

SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2026

SILVERDALE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Men's Retreat Update — August 28-30

This year's focus is Leadership — practical, encouraging, and geared toward real life.

We will hear excerpts from experts in that field and we'll look at leadership in the home and family, in our work and community, and in our church. Don't consider yourself a leader? No problem, we will celebrate all kinds of leadership styles.

Come and find out your style and be empowered to be a faithful leader in all your areas of influence! Don't forget, there is lots of free time on Saturday so you'll have time to relax and recharge!

Scholarships are available - please contact Pastor Bill



Help Keep Our SLC Picture Wall Updated

Our Picture Wall is one of the first things people see when they walk into SLC. It's a visual reminder of the community we share — faces, families, and the connections that make this place feel like home.

Right now, our office staff simply doesn't have the time to keep it updated, and we're hoping to find **one volunteer** who would enjoy coordinating this meaningful project.



What We Need

- Updating and organizing the photos on the Picture Wall
- Reaching out to members who may need a refreshed photo
- Taking simple, updated pictures when needed (a phone or basic camera works perfectly)

This is a small but important ministry that helps new members feel welcomed and helps long-time members stay connected. If you enjoy organizing, have an eye for presentation, or simply love helping people feel seen, this could be a great fit.

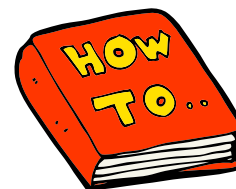
If you're interested in helping, please let us know. Your time and care will make a big difference.

Contact the office at (360) 692-9263 or email slcesilverdalelutheran.org if you can help.

HAVE YOU SET UP YOUR SERVANT KEEPER GIVING ACCOUNT YET?



We will begin using Servant Keeper links for giving and phasing out the Subsplash giving links. Our goal is to transition over to Servant Keeper Giving by September 1st.



Step 1: Create Your New Giving Profile (Online Giving)

<https://giving.servantkeeper.com/silverdalelutheran/member/login>

1. To set up your new giving account:
2. Go to our new SLC Giving Portal (link above)
3. Select Create Account.
4. Enter the same email address you use with the church office.
5. Check your email and reset your password.
6. Add your preferred payment method (bank account or card).
7. If you had recurring giving in Subsplash, set up your new recurring gift here.
8. Once confirmed, cancel your old recurring gift in Subsplash.
(Call the office if you need help)

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 - Go to your church's Subsplash Giving link.
 - In the upper-right corner, click Log in or Sign up.
 - Click the Donor Icon (top right) and select Account.
 - Click Recurring Gifts.
 - Select the recurring gift you want to cancel.
 - Scroll to the bottom and click Delete gift.
 - Click Update to confirm.
 - Subsplash also confirms that you can cancel recurring gifts from either the web giving page or the mobile app, as long as you are logged into your donor account.



Important: Your giving history will still be recorded by the church. You are not losing any past records. You will also be able to see your giving history under your profile (Step 2)

Step 2: Create Your Member Directory Profile (Member Portal)

SERVANTKEEPER®

The Servant Keeper Member Portal is where you will update your contact information, upload a family photo, view your giving statements and access the church directory.

<https://office.servantkeeper.com/member-portal/silverdalelutheran/login>



To set up your Member Portal account:

1. Go to the link above or Watch for an invitation email from Silverdale Lutheran Church. The email will go to the "Head of Household".
2. Click the link in the email to create your login.
3. Use the same email address you used for your giving profile.
4. Set your password.
5. Log in and review your household information.
6. Upload a photo if you wish.
7. Choose what information you want visible to other members.



If you receive an error message reach out to the church office. We will double check the "Head of Household" Email and make sure it is correct.

Note: The Member Portal and Giving Portal are separate systems. You may use the same email and password, but they do not sync automatically.



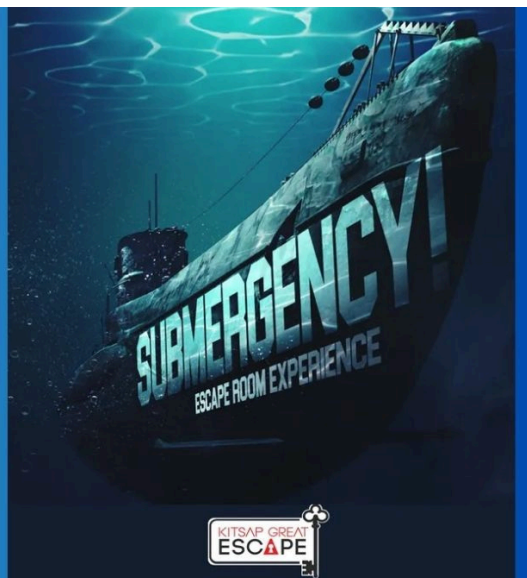
If you have questions or would like help please reach out to the church office. Kathleen Johnson (Office Manager / Financial Secretary) can assist you.

