



Risen Savior

Lutheran Church

October & November 2019

Sunday Worship

Traditional: 8:00 a.m.

Contemporary:
9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Pastor Cameron
Senior Pastor

Sarah O'Connor
Director of
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Lori Hakes
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Lutheran Church
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Trunk or Treat
Sunday October 27
4:30-6:30 p.m.

Sponsored by Student Ministries
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VOTERS ASSEMBLY

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17,
12:15 P.M.

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WORSHIP AND PIE SHARE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, AT 7:00 P.M.

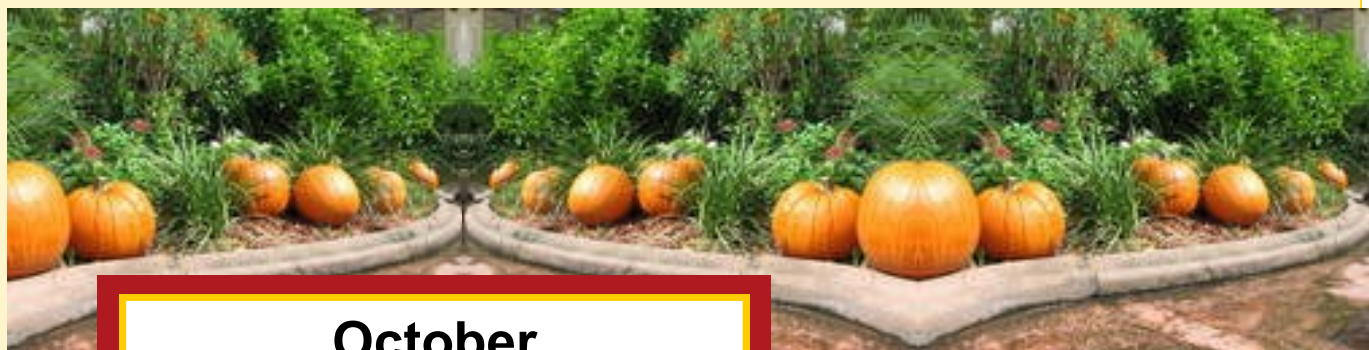
Come for worship; stay for pie! Bring your favorite pie to share. Don't miss this fun event. Just ONE pie per family, and don't forget to pre-cut your pie! Please take leftover pie and dishes home.

This is the only Thanksgiving service!

Live Nativity
update



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October



Sunday, October 27 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Come join us for a fun and safe night at our Trunk or Treat .

This event will be hosted in Risen Savior's west parking lot and courtyard. Think of Trunk or Treat as a Halloween tailgate party. Children will walk through our parking lot to see decorated trunks and get treats, then gather in the courtyard for hotdogs and refreshments.

Sign up in the Fellowship Center to donate a decorated trunk. Think of your trunk as your front door; be creative.

Donations collected for candy. Sign up to provide hotdogs, buns or other side dishes.

This is an opportunity to do outreach in the community.

This event is sponsored by Student Ministry

HUMAN LIFE AND BIOMEDICAL TECHNOLOGY: GOD'S GIFT OR PLAYING GOD?

Presentation: Friday, October 4, 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Reception to follow.

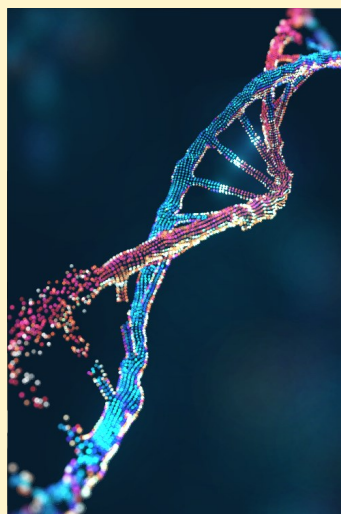
Conference: Saturday, October 5, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

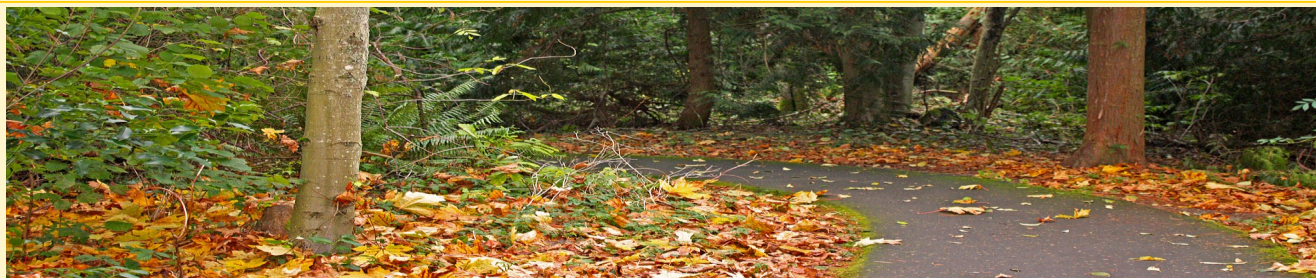
Lunch and childcare

Where: [St. John's Lutheran Church](#), 305 E. Elizabeth St., Ft. Collins 80524

As God's gift to humankind, science and biomedical technology has been used to treat and correct various illnesses and disease. But where does biotechnology cross the line and become a self-serving idol that is not God-pleasing? Rev. Dr. Robert Weise, Professor Emeritus of Practical Theology at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, Missouri, will discuss the many gifts and challenges of biomedical technology and what it means to be human according to God's Word in this topsy-turvy world of biotechnology.

