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LENTEN AND EASTER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

MIDWEEK LENTEN DINNER

April 9th

Served from 5:15pm – 6:15pm

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES

April 9th - 12:00pm only

LESSONS AND CAROLS

April 9th at 6:45pm (No hymn sing)

HOLY WEEK

PALM SUNDAY – April 13th

8:00am Service with Holy Communion

9:30am Education Hour

10:45am Service with Holy Communion

SEDER MEAL – April 15th at 6:30pm

Advanced reservation is required.

Please email the office@bsicks.org to reserve your spot.

HOLY (MAUNDY) THURSDAY – April 17th

Services at 4:45pm and 6:45pm

GOOD FRIDAY – April 18th

Services at 4:45pm and 6:45pm

EASTER EGG HUNT – April 19th

9:30am-11:00am

EASTER VIGIL – April 19th

Service at 6:00pm

EASTER SUNDAY – April 20th

6:30am Easter Sunrise Service with Holy Communion

7:30am – 10:30am – Easter Breakfast

8:00am Easter Holy Service with Holy Communion

9:30am Easter Holy Service with Holy Communion

11:00am Easter Holy Service with Holy Communion

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

REUSING WORSHIP BULLETINS

For those attending the **8:00am worship service**, if you do not need your worship bulletin for later use, please return it to the basket on the usher stand for use at the 10:45am service. Thank you!

SEDER MEAL

Join us for the **Seder Meal on Tuesday, April 15th** at 6:30pm. Please sign-up in the attendance email or email the church office at office@bslcks.org to reserve your place as advanced reservation is required.



EASTER LILIES



If you would like to provide lilies for our Easter Services this year, please sign up on the sheet in the narthex. The price is \$20.00 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!

CANDY DONATIONS NEEDED

Wrapped **bitesize** candy donations are needed for BSLC and Fieldstone Apartments' Easter Egg Hunts. Donations will be accepted beginning March 23rd through Palm Sunday, April 13th. Please put your donations in the large wooden box in the narthex.



If you can help stuff Easter Eggs on Sunday, April 13th during Sunday School hour, please let Pastor Ada know.

VOTERS MEETING



BSLC will be holding a voter's meeting on **Sunday, April 13th** following the late service. Please check your email from March 26th for additional information.

APRIL VOTER'S POTLUCK

Bring something to share with your Family of Faith before the Voter's meeting. Do you make amazing meatballs? Or do your deviled eggs disappear quickly? Does everyone rave about your chocolate cake? Or are you better at grabbing a rotisserie chicken, a cheese pizza or a bag of Oreos? It doesn't matter! Food can be dropped off during the fellowship hour. If your specialty needs to be heated or plugged in, please leave instructions. Fellowship Board will provide drinks and table service.

If you want your dishes and serving spoons back, please label them!

PAYNE FAMILY UPDATE

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
Can you believe March is now in the rearview mirror? Wow! This year is really March-ing on! The Payne family celebrated many birthdays this month. Keah taught her first two classes at the Bishop Makala Training Center, and Bryan is preparing to teach his first class at the seminary this coming month. Life is going very well for the Paynes here in Shinyanga.



If you'd like to know more about this picture and see how the Lord has been working in our lives over the past month, download our newsletter by clicking the link below. Thank you for your prayers and may God bless each of you.

[Payne Family Newsletter](#)

OPEN BOARD POSITIONS

Is God calling you to serve?

"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ." Colossians 3: 23-24

Our boards offer a wide range of opportunities to serve. Connecting people to Jesus as we gather, grow and go. Boards offer a way to be part of the BSLC mission.

For more information or to express an interest in serving, please contact one of the Nominating Committee members: Reece Berens, Jeff Hiller, Brad Keefe, Paul Peterson or speak with Pastor Ada, or Pastor Schultz.

ONLINE CHURCH DIRECTORY



Have you downloaded our Church Directory app? If not go to your Google or Apple store and download the "Instant Church Directory" app. Easy to use! Great tool for our Family of Faith to connect with each other.

You can manage your family information and even upload a new picture. Check it out now! See Jeff Hiller with questions.

VBS SAVE THE DATE



LAWN CARE TEAM



SUNDAY SCHOOL

"A Fiery Marvel" is the title of today's lesson. Despite King Nebuchadnezzar's directive to bow before his golden statue, three faithful Israelites ignore the order. In a burning rage, the king orders Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego to be tossed into a flaming furnace heated seven times hotter than usual. To the king's astonishment, four men appear in the furnace, and Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego emerge unharmed—not even smelling of fire. Realizing the power of God, Nebuchadnezzar promotes these faithful men and praises the true God.