I will be on vacation July 25 - Aug 17. If you are unsure of the process and/or can't delete your re-occurring donation with Subsplash just wait until my return on August 18th and I can do it for you.

Young Adult ESCAPE ROOM

Thursday, July 23rd
7:30-9pm

Please RSVP to
Pastor Jonathan @ 360-621-1437



Annual SLC picnic

Date: Sunday, July 26

Time: After Late Service, 12:30pm-4pm. Lunch begins at 1pm.

(Feel free to stay later, but we'll be closing down the burgers and hot dog meal portion by 2:30pm.)

Location: Olympic Lutherhaven (park side - 9375 NW Holly Road, Bremerton, WA 98312)

Be ready to eat, play some games, hang out, swim, kayak, or canoe to your heart's content.

(Pending confirmation of lifeguard. Otherwise, anyone under the age of 18 must be under direct parent supervision.)

We'll supply all the fixings for burgers and hot dogs. Please bring a side or dessert to share based on the first letter of your last name below.

A-L Side Dish | M-Z Dessert

Do you have dietary food restrictions? If yes, please email us so we can try to accommodate them as best we can. And be sure that any side or dessert you bring, you can also eat.

Questions or dietary food restrictions? Please email slc.annual.picnic@gmail.com

YOUTH
LAKE
night

Wednesdays
July 29th
6:00-8:30pm

swim • paddle • play
pack your own picnic • shared devotions & treats

Are you looking for a monthly evening Bible study?



Joy Circle will be studying "The Sermon on the Mount with John Stott" for our 2026-2027 season. This study will look at the most inspiring and challenging description of Christian counterculture – Jesus' Sermon on the Mount. Following the key themes of Jesus' sermon we will explore values, ethics, spiritual practice, and the shape of Christian community.

Joy Circle meets from 7:00-8:30 PM in Room 4 at SLC on the 4th Monday of September-November and January-April, and on the 3rd Monday in May.

We currently have 4 mighty members and would love to add you to our list. Come join us as our new study takes us passage by passage through Matthew 5-7.

SLC Member in Need



We have a devoted member of SLC who will soon undergo a kidney transplant and needs our community's help.

Following her surgery, she will have **four post-operative appointments each week for four weeks (sixteen appointments total)** at **Swedish Hospital in Seattle**. She does not have family available to assist with transportation. A close friend will stay with her during recovery, but her friend is older and does not drive.

We are hoping to gather **8-12 volunteers** from SLC's faithful who can be **on standby to drive her to Swedish and back**. If we can gather enough drivers, each person would only need to help with **a couple of trips**.

She will **pay for gas and the ferry**, and if needed, she can offer **\$100 per day** for the service — a meaningful opportunity for **high schoolers or young adults** who may be able to help. Your compassion can make her recovery possible.

If you can help please contact the church office at slc@silverdalelutheran.org

*I would like to express my deepest thanks and gratitude for all of the beautiful cards, flowers, visits and meals during the hospital and rehab adventure after this fall. I feel extremely blessed to be a part of this great church family.
I couldn't have done it without your support.*

Jane Rhodes



To my SLC family--a big THANK YOU for all the help during my current convalescence.

thank you

From the generous Meal Train donors, the Pastoral team, lending of the bathroom and shower assist items, and most of all, your prayers!

Reminder: Make DARN SURE that ladder is on SOLID GROUND EVERY TIME!

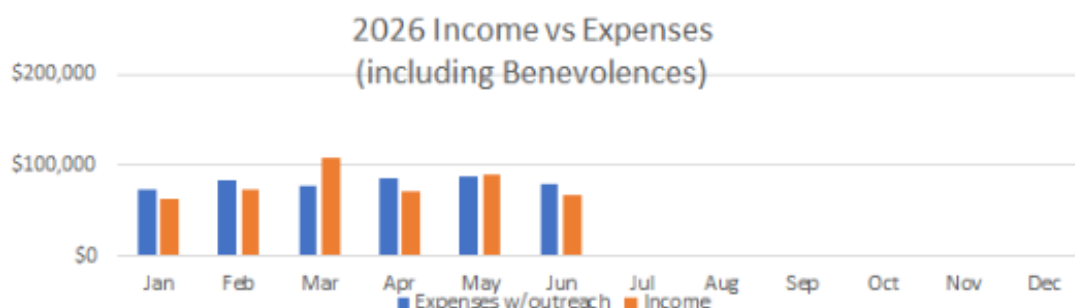
With love and much thanks!

