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THE BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR COMMUNITY FUN DAY will take place THIS AFTERNOON (August 18) from 3:00-5:00pm. There will be food, prizes, an obstacle course, bounce house, games and more. If you would like to volunteer, a signup genius for volunteers was emailed and there will be a signup sheet in the narthex.

BIBLE TRAINING AND CATECHISM TRAINING will take place THIS AFTERNOON (August

18) from 12:00 – 2:00pm. The Bible training are for those entering the third grade, and the catechism training is for those entering the fifth grade.



CONCORDIA PUBLISHING FALL BIBLE SALE is going on now

through Sept. 30th. There are a number of Bibles on sale as well as other new books. If interested, you can go to <u>www.cph.org</u> and place your order. This would a be great ideas for Christmas, birthday, or confirmation gifts!

HEALTH MINISTRY COMMITTEE

BSLC's Health Ministry Committee is forming a support group (Circle of Hope) for people whose lives have been touched by cancer. This group is for anyone who has a new diagnosis, ongoing treatment, completed treatment in remission of any type of cancer, and their caregivers. The group is designed to support, encourage, offer education, and prayer for each other. Our first meeting is Thursday August 29th at 7:00pm at BSLC. For more information contact Char Ludwig (<u>char@midamconi.com</u>), Denise Jordan (<u>msdenisejordan@gmail.com</u>) or Pastor Schultz (<u>pastorschultz@bslcks.org</u>).

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEAR YOUR NAMETAG In an effort to help our new vicar and his wife get to know all of us, please remember to wear your name tag. If you have lost or misplaced yours, please email the church office <u>office@bslcks.org</u> and Debbie will be happy to make you a new one.



55 AND OVER GROUP Our first meeting on August 4th had 37 attendees and the fellowship in Christ's presence was a great beginning for the new relationships

we will build. Those joining this group are of different backgrounds and interests. They also have different schedules. Small groups with common interests will form from time to time. Everyone should move as the Lord leads. You may not be able to attend every special activity. That is OK. Some activities may not be to your liking. That is OK too. The Lord loves a willing heart and that is what we need for all that we do as we make new friends and enjoy the company of old friends. Our next meeting will be after late service on August 25th. This meeting should result in a plan for the remainder of the year and a name for the group. In the meantime, send me questions, thoughts, recommendations. Danny Hundley, 217-377-4109 DannyHundley@aol.com

CALLING ALL MUSICIANS! Handbells and Choir will be starting again soon! We have many wonderful opportunities for you to use the musical gifts God has given you. The Adult Handbells, Adult Choir, Youth Choir and Chimes Ensemble will begin rehearsals again on Wednesday, August 21st. Youth Handbells and High School Bells will begin on Sunday, August 25th. If you would like to be involved in any of these ensembles or if you have questions, please contact Lauran Delancy (Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com). "Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth" (Ps. 98: 4a)

CHILDREN'S CHIME CHOIR OPPORTUNITY

Children ages 4-years-old and older are invited to participate in a Chime Choir this Fall. The children will play for both morning worship services on the second Sundays of the month. Rehearsals are primarily on Wednesday evenings from 6:00-6:30 and commitments for rehearsals are one month at a time to allow your child(ren) to participate as your schedule permits.

Sign up at: <u>https://tinyurl.com/ChildrensChimes</u> or contact <u>Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com</u> with questions.

HIGH SCHOOL HANDBELL OPPORTUNITY High school youth are invited to participate in a Handbell Choir this Fall. The youth will play for both morning worship services on the first Sundays of the month. Rehearsals will be Sunday afternoons from 3:00-3:45pm and



commitments for rehearsals are one month at a time to allow the youth to participate as their schedules permit. Sign up at: <u>https://tinyurl.com/HSBells</u> or contact <u>Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com</u> with questions.

CAR WASH FUNDRAISER There will be a Lutheran High School car wash fundraiser on Saturday August 24 at BSLC (main entrance) from 9:00am-1:00pm. The fundraiser is for a Winterim science class trip to Monterey, CA in January 2020.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

TEACHERS NEEDED Michelle Wibe is still needing Sunday School teachers for 3 & 4 yr. olds, Kindergarten, and 1st & 2nd grades for this fall. If you can help, please call 780-6023 or email her at <u>michelle@bslcks.org</u>.

SUNDAY SCHOOL Today Sunday School students look into "The Case of the Broken Bread: Road to Emmaus." As happened after His resurrection, today we recognize Jesus through the teaching of His Word after the breaking of bread. Possible discussion questions include: "How did the men on the road respond to seeing Jesus? How can you share the good news of Jesus' resurrection?"

CHILD CARE WORKER NEEDED We are in need of someone to do childcare on Wednesday nights, 6:30 – 8:30pm. This is a PAID position. If interested please email Michelle Wibe <u>michelle@bslcks.org</u> or call the church office.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY Come check out our new Women's Bible study "Sip, Savor, and Drink Deeply". It will be held on Thursday mornings in the conference room from 9:30 - 10:30am with childcare provided. Eden Keefe will facilitate. The cost of the book is \$10 and can be a print copy or you can



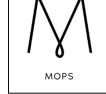
order a downloadable version to your Kindle or iPad. We will introduce the study with a relaxed time of fellowship on Thursday, August 22nd. Please contact Eden Keefe at <u>lwmleden@gmail.com</u> for more information.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

TRAVEL SIZE TOILETRIES The summer months are a great time for family vacations. Remember as you are traveling this summer to save any unused travel-size shampoo, soap, toothpaste, etc. We will donate the travel sizes to the Ronald McDonald House. If you have any questions, contact Deb Hodnik, Gina Raetzel or Charlotte Hundley.

