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

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### TRUSTEES OUTDOOR WORKDAY – SAT. APRIL 9<sup>TH</sup>

Volunteers are needed to help beautify the area around the church before Easter. The work will begin around **8am** and will include weeding, mulching, trimming and the like. If you would like to bring a wheelbarrow, rake, shovel, chain saw, hand saw, gloves etc. that may be useful. Many hands will see the work done sooner. Your time and work are appreciated!



### NOMINATING COMMITTEE UPDATE

Thank you to all those who agreed to serve as Officers, Board Chairs and Board members! We have openings on the Evangelism and Trustee Boards. Elections are this Sunday (4/10). Please consider serving and open to being nominated.

### SEDER/PASSOVER MEAL

We invite you to "complete the picture" of God's mighty acts of salvation in our lives as we join to celebrate the Christian significance of the Passover meal our Lord ate with His disciples on the night He was betrayed.



Join us **Tuesday April 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30PM**. Please reserve you/your family's spot in the **attendance form this Sunday**.

### EASTER LILIES

If you would like to sign up to provide Easter Lilies for our Easter Services this year, please sign up on the sheet in the narthex. The price is \$15.00 this year. On the sign-up sheet, you can designate your flowers for a remembrance, another reason, or simply to the Glory of God. Please use the existing green flower envelopes on the side of the mailboxes and label them "Easter Lilies". Thank you!



### EASTER EGG HUNT DONATIONS

We are collecting candy donations for the Easter Egg Hunt, which will be held on Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>. Donations will be accepted thru April 10<sup>th</sup>. Place your donations in the wooden box in the narthex. Candy should be individually wrapped and small enough to place in a plastic egg. We DO NOT NEED donations of plastic Easter eggs this year. Any questions, please speak to Pastor Ada. Thank you!



**INVITATION** Daryl & Camille Benedict invite you to help celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary. They are former members of Redeemer and First Lutheran Churches. It is on Sat., April 16<sup>th</sup> from 2-4pm. This is a come and go party. They request no gifts. The party will be held in the Fellowship Hall of Redeemer Lutheran Church. 920 S. Alta Lane, Olathe, KS 66061. Kindly RSVP to Lynzee Jeter at 913-963-6715

## WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY

A women's evening Bible study informational meeting will be held at BSLC on Wednesday, April 27 at 6:30 pm. If you have been looking for a Bible study to join, this meeting will provide you the opportunity to give input to the day of the week, how often we meet, time, and style of study. You may use the QR code to register. Contact [Lisa Gruhn](#) for more information.



## LUTHERAN EARLY RESPONSE TEAM

Find out how you can become part of LERT (Lutheran Early Response Team) on April 30, 2022. Additional information can be found on a flier in your mailbox.

## KANSAS FAMILY VOICE

You are invited to a special presentation on *The Sanctity of Human Life* and the "Value Them Both" Amendment on April 23, 2022. This is an opportunity for Kansans concerned for LIFE to see guest presenters Pastor David and his wife Debbie Beauchamp and Brittany Jones of Kansas Family Voice. See the poster in the narthex for more information.

## AMAZON SMILE

Shopping with a cause! Shop at [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) and Amazon will donate to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, at no cost to you. Sign in to [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) with your existing Amazon account and follow the steps to select Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, Olathe, KS. It is the same products, prices, and services. Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases back to BSLC.



**VBS – SAVE THE DATE**  
**JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup>-16<sup>TH</sup>**

## THIS WEEK IN SUNDAY SCHOOL

This week, we will study "The Proof Room." With the words "Peace be with you" (John 20:19), the risen Lord appears among His disciples gathered in hiding from the Jews. Thomas, who is not among the disciples that evening, doubts their report of Jesus' resurrection. Eight days later, while Thomas and the disciples gather in the locked room, Jesus appears among them once again. Thomas witnesses the physical truth of the resurrection as he touches Christ's wounds. Jesus concludes by telling Thomas and us, "Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed" (v. 29).

