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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS – 2022

A new flower chart has been posted for 2022. It is posted on the wall by the altar guild room. PLEASE NOTE – There is a slight price increase to \$35.00 per arrangement. Please sign up and list the occasion for the flowers. Thank You!

SEMINARY BULLETIN BOARD

Have you seen the new bulletin board in the narthex showcasing our seminarians? Addresses and prayer requests for Nathan Harkins, Jonah Schultz, and Josiah Schultz are [on index cards for you to take with you.](#) **Please pray for them and write to them.**

THIS WEEK IN SUNDAY SCHOOL WORSHIP RESOURCES

Children's Worship Notes December 26

https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/2021-12-26_childrens-worship-notes.pdf

CALLING ALL SINGERS!

A special Christmas Eve Choir is forming to sing on Christmas Eve. Rehearsals will be Saturdays December 4, 11, and 18 from 11:00am-Noon. Please plan to attend at least two of the three rehearsals. Contact Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com with questions or to let me know you are planning to participate.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

LUTHERAN WOMEN IN MISSION

Thanks to our faithful God and His faithful mite-offering givers, the LWML Kansas District was able to pay mission grant #6 to KansaSEED LCMS Kansas District Deaf Ministry for \$5000 and mission grant #7 to Topeka Lutheran School for \$5000, along with Student Financial

Aid. Praise God from Whom all blessings flow! We have one more mission grant to fund before March 31, 2022 - and it's a big one for the LCMS Retreat Center in Herington, Kansas, for \$8,500. Will you consider a donation by the end of this year? Checks can be made out to Beautiful Savior LWML and left in Marci Brockmeier's church mailbox or made securely online at kansaslwml.org/giving/ or by downloading the Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement app on your phone and selecting LWML Kansas District as the "church name." Anyone can give a one-time donation as a "guest." Thank you! The latest issue of the *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly* magazine is here. This one has the theme of Joy and is filled with inspiring articles, devotions, Bible studies, and news from local groups across the nation. Pick one up on your way in or out of the sanctuary. It's free to you - paid for by our local group. It's also a great outreach tool because God's Word is proclaimed throughout! If you would prefer to order an individual subscription (\$7/yr) to be mailed directly to your home, you can do that online at [Quarterly Subscription](#) or by calling the LWML Office at 1-800-252-5965. Digital eQuarterly subscriptions are also available at the [Quarterly Subscription link](#) for the same price.

MISSIONS

THE COLDER WEATHER IS COMING! It's time to get out those warm hats, gloves, socks, etc. What a great blessing to be warm when that cold wind blows. Many people aren't as fortunate to have these items. Please donate new, warm hats, gloves, socks, scarves, all sizes.....any item that would protect from the cold. We will be collecting now through the middle of January. These warm items will be offered to the residents of the Fieldstone Apartments and to local shelters. Beautiful Savior has a site team, working through Mission Southside, at the Fieldstone Apartments close to our church. Please place your

donations in the Mission display in the narthex. Sharing our God given gifts is a blessing to our neighbors. Any 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

PRESCHOOL AND MDO FAMILIES generously blessed our staff members with kind words, cards, and gifts during the last week of school before break. Our staff was treated to lunches during the week by an anonymous donor. Preschool classes had their Christmas parties with our parent volunteers. It was so nice to have our parents back in the building this year for our parties! The preschool is on Christmas break until January 5th when our staff return for a professional development day. Classes will resume again on Thursday, January 6th. Enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year begins online Sunday, January 23rd at 3:00 pm. Tell your friends and neighbors about our church's preschool ministry. Your word of mouth is our best advertisement!

PRESCHOOL TOURS We continue to give tours for our preschool as we are gearing up for our January enrollment for the 2022-2023 school year. Tell your friends and neighbors about our church's Preschool program because your word of mouth is our best advertisement! Call or email the preschool office to set up a tour at 913-780-6889 or preschool@bslcks.org. Friday, December 17th is our last day of school before the Christmas Break. Classes resume again on Thursday, January 6th.