Advance registration requested: please call Saint John's at 970-482-5316 or email church@StJohnsFC.org by October 1.





YOUNG AT HEART POTLUCK



Wednesday, October 9, 12:00-2:00 p.m.

Join Young at Heart, all those 55 and older. Please bring a hot dish, salad or dessert to share at the potluck. Following the potluck we will play Bunco or Dominos.

A meeting will be held afterward to determine the future Young at Heart programs. Your input is very important, so don't miss this wonderful chance for fun and your input on planning future events.

Contact Norb Kleidon through the [church office](#) with questions.

SISTERS

Single women, 55 and older, who come and share time together.

Contact: Audrey Gallagher, Marie Maves, Beth True, or Annette Wagenknecht through the [church office](#).



"BRUNCH"

Saturday, October 19, 10:00 a.m.

Come share time together while enjoying brunch at Northside Tavern located at 12708 Lowell Blvd, Broomfield, CO 80020

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November

THANKSGIVING MEALS



Thanksgiving Meals for needy families in Broomfield

Help is needed to accomplish a goal of feeding 75 families.

✓ Pick up the list of the food items and drop off times at the Information Center or online in the banners.

✓ Nonperishable items can be put in the FISH baskets anytime

✓ Bring perishable items on **Saturday, November 16, between 8:00-9:00 a.m.**

✓ Can you help deliver? Volunteers (with trucks, SUV's and larger cars) needed to transport items to the Broomfield FISH.

Contact Al Lonon through the [church office](#) with questions.

Extra food is always welcome!



ASPIRE ~ ONE NIGHT WOMEN'S RETREAT

Sunday, November 3, 5:00 p.m.

Calvary Church, 2101 Gay St. Longmont

Join us for this one night, three hour event just for women full of laughter, learning, stories, and music. It is like a weekend retreat packed into one evening with national speakers, authors, comedians, and worship. Get your tickets online today: \$25 general admission

Register at www.aspirewomenevents.com. Contact [Robin Duclos](#) through the [church office](#) with questions and to gather names of those going from Risen Savior.



CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

Sundays, November 3—Wednesday November 20

The Mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world.

Help spread The Word and pack a shoebox!

Stop by the Operation Christmas Child display in the Fellowship Center.

Filled boxes must be returned to church no later than noon on Wednesday, November 20



GIFTS FOR A PRECIOUS CHILD

Beginning Sunday, November 24, look for a tree with gift tags for "A precious gift".

Gifts must be returned, unwrapped, by Sunday, December 10.

♥ You may include wrapping paper with the gift (optional)

♥ It is **VERY** important to **SIGN OUT YOUR GIFT TAG!**

Make sure the number of the gift tag matches the corresponding number on the sign-out sheet.

Thank you so much for your help; you are such a generous congregation.



AS FOR ME
AND MY
family,
WE WILL SERVE
THE
Lord.

JOSHUA 24:15, NLT



VOTERS ASSEMBLY
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17
12:15 P.M.

Worship and Fellowship Center

Agenda:

***Election of Officers for 2020**

***Vote on proposed budget for 2020**

Pizza and child care will be provided

Can you bring a veggie tray or cookies?

Please sign-up at the Information Center

INFORMATION MEETINGS

PLEASE ATTEND AN INFORMATIONAL
CONGREGATIONAL & BUDGET INFORMATION MEETING

Watch the announcements for dates.

Your advice and input is needed!

Help our church succeed in a future
of communicating God's Word .

The topics will include:

1. Calling a Senior Pastor
2. Detailed 2020 budget

**SEEKING BOARD OF
DIRECTORS CANDIDATES**

Do you have the gift of administration?

Then prayerfully consider serving
on the Board of Directors for 2020!

Elections for open board positions will be held at
the November 17 Voters Assembly. Also,
seeking candidates for appointed positions such
as Finance, Trustees, Generosity, and HR.

Contact Phil Rutledge through [church office](#) with
questions or more information.

Board of Directors



VOTERS ASSEMBLY



Reflect ON YOUR Blessings

“Always keep your head up, because if it’s down,
you won’t be able to see the blessings that have been placed in your life.”

“Count your blessings, not your problems.”

“Talk about your blessings more than you talk about your burdens.”

“Don’t think of the things you didn’t get after praying. Think of the countless blessings God gave you without asking.”

“Count your many blessings one by one.”

“Don’t just count your blessings. Be the blessing other people count on.”

“Write your hurts in the sand. Carve your blessings in stone.”

“God bestows his blessings without discrimination.” F.F. Bruce

“There is blessing hidden in every trial in life, but you have to be willing to open your heart to see them.”

“I have too many blessings to be ungrateful.”

There is a danger to avoid in our lives that Ezekiel 12:2 speaks of: “Son of man, you dwell in the midst of a rebellious house, which has eyes to see but does not see, and ears to hear but does not hear; for they are a rebellious house.”

A rebellious spirit is shown by our unwillingness to be aware - to see/to hear – the blessings that God gives to us.