## WORSHIP RESOURCES

### Lectionary Images for April 10<sup>th</sup>

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/2022-04-10 Palm-Sunday lectionary-images.pdf>

### Children's Worship Notes April 10<sup>th</sup>

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/2022-04-10 Palm-Sunday childrens-notes.pdf>

## HEALTH MINISTRY

Health Ministry Committee's mission is to promote congregational wellness of mind, body, and spirit at BSLC by helping care for one another to attain, maintain and / or regain the best possible whole person health (wellness of mind, body, and spirit) that can be experienced. Area's we serve:

- ❖ Circle of Hope Cancer support group
- ❖ Facility Safety and First Aid care
- ❖ Brochure Stand for supportive handouts
- ❖ Baby burp blankets to new preschool babies and at baptisms
- ❖ Health education, referrals, and follow up care after hospitalization

Future plans are coming!

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

### LWML – LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION

This year, the district convention which will be held at the DoubleTree Hotel in Overland Park, April 22-24. The Friday night Opening Worship Service with Holy Communion will be hosted by/at Beautiful Savior. It is

open to all, and we will appreciate volunteer greeters, parking lot attendants, etc. The convention schedule, registration form, speaker information, bios of officer/pastoral counselor nominees (including Christy McCombs), and other information is available in the [Convention Issue of the Kansas Sonshine newsletter](#). Registration is still open until April 15. We would love for Beautiful Savior to be well represented at the convention – and would also appreciate you taking a shift at the registration table, as a hospitality volunteers, in the Prayer Room, etc. **If you are interested, please contact Eden Keefe with your preference.**

### LWML GIFTS OF LOVE MINISTRY



*Returning God's Blessings*

Fear of death should not be a deterrent to putting together an estate gift plan. There are many things that cause us to fear. But death itself has been defeated by Jesus and His resurrection. "All who live and believe in Him will never die."

Applying our faith, we can get after the plans that direct faithful use of God's gifts after He has called us home. Your LWML Gift Planning Counselor can help you remain resurrection focused. Contact Carol von Soosten at [Carol.vonSoosten@lfnd.org](mailto:Carol.vonSoosten@lfnd.org) Phone: 800-741-4138 The website also has invaluable information <https://www.lwmlgiftplan.org/>. This service is free for LWML members and their families.

There will be no LWML group meeting in April.

### MISSIONS

#### HYGIENE KITS for ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN

Orphan Grain Train has been helping provide humanitarian aid donations for the Ukrainian refugees. Our hygiene kits will help replenish their supplies. The **TOWEL TOWER** has been set up in the narthex. We are collecting **lightweight, dark-colored, regular-sized bath towels (no oversized) and washcloths**. Other items to be added are single-packaged **toothbrushes, nail clippers, and bath-size bars of soap**.

Our goal was 50 kits but we will assemble as many kits as possible with incoming donations. We have 16

towels and washcloths so far. We will be collecting through April.

If you would like to donate but don't want to shop, envelopes will be available for cash donations. Envelopes can be put in the small, locked, wooden donation box on top of the large wooden box. Questions, contact Charlotte Hundley.

### PIONEER TRAIL BACKSNACK PROGRAM UPDATE:

Beautiful Savior is continuing to support the 45 students who are signed up for the program this 2021-22 school year. Our contributions are some of the items that are given to the students to help provide nutritional food for over the weekend. Each month we need to provide these food items for each of the 45 students:

**2 boxes of cereal** (size that will fit in backpack)

**1 box of Breakfast Bars** (any size box with at least a 4 count any type of granola bars.)

**1-4-pack fruit cups** (any larger count is fine)

### PRESCHOOL NEWS

#### THANK YOU

Thank you to all the BSLC members who have donated items for our new preschool classrooms! Items have been trickling into our office for the past two weeks and we are so excited to set up our new rooms later this summer. If you'd still like to donate, please use this QR code and be sure to go back in and click "I got this" after a purchase so that the item is taken off the list.



#### WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD

Preschool children celebrated Week of the Young Child this week with spirit and dress up days of crazy hair, hat day, and favorite sports team days. We're excited to celebrate Holy Week next week and have our Easter parties in our classrooms.



## STEWARDSHIP



### LOVE MOTIVATES US TO BE GIVERS RATHER THAN TAKERS.

"[Christ] died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for Him who for their sake died and was raised" (2 Corinthians 5:15).

### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

When Jesus went willingly to the cross on Good Friday, the world witnessed the greatest possible gift of love. *"Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends"* (John 15:13). Because of God's tremendous love for us, we are empowered to love and serve others. Love makes us do some outrageous serving and giving. For example, in Luke 7:36-50, we read the story of the sinful woman who washed Jesus' feet with expensive perfume. The woman responded to Jesus' great love and forgiveness with love and gratitude for Him which she expressed by pouring expensive perfume from an alabaster jar on Jesus' feet. If CNN or Fox News had been around at the time of this event, they would have jumped at the opportunity to ask her what prompted her to wash Jesus' feet with such expensive perfume. Her answer would have been, "Love made me do it."