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CALENDAR THIS WEEK

Sunday, December 26

- 8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. & live streamed
- 9:30am – Education Hour & Live streamed
- 10:45am – Worship w/Communion
- 1:00pm - Music Prep
- 6:00pm – Evening worship w/ Communion (masks)
- 7:00pm – Church Council

PRESCHOOL NOT IN SESSION – Winter Break

Monday, December 20

- 6:00pm – Saving Grace practice
- 7:30pm - Circle of Hope

Tuesday, December 21

- 9:00am – Organist Practice
- 6:30pm -4 H Club

Wednesday, December 22

- 6:30am – Men’s Bible Study until 7:30am
- 8:15am - Preschool
- 6:30pm – Adult Handbells

Thursday, December 23

- 7:00pm – Ladies Bible Study

Friday, December 24

- 4:00pm – Christmas Eve Worship
- 6:00pm – Christmas Eve Worship
- 8:00pm – Christmas Eve Worship

Saturday, December 25

- 9:00am – Christmas Day Worship

Sunday, December 26

- 9:00am – Worship w/ Communion

Birthdays:

- Dec, 26 Abigail Watt
- Dec. 28 Marty Brown
- Dec. 31 Isabella Martinez
- Jan 1 Gloria Peterson
- Jasmine Markandy

Anniversaries

- Dec. 27 Brad & Cindy Cornell
- Bob & Suzanne Marshall
- Dec. 28 Eddie & Julie Flores
- Dec. 30 Doug & Kelli Lassman
- Dec 31 Steve & Marilyn Bremer

Our Worship for 12-19-21	
8:00am	128
10:45am	130
You-Tube streaming	71
6:00pm	17
Total	334
Offerings	\$19,634.80
Sunday school	\$
Midweek Advent attendance	105
Sunday School Attendance (in person)	83
Children	58
Trusting Hearts	\$15,718.33
<i>Offerings do not include any Electronic Contributions.</i>	

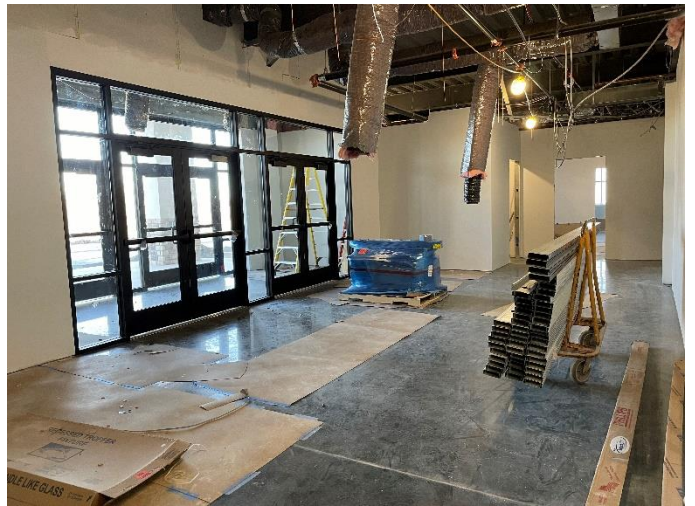
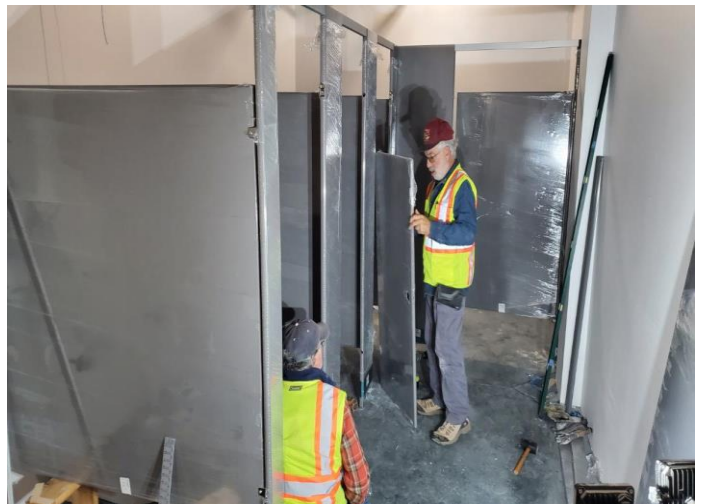
THE LOVE OF CHRIST COMPELS US TO TELL OTHERS OF THE GREAT GIFT OF SALVATION THAT HE BRINGS TO US.

“When [the shepherds] had seen Him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about this Child” (Luke 2:17).



Stewardship Corner

The birth of Jesus was announced by the angels to shepherds who were watching their sheep near Bethlehem. They didn't take the news lightly. As soon as the angels had left, they went to Bethlehem. They checked out the situation. They didn't know they were stewards of the Gospel, but the Bible tells us, *"When they had seen Him, they spread the word concerning what had been told them about this child, and all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said to them"* (Luke 2:17-18). Let's join the shepherds and *"spread the word concerning what [has] been told [us] about this child . . ."*



**CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES - BUILDING DEDICATION SET FOR
JANUARY 23, 2022**