*“For He [God] makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good,
and sends rain on the just and on the unjust.”
Matthew 5:45*

Counting our blessings takes an intentional effort to see/hear the good that God sends into our lives. We can count the spiritual blessings: Christ’s work of salvation for us, the Holy Spirit, God’s Word, and so much more. Counting the everyday blessings that support our body and life gives us the resources to come to God in pray. As we pray, we can give thanks to Him for each thing on our list.

Pastor Phil Cameron
Senior Pastor

Psalm 23:4

*Even though I
walk through
the valley
of the shadow
of death,
I will fear
no evil,
for you are
with me;*

“Feel the fear...

and do it anyway!

A 34 year old felt the fear ... and did it anyway, nailing 95 Theses to the Wittenberg church door. His “95 Theses,” which propounded two central beliefs—that the Bible is the central religious authority and that humans may reach salvation only by their faith and not by their deeds—was to spark the Protestant Reformation. Martin Luther faced his fear with faith in Christ.

A slightly built shepherd felt the fear ... and did it anyway. David killed his enemy, a giant named Goliath, with a sling, a few rocks, and faith in his God.

We all face fears, but will we do it anyway? Maybe it's that phone call that you've been dreading and putting off. Maybe it's that conversation with a family member who is self-sabotaging their life that you've been avoiding. Maybe it's dealing with the financial hole you've dug for yourself and now needs to be dealt with before the creditors start invading your life.

Our fears can come from our own self-sabotaging actions (or inaction).

They can come from others' actions (or inactions) when they cascade into our lives bringing problems and disasters with them. Whatever the source, we can learn to face our fears ... and continue by faith trusting that God is with us.

When Joseph, sold into slavery in Egypt by his own brothers, sitting in a jail cell (having been falsely accused) God was still with him. Nothing could separate Joseph (or us) from God's love. God was with him and will be with us.

David proclaims the truth that he, Joseph, Martin Luther, and all of us need to know and believe:

*“Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil, for you are with me.”*

Psalm 23:4

Our Good Shepherd and Savior from sin,
Jesus Christ, will be with us.
Let's face our fears...and do it anyway.

Pastor Phil Cameron
Senior Pastor





What Do We Do With The Kids?

This is a struggle for families who want the Biblical community that our Connect and Bible groups provide. It was rarely a problem when church community happened organically, and we had enough dedicated volunteers to watch kids while parents attended Bible classes. But the pace of our current culture no longer leaves time for classes, much less time for impromptu, meaningful conversations with Christian friends. Is it enough for parents to make it to Sunday services and take a breather from groups at this crazy stage in life? How important are authentic, close friendships as we parent our children?

God designed us for relationships, so healthy, Christian friendships are not an option. We all need that. We set the tone and teach life lessons to our children by what we do. As the old adage says, “More is caught than taught.” Christian parents are eager to see their kids forge healthy relationships with other kids. This becomes more pronounced as children move through adolescence. It’s wise to model this value when the kids are small. A small group shows what it means to be brothers and sisters in Christ and what “family” is all about.

So, what do we do with the kids when we meet in our group?

Here are a few suggestions:



No kids in the group – turn to family, friends, or a hired sitter to watch the kids.

Kids occasionally included in the group

plan quarterly celebrations that include the kids.



Kids near the group – kids play in an adjoining room with a sitter.

Kids around the group – kids wander in and around the meeting space.

Kids in the group

some questions are geared for the kids and they learn to pray for one another.

Kids essential to the group – curriculum is designed for families; kids fully participate in all aspects of the group, including hospitality, service, and discussion.

When groups are intentional in engaging the family, everything is arranged to reflect this. It’s not always easy, but it’s worth the effort.

Blessings,
Robin Duclos

[Director of Group Ministry and Administration](#)

Plans are underway



The Live Nativity is on Friday, December 20, 6:00-8:00 p.m!
I have sent out one email to all volunteers who signed up so far.
If you have not received an email, please let me know!

Thank you all for your excitement and energy. I've gotten some great suggestions and ideas from YOU!

I need to finalize my cast! This will be comprised of mostly youth and children, but don't be surprised if I reach out to a few adult volunteers to help with certain roles.

If you are still interested in signing up, or you missed your chance during Christmas in July, feel free to email or call me. You can also fill out a Stepping Up card found in the pews and note "Live Nativity"!

Look for a table in the fellowship area with a calendar of events, updates and details in the coming weeks.

Sarah O'Connor
Director of Worship Ministries



Do you play an instrument?
Sing like an angel?
Want to jam with the band?
Have you ever wondered what it's like to ring a handbell?
Join music ministries at RSLC!
Contact Sarah O'Connor
Director of Worship Ministries

Concerts

If you enjoy live music and you are looking for some good Christian artists to support, there are a few concerts in the coming months around the Denver area. What better way to enjoy great music that is both entertaining and worship-filled? You can search online for details and tickets to any of the shows below. Prices will vary.

OCTOBER

3rd- Casting Crowns w/ Kari Jobe @ Bellco Center

3rd- Lacrae- CCU Event Center

4th-Newsboys w/ Ryan Stevenson – Denver First Church

5th- Casting Crowns w/ Kari Jobe @ Bellco Center

17th- For King & Country- 1st Bank Center

NOVEMBER

15th- Michael W. Smith- Mission Hills Church, Littleton

21st- Big Daddy Weave- Life Fellowship

If you know of a concert or event that you would like to share, contact Sarah O'Connor in the church office with details.



