

Info As You Go

April 26, 2020



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Please register your attendance on the sign-up Genius that you will receive by email.

You may also email the church office (office@bslcks.org.)

Please indicate all family members (not just a number) that are in attendance with you

SEMINARY CALL DAY

CALL DAY SERVICES AT CONCORDIA SEMINARY, ST. LOUIS

The COVID-19 pandemic has deeply affected the church and those in it. For many, life has come to a screeching halt.

But — perhaps now more than ever — the need for well-formed, educated and loving pastors and deaconesses continues in The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod.

Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, and Concordia will once again hold Call Day services for vicarage assignments and calls to the Holy Ministry, though in a different format.

Please take a look at the information below to find out how you can access the all-virtual Call Day services at each seminary, making note of any other changes to the usual formats.

This year's Call Day service at Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, will be a **joint service** for all assignments and calls on **Tuesday, April 28, 2020, at 7 pm.**

Stream the Concordia Seminary, St. Louis, call services online:
csl.edu/academics/call-day-services

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP BAGS Donations are requested for the creation of new "DENIM" children's worship bags. Please donate any size of Men's Jeans (new or used). If you have any questions, please see Angela Hodge or Kristi Buckendahl. Donations can be left in the wooden box/bin in the Narthex.

TRUSTING HEARTS UPDATE

Goal - \$2.2 Million

Committed - \$2.03 Million

Received - **\$868,879.60**

If you need additional Trusting Hearts (blue) offering envelopes, they are available in the acrylic holders by the mailboxes.



FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S WORSHIP RESOURCES

The **Children's Worship Notes** follows the Gospel Reading for Sunday, April 26. This resource can be printed and used while you watch the service online or throughout the week as a family devotion. Your kids can color the larger or smaller image while you read the Gospel or use the Prayers bookmark image for them to write a name or something to pray for, and then have them color and pray. <https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Children-Worship-Notes-Apr-26-Luke24-35.pdf>

If you prefer only the graphic images, the ones for April 26 will be on the last page of the April 2020_Lectionary-images. Eden Keefe uses them in her journal to supplement sermon notes. <https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/April2020-Lectionary-Images-2.pdf>

These resources and many more pertaining to prayers, Scripture, and encouraging others - including ones specifically designed for use during COVID-19 - are all available as FREE downloads from www.visualfaithmin.org.

Another idea for **family prayers**, especially if you use the church prayer list or have people who need healing, is to trace a bandaid a number of times on a piece of paper. For kids who can write, have them fill in the bandaid images with names of people and color them as they pray. For non-writers, you might ask them for

names and let them color as you pray out loud. It's good practice for the whole family!

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VIRTUAL VBS 2020 AT BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR!!

Will there be...

Bible Stories? - YES

Music? - YES

Games? - YES

Mission Projects? - YES

Craft Projects? - YES

Snacks? - YES

Can I drop my kids off for VBS - NO

But you can join us in early June for four days of Facebook Live events to learn about Jesus' love for YOU and His creation.

Registration opens on May 1st Register at:

<https://vbsmate.com/events/BeautifulSaviorOlatheKS/19328>

SUNDAY SCHOOL "A Revealing Truth" is the Bible lesson for this week. On Easter afternoon, Jesus joins two disciples discussing the events of the past week in Jerusalem while on their way to Emmaus. Along the way, Jesus interprets the Old Testament prophecies concerning Himself. Arriving at Emmaus, the disciples suddenly recognize Jesus, who then disappears from sight. The disciples quickly return to Jerusalem to share their amazing account. Discuss how you, too, can share this amazing story.

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR LUTHERAN CHURCH YOUTH GROUP has partnered with The Rub Bar-B-Que to sell gift card(s) redeemable at The Rub Bar-B-Que for one rack of ribs. As part of the Youth's commitment to the Trusting Hearts Capital Campaign, they have decided to contribute to the expansion by raising money to furnish the new youth room with furniture and classroom materials. This will be an important place for them to spend time in fellowship and study God's Word. We are asking you to support this growth by purchasing a gift card(s) from one of the youth members at Beautiful

Savior Lutheran Church. These are great for parties, graduation and confirmation celebrations, your Easter celebration or just a night that you don't have to cook. With each gift card purchased the youth raise \$10 towards their goal of \$2,500.

Sale Dates: March through April 2020

Gift Card Cost: \$21 Per Rack of Ribs (reg. price-\$22.99)

Where to Redeem: The Rub Bar-B-Que (K10 and Ridgeview), 10512 S. Ridgeview Rd, Olathe, KS 66061 (913) 894-1820. If you are ordering more than 2 racks at a time, please call The Rub in advance. Questions: Contact Chris Martin 913.302.4529 or chrismartin8828@yahoo.com.

BOOK COLLECTION for our partner church in Guatemala will be collected in the Narthex. Help us to provide books for their children.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

SECRET PRAYER SISTERS is starting up again! All the ladies of the church (18+ years old) are invited to participate in Secret Prayer Sisters (SPS)! If you sign up, you will be given a 'prayer sister' to pray for and to encourage. It is a wonderful blessing to have someone who prays for you daily and occasionally sends you Scripture verses and encouraging notes. We're also doing "Double Secret Prayer Sister" (DSPS) again: three ladies who say they would like to enter the DSPS drawing will be chosen randomly to secretly pray for and encourage one of our pastors' wives or our vicar's wife. If you only want to participate as a DSPS and not be paired with someone praying specifically for you, that's fine, too! We'll keep our 'prayer sisters' a secret until the end of the program year (February/March 2021), so try not to let anyone know who you have until the reveal party. If you would like to participate, please **contact Alaina Booth by May 1st**, and she will email you a form to fill out. You can find her email address and phone number in the church directory.