PRESCHOOL NEWS

BSLC MOPS is starting our fourth year with the first meeting of the school year on Monday, September 9, 2019. Moms that are expecting or have children aged infant to kindergartener are welcome to join us for two meetings a



month (2nd and 4th Mondays, 8:45 to 10:45am) September through April. Childcare is provided for your little one(s) six months and older. For more information pick up a MOPS brochure in the rotating display next to the visitor information table in the narthex or e-mail Lisa Gruhn, BSLC MOPS Coordinator, lisa.gruhn@gmail.com.

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL STAFF

will be dedicated this Sunday at the 8:00 am service. We are



adding two new staff this year, putting us at 17 total staff in our Preschool and MDO. Mrs. Martha Reseburg will be teaching our Multi-Age Class and Mrs. Samantha LeBlanc will be a new MDO and Multi-Age Aide. Watch for pictures of our staff in the September Gather, Grow and Go newsletter. We are thankful for the team of women God has gathered together to help our children Grow in Jesus here at BSLP. The official 2019-2020 school year begins on Monday, August 19th.

COMMUNITY NEWS

EXPERIENCE GERMANY: LUTHERLAND & **OBERAMMERGAU PASSION PLAY - September 5-**14, 2020 From the Berlin wall to castles in the Bavarian Alps, from the historic and modern city of Munich to the Dachau concentration camp memorial, from the sites of Lutherland to the world-famous Passion Play in Oberammergau, this colorful and comprehensive tour of Germany hosted by Pastor Tom and Diane Harries is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. Take advantage of an Early Bird Discount of \$100 by registering before September 5, 2019. To ensure tickets for the Passion Play, registration needs to be made by September 20, 2019. An information meeting will be held at Hope Lutheran, Shawnee on Sunday, September 8, at 7:00pm. For a brochure or information, contact Pastor Tom Harries at 913-888-4772 or by email at <u>harriesth51@gmail.com</u>.

ST. STEPHEN LUTHERAN CHURCH will be hosting its 1st Annual Charity Golf Tournament on September 8th at Paradise Pointe Golf Course in Smithville, MO. The tournament will begin at 1:30pm with registration starting at 12:00pm. The cost is \$95.00 per person. We also have various levels of sponsorship available. Proceeds will benefit the Liberty Women's Clinic. If interested in participating or being one of our sponsors for the tournament, please contact: Robert Brinser, <u>r.brinser@specialtyrolledmetals.com</u> or Craig Knaak @ 816-377-6311. You may also register at <u>https://teamjesusliberty.org/event-signups</u>. Registration forms have been placed in the Info Rack in the narthex.

CALENDAR:

Sunday, August 18 8:00am – Worship w/ Communion/ PS Teacher Dedication 9:30am - Education Hour 10:45am – Worship w/ Communion & Miller Baptism & LHS Teacher Dedication 12:00pm – 3rd Grade Bible Training 12:00pm – 5th Grade Catechism Teaching 3:00pm – Community Fun Day 6:00pm - Evening Worship w/ Communion 7:00pm – Church Council Monday, August 19 First Day of Preschool 6:30pm - LWML Tuesday, August 20 9:30am - Organist Practice 1:00pm – Staff Meeting 7:00pm – Happy Helper 4H Club Wednesday, August 21 6:30am - Men's Breakfast & Bible Study 9:30am - Organist Practice 5:25pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal 6:00pm – Confirmation 6:00pm - Pre-Confirmation 6:30pm – Sanctus Bell Rehearsal 7:30 pm – Adult Choir Rehearsal Thursday, August 22 9:30am – Women's Bible Study Saturday, August 24 8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep until 9:30am 9:00am - Lutheran High Winterim Science Class Car wash until1:00pm (at BSLC) Sunday, August 25

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3:00pm – Venite Ringers Rehearsal
4:00pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
5:00pm – Beata Handbell Ringers Rehearsal
6:00pm – Evening Worship

IN SPITE OF OUR UNWORTHINESS, GOD HAS CHOSEN US IN CHRIST TO BECOME HIS STEWARDS.



"You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide..." (John 15:16).

Birthdays:

Aug. 19	Dee Ann Norem
	Lisa Bahr
Aug. 20	Carolyn Adkins
	Georgia Freese
	Courtney Bohnert
Aug. 21	Sally Downard
	Sara Zarnstorff
	Ryan Kanoy
Aug 23	Kristen Ada
Aug. 24	Joe Hodnik
	Kara Raetzel
	Emma Schempp

Anniversaries:

Aug. 23	Dale & Carol Brandt
Aug. 24	Marcus & April Taege
Aug. 24	David & Kristin Smalling

<u>Our Worship 8-11-19</u> Offerings Worship	\$14,090.34 376
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Stewardship Corner

Thomas Carlyle wrote, "Adversity is sometimes hard upon man, but for one man who can stand prosperity, there are a hundred that will stand adversity." Of the two extremes, wealth or poverty, we seem to be much more capable of handling the scarcity of money rather than the abundance of it. God's Word suggests that the possession of riches is often a spiritual liability. Jesus said, "Children, how difficult it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God" (Mark 10:24-25). Money can become a curse if we treat it as a substitute for God. When God has our hearts, He has us and our money.