Adult Handbell Choir
Rehearsals
Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

Need more ringers
for the
Handbell Choir

CROSS "T" TRAINING Sunday School



9:30-10:30 a.m.

Grades K-5th Wing 1

New curriculum! Monthly mission projects!

Special Dates

✝ No CrossTraining Sunday School

December 1 = Thanksgiving Break

December 22 & 29 = Christmas Break

✝ Children's Christmas Program

Sunday, December 15, at the 11:00 a.m. service

Please have your child practice with us in

November & December during CrossTraining.

✝ Live Nativity

Friday, December 20, 6:00-8:00 p.m.



CHILDREN'S BELL CHOIRS BEGIN

There's still time to join the Children's Bells!

Grace Notes Tuesdays, 5:00-5:30 p.m.

Handchime choir for children in Grades 2-8

Bells of Faith Tuesdays, 5:30-6:00 p.m.

Handbell choir for students in Grades 5-12



PLAYGROUND



HANG AROUND

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Parents, Grandparents, Children
JOIN US AFTER CROSSTRaining SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sunday morning, October 20

10:30-11:00 A.M.
The Courtyard

Let the KIDS play while ADULTS share
informal fellowship & treats from Einstein Bros. Bagels

Lori Hakes, Director of Children's Ministry

YOU are created by GOD to make a

Difference in this world



UNDERGROUND CAFE & GAME ROOM

- † God's protection around their mind, soul and body
- † Godly character qualities to be instilled in them
- † Parents to be sensitive to their youth's needs
- † The youth to pray and listen for the Holy Spirit
- † For students to think with the minds that God has given and that they would read the Bible



Student Ministries!!!! SUNDAYS

- **9:00-9:30 a.m. Student Connections**
Middle & High School Students
Gather in the Underground Cafe and game room
- **9:30—10:30 a.m. Student Bible Study**
grades 6-8, basement
grades 9-12, room 201
- **5:00-7:00 p.m. Evening Youth Group**
Middle & High School Students
Gather in the Underground Cafe and game room

Middle and Senior High Youth Group Themes

OCTOBER THEME: GOD OF THE HARVEST

- ⇒ Oct 6 — Minute-to-Win-It Games
- ⇒ Oct 13 — FISH Food Drive: Bring a canned item to donate to the Broomfield Food Bank.
- ⇒ Oct 20 — Chili Mix Up: Bring any chili ingredient.
- ⇒ Oct 27 — Trunk or Treat: (Youth sponsored event for children) bring a bag of candy to pass out.



NOVEMBER THEME: THE CHRIST OF CHRISTMAS

- ⇒ Nov 3 — Live Nativity Try-outs and Roles
- ⇒ Nov 10 — Live Nativity Rehearsal and Preparations
- ⇒ Nov 17 — Live Nativity Rehearsal and Preparations
- ⇒ Nov 24 — Friendsgiving: Bring a Thanksgiving dish to share

Dinner will be served at each Youth Group

For questions, contact [Nick Duclos](#) through the [church office](#).

UNDERGROUND

YOUTH MINISTRY

Investing in today's youth is necessary in growing the body of Christ. Teaching young people in the church to grow in their relationship with the Lord prepares them to serve Christ in all they do. As a result, this nurtures the congregation and allows the church to flourish.

Our youth really bonded through this summer's National Youth Gathering. They've grown in the Lord and are looking forward to serving here at Risen Savior. Their energy is contagious, and our group has doubled in the last six months!

WE NEED FOUR MORE YOUTH COUNSELORS to support this growing youth program. Are you interested in helping our kids continue in their spiritual walk? Contact me to help! We meet from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. every Sunday night throughout the year.



WE ARE ALSO STARTING A COLLEGE-AGE GROUP that will gather to support and encourage one another in our walk with Christ. Contact me if you are between the ages of 18 – 29. I'd love to talk!

We have 20 kids in Confirmation this year! A big "Thank You" to Bill Martchenke for teaching the 8th graders while I teach the 7th graders. Our big retreat is scheduled for November 15-17. More information to come.



I pray this vibrant youth program will continue to be a blessing to our congregation. If you'd like to support youth here at Risen Savior with your time, treasures, or talents, please contact me. Donations can be made to "Risen Savior Lutheran Church", mark "Youth" in the memo line. Or, donate at www.rslc.org and click on "All Youth Fund" in the drop-down menu.

P.S. Thank you to everyone who helped with the grand opening of the Underground Café!

[Nick Duclos](#)

Director of Youth and Family Ministry

YOUTH CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Sundays from 4:00–4:45 p.m. at Risen Savior.

First year Confirmation students will be taught by Nick Duclos.

Second year students will be taught by Bill Martchenke.