WORSHIP RESOURCES

Lectionary Images for April 6th

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/2025.04.06-Lectionary-Images.pdf>

My Worship Notes for April 6th

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/2025.04.06-My-Worship-Notes.pdf>

HEALTH MINISTRY

BLOOD PRESSURE SUNDAY

Stop by our table during fellowship time and have your blood pressure checked Sunday by members of your Health Ministry committee.



YOUTH MINISTRY

SAVERS FUNDRIVE

It is time to start bringing your donations for our Savers FunDrive to support the youth! Donations can be dropped off by the signs in the narthex or the fellowship hall entrance from the west parking lot on any Sunday morning or Wednesday evening during the month of April. Youth will move donated items to the youth room for you. The last Sunday to bring donations will be May 4th. Thank you for supporting our youth!



SKEET SHOOTING

Senior Youth are invited to go skeet shooting with Pastor Ada on Sunday, April 6th, from 1-4. Please see the email from Pastor Ada for details and reach out to him with any questions.

TRASH BAG SALE



Thank you to everyone that ordered trash bags to support our youth! Trash bags will be ready to pick up in the narthex on Sunday, April 13th.

EASTER EGG HUNTS

Youth of all ages are needed to help at our annual Easter egg hunts. The egg hunt at Fieldstone will be on Saturday, April 12th, from 10:30-11:30. Volunteers should plan to arrive at 10:00 to help hide eggs. The egg hunt at church will be on Saturday, April 19th, from 9:30-11:00. Youth volunteers should arrive at 8:30 to help set up games and hide eggs. These events can count as service projects for those youth that need them for the LCMS youth gathering!



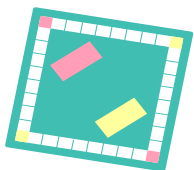
EASTER BREAKFAST PREP

Junior and Senior Youth are invited to stick around after the egg hunt on April 19th to help prepare for the Easter breakfast at church. Youth are needed to help cook, prep fruit, and set up tables. Watch your email for a sign up and please plan to help!

EASTER BREAKFAST

Junior and Senior Youth are needed to help serve breakfast on Easter morning at church. This is an opportunity for youth to serve our members while earning funds for upcoming events, such as LVR and the National LCMS Youth Gathering. Watch your email for signups!

FUN 'N GAMES NIGHT



Pre-Teen & Junior Youth are invited to a Fun 'n Games night to celebrate the end of pre-confirmation and confirmation class for this school year. Please join us on April 30th during your regular class time to wrap up the year with some fun activities!

FAITH ALIVE

"SAVE THE DATE"

The Faith Alive (55+) Group will meet Saturday, April 12th at 4:30pm, in the large Fellowship Hall. Come for an evening of fellowship, food and fun! Contact Brad Keefe, Randy Kanoy or Charlotte Hundley if you'd like more information about our group.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

LWML SPRING ZONE EVENT

The LWML Kansas City CrossRoads Zone will be holding its Spring Zone Event, Jesus is My Anchor, on Saturday, April 5th at Hope Lutheran. Registration opens at 8:30 AM with the Program beginning at 9:00 AM. There is a registration fee of \$5. LWML Kansas District President Elaine Engelman will be joining us. Light breakfast items and lunch will be provided. Gifts From the Heart will be collected for Shawnee Community Services (canned meats, canned diced tomatoes, peanut butter, rice, potato or pasta side dishes in a pouch or box). For more information, please contact Christy McCombs.

LWML LYDIA CIRCLE APRIL MEETING

LWML Lydia Circle will meet, Monday, April 28th in the Narthex conference room 5 at 1pm. Please join us for devotion, fellowship and service. If you have any questions, contact Pam Wellons or Deb Hodnik.

FIELDSTONE

APRIL 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



**Fieldstone
Food
Distribution**

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 \(signupgenius.com\)](http://Congregation: Fieldstone Food Distribution (signupgenius.com))

MISSIONS

GIFTS FROM THE HEART

Ladies from our congregation will be attending the LWML KC Crossroads Zone Spring Event on Saturday, April 5th at Hope Lutheran Church in Shawnee. We would like to send some **Gifts from the Heart** that will be distributed to Shawnee Community Services.

