

Our Saviour Lutheran Church

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Today's Hymns: 559, TLH 523 (bulletin), 533, 642

Catechism

P The Lord's Prayer: The Sixth Petition

C And lead us not into temptation.

P What is this?

C God certainly tempts no one; but we pray in this petition that God would guard and keep us, so that the devil, the world, and our flesh may not deceive or mislead us into false belief, despair, and other great shame and vice; and that, though they attack us, we would finally overcome and win the victory.

Turn to the Introit on the laminated card.

In Our Prayers

Members

Ron; Sindy & Nikola; Žina; Calvin

Family of members

Shirley Thomas (terminal cancer); Annabelle's mother (old age); Ethan (recovering from surgery); Joy; Alex, Sarah & family; Ian (Parkinson's); Claire Anniss (health); Doug & Myra (health); Jack Fast (dementia); Barry (old age); Jacqui (broken ankle)

Friends of members

Ilse Kelly (old age); Mae (bereavement); Jim Ferguson (stroke); Dell (spinal injury); Becky Varsogea (brain tumour); Claire & Phil (health); Helen Kriewaldt (stroke, breast cancer); Johann Wiebusch (CP); Charlotte (cancer); John (cancer); Brian (cancer); Gina & family; Tim (health); David (health); Lynette Wiebusch (Alzheimer's); Janet (cancer); Pauline (cancer); Sharon (brain tumour); David,

Michael, Fiona & family (health); Joan & her brother (health); Amy (recovering from liver transplant); Mollie (recovering from surgery); Pam and †Alex; family of †Sandra

Local Community

Tina (depression); Treacher family; Leanne (chronic pain)

ELCE

Ascension Lutheran Church, Pr. Samiec; Pr. Ehlers (recovering from eye surgery); Pr. Jones (health); Wendy Nicolson (cancer); family of †Linda

The Church of God

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Brazil; Lutherans in Africa, Pr. James May; Somali Lutheran Church, Pr. Mohamed Gurhan; Holy Trinity CofE; Ilahi family, Jawid (persecution)

Volunteer Rota

	Music:	Sunday School 1:	Sunday School 2:	Teas:
Today:	Daniel	Michelle	Erin	Rosemary
Next week:	David	Carol	??	Dot

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Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me

Ps. 73 : 28

Warum sollt' ich mich denn grämen

Paul Gerhardt, 1653, cento

Tr., composite, based on John Kelly, 1887

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Warum sollt' ich mich denn grämen

Johann G. Ebeling, 1666

1 Why should cross and tri - al grieve me? Christ is near With His cheer;
 2 Though a heav - y cross I'm bear - ing And my heart Feels the smart,
 3 God oft gives me days of glad - ness; Shall I grieve If He give
 4 Hope - ful, cheer - ful, and un - daunt - ed Ev - 'ry - where They ap - pear

Nev - er will He leave me. Who can rob me of the heav - en
 Shall I be de - spair - ing? God, my Help - er, who doth send it,
 Sea - sons, too, of sad - ness? God is good and tem - pers ev - er
 Who in Christ are plant - ed. Death it - self can - not ap - pal them,

That God's Son For my own To my faith hath giv - en?
 Well doth know All my woe And how best to end it.
 All my ill, And He will Whol - ly leave me nev - er.
 They re - joice When the voice Of their Lord doth call them. A - men.

5 Death cannot destroy forever;
 From our fears, Cares, and tears
 It will us deliver.
 It will close life's mournful story,
 Make a way That we may
 Enter heavenly glory.

6 What is all this life possesses?
 But a hand Full of sand
 That the heart distresses.
 Noble gifts that pall me never
 Christ, our Lord, Will accord
 To His saints forever.

7 Lord, my Shepherd, take me to Thee.
 Thou art mine; I was Thine,
 Even ere I knew Thee.
 I am Thine, for Thou hast bought me;
 Lost I stood, But Thy blood
 Free salvation brought me.

8 Thou art mine; I love and own Thee.
 Light of Joy, Ne'er shall I
 From my heart dethrone Thee.
 Savior, let me soon behold Thee
 Face to face, — May Thy grace
 Evermore enfold me!

Children's Ministry Conference

"How do we meet the needs of the children and young people in our church?"