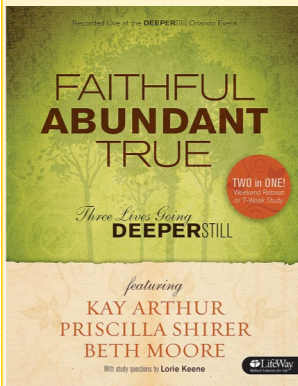
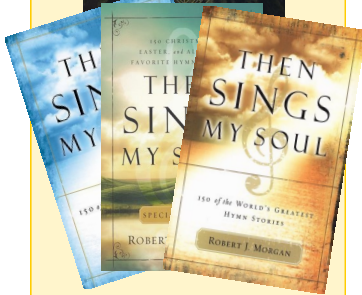
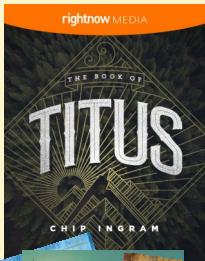
Please feel free to contact either of us through the [church office](#) with questions. We are very excited to share in the journey of faith that is Confirmation!!



In Christ,

[Bill Martchenke](#)

[Nick Duclos](#)



Bible Studies

SUNDAY 9:30 A.M. ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Sunday mornings, 9:30 a.m. Rooms 304/5

Lutheran Worship through October 13

This study will wrap up with how the Lutheran service developed and we'll discuss the richness of what we have. The study reviews the Church Year and the significance of and benefits of following that liturgical calendar. There will be time for questions and answers. Come and appreciate the incredible liturgy and worship that Lutherans have had over the centuries and the amazing God that we're worshipping. Teacher Steve Hakes

Sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper begins Sunday, October 20

This Study will present issues such as Infant Baptism and the Real Presence in Holy Communion and who should be able to commune. The class will be led by Pastor Kleidon.

SUNDAY 11:00 A.M. ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Sunday mornings, 11:00 a.m. Rooms 304/5

Titus by Chip Ingram. We will be finishing the current study on Titus from RightNow Media finishes on October 13.

Then Sings My Soul by Robert J Morgan begins October 20 or 27.

The Stories of Great Hymns will be derived from the series of books by Robert J Morgan entitled *Then Sings My Soul*. His books look at music in a way that "helps us communicate with God in ways that words alone can neither equal nor explain." We will focus on Reformation and Christmas hymns and their back stories. This study will run 6 weeks through the end of November.

Contact: Stein Cass through the [church office](#)

"Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path"

Psalm 119:105

TUESDAY EVENING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Abundant Faithful & True by Kay Arthur, Priscilla Shirer and Beth Moore

NEW STUDY BEGINS October 1

Tuesday evenings, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Room 201 Walk-ins welcome.

Overview: While these three women each speak on the distinctive topic the Holy Spirit had lead them to teach, the messages result in a marvelous blend. Kay challenges us to faithfulness in difficult days. Priscilla points to the essential of trust in God's ability, and Beth teaches on how to discern truth from error in these difficult days.

Sign up: Information Center

Contact: Nancy Timm through the [church office](#)

Bible Studies

WEDNESDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday mornings, 8:30–9:30 a.m. Room 201 Walk-ins welcome.

SUMMER BREAK: July 3-31

Genesis, God's Word for Today

Overview: Men's morning Bible study is rooted in relationships. We read the text, study the meaning, and share our walk with God. We will discuss Creation, Cain & Able, Noah, Abraham, Jacob and Joshua in Genesis.

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday mornings, 9:30–11:00 a.m. Rooms 204/5

New Study *Esther* by Living Way, begins September 4

Overview: An excellent study identifying "Queen Esther as an instrument in the hand of God to save the remnant of Israel, the tribe of Judah, from extermination. Esther was the woman for an emergency, thanks to the over-shadowing concern of Jehovah Lord."

Sign up: Information Center

Contact: Annette Wagenknecht through the [church office](#)

THURSDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Thursday mornings, 9:00–11:00 a.m. Wing 1 Walk-ins welcome.

STUDY Continues through October 17

Living Free: Learning to Pray God's Word

Overview: Praying God's Word will change your life. Learn to pray Scripture through Bible study and Scripture-focused prayer. Discover how much God wants you to live a life of freedom by replacing false strongholds in your life with true freedom in Christ.

NEW STUDY BEGINS October 24–November 21

The Women of Christmas

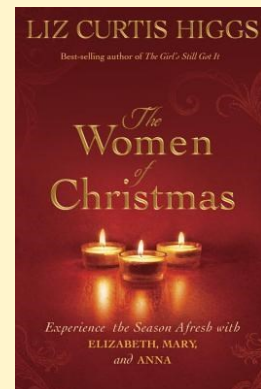
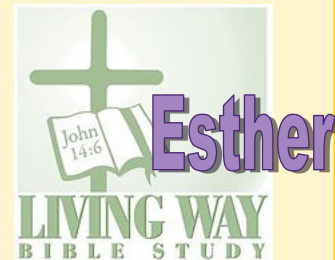
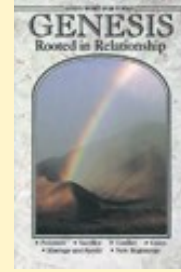
Overview: 5 week study by Liz Curtis Higgs.

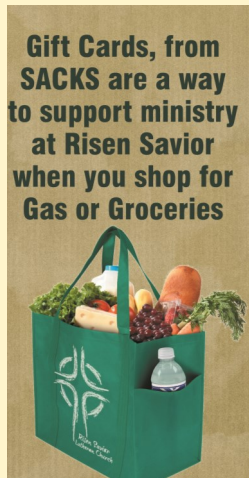
God reached down from heaven with the best gift of all. A sacred season is about to unfold for three women whose hearts belong to God. Elizabeth is barren, yet her trust in God remains fertile. Mary is betrothed in marriage, yet she is willing to bear God's Son. Anna is a widow full of years, yet she waits patiently, prayerfully for the Messiah to appear in the temple courts.