Greg Patterson

In June, we fell back a bit in meeting our ministry expenses. However, our giving is basically the same as last year with our expenses being down slightly. Our hope and prayer over the summer is that our giving can be consistent so we do not fall behind during summer, leaving a large deficit to make up in the fall. Thank you for your continued faithful support for SLC's mission and ministry.



Net income vs.
expenses for June
is \$-12,428
(includes
outreach paid
through June)



	2024	2025	2026
Income	\$459,147	\$465,732	\$474,347
Expense	\$479,135	\$488,101	\$487,859
Difference	-\$19,988	-\$22,369	-\$13,512

3-year comparison
through June of
each year

Lutherhaven Fundraiser

Great prizes, cash too!

Great food, drinks, and fun for the whole family.

SUNDAY, JULY 19TH

MCCLOUD'S GRILL HOUSE

4111 WHEATON WAY, BREMERTON

Come at 4:30 for a place, Bingo is from 5 to 7 PM.

50% of all Bingo goes to Lutherhaven

This is a great way for Lutherhaven to raise funds.
We need a big turnout to keep this opportunity.



WEEK OF JULY 19TH-25TH

Greg Clevon July 19
Rob Ganowski July 19
Kathy Holland July 19
Gloria Crawford July 20
Elaine Jukam July 21
MaryBeth Fergus July 23



Heather Henrichsen July 23
Barbara Manbeck July 23
Judi Blockhus July 24
Teresa Walton July 24
Joan Olson July 25
Molly Rittenbach July 25

Bethany & Christopher Dieringer
July 19th (18 years)

Bob & Tracy Bell
July 21st (36 years)

Charles & Karen McQuillan
July 23rd (38 years)

Eric Lucas & Aimee Gordan
July 24th (12 years)

HAPPY
Anniversary

Tony & Cindy Hernandez
July 24th (5 years)

Bradley & Ellen Posadas
July 24th (33 years)

Jason & Kristie Slocum
July 25th (6 years)

25
YEARS

Happy 25th anniversary to David
& Joelle Ferber on July 21st!

Baby
Shower



On Saturday, August 1, there will be a
baby shower for Destiny (Rhodes)
Cooper and her husband Nate at 1 pm
in the Fellowship Hall.

We are extending an open invitation
for any who would like to attend.
Please respond to Jane Rhodes by July
25th if planning to attend. There will
be an invitation posted on the bulletin
board in the Fellowship Hall.

SLC Calendar | Week of July 19th

Sunday, July 19th

8:30a Early Worship (S)
9:15a Summer Brunch - Music Ministries (FH)
9:30a 90th Birthday celebration
10:30a Late Worship (S)

Monday, July 20th

9:00a Ties That Bind (Quilters) (FH)
5:30p GSWW Leaders Meeting (4)

Tuesday, July 21st

10:00a Program Staff Meeting (4)
12:00p Al Anon (27)
1:00p Text Study (4)
7:00p Compassionate Friend (22)
7:00p Hometown Band (FH)

Wednesday, July 22nd

10:30a Manna Bible Study (4)
12:00p Hearty Meals (FH)
3:30p GS Troop 41332 (23)
5:00p EWB (S)

Altar Care help needed - August

Many of our congregation members will be traveling to Ireland with Pastor Bill. If you can help with Altar Care please contact Jane Rhodes at:

oeschlin92746@yahoo.com

Thursday, July 23rd

10:30a Thursday Bible Study (FH)
12:00p Song of the Church (S)
1:00p Faith & Fellowship for Older Men (St)
1:00p Our'Chestra (S)
6:00p Kitsap County Search Dogs (FH)
6:30p Young Adults (off campus)
7:00p Venture Scouting Group (23)

Friday, July 24th

8:00a Men's Prayer Breakfast (Bowling Alley)

Sunday, July 26th

8:30a Early Worship (S)
9:15a Summer Brunch -
10:30a Late Worship (S)
12:30p SLC Annual Picnic (Olympic Lutherhaven)



Do you need to get into contact with Kathleen, our Office Manager?

The week of July 20th-25th is the last week to ask any questions or request assistance from Kathleen before she goes on a multi-week vacation.

Worship Attendance July 12th

Early Service	Late Service	In Person Total	Online Total	Grand Total
128	169	297	50	347