Members and Visitors, please remember to register your attendance for **April 10<sup>th</sup>**



### Our Worship for 03-27-22

8:00am	182
10:45am	133
6:00pm	14
Online	50
<b>Total</b>	<b>379</b>
<b>Offerings</b>	<b>\$16,834</b>
<b>Sunday School Attendance (in person)</b>	<b>112</b>
<b>Children</b>	<b>68</b>
<b>Trusting Hearts</b>	<b>\$9,120</b>
<b>Offerings do not include any Electronic Contributions</b>	

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

### PALM SUNDAY, April 10

Worship services at 8:00am, 10:45am & 6:00 pm

### SEDER MEAL, Tuesday, April 12 at 6:30pm

### MAUNDY THURSDAY, April 14

Worship Services at 5:00pm & 7:00pm

### GOOD FRIDAY, April 15

Worship Services at 5:00pm & 7:00pm

### EASTER EGG HUNT, Saturday, April 16 at 9:30am

### EASTER VIGIL, April 16

Service at 6:00pm

### EASTER SUNDAY, April 17

Sunrise Service at 6:30am

Easter Breakfast from 7:30 – 10:30am

Worship services at 8:00am, 9:30am & 11:00am



## CALENDAR THIS WEEK

### Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup> – Palm Sunday/Passion Sunday

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. & live streamed  
9:30am – Education Hour & Live streamed  
10:45am – Worship w/Communion  
12:15pm – Voter's Meeting  
1:00pm – Music Prep  
3:00pm – Laudate Ringers until 3:45pm  
4:00pm – Youth Choir until 4:45pm  
5:00pm – Beata Handbells until 5:45pm  
6:00pm – Evening worship w/Communion (masks)

### Monday, April 11<sup>th</sup>

8:15am – Preschool  
8:45am – Beautiful Moms in Christ  
12:15pm – Preschool  
6:00pm – Saving Grace Practice  
6:30pm – Trustees Meeting  
7:30pm – Circle Hope

### Tuesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>

8:15am - Preschool  
9:00am – Organist Practice  
12:15pm – Preschool  
6:30pm – Seder Meal

### Wednesday, April 13<sup>th</sup>

6:30am – Men's Bible Study until 7:30am  
8:15am - Preschool  
9:00am – Organist Practice  
12:15pm – Preschool  
6:00pm – Rehearsal for Night of Witness  
6:45pm – Adult Choir until 7:30pm  
7:30pm – Adult Bells until 8:30pm

### Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup> – Holy Thursday

No Preschool  
8:30am – Classical Conversations Mock Trial  
9:00am – Preschool Staff Meeting  
5:00pm – Maundy Thursday Worship Service  
7:00pm – Maundy Thursday Worship Service

### Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup> – Good Friday

Church Office closed  
No Preschool  
5:00pm – Good Friday Worship Service  
7:00pm – Good Friday Worship Service

### Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup> – Easter Vigil

8:30am – Altar Guild Prep until 9:30am  
9:30am – Easter Egg Hunt  
2:00pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal until 3:00pm  
3:00pm – Easter Bells until 4:00pm

6:00pm – Easter Vigil Service w/Schuller Baptism

### Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup> – Easter Sunday

6:30am – Easter Sunrise Service w/Communion  
7:30am – Easter Breakfast until 10:30am  
8:00am – Easter Worship Service w/Communion  
9:30am – Easter Worship Service w/Communion  
11:00am – Easter Worship Service w/Communion/Bauck Baptism



### Birthdays:

Apr. 10 Virginia Kester, Sydney Hughey, Matthew Riechers, Thomas Bodestab, Jack Gruhn & Frank Leurquin

Apr. 11 Aaron Johnson

Apr. 12 Travis Vogt & Linda Wingerter

Apr. 13 Cora Delancy

Apr. 15 Jeff Freiermuth, Jerod Waldman & Leah Olson

Apr. 16 Harrison Neuschafer, Jaxon Hefte, Barbara Levan, Jesse Schultz & Ian Willey

### Anniversaries

Apr. 15 Bob & Karen Rinne 55 years