Following in their footsteps, you too can prepare for the Savior to enter your heart, your mind, and your life in a vibrant, new way. Liz Curtis Higgs explores the biblical stories of Elizabeth, Mary, and Anna, unwrapping each verse with tender care and introducing you afresh to The Women of Christmas.

Sign up: Information Center

Contact: Lynda Kluth through the [church office](#)





SACKS EASIER THAN EVER TO GIVE

Give as you buy groceries. If you haven't registered Risen Savior as your Community Rewards Partner, why not? It is simple and easy and just needs to be done one time. Just go to www.KingSoopers.com and log into your account. Go to "Community Rewards" and choose Risen Savior. Then every time you shop and use your King Soopers card, a donation will be automatically be made to Risen Savior. Once a quarter, you can check to see how much your purchases have contributed to the ministries here at church. We no longer have the pre-paid gift cards for King Soopers available. Thank you for participating in this program. If you have any questions, please contact Mark and Maria Dolan.

Contact: Mark & Maria Dolan through the [church office](#)

RISEN SAVIOR'S GOING GREEN!

Stewardship – we are responsible for all God has given to us, and we are to be good stewards of it. One way we are doing that is by switching to a more cost-effective coffee (and vendor) that members rated as “better” than our current coffee.

What else can we do?



- ➡ **REUSE/REPURPOSE:** Why spend money on items that add to our landfill problem? Reusing items is our “greenest” solution.
- ➡ **WHAT CAN YOU DO?** Use coffee/tea cups that can be washed and re-used.
- ➡ **WHAT IS RISEN SAVIOR DOING?** Encouraging members to bring and take home your own travel cup each time you come to church.

➡ **RECYCLE:** next best option is to use items that can be easily recycled/composted. Be a good steward of the world God has entrusted us with.

➡ **WHAT CAN YOU DO:** Use “earth-friendly” cups when your cup/glass is not available. Take advantage of our current recycling programs at RSLC.

➡ **WHAT IS RSLC DOING?** Switching to non-Styrofoam products that are less harmful to us and our environment. These will be available for everyone who didn't bring a cup, including guests, visitors, and those who forgot their cup.

Other areas that can be rolled into this campaign could be:

- Using recycling bins at church for all recyclable products, such as bulletins
- Using church silverware vs. plastic utensils for smaller events



ONLY YOU CAN MAKE THE DIFFERENCE!

When you leave the service, put paper in the blue tubs with the recycle logo.

**THANK YOU TO OUR RECYCLE SAINTS WHO PICK-UP AND TAKE THE
RECYCLE HOME FOR RECYCLING!**

Mark & Maria Dolan, Art & Sherry Timm, Norm & Nancy Terri
have stepped forward to collect our church recycle; if you are interested ,
contact Gladys Sweetwood in the [church office](#).



Reforming Our Ways

John, the Baptist differentiated himself from Jesus, saying *“He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and with fire.”* John’s purpose was to make straight the paths and encourage us to *“Bear fruits in keeping with repentance.”* (Luke 3:8)

Similarly, St. Paul proclaimed that *“God wants us to turn to God and perform deeds in keeping with our repentance.”* (Acts 26:20) Reforming our ways is not about outward alterations or a political viewpoint. Indeed, *“God has granted repentance that leads to life!”* (Acts 11:18)

Martin Luther and the reformers experienced intense personal reforming of their ways. God used them to unlock handcuffs that were slapped on the Gospel message. Jesus said in speaking about repentance, *“Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who need no repentance.”* (Luke 15:7) The reformers discovered the Jubilee of forgiveness, and it caught fire.



Many in our times equate God’s kindness with prosperity, good looks, health or strong ability. However, if our ways aren’t reformed in the heart, where sin emulates, then it’s not likely to be a reformation that leads to Jubilee or eternal life. Paul asked the Romans, *“Do you not know that God’s kindness is meant to lead you to repentance?”* (Romans 2:4b).

Reforming our ways also brings godly sorrow. St. Paul, inspired by the Spirit of Christ, informs us, *“For godly grief produces a repentance that leads to salvation without regret, whereas worldly grief produces death.”* (2 Cor. 7:10)

Is repentance reforming your ways? Jesus informs us, *“Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. I have not come to call the righteous but sinners to repentance.”* (Luke 5:31-32) *“...God is wishing that all should reach repentance”* (2 Peter 3:9b)

When our ways are reformed by the Holy Spirit, we recognize our spiritual depravity before God. We then notice the things we manage are not ours, but we are only ‘caretakers.’ The implications to our lives, and for our loved ones, also reform. The way we plan to distribute the worldly wealth we manage for Him will characterize blessings rather than curses.

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See the church website to learn about [Transfer the Blessing](#)

Meeting with Jason Jones

Jason Jones is Risen Savior’s Gift Planning Counselor.

Jason works with individuals in our congregation who want to discover the lifetime plan that God has planted in their heart. He will help them to use this plan to

Transfer the Blessings

God has given them to their family and the ministries they love. This service comes to you at **no cost** as a member of Risen Savior.