22 September 2018

Hill Park Baptist Church

9.15–9.45	Arrival and Registration
10.00	Opening Devotion <i>Pastor Jaime Kriger</i>
10.30	Feedback from the European Lutheran Sunday School Association Conference 2018 in Kaunas, Lithuania <i>Doreen Rosser & Barbara Higgins</i>
11.15–11.45	Coffee
11.45–12.30	Group discussion: "How do we meet the needs of Children in our church?"
12.30–1.00	Feedback on the group discussion
1.00–2.00	Lunch <i>Please bring a packed lunch/ tea and coffee will be provided</i>
2.00–3.00	What about our young people?
3.00–3.30	Report from <i>Corpus Christi</i> conference for Lutheran young adults held in Prague
3.30	Closing Devotion <i>Pastor Tapani Simojoki</i>

**All are warmly invited to take part.
Please let pastor know if you are planning to attend.**

ELCE Annual Synod

5–6 October

Synod Theme: God, what next?

"How long, O LORD? Will you forget me forever? How long will you hide your face from me?"

Ps. 13.1

Member of Our Saviour Lutheran Church are invited to attend this year's Synod, hosted by Our Saviour and held at Hill Park Baptist Church.

In particular, you are encouraged to attend the opening service (Matins) on Friday, 5 October, and the closing service (Holy Communion) on Saturday, 6 October. The timetable for Synod will be published nearer the time.

Moreover, the congregation needs to appoint a lay delegate for the Synod meetings. The delegate will vote on behalf of the congregation in all elections and concerning all resolutions. There can be a different delegate on each the two days.

As soon as the resolutions and electoral candidates are published by the Executive Council, a congregational meeting will be called to determine how the congregation wishes to vote. The delegate will also be elected at that meeting.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

This Week

Today	6 pm	Youth Club
Tue	7.30 pm	Missions Committee (Parsonage)
Wed	10.30 am	Pastor's Drop-in (The Hub)
	2 pm	Devotion at Kiln Lodge & Hunters Lodge
Thu	1.10 pm	Bible study (Parsonage)
	6.45 pm	Bible study (Eastleigh)
Sat	9.45am–4pm	ELCE Children's Ministry Conference (Hill Park Baptist Church)
Sun	10.30 am	Divine Service (Scout Hall)
	3 pm	Bible study at Oxford Mission
	4.30 pm	Divine Service at Oxford Mission

Further Ahead

26 Sep	10.30 am	Pastor's Drop-in (The Hub)
	2 pm	Devotion at Willow Tree Lodge & Hartwell Lodge
27 Sep	1.10 pm	Bible study (Parsonage)
	6.45 pm	Bible study (Eastleigh)
30 Sep	10.30 am	Divine Service—Harvest Festival.
	12 noon	Harvest lunch
	6 pm	Youth Club
3 Oct	10.30 am	Pastor's Drop-in (The Hub)
4 Oct	1.10 pm	Bible study (Parsonage)
	6.45 pm	Bible study (Eastleigh)
5–6 Oct		ELCE Synod (Hill Park Baptist Church)
7 Oct	10.30 am	Divine Service (Scout Hall) <i>Special Offering for Children's Outreach</i>
	3.30 pm	Bible study at Brighton Mission
	4.30 pm	Divine Service at Brighton Mission

Daily Readings:

Sun: 2 Chronicles 35:1–7, 16–25 *Zephaniah 1:1–3:20 Colossians 3:1–25 Apology of the Augsburg Confession Xlla (V):11–27*

Mon: 2 Chr 36:1–23 *Philemon 1–25 Col 4:1–18 Ap Xlla (V):28–45*

Tue: Nehemiah 1:1–2:10 *Haggai 1:1–2:23 1 Timothy 1:1–20 Ap Xlla (V):46–58*

Wed: Neh 2:11–20; 4:1–6 1 Tim 2:1–15 *Ap Xlla (V):59–67*

Thu: Neh 4:7–23 1 Tim 3:1–16 *Ap Xlla (V):68–82*

Fri: Neh 5:1–16; 6:1–9, 15–16 1 Tim 4:1–16 *Ap Xlla (V):83–97*

Sat: Neh 7:1–4; 8:1–18 *Ezra 1:1–10:19 1 Tim 5:1–16 Ap XIIb (VI):1–15 [98–112]*

Sun: Neh 9:1–21 1 Tim 5:17–6:2 *Ap XIIb (VI):16–24 [113–121]*

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