Please choose and donate from the following items:

- Canned meat
- Boxes or pouches of rice, potato, and pasta side dishes
- Peanut butter (NO glass jars)
- Canned diced tomatoes.

Please put your donations in the large, wooden box in the narthex. Since the event is coming up soon, **we will only be collecting through Friday, April 4th.**

PIONEER TRAIL BACKSNACK

We will continue collecting donations for the Pioneer Trail Backsnack program throughout the rest of the school year. We have been giving the students **reg-size boxes of cereal, fruit cups, and granola/breakfast bars** to take home each weekend. Please continue to donate to this program. Your generosity has been a blessing to these students!

PRESCHOOL

NEXT WEEK

Next week we are celebrating Week of the Young Child. We'll have special dress up days throughout the week to show our school spirit. Monday and Tuesday will be Western Wear Days, Wednesday and Thursday will be Fairy Tale Character Days, and Friday will be Hat Day. Monday night is our annual all school Open House. Our theme this year is Wild West Preschool Open House. We're excited to offer cowboy boot art, wild west cactus playdough, line dancing, a lasso room, snacks, mural art, and playground fun. We love this special time to gather with our families for Preschool fun and learning!



April 5-11, 2025

THE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL OF KC

SPRING DRAMA

Lutheran High School of Kansas City presents an old fashioned melodrama, "Nurses! Foiled Again!" Event dates are April 4th and 5th at 7:00pm. Tickets are \$5 Adults/Seniors, \$3 Students/Children, Free Ages 3 & Under. The drama will be held in the auditorium of Lutheran High School. There will be a Spaghetti Dinner before the show each night (5:30-6:30pm) sponsored by The Foreign Language Group; free will offering.

ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL SUMMER CAMPS

Who is ready for summer? We are excited to share information about our upcoming elementary/middle school summer camps. Please turn to the end of the Info As You Go for the full flyer. Below is the registration link:



<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSegSsCi4CK5PHEqNq1yReCscb7uyUmlQhEycHGFvXkTFzKVXQ/viewform>

HOST FAMILIES

"The Lutheran High School of Kansas City is seeking families to host an international student for the 2025-2026 school year. This is an incredibly rewarding experience to share hospitality while ensuring that students have access to Christian education. We are now partnering with American Home Life International (AHLI), who will oversee the hosting experience with 24/7 support and a monthly stipend. Host Families will apply on their website to host a LHS International Student. Please email Tamara Smith at tsmith@lkskc.com for more information."

KC AREA LUTHERAN CHURCHES AND SCHOOLS

PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR POSITION OPEN

Redeemer Lutheran Church, Olathe, KS seeks a dynamic, self-starter to lead our Preschool. This is an excellent opportunity to provide children a quality, nurturing environment on which to build a successful education, to share the love of Jesus with them to learn about God and His kingdom and open endless opportunities for learning. To learn more about the position, please go to this link:

<https://tinyurl.com/e8zcxa5s>

You can also access the Job Description with this QR code:



To apply, please send a cover letter and resume to office@redeemerolathe.org by May 1, 2025.

MONTHLY KANSAS DISTRICT NEWSLETTER



Dear Friends in Christ,
There are many exciting events coming up around the Kansas District! Be sure to check out this month's *Workers Together* newsletter for details.

To view or print the April *Workers Together* issue, click/tap the following link: [Workers Together, April.](#)

THIS WEEK

THIS WEEK ^{at} GLANCE



Sunday, April 6th

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream
9:00am – Blood Pressure Sunday
9:30am – Education Hour with live stream
10:45am – Worship w/Communion
12:30pm – Music Prep and recording
1:00pm – Sr High Youth Skeet Shooting
2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers Rehearsal
4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal
4:45pm – Beata Handbells Rehearsal

Monday, April 7th

7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms
8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
12:15pm – BSLP
12:30pm – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
4:00pm – Organist practice
6:30pm – BSLP Open House
7:30pm – Circle of Hope Zoom Meeting

Tuesday, April 8th

8:15am – BSLP
8:15am – BSLP Movement Class
8:30am – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
12:15pm – BSLP