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Lutheran
Women
in Mission

Making a Difference in a Changing World



Celebrate LWML Sunday, October 6th!

Risen Savior Women in Mission invites you to enjoy homemade fall treats during coffee fellowship.

Be sure to stop by our display, **pick up a schedule of upcoming events** and check out our current mission grant recipients.. **Place offerings for these mission grants in the Mite boxes** around the fellowship area. Checks should be payable to Risen Savior LWML with Mites written in the memo line.

HONOR YOUR LOVED ONE ON ALL SAINTS DAY WITH A BEAUTIFUL CHRYSANTHEMUM PLANT!



Sundays, October 27 and November 3

On All Saints Day, we commemorate the lives of those who go before us in faith, and to celebrate the rest we have in forgiveness as soldiers of the faith.

For your small donation of \$10, Risen Savior's Lutheran Women in Mission will purchase a chrysanthemum to decorate our church worship area Oct 27th and Nov 3rd. You specify who it is "In loving memory of _" and a list will be included in the church bulletin for those weekends. Plants can be taken home after the 11 am service on Nov 3rd. The plants will be in 6 1/2" pots, are approximately 14" tall, and will be in a variety of fall colors.

Sign up today at the LWML table in the lobby or contact Beth Dickerhoff through the [church office](#).

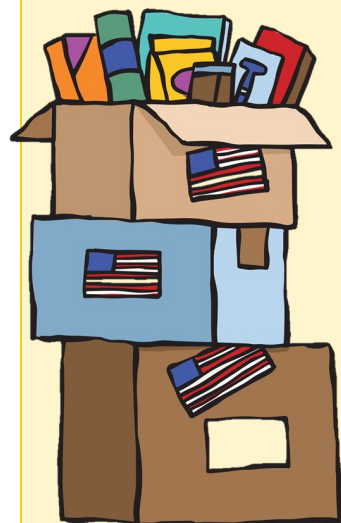
MILITARY CARE PACKAGES FOR OUR TROOPS Tuesday, November 19, 6:30 p.m.

Join the fun packing Christmas boxes for troops in the Fellowship Center. Stay to hear our own Ashleigh Cooper share her experiences in the Marine Corps plus her continuing service to our country in the Reserves.

CHRISTMAS CARE PACKAGES

Here's how you can help:

- ~ If you have a family member or friend serving, please submit their name and address to the church office by Sunday, November 17.
- ~ Drop off your donation of Christmas candy (no chocolate) and snack items at the LWML table
- ~ Cash donations for postage are always welcomed; please make checks payable to Risen Savior LWML
- ~ Pick up a toy soldier at our display as a reminder to pray for our men and women serving in the military



Dear Members of Risen Savior,

Thank you for helping feed families and fuel hope in Broomfield!

We cannot tell you how much we appreciate your generous donation to FISH

July 31	13 pounds of food and personal care items
August 14	11 pounds of food
August 22	13 pounds of food and personal care items
August 27	7 pounds of food
September 9	21 pounds of food
September 16	16 pounds of food

Total Donated 81 Pounds

It means the world to us! Please know that you are making a real difference in the lives of your neighbors.

"Betty" experienced a devastating divorce and was left with three teenage boys to feed and support. A year later, she is back on her feet and says that FISH has a very special place in her heart, because we helped her get through a terrible time in her life. She is excited and humbled to be a speaker at the 2019 Harvest of Hope Luncheon.

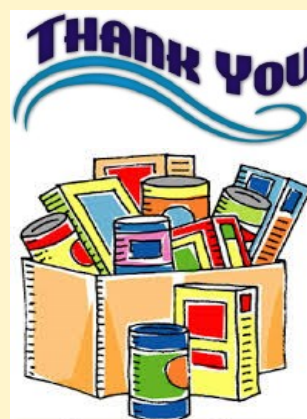
Come hear her story at the 2019 Harvest of Hope Luncheon and learn about all of the ways that FISH helps our community as a family resource center. We invite you to attend our annual Harvest of Hope Luncheon on Tuesday, October 22 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., at the Omni Hotel in Broomfield.

To learn more and register, visit <https://broomfieldfish.ejoinme.org/2019HOH>

You are invaluable to Broomfield FISH, and we are proud to call you part of our donor family.



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BROOMFIELD**



With deep gratitude,
Dayna Scott, Executive Director Broomfield FISH

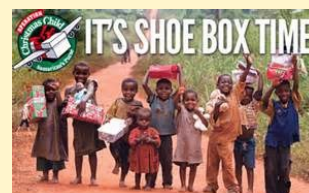
LEARN ABOUT SEASONAL MISSIONS GET INVOLVED

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CORNERSTONE MEN'S MINISTRY

Saturdays, October 19 & November 16, at 7:00 a.m.

Christ is our cornerstone and because He serves us, we serve.

Cornerstone Ministry gathers men of the congregation who meet to serve with their hands and life experiences. Teams of men serve a specific home each month with two hours of kind labor. Does this interest describe you? Are you looking for a meaningful place to serve? Contact Kevin Hischke through the [church office](#).