BIBLE STUDY Starting Tuesday, April 28, prominent Lutheran author, Donna Snow (Pyle) and LWML will collaborate on an online Bible study via Lutheran Women in Mission- LWML's Facebook page using Donna's study "Overflowing Abundance". It will be a six-week study. Donna will present for about 20-25 minutes, and people can watch live or during the week,

leave comments, etc. The Bible study is available as a FREE download from LWML here: <https://www.lwml.org/posts/shoplwml/lwml68932>. For more information contact Eden Keefe at lwmleden@gmail.com.

SERVING THE LORD WITH GLADNESS Sunday, May 3, we will be promoting LWML in a variety of ways. We would like you to **wear purple** for Drive-Through Communion that Sunday. We will have the LWML Mite Box out for your mighty-mite donations of coins, bills, or checks to support the work of district and national LWML and our mission projects. We will be sending out information next week about how you can (or are) "Serving with gladness" from home.

PRESCHOOL NEWS

*Connecting children and families to Jesus
as we gather, grow, and go.*

CONSCIOUS DISCIPLINE The preschool has purchased the rights to share Conscious Discipline Training Videos (10 sessions) with up to 75 participants at a time. Church members are invited to join our Zoom meeting trainings for our preschool and MOPS parents on **Tuesday, April 28th at 1:00 pm or 8:00 pm** and on **Thursday, April 30th at 1:00 pm or 8:00 pm**. Session #1 will be shown at both times on Tuesday and Session #2 will be shown at both times on Thursday. Email Amy Schultz at preschool@bslcks.org for a Zoom invitation to join these valuable trainings for parents and educators.

PRESCHOOL AND MDO FAMILIES are enjoying a special "online preschool" group with a private Facebook page. Mrs. Schultz, the pastoral staff, and teachers have been posting videos of our Bible stories, music and movement classes, chapel, devotions from the pastors, teachers sharing books and ideas, and other resources. Over 110 people have joined our group and it's been a blessing to stay connected to our families and children through this technology! Thank you for your continued prayers for our preschool ministry and for our preschool families!

CHRIST LUTHERAN SCHOOL is hiring for the 2020-21 school year! Qualified parties with experience and training in education are invited to apply. CLS is seeking individuals looking to join a dedicated team of Classical educators at the middle school level! Content focus

areas include Math, PE, and History. Interested parties can reach out in the coming weeks to consider applying at Christ Lutheran School via email at david.rindt@clcop.org"

THE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL OF KANSAS CITY'S 31ST ANNUAL AFFAIR OF THE HEART AUCTION has been rescheduled for Saturday, May 30th. The auction committee has decided to run an online silent auction beginning on Monday, May 18th through Saturday, May 30th. On the 30th from 7 to 8 pm we will produce a "virtual" auction of our Live items as well as the annual Fund-the-Need Appeal. You may receive an invitation to the online event by registering on the lhskc.com website under the Auction tab, or by calling 816-241-5478 and leaving a message. The committee plans to schedule an Affair of the Heart celebration party in the late fall where all contributors to our event will celebrate with food, drink, music and fun. So, please support our event by registering to participate, by donating an item or service, by inviting a friend or two to our online event, and most importantly by praying for the success of this venture. We need to fill a hole in our budget so we may continue to "Prepare lives for Today, Tomorrow and Eternity".

CALENDAR:

Sunday, April 26

- 8:00am – Worship w/ live Stream
- 9:30 am – Adult Bible Study – live streamed
- 10:30am – Communion Service – front parking lot

Tuesday, April 28

- 9:30am – Organist Practice
- 1:00pm – Staff Meeting
- 7:00pm – Seminary Call Day Live Streamed

Wednesday, April 29

- 9:30am – Organist practice

Thursday, April 30

- 7:00pm – Women's Bible Study

Saturday, May 2

- 8:30pm – Altar Guild Prep until 9:30 am

Sunday, May 3

- 8:00am – Worship w/ Live Stream
- 9:00am – Adult Bible Class – Live Stream
- 10:30am – Communion Service front parking lot

Birthdays:

April 26	Gregg Ouverson Caedence Scott Kate Krannawitter
April 27	Dale Brandt Craig Hennerberg Karen Scott Jeff McDonald
April 28	Connor Hughey
April 29	Diane Bockelman Brad Cornell Madeline Travis
April 30	Daniel Haake
May 1	Leonard Hanson Makenna Wolgast
May 2	Elle Tripp Maya Hughey

Anniversaries:

April 29	Leonard & Connie Hanson Doug & Jennifer Mahnken
May 1	Tait & Lynzee Jeter

Our Worship 4/19/2020

<u>Attendance</u>	401
<u>Offerings</u>	\$10,0070.46
<u>Trusting Hearts</u>	\$4,040.00

Stewardship Corner

In 1 Corinthians 4:1-2, the Apostle Paul writes that we are "*servants of Christ...entrusted with the secret things of God.*" How God honors us! It is not, however, honor without responsibility, for he continues, "*Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful.*" Scripture is clear about what God's will for us is. He has given us gifts to be used for building up the Church and for reaching out to the lost. It is our task, as His hands, feet, and mouth to be using all our gifts in order to share the secret things of God with a lost world.

LET US USE ALL THE RESOURCES AT OUR DISPOSAL THAT MORE PEOPLE MIGHT SAY TO OUR SAVIOR: "Jesus, remember me when You come into Your kingdom" (Luke 23:42).

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