

# PARISH NOTES – May 16, 2021

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## PRAYER REQUESTS

### *For those battling cancer*

- ✞ Jack W., friend of Fred Puhl, has stage 4 cancer with no cure.
- ✞ Lori Williams
- ✞ Dick Henkel
- ✞ Margaret Henkel
- ✞ For Laure, cousin of Sandy Blake, who is being treated for stage 1 cancer; prayers that she remains in remission.
- ✞ Carol Means
- ✞ Bob Downie, (former LSLC members)

### *For those struggling with health concerns*

- ✞ Brent Blake, who is having ankle replacement surgery on Tuesday
- ✞ Lori Stevens, who was given some disappointing health news.
- ✞ Flavia Williams
- ✞ Kim Best
- ✞ Dan Yox
- ✞ Milt Talbert and family
- ✞ Linda, mother of Dara McGuire
- ✞ Ruth & Gary Lapointe

### *For those serving in the Armed Forces*

- ✞ Trevor K., Dennis E., Chris H., Grant H.

**STEPHEN MINISTRY** – Time commitment for serving as a Stephen Minister? For the initial training, you'd be attending class sessions, Thursday, 7-9 pm, with each one lasting two hours, September-February. Then as a Stephen Minister, you'd visit your care receiver once a week for about an hour. You would also attend two meetings a month, first and third Thursday, for supervision and continuing education. Refer to Living Logos for more information.



**INSTAGRAM** - In search of a new way to connect to Living Savior? We have an Instagram page! There will be updates about what is going on at Living Savior and its ministries, as well as any service announcements. Go give us a follow @livingsaviorlutheranchurch

**CALLING ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH!** Have you ever struggled to tell others about what your faith means to you? Every Sunday evening at 7pm on Zoom until mid-May, we will be learning about how to defend our faith, using Valerie Locklair's book, *Called to Defend*. Questions? Contact Lindsay at 503-505-2690 or [lindsay@living-savior.org](mailto:lindsay@living-savior.org)  
May 16: "Get Your Armor On"



**RETIREMENT** - Betsy Warner is retiring this year as a Teacher from Preschool. We will honor Betsy on Sunday, May 23rd for her thirty years of service to Living Savior Church as she has faithfully served in the preschool ministry. We give thanks and are so grateful for her loving dedication to teaching the love of Jesus to children as she helped in their development all these years. She has blessed the staff with her friendship, faithfulness, kind heart and leadership and we will miss her.



**GRADUATES** – Do you have someone in your household graduating from High School or College? If so, we'd like to hear about it and share the good news! Please email the church office with your student's name, institution, future plans and degree. *Thank you!*



**ATTENTION LSLC GARDENERS** – Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, Len Dooley is generously donating his wonderful plants again this year to the members of LSLC. You can pick one up on your way into service next Sunday. If you are not attending in person worship, you can still have one! Drive by the church after service next Sunday and pick one up!

**VISIT WITH PASTOR KEVIN** - Our house in Sandy went on the market April 30! We will be moving closer to Living Savior soon. For now, I am in the office Tuesday and Thursday. I am working at home Sunday afternoon, Monday, and Wednesday. I welcome your visits and requests for visitation. **I will no longer be on Zoom Monday & Wednesday at 8am.** I am glad to meet using Zoom anytime Sunday – Thursday. Of course, I will respond to emergent needs day/night. Office staff has access to my calendar and is happy to schedule for you. Please feel free to contact me by phone/text/email: 503-505-1861/[pastorkevin@living-savior.org](mailto:pastorkevin@living-savior.org)

## MISSION & SERVICE UPDATES

**THESE NUMBERS HAVE FACES** is having their Spring Campaign to support the 64 students they have in their University Leadership Program. Living Savior is part of the Impact Circle to Support Innocent for his third academic year 2021-2022. The Funds raised help students who do not meet the total of the cost for school, which is \$4000 per student and support special needs such as food insecurity as they arise, due to COVID. Living Savior will be making our \$1500 contribution to Innocent's Impact Circle. Please consider your support at: [thesenumbers.org](http://thesenumbers.org)

**CONCORDIA SEMINAR ST. LOUIS** sends a THANK You for all your support which raised \$22,963 and had the 1<sup>st</sup> \$11,000 matched to ensure the seminary has the resources needed to prepare future pastors, deaconesses, missionaries, and church leaders to serve congregations and minister worldwide.

**LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF** is reaching out for emergency donations to support the COVID surge in India, which has also spilled over to Nepal. Emergency resources are being directed to health care systems that are near total collapse and critical aid to the hospitals. Your compassion will deliver medical equipment and personal protective equipment to the medical community. Consider donating: [www.donate.lwr.org](http://www.donate.lwr.org)

**BETHESDA AUXILIARY**- Oregon Unit is having the yearly membership donation of \$10.00 or more to continue to support those living with Intellectual and Development Disabilities. Make the checks payable to Bethesda Auxiliary – Oregon Unit, forward them to Shari Remmick by the end of the month.

**MEMORIAL DAY** is a day to memorialize the veterans who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country, reflecting on their service and why we have the luxury and freedom that we enjoy today. Wear a poppy, it is a symbol of sacrifice worn to honor those who have served and died for our country. Pick one up and wear it proudly. There are some available in the Narthex.

**PRISON FELLOWSHIP** - Double your gift by sending an Angel Tree child to camp. A week at camp will teach about Jesus and His love. This matched money will give a prisoner's child a summer to remember. To give, visit: [prisonfellowship.org/apriljubilee](http://prisonfellowship.org/apriljubilee)

### 2021 Contributions as of 5/12/2021

**GENERAL FUND: \$196,395**

**BUDGET: \$203,219**

**BUILDING FUND: \$21,515**



Thank you for your generous gifts!

### Other Stewardship info:

- We have introduced a new web and mobile based method of making your offering contributions, Give+. This feature makes it possible for either a one-time or recurring offering from either your checking or savings account. A link to Give+ is on the church homepage, and you can also download the app on your mobile device.
- As continues to be the case, there are several options to consider maintaining your regular offering contributions:

Mail your offering to the church:  
8740 SW Sagert Street, Tualatin, OR 97062  
Drop-off at the church during regular office hours:  
Tuesday through Friday from 9am to 2pm

**DATE CHANGE** – The confirmation date has been moved from May 23<sup>rd</sup> to June 6<sup>th</sup>. More information to come.

**BLOOD DRIVE** - We will host a Red Cross blood drive Saturday, May 29, from 8:00 to 1:30. To register to donate blood, please call 800-733-2767 or access [redcrossblood.org/make-donation](http://redcrossblood.org/make-donation). Contact Ken Dale if you have questions. 503-515-8935 or [kwd595@hotmail.com](mailto:kwd595@hotmail.com).



### JUNE VOTERS' MEETING NOTICE -

Our Annual June Voters' meeting is scheduled for Sunday, **June 13, 2021 at 10:45am**. Please watch for more information. This will be an in-person meeting and we will have a sign-up for those who wish to attend.

**LSLC Office Hours** – Tuesday – Friday 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**LSLC Website** - <https://living-savior.org/>

**YouTube Channel:** <http://youtube.com/c/livingsaviorlutheranchurchtualatinor>