**FEEDING
THE HOMELESS
IN DENVER**

DENVER RESCUE MISSION

Next Opportunity: Thursday, October 17

- ♥Volunteers meet at Risen Savior at **4:00 p.m.** to carpool
OR meet at the Lawrence St. Shelter at 1130 Park Ave West.
Please let the contact person know if you are meeting the group downtown.
- ♥Volunteers wear comfortable clothes and shoes.
Hairnets, aprons and latex gloves are provided.
- ♥Children over 14 accompanied by an adult are welcome.
- ♥Questions? Contact Paul Fernandez through the [church office](#)

Sign-up at the Mission & Outreach Table in the Fellowship Hall, in the dedicated notebook for Denver Rescue volunteers. Provide phone and email so reminder can be sent. Crews report to the Lawrence St. Shelter by 5:00 p.m. and will work until finished, (7:30 p.m.)

ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Orphan Grain Train ✝

**Tuesdays, October 8 and November 12.
9:00 - 11:00 am**



More hands are needed to sort the abundance of donated clothing at the Colorado West warehouse, recently relocated to Gethsemane Lutheran Church on Washington St. We need to have a group of at least 12 volunteers so we have a team of 5-6 to pack each month. Young at Heart and Women in Mission are co-sponsoring this outreach.

If you wish to volunteer or if you have any questions/comments, please contact Norm and Nancy Terry, Kay Moeller or Linda Harsh through the church office.

Orphan Grain Train is a Christian volunteer network that ships donated food, clothing, medical and other needed items to people in 69 different countries including the USA.

One of the 27 Regional locations, the Colorado West branch is in our backyard. This branch has blessed by an abundance of donations but they are in desperate need of more helping hands to sort and pack the donations for shipment.



"THERE IS NOTHING GREATER WE CAN GIVE CHILDREN THAN AN INVESTMENT IN THEIR FUTURE AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN ABOUT JESUS."

To see the latest news about any of the foreign missions Risen Savior Supports:

Please use the church website and follow the links there for the most updated information.

www.rslc.org/outreach/world-missions/ from here you will find links to support and the most recent news about the missions we support.



Mission Thailand

Dr. Fung Lo and family, Kalia and Mercy at the Mission of Christ Network office in Thailand. Fung's primary ministry is to improve the theological training that is currently going on with the Hmong pastors and leaders in Southeast Asia, where there are over two million Hmong who still don't know Jesus. Learn more about this ministry <https://missionofchrist.org/service/lo-fung/>



Stronghold Cambodia,

This registered NGO (Non-Governmental Organization) in Kampot, Cambodia, is a before-and after-school program that teaches English as a second language, basic computer skills, and provides a daily nourishing meal to children in their surrounding community. More importantly, Jesus is introduced to children who live in a country that is 95% Buddhist. Learn more at [Stronghold Cambodia's Facebook](#)



Crossing Cambodia's Mission Director, Greg Holtz, serves and is committed to affecting change and sharing the gospel in Cambodia, one life at a time. They work with street children, local churches, and through local networking to bring about change in children's and families' lives in Cambodia. Greg Holtz is a member at Risen Savior Lutheran Church. Click here for more information about Crossing Cambodia [Crossing Cambodia](#) or

subscribe the [Crossing Cambodia Newsletter](#)



Uganda

Elizabeth is serving with House to House, sharing the love of Christ through intentional relationship and discipleship to create change from within.

ssmfi.org/missionary/elizabeth-corless/ [Elizabeth Corless](#)



Square Two: The Cima Family

J.P. and Aimee Cima Family and children Celeste, Bella, and Isaac are currently missionaries in Phnom Penh. Please continue to pray for this family, and subscribe to their [newsletter](#) and follow their [photo blog journey](#).

**THANK YOU TO ALL THE HANDS THAT KEEP
RISEN SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH ALIVE AND GROWING.**

Sundays you love our children, students and adults through child care and teaching classes, ushering, reading Scripture, pushing the buttons for slides, singing and playing in the Praise Band, choirs (Chancel & Handbells), student band, providing snacks, counting the offering and welcoming people to our church.

The rest of the week you teach classes, helping with mission projects, clean kitchens, help in the office, create bulletin boards, set up the altar, clean pews for Sundays, shop with SACKS and give financially to the church and so much more!!!

THANK YOU FOR THE BLESSING YOU ARE!

✠ **Automatic Giving Option** (weekly/semi-monthly/monthly)

"Joyful Response" Set up electronic contributions to church through Joyful Response.

This program's highlights:

- You choose the amount and frequency
- Changes to donation may be made at any time by contacting the church office
- No fees to you or the church

Forms are **available online** or at the Information Center.
Please attach a voided check or savings deposit slip.

All Offerings are Tax-Deductible

Questions? Contact the church office at 303-469-3521 or office@rslc.org

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Lori Hakes, Dir. of Children's Ministry

Nick Duclos, Dir. of Youth Ministry

Sarah O'Connor, Dir. of Contemporary Worship

NURSERY AT RISEN SAVIOR

A Safe, Comfortable Place for Your Child

WHERE: Early Childhood Wing

OPEN: 9:00 a.m.–Noon

WHEN: Sunday Mornings

WHO: Ages Birth to 4 years old

GOAL: Happy Child, Happy Parents

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Our nursery staff are dedicated people, paid professionals who care about your babies. They all have been trained and look forward to watching your babies and children while you are in worship service. **The nursery has a 10-minute cry rule:** you will be paged so you can come and comfort your child. You are also encouraged to stay with your child for a little while to get them used to the nursery.