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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

FAMILY OF FAITH NIGHT



BSLC Family of Faith Night resumed on Wednesday, January 10th. Please join us for supper at 5:30pm on Wednesdays. Pre-Confirmation

and Confirmation are at 6:00pm and faith enrichment for all ages is at 6:30pm.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

If worship services are cancelled due to inclement weather, an all-congregation email will be sent out and the cancellation will also be on the news. If Pastor Schultz can safely get to church, there will be a worship service.



CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

The church office is closed on Monday, January 15th for the holiday.

SCAM ALERT

As scams increase and become more sophisticated, Pastor Schultz wants the congregation to be alert.



BSLC will not send an email or text with an urgent, immediate financial need. If you receive an email, text, or phone call that appears to be Beautiful Savior or one of the pastors asking for your personal information, please call Pastor Schultz using the phone number in the directory or call the office to verify.

ALTAR FLOWERS 2024 SIGN UP

A new flower chart has been posted for 2024. It is posted on the wall by the altar guild room. The **cost is \$40.00** per arrangement. Please sign up and list the occasion for the flowers. Thank You!



FUNERAL PLANNING SEMINAR

BSLC is holding a funeral planning seminar on Saturday, January 20th in the Fellowship Hall from 8:00am – 11:30am. All ages are invited and encouraged to attend this seminar to look at the biblical standpoint of a funeral. We will also explore how your funeral speaks to the legacy you desire to leave.

To RSVP, please respond to the all congregational email or call the church office. This will help with planning and ensure we have enough materials.

LUTHERAN HIGH CHEER AND DANCE CLINIC

The Lutheran High School cheerleading squad is conducting a cheer clinic for girls in grades 1 through 4 on Saturday, January 27, 2024. The event will be held at LHS (12411 Wornall Rd. KCMO) from 9:00 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. Cost is \$25, which includes a T-Shirt and a snack. Participants will learn a sideline cheer, a stunting cheer, and a short routine which they will have the opportunity to perform for the public during halftime of the JV game on Tuesday, January 30th. Please return your form to Lutheran High School or call the Lutheran High office at 816-241-5478 to enroll your child. Deadline to enroll is January 10, 2023. Those late to register will not be guaranteed a T-shirt. Click on the link to print the registration form.

<https://www.bsicks.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/Clinic-Invitation-2024.pdf>

CALLING ALL COLLEGE STUDENTS



Pastor Ada is working to update and consolidate our college age youth's contact information. If you know of a college youth (or high school senior) in our congregation, or if you are a college youth, please take the time to fill out this form to not miss out on activities and finals week treats!

<https://forms.office.com/r/hCtiJ2H7Fd>

OFFERING ENVELOPES FOR 2024



Your 2024 offering envelopes are now available to be picked up in the breezeway. They will be sorted by alphabetical order.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Bible lesson this week is "An Ascending Truth." During His last days on earth, Jesus instructs His disciples, preparing them for the challenges that lie ahead. Gathering His disciples on the Mount of Olives one last time, Jesus physically ascends to heaven. Two angels repeat Christ's promise to return in the same way He ascended into heaven. Discuss, "What great commission does Jesus give His followers?"

WORSHIP RESOURCES

Lectionary Images for January 14th

https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/2024-01-14_lectionary-images_Baptism.pdf

My Worship Notes for January 14th

https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/2024-01-14_my-worship-notes_Baptism.pdf

HEALTH MINISTRY

FENTANYL

The Health Ministry invites you to be prepared for an accidental fentanyl overdose. You can order free for your Kansas home or organization through the following link: <https://www.dccca.org/naloxone-kit-request-form/>

If you are interested, we encourage you to order soon before supplies or the grant runs out. Any Questions? Please contact Char Ludwig.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

LWML CIRCLE MEETING

The **Monday Evening LWML Circle** will resume monthly meetings with a Zoom Bible Study on Monday, January 15th at 6:30 PM. A Zoom link and agenda will be emailed closer to the meeting date. We will do the Bible Study, Family Matters - Women in Christ's Genealogy. For more information and to get your copy of the Bible Study, contact Christy McCombs.

