgiving family gatherings.

**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.

**Open Sundays for Altar Flower Donations:**

**December 1, 29**

OR

**Online:** The **2024** online flower donation chart may be found here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CACAC29A6F4C16-46302964-2024>

**Online:** The **2025** online flower donation chart may be found here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4CACAC29A6F4C16-50072720-2025#/>

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# **CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP**

**CHILDREN'S SERVICE**

**3:00 PM**

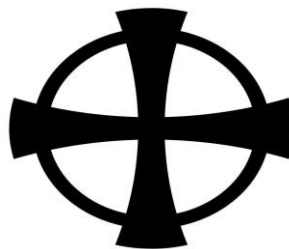
**TRADITIONAL SERVICE**

**6:00 PM**



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## **FAITH FORMATION**



**SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN, YOUTH ASSISTANTS AND ADULTS:**



**ADULTS - 9:15 am in the Education Wing**

Adult Sunday School is discussing Love Without Limits: Jesus' Radical Vision for Love with No Exceptions by Jacqueline Bussie. Please join us in the Education Wing!!

Discussion Schedule:

- Nov. 24 - Ch. 3
- Dec. 1 - Ch. 4
- Dec. 8 - Ch. 5
- Dec. 15 - Ch. 6
- Dec. 22 - Merry Christmas - no class**
- Dec. 29 - Happy New Year - no class**
- Jan. 5 - Ch. 7
- Jan. 12 - Ch. 8
- Jan. 19 - Ch. 9
- Jan. 26 - Ch. 10
- Feb. 2 - Recap

**CHILDREN - 9:30 am Downstairs**

Children (ages 2 years through 5th grade) will have Bible stories and hands-on experiences that support the story. Parent(s) are welcome to join in the class!

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**Strive ~ AOB**

(Formerly "Confirmation")

Every 4th Sunday (11:45-2) ... LUNCH PROVIDED!

**No meeting Nov. 24**

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**GATHERING@theTABLE**

Gathering@theTable will be held on the 21st of November, and on the 5th and 19th of December.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

BIBLE STUDY SCHEDULE FOR The First Advent in Palestine:

- Nov, 28 **HAPPY THANKSGIVING:** No class on Nov, 27
- Dec. 4. Chapter 4
- Dec. 11. Chapter 5
- Dec. 18. **No Class**
- Dec. 25. **MERRY CHRISTMAS:** No class
- Jan. 1. **HAPPY NEW YEAR:** No class
- Jan. 8. Chapter 6
- Jan. 15 Chapter 7
- Jan. 22. Chapter 8
- Jan. 29. Chapter 9
- Feb. 5 Chapter 10

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**🎵 MUSIC MINISTRY 🎵**

CHANCEL CHOIR: WEDNESDAY REHEARSALS AT 6:30

- Middle school age and up
- Lead Sunday worship throughout the year

ALLELUIA RINGERS: WEDNESDAY REHEARSALS AT 5:30. Middle school age and up

- Ring in worship at announced times throughout the choir season (Sept-May)
- Some music reading ability is helpful but we can teach you!

FESTIVAL CHOIR.

- Leads worship on festival Sundays and seasons such Reformation, Advent, Christmas and Christmas Concert, Lent, Easter.

WE WELCOME ANY NEWCOMERS TO EITHER GROUP. PLEASE SPEAK TO DON HUFF WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT THESE OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE.

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



## Active Exercise Opportunities:

- Yoga For You:
  - Mondays - 6:15 p.m.
  - Tuesdays - 9:30 a.m.
  - Thursdays - 9:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m. (not meeting on Nov. 28<sup>th</sup>)
  - Saturdays - 11:00 a.m. (not meeting on Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup>.)
- Chair Yoga - Thursdays at 11:00 a.m.
- Strength and Stamina - Saturdays at 9:30 a.m.

## November 2024 Health and Wholeness Tip #4 H/W ministry team

The Health and Wholeness focus for November is End of Life Decisions.

A living will is not the same as your last will and testament. A living will should address if you want CPR, mechanical ventilation, tube feeding, dialysis, antibiotics, organ and tissue donations or only comfort care when you are near the end of life. Talk to your doctor with questions about any of these medical treatments. It is wise to make these decisions before you are too sick to think clearly.

Peace I leave with you. My peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Don't let your heart be troubled or fearful. John 14:27

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## SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR HOSTS AND FOOD DONATIONS.

- If you'd like to **host coffee hour** please sign up on the Sunday(s) you'd serve. You'll find the sign up sheet on the coffee hour table in the gallery.
- **Food for coffee hour is often in short supply. Whether you host or not,** consider bringing in food items to be served on that day or on future Sundays.
- The coffee hour is an important part of our ministry of hospitality, something we can all share in.
- **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.
- There are labeled plastic containers on the counter next to the coffee machine for keeping several packages.
- 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!

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## HELP WITH LAWN CARE:

**We need some volunteers to help with taking care of our lawn. If you can help and be part of the "rotation," please contact Janet Axtman. Thank you!**

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## DAILY DEVOTIONAL AIDS

**DAILY DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS, *THE WORD IN SEASON***, are available on the welcome table where worship folders are located. The October-December 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.

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### 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.

**NOVEMBER 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.

**REMINDER FOR PRAYER REQUESTS:** We will be 'zeroing' the whiteboard and weekly prayer lists on the 2nd Monday of each month. If you would like to have someone added onto the prayer list moving forward, please make sure you do one of the following:

- Add the name(s) on the white board
- Email the church office
- Email Alice Jenkins

Thank you!

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**Counters needed!** If you are interested in assisting with counting contributions after service, please contact Laura Schwab (980-229-3900 or [laboatwright@gmail.com](mailto:laboatwright@gmail.com)). The task can usually be completed in less than 30 minutes.

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### 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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