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

OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH

"Remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the word of God. Consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith." Hebrews 13:7

Through the year, especially during this month, please consider ways you might encourage and honor **Pastor Schultz** (Senior Pastor), **Pastor Ada** (Associate/Youth Pastor), **Vicar Roll** (Student Pastor), and **Rev. Pingel** (Visitation Pastor) for their leadership and service as we partner to "Connect People to Jesus." Perhaps you might verbally thank them for their work among us and in the community, place a note in their mailbox, or mail them a card. Please keep them in your prayers that all that we do together here at Beautiful Savior, and through our outreach, be to the glory of God.

We also have retired Pastors worshiping with us as members. We thank them for their work in His church and continue to keep them in our prayers!

Eric Olson Chair, Board of Elders

CHILI AND HOT DOG LUNCHEON FUNDRAISER AT BSLC - The Lutheran High School of Kansas City Marine Biology class is hosting a chili and hot dog luncheon fundraiser on Sunday, Oct 24th – HERE AT BSLC. This is a fundraiser raising money to help send our students to Monterey, CA in January 2022 to study Marine Biology. We will have an in person luncheon as well as to go chili and hot dogs for those that prefer to take theirs home and heat up. The to-go options



start at 10:30am and lunch is available until 1:00pm. We hope to see you all there and we thank you for your support!



ONE MORE WEEK FOR FARMSTEAD TREATS!

The LWML has used Farmstead Nuts & Treats as a fundraiser 23 years for our congregation's six students studying for church work careers. Be sure to place your order and include payment TODAY. Please make checks payable to <u>Beautiful Savior LWML</u>. Delivery will be early November to ensure delivery before Thanksgiving. Not interested in nuts or candy? Donations for the students can also be made without

ordering any Farmstead Nuts & Treats. Thank you!

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSION UPDATE! We are excited to announce we will begin our work through Mission Southside with Fieldstone Apartments as a "Site Team"! We plan to begin our relationship building with members of that community with a kick-off event TODAY, Sunday, Oct. 24th from 3-5pm. We will be grilling burgers, providing apple cider donuts, and a gift bag for the families. We will be looking for volunteers for this event to set up and clean up, prep food, and prepare the gift bags. We will also participate in their Trunk or Treat event. There are many ways which we can serve this community. Please look for updates as we progress and plan ways in which to reach out with the love of Christ to our neighbors at Fieldstone!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! REZOUND CONCERT,

will take place on Saturday, December 11, beginning at 7:00 pm. It is sure to be the highlight of your Christmas celebrations. We hope to see you then!

THIS WEEK IN SUNDAY SCHOOL today, we will study "The Born-Again Truth." Nicodemus, a leader of the Jewish Council, comes to see Jesus under coverage of darkness. Puzzled by Jesus' instruction that one must be born again to enter the kingdom of God, Nicodemus asks how someone can be physically reborn. Jesus gently instructs Nicodemus as He explains the spiritual rebirth found only in Christ. Christ alone is the light come into the world to save us from the darkness of our sin.

WORSHIP RESOURCES Lectionary Images for October 17

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2021/10/2021-10-24 lectionaryimages.pdf

Children's Worship Notes October 17

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2021/10/2021-10-24 childrensworship-notes.pdf

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

FALL MUG SWAP Watch for information about a Thank-full Mug Swap here at Beautiful Savior! We are working out the details for how to sign up. If you are interested in joining us you would:

- Fill out some basic information
- Be paired with someone else in the congregation
- Purchase a mug and fill it with small items and a note
- Arrange for delivery of your mugs to one another

We would like to have two weeks to sign up and have mugs delivered by the end of November. Stay tuned! Contact Eden Keefe for information.)



CHRISTIAN LIFE RETREAT

It's not too late to join us for a wonderful retreat in November! It will be held in Wichita the evening of November 12 and ending mid-afternoon on November 13. If you prefer to just come for Saturday, there is a commuter rate available to accommodate you! Here is the link for the Retreat Registration Form.

GIFTS OF LOVE MINISTRY When it comes to thinking about the future and what we might leave behind for those we love, certainly we want to make sure they are taken care of materially. Did you know that our gift planning counselors can help with this? More than that, however, did you know that our gift planning counselors can help you leave a legacy of faith and impact ministry? The LWML seeks to proclaim Christ and offer ways to help women (and men) grow in their lives of faith. Your gift can help us carry on that work for generations to come. For more information contact Carol Soosten Carol.vonSoosten@lfnd.org Phone: 800-741-4138 lwmlgiftplan.org

VISUAL FAITH MOVABLE ADVENTURE Another unique experience is launching November 3. It's the *Movable Adventure* - a series of faith transformation stories, encouragement, and resources for women and men wherever they find themselves in their faith journey. You will hear from Chad Lakies (Lutheran Hour Ministries), Rev. Dr. Justin Rossow (Next Step Publishing), as well as numerous Visual Faith (TM) coaches in all stages of life. A printed Movable Adventure Journal is available from Amazon to supplement the experience. You can learn more and

sign up at the <u>Visual Faith website</u>. There are a number of levels for registration - including one that gives FREE access to all the videos for 48 hours. Contact Alli Bauck or Eden Keefe for more information. Both are featured in the Movable Adventure. (photo attached)

MISSIONS

PIONEER TRAIL BACKSNACK PROGRAM

The Backsnack program at Pioneer Trail Middle School is resuming for the 2021-22 school year. Many families depend on the nutritious meals provided at schools for their children. The Backsnack program provides extra food for the weekends. This year 45 students have signed up. Beautiful Savior has participated in this program for many years. We would like to continue our support for these students this school year. Each month we will need to provide these items for each of the 45 students:

2 boxes Cereal (size that will fit in a backpack)1 box Breakfast Bars (at least 4 count)(any type granola bars, protein bars, etc.)