DAYTIME LWML MEETING

The **Daytime LWML** will meet on Monday, January 22nd at 1:30pm in room 130. Please join us to plan for the new year. If you have any questions, contact Sharon Brandt.

LWML KANSAS DISTRICT CONVENTION

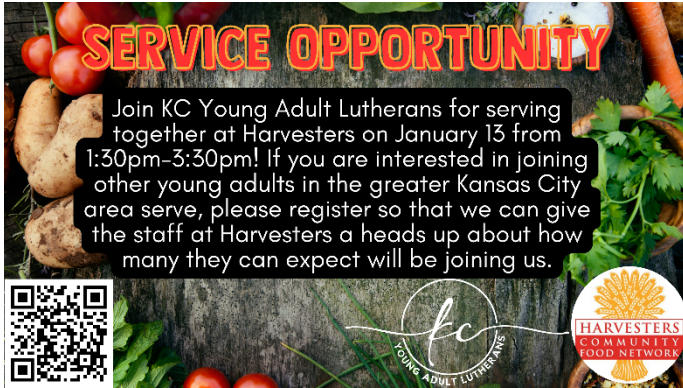


Registration for the **40th Biennial LWML Kansas District Convention** is now open! District Convention will be held April 12-14, 2024, at the DoubleTree by Hilton in Wichita. **What happens at District Convention?** There is opening and closing worship, election of officers, selection of Mission Grants and God's Gracious Gifts for the next biennium, Interest Session Speakers, Leader Development Sessions, Servant Events, Bible Study with Donna Snow and Saturday night banquet entertainment with Wendysue Fluegge. There is something for everyone and it's a great opportunity to learn more about the mission of the LWML. Do not worry that you won't know anyone there - Beautiful Savior has many women involved at the District level that will be attending. Details can be found in the Convention Registration issue of the *The Kansas Sonshine* at:

<https://www.kansaslwml.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/00-CONV-REGIS-SONSHINE-MASTER-FINAL-12-01-23.pdf>

YOUNG ADULTS

KCYAL HARVESTERS



SAVE THE DATE

The young adults have many activities coming up. Details are often shared and updated through GroupMe. If you are not a part of this group, please reach out to Vicar Harkins, Matthew Riechers, or Jeremiah Ohlman so they can add you. Below is a brief preview of things already scheduled:

Jan 27 - Full group outing to Top Golf 10am - Noon
 Feb 2 - Groundhog Day gathering and wine Tasting
 Feb 26 - Young men's dark beer tasting at 7:30pm
 Feb 27 - Young women's Taco Tuesday at Añejo at 5:30pm
 Mar 18 - Full group board game night at BSLC

FAITH ALIVE 55+

JANUARY MEETING

Join us in January when the Faith Alive (55+) group will meet on **Sat., Jan. 13, at 4:30pm, in Room 114.** Brenda & Tom Bremer and Kim & Chuck Burdett will be hosting and organizing the food. Brad Keefe will share a topic from the book, "Joyful Aging", by Richard Bimler.

As a Mission outreach project, warm items may be brought that evening to add to the **H.U.G.S - Hats, Underwear, Gloves, Socks** collection. Any adult/children sizes are welcome.

More info will be sent to those on our E-mail list as the event gets closer. Contact Brad/Eden Keefe, Randy/Jeanne Kanoy or Charlotte Hundley if you have any questions or would like to be added to the E-mail list.

MISSIONS

PIONEER TRAIL BACKSNACK PROGRAM



Thank you for the extra boxes of cereal during December. That will help us get back on track. We will continue our commitment of providing food items for the Pioneer Trail Backsnack program.

There are **30 students** signed up. The items we are donating are:

- Cereal (regular-size, not family-size boxes)
- Fruit cups (preferably fruit cups over applesauce cups)
- Unrefrigerated pudding cups
- Granola bars.

