

BSLC Education News

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church
Connecting People to Jesus as we gather, grow & go!

May 2010

FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT – SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Join us this summer during Education Hour as the children will discover how the fruit of God's Spirit grows in our lives.

We will start on **Sunday, June 6th** from 9:30 – 10:30 am for 3 yrs old (and potty trained) through 7th grade, as of this past school year. We will meet downstairs in the North East classroom and will need a minimum of a lead teacher and two (2) assistants each Sunday.

There will be an opening table activity followed by story/discussion time. Then the children will move into age-appropriate learning centers and end back in the large group for a closing prayer.

Please consider serving one (or more) Sundays as our regular teaching staff takes a break to attend an adult Bible class.

For more information or to volunteer, contact **DCE Jeff Bellach**.



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Special points of interest:

- Education Hour Offerings during June will supplement the VBS Mission Blanket project
- VBS is June 7–11th
- Volunteer to teach one Summer Sunday School Class

Vacation Bible School: High Seas Expedition - June 7–11

Have you registered for VBS?

Registration forms are in the narthex or you can register online! Bring a friend!

Go to www.bslcks.org until June 1st.

June 7th–11th
9– noon for K–5th
9–11:40 for 3–5 yr olds.

Would you like to volunteer? Sign up on the poster in the narthex lobby.

Donations and prayer support are also welcome!



This action-packed week will include Bible stories, recreation, crafts, music and fun!

Come to Family Night on Thursday evening, June 10th for some special activities!!!

2010 Lutheran Family Retreat

Looking for a mini-vacation?

Join us at the **Lutheran Family Retreat**, August 6 - 8 at Camp Webster in Salina, Kansas. Camp Webster is located off I-70 just north of the Ohio St. exit – before you get to Salina.

The Camp provides air-conditioned housing and dining, plus lots of fun activities for the family. Some favorites are swimming, fishing, canoeing, archery, zip line, climbing wall, hiking, sand dig, playground, games, and much, much more. Sound like fun? IT IS! Join us for a weekend of re-

laxation, worship and fun with family and friends.

Retreat fees are \$80.00 per person and children 5 and under - \$15.00. A \$15.00 deposit for all those over age 5 is required when you send in your registration.

Pick up a brochure today or visit the website:

www.lutheranfamilyretreat.org and

register for a weekend of fun! For more information contact:



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The Kansas District LWML - Lutheran Women in Mission and the LLL - Lutheran Laymen's League are sponsors of the Lutheran Family Retreat with pastoral and lay volunteers from congregations across the state volunteering to help you have a fun & enjoyable weekend.

Summer Sports

Victory Soccer Camp offers a nurturing yet skillful environment that teaches vital soccer skills and also helps kids develop their spiritual growth. Each camp features quality soccer instruction, mini games, scrimmages, skill drills, Bible half-time and FUN! The camp is for boys and girls ages 5 – 12 and runs 9:00 – Noon Monday through Friday. Registration brochures are available at www.victorysoccer.org. The camp is led by Goran Hunjak, who played professional soccer worldwide, and locally for the KC Wizards and KC Comets .



HOOPS for KIDS The 8th annual benefit for TLC for Children and Families, Inc. will be held on Saturday, June 19th at the Cook Center on MidAmerica Nazarene University. A 3 – on – 3 Youth Tournament will be held from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm with many more events throughout the day, concluding with the Main Event Basketball Exhibition at 8:00 pm. The 3 – on – 3 Tournament is for boys and girls, grades 2 – 12. \$100 per team of 3 – 5 players (3 starters and 2 subs). Each team is guaranteed three games. Entries must be received no later than June 14th. Register on-line at www.kidstlc.org.

SUMMER VACATION—
Don't forget to include Jesus in your summer plans!



DON'T TAKE A VACATION FROM CHURCH

- Take along your favorite VBS or Christian artist CDs to play if you are traveling
- Check out LCMS churches at your destinations either on-line or with the Lutheran Annual (you can call the church office for that information)
- Bring back "traveling" bulletins and share them with the church office

BOOKS NEEDED

Would you have gently used or new Christian-themed books for children from newborn through 3 yrs. to put in our Baptism Splash kits?

There is a box in the narthex with a schoolhouse if you have a donation. Thanks!

Wee Ones Committee

Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 150-200 words.

One benefit of using your newsletter as a promotional tool is that you can reuse content from other marketing materials, such as press releases, market studies, and reports.

While your main goal of distributing a newsletter might be to sell your product or service, the key to a successful newsletter is making it useful to your readers.

A great way to add useful content to your newsletter is to develop and write your own

articles, or include a calendar of upcoming events or a special offer that promotes a new product.

You can also research articles or find "filler" articles by accessing the World Wide Web. You can write about a variety of topics but try to keep your articles short.

Much of the content you put in your newsletter can also be



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used for your Web site. Microsoft Publisher offers a simple way to convert your newsletter to a Web publication. So, when you're finished writing your newsletter, convert it to a Web site and post it.

Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 100-150 words.

The subject matter that appears in newsletters is virtually endless. You can include stories that focus on current technologies or innovations in your field.

You may also want to note business or economic trends, or make predictions for your customers or clients.

If the newsletter is distributed internally, you might comment upon new procedures or improvements to the business. Sales figures or

earnings will show how your business is growing.

Some newsletters include a column that is updated every issue, for instance, an advice column, a book review, a letter from the president, or an editorial. You can also profile new employees or top customers or vendors.

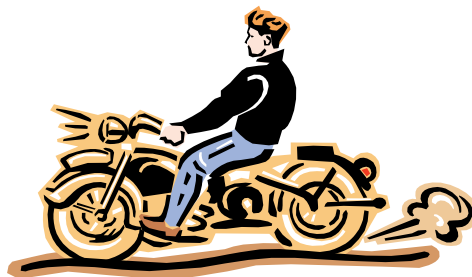
"To catch the reader's attention, place an interesting sentence or quote from the story here."

Inside Story Headline

This story can fit 75-125 words.

Selecting pictures or graphics is an important part of adding content to your newsletter.

Think about your article and ask yourself if the picture supports or



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enhances the message you're trying to convey. Avoid selecting images that appear to be out of context.

Microsoft Publisher includes thousands of clip art images from which you can choose and import into your

newsletter. There are also several tools you can use to draw shapes and symbols.

Once you have chosen an image, place it close to the article. Be sure to place the caption of the image near the image.

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This would be a good place to insert a short paragraph about your organization. It might include the purpose of the organization, its mission, founding date, and a brief history. You could also include a brief list of the types of products, services, or programs your organization offers, the geographic area covered (for example, western U.S. or European markets), and a profile of the types of customers or members served.

It would also be useful to include a contact name for readers who want more information about the organization.

Back Page Story Headline

This story can fit 175-225 words.

If your newsletter is folded and mailed, this story will appear on the back. So, it's a good idea to make it easy to read at a glance.

A question and answer session is a good way to quickly capture the attention of readers. You can either compile questions that you've received since the last edition or you can summarize some generic questions that are frequently asked about your organization.

A listing of names and titles of managers in your organization is a good way to give your newsletter a personal touch. If your organization is small, you may want to list the names of all employees.



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If you have any prices of standard products or services, you can include a listing of those here. You may want to refer your readers to any other forms of communication that you've created for your organization.

You can also use this space to remind readers to mark their calendars

for a regular event, such as a breakfast meeting for vendors every third Tuesday of the month, or a biannual charity auction.

If space is available, this is a good place to insert a clip art image or some other graphic.