1 - 4-pack fruit cups

Any questions, contact Charlotte Hundley.

PRESCHOOL NEWS

BEAUTIFUL SAVIOR LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL AND

MDO had their reaccreditation site team visit this past week from October 17-19 with four early childhood professionals from Nebraska, Kansas, and Missouri. We are happy to report that we have been recommended for full accreditation status by this visiting team! Thank you to our preschool board members, church staff, preschool parents, teachers, trustees, and members of Beautiful Savior for your help and support in accomplishing improvement this ongoing achievement. We look forward to celebrating more after approval from our district commission in May and our National Commission in July. To God be the glory for this honor in our church's preschool ministry! Next week our classes will celebrate our fall parties with Pajama Days on Wednesday and Thursday. Parent volunteers are coming in to help with games, snacks, and crafts. We're excited to celebrate the beautiful season of fall together!

COMMUNITY NEWS

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL'S THRIFT STORE The Lost and Found Thrift Store in Grandview desperately needs some volunteers to work 2-4 hours on Tuesdays and Thursdays every week to organize departments, put up pictures, and tag clothing to be hung up. Call Lohren Meier at the store 816-673-1099 or 816-309-7856 to sign up.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR As more people are spending time at home and with their households due to the pandemic, the Lutheran Hour® is touching families using the newest technologies connecting with them on their preferred media source. Along with the Households of Faith materials, LHM is still sharing the Gospel and equipping the laity to strengthen the spiritual vibrancy of their homes. Last chance to register for the 81st Kansas LLL District Convention on Saturday, November 6 at Risen Savior Lutheran Church, 14700 Leavenworth Rd., Basehor with guest speaker, Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler, Speaker of the Lutheran Hour®. The doors open at 9:00am with the convention beginning at 10:30 am and concluding at 4:00pm. Please join us for a Meet & Greet at the Country Inn & Suites on Friday, November 5 from 7 – 9pm. Registration ends tomorrow, October 25. For more information visit https://www.lhm-ks.org/ or contact Fred Gruhn, 2021 KS Convention Chairman by email fred.gruhn@gmail.com. Registration fee is \$15 per person and includes the noon meal.

Members and Visitors Please register your attendance for October 24, 2021



CALENDAR:

Sunday, October 24

8:00am - Worship w/Comm. with live-stream

9:30am – Education Hour live and streamed

10:30am – LHS Chili Dog order pickup begins

10:45am – Worship with Communion

2:00pm - Fieldstone Apts. Kick-off event until 5:00

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/ Comm. (masks)

Monday, October 25

8:15am - Preschool

12:15pm - Preschool

6:00pm – Saving Grace

Tuesday, October 26

8:15am - Preschool

9:00am - Organist Practice

12:15pm - Preschool

Wednesday, Oct. 27

6:30am - Men's Bible Study until 7:30am

9:00am - Organist Practice

8:15am - Preschool

10:00am - LifeLight

12:15pm – Preschool

6:00pm - Chimes Choir until 6:30pm

6:00pm – Confirmation/ Pre-Confirmation

6:30pm - Adult Bells until 7:30

7:30pm - Adult Choir until 8:30

Thursday. October 28

8:15am – Preschool

9:30am - Women's Bible Study via Zoom

12:15am - Preschool

6:00pm – New Membership Class

6:00pm - LifeLight

7:00pm - Women's Bible Study

Friday, October 29

8:15am - Preschool

12:15pm - Preschool

Saturday, October 30

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

Sunday, October 31

8:00am - Worship w/ Comm. & live streamed

9:30am - Education Hour & Live streamed

10:45am – Worship w/Communion

3:00pm – Laudate Ringers until 3:45

4:00pm - Youth Choir until 4:45

5:00pm – Beata Handbells until 5:45

6:00pm – Evening worship w/ Communion (masks)

Birthdays:

Oct. 24	Sarah Knoles, Senna McMullen, Isaiah McMullen
Oct. 25	Mark Zarnstorff
Oct. 26	Robin Pritzel, Courtney Werling, Ashley Martinez
Oct. 28	Henry Schlef
Oct. 29	Denise Behrman
Oct. 30	Rob Hunter

Anniversaries

None this week

Our Worship for 10-17-21		
8:00am	140	
10:45am	98	
You-Tube streaming	58	
6:00pm	14	
Total	310	
Offerings	\$12,830.00	
Sunday school	\$84.15	
Sunday School Attendance (in person)	104	
Children	72	
Trusting Hearts	\$4,876.00	
Offerings do not include any Electronic Contributions.		

Stewardship Corner

When Jesus was asked what was the greatest commandment, He responded by saying, "You shall love the Lord your God...And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself" (Matthew 22:37-38). When we grow in love toward God and in love toward our neighbors, we live the Christian life. This growth in the Christian life is called sanctification. As Christians, we are temples of the Holy Spirit Who enables us to love God and our neighbors. Our sanctification in this life is never perfect. It is a process.

IF OUR SAVED MONEY BECOMES THE OBJECT OF OUR DEVOTION, WE CHANGE FROM BEING SAVERS TO BEING HOARDERS.

"For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil. Some people, eager for money, have wandered from the faith." (1 Timothy 6:10).