Please note, there has been a **recall of Quaker CHEWY granola bars – all flavors – and some of the Quaker cereals.** **READ THE RECALL.** Expiration dates of these chewy granola bars extend into the middle of 2024.

Donations may be put in the large wooden box in the narthex. This is an **on-going project** for the **2023-2024 school year.** Please help support these students. Any questions, contact Charlotte Hundley or Karen Kuhn.

H.U.G.S.

Give a **HUG** to someone in need. We will be collecting **H.U.G.S.** from early December through the middle of January. Watch for sales of warm **Hats, Underwear, Gloves, and Socks** for all ages. These items will be offered to those in need at the Fieldstone Apartments and to a local organization that help those in need. Beautiful Savior has a site team, working through Mission Southside, that also delivers food to residents who live at the Fieldstone Apartments close to our church. Watch for the display in the narthex. Any questions, contact Charlotte Hundley.



FIELDSTONE

DIAPERS NEEDED

Some of our neighbors at Fieldstone Apartments are in need of diapers sizes 5 and 6. If you can help, please place diapers in the wood missions' box in the Narthex. Thank you in advance!

JANUARY FIELDSTONE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Beautiful Savior is in partnership with Mission Southside to distribute food to families at Fieldstone Apartments here in Olathe. We meet every Friday at 3pm at Mission Southside 514 S. Kansas Ave. in Olathe to box groceries and then drive to Fieldstone Apartments where we deliver them to our families at their apartments. We are usually done by 4:30pm. If you would like to be part of this important ministry, please click on the link below to sign up. Thank You!

[Congregation: FIELDSTONE FOOD DISTRIBUTION \(signupgenius.com\)](https://signupgenius.com)

PRESCHOOL

THIS WEEK

Snow is definitely our theme this week as we've experienced snow days and bitter cold temperatures. We're looking forward to our upcoming National Lutheran Schools Week January 22-26 when we'll be celebrating our Lutheran school along with thousands of other Lutheran schools in the country. The theme this year is Connected, based on John 15:5, "I am the vine; you are the branches." We'll have some fun decorations in the narthex to highlight our church's Preschool ministry that week!

ENROLLMENT



Enrollment for the 2024-25 school year begins online Sunday, January 21st at 3:00 pm for our church member families, currently enrolled families, and alumni families. Open enrollment for the community begins

on Monday, January 22nd at 8:30 am. Now is the time to schedule a tour to find out more about what we have to offer here for your children, grandchildren, extended family members, or neighbors. Your word

of mouth is our best advertisement. Thank you for helping us to Connect more Children and Families to Jesus as we Gather, Grow, and Go!

THIS WEEK

Sunday, January 14th

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream
9:30am – Education Hour with live stream
10:45am – Worship w/Communion
12:15pm – BSLC Safety Training
12:30pm – Music Prep
2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers
3:00pm – TIE Rehearsal
4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal
4:45pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal

Monday, January 15th

Church Office Closed

No BSLP

6:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms
7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms
4:00pm – Organist practice
6:00pm – Church Council Meeting
6:30pm – LWML Zoom Meeting

Tuesday, January 16th

8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Movement Class
12:15pm – BSLP
12:45pm – BSLP Movement Class
6:30pm – BSLC Pickleball warm up/lessons
and open play at 7:00pm

Wednesday, January 17th

6:30am – Men's Bible Study
8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Movement Class
10:00am – Lifelight Bible Class
12:15pm – BSLP
12:20pm – BSLP Movement Class
5:30pm – Family of Faith Night
6:00pm – Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation
6:00pm – Jubilate Chimes Rehearsal
6:30pm – Adult Handbells Rehearsal
7:30pm – Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 18th

8:00am – Classical Conversations (W Lenexa)
8:15am – BSLP
12:15pm – BSLP

4:00pm – Organist Practice
6:00pm – Lifelight Bible Class

Friday, January 19th

7:45am – Classical Conversations (N Olathe)
8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Movement Class
12:15pm – BSLP

Saturday, January 20th

8:00am – Funeral Planning Seminar
8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep

Sunday, January 21st

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream
9:30am – Education Hour with live stream
10:45am – Worship w/Communion
12:30pm – Music Prep
2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers
3:00pm – TIE Rehearsal
4:00pm- Youth Choir Rehearsal
4:15pm – Jr Youth Ax Throwing & Pizza
4:45pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal

choices concerning our money, possessions, time, family, relationships, and tasks are spiritual decisions lived in response to our relationship to God. The more we get to know God, Who owns all things, the better we can manage life according to His will. That knowledge of Him and that relationship with Him develop by reading and studying His Word and receiving His Sacraments. Working through that Word and God's Holy Sacraments, the Holy Spirit does His work of sanctification, changing us into the likeness of our Savior (2 Cor 3:18).

USE THE TALENTS GOD HAS GIVEN YOU IN SERVICE TO OTHERS FOR HIS GLORY.

"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men" (Colossians 3:23).

Your talent is
God's gift to you
What you do
with it
is your gift
back to God

BIRTHDAYS:

Jan 14 Jeff Kerns & Nick Shiever
Jan 15 Catherine Miller
Jan 16 Chris Seiwert & Joseph MacDonald
Jan 18 Rob Werling
Jan 19 Lauren Tolman & Kendall Batten
Jan 20 Addison Shelledy & Jeff Goodnow



**JANUARY BIRTHDAYS
& ANNIVERSARIES**

ANNIVERSARIES:

Jan 16 Ivan & Mary Jane Rees 31 years
Jan 18 George & Karen Ledgerwood 32 years

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Stewardship is a relationship, not just activities and responsibilities. It recognizes God as the owner of all things - including our very lives. That means all

Our Worship for 01-07-24

8:00am	192
10:45am	180
Online	43
Total	415
Offerings	\$24,849

Sunday School in person

Children	87
Adults	136
Total	223

*Offerings do not include any
electronic contributions.*

BSLC Divine Service (Worship)
Attendance for Sunday, January 14,
2024



KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

Beginning in January, some of the local Lutheran schools are holding an open house for next year's kindergarten class. The three shown below are on the Kansas side. There is also one on the Missouri side, which is Calvary Lutheran School. More information regarding Calvary can be found at: <https://calvaryschoolkc.com/>



HOPE
LUTHERAN

Kindergarten at Hope Lutheran

School Year 2024-2025

Your journey to becoming a Hope Lion starts now!
By studying at Hope Lutheran's kindergarten, your child will be ready to enter elementary school, have an excellent reading foundation and arithmetic skills, and love Jesus. We are located on the corner of Shawnee Mission Pkwy and Quivira.

OPEN HOUSE DATES: Thursday, January 25th, Wednesday, February 7th & Tuesday, February 13th from 6 - 8 pm

KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP: February 6th at 5:30 pm

Schedule a Tour  Contact Us 913-631-6940  Website hopelutheran.org



CHRIST LUTHERAN SCHOOL

KINDERGARTEN TOUR DAY

**SIGNUP FOR A TOUR AND ASSESSMENT DATE
ADMISSION PROCESS STARTS JANUARY 4TH**

To learn about the full procedure of the enrollment process
please visit our official website at clsop.org or
contact Principal Ben Lausman
ben.lausman@clcop.org

Are you looking for the right Kindergarten class for your child this fall?

Come check us out!

Quality Christian education for grades K-8!



Bethany Lutheran School
9101 Lamar Ave
Overland Park, KS 66207
www.bethanyschool.net



We are having our Kindergarten Round-Up on Saturday, January 13th at 9:30 am.

You can check kids in with the child-care providers in the gym and then come learn more about our Kindergarten program.

Your kids will have a chance to see the classroom after the presentation.

This provides a great opportunity to meet our kindergarten teacher, learn details about our program, hear from our principal, and see why Bethany is such a great place to go to school! It's a good time to ask questions and meet other parents and families as well.

Feel free to contact principal Sharon Fries with any questions:
sfries@bethanyschool.net or 913.648.2228 ext 114.

You are welcome to set up a tour of the school at any time!

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