6:30pm – Pickleball setup/7:00pm open play

6:30pm – Trustees Meeting

Wednesday, April 9th

6:30am – Men's Bible Study
8:15am – BSLP
8:15am – BSLP Movement Class
8:30am – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
12:00pm – Midweek Lenten Service
12:15pm – BSLP
12:30pm – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
12:45pm – BSLP Movement Class
5:15pm – Midweek Lenten Dinner till 6:15pm
6:45pm – Lenten Lessons and Carols Service

Thursday, April 10th

8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
12:15pm – BSLP
4:00pm – Organist practice

Friday, April 11th

7:45am – Classical Conversations
8:15am – BSLP
8:15am – BSLP Movement Class
8:30am – BSLP Chapel and/or Music
12:15pm – BSLP

Saturday, April 12th

8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep
2:00pm – Easter Bells Rehearsal
4:00pm – Faith Alive

Sunday, April 13th

Palm Sunday

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream
9:30am – Education Hour with live stream
10:45am – Worship w/Communion
12:15pm – Voter's Meeting and Fellowship
Board Potluck Lunch
12:30pm – Music Prep and recording
2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers Rehearsal
4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal
4:45pm – Beata Handbells Rehearsal
6:00pm – Confirmation Exam Night





BIRTHDAYS:

- Apr 6** Debbie Seutter, Zach Gardner, & Doug Neuschafer
Apr 7 Brex Shepherd & Hudson Vogt
Apr 8 Andrew Hefte, Greyson Huseman, & Keith Clarke
Apr 9 Brooks Giangrosso, William Taylor, Jan Johnson, Erik Miller, & Sam Mohr
Apr 10 Matt Riechers, Jack Gruhn, Virginia Kester, Thomas Bodensstab, Sydney Hughey, Kyleigh Marsh, & Frank Leurquin
Apr 11 Brady Bean & Pastor John Kastner
Apr 12 Linda Wingerter, Nasson Mwakatage, & Travis Vogt



ANNIVERSARIES:

- Apr 6** Trenton & Beth Travis 23 years
Apr 8 Thomas & Kath Schroeder 47 years

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Through faith, God wants us to acknowledge that He is the giver of all good gifts and to receive them with thanksgiving. Billy Graham said, "God has given us two hands, one to receive with and one to give with." As faithful stewards, we are blessed to be a blessing. Our attitude toward our blessings changes when we acknowledge that everything has come from God. What we receive from Him is to not only provide for our needs but to help others who are in need, support His Church, and to advance His kingdom. The Apostle Paul tells us that we *"will be enriched in every way to*

be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God" (2 Corinthians 9:11).

ARE YOU SPENDING TIME WITH JESUS, OR ARE YOU LIKE MARTHA IN BETHANY WHO WAS DISTRACTED BY THE DEMANDS OF THE DAY?

"But the Lord answered her, 'Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her'" (Luke 10:41-42).



Our Worship for 03-30-25

8:00am	215
10:45am	174
Online	26
Total	415
Offerings	\$24,868
Sunday School in person	
Children	80
Adults	135
Total	215
SS Offerings	\$132
SS Offerings Recipient	Heifer

Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.

BSLC Divine Service (Worship)
 Attendance for Sunday, April 6,
 2025



MEMORY VERSE

FOR CHRIST ALSO SUFFERED

ONCE FOR SINS, THE
 RIGHTEOUS FOR THE
 UNRIGHTEOUS, THAT HE
 MIGHT BRING US TO GOD,
 BEING PUT TO DEATH IN
 THE FLESH BUT MADE
 ALIVE IN THE SPIRIT.

1 PETER 3:18



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 <p>JUNE 9-13 9-11am (5th-8th)</p> <p>CO-ED SOCCER</p>	 <p>JUNE 2-6 1-3pm (6th-8th)</p> <p>BAND</p>	 <p>JUNE 16-20 9-11am (6th-8th)</p> <p>BOYS BASKETBALL</p>
 <p>JUNE 23-27 9-11am (6th-8th)</p> <p>GIRLS BASKETBALL</p>	 <p>JUNE 9-13 1-4pm (2nd-8th)</p> <p>ART</p>	 <p>SUMMER CAMPS</p>
 <p>JUNE 23-27 1-3pm (6th-8th)</p> <p>VOLLEYBALL</p>	 <p>JUNE 2-6 9-11am (5th-8th)</p> <p>CO-ED RUNNING</p>	
 <p>JUNE 16-20 1-3pm (5th-8th)</p> <p>DRAMA/THEATER</p>		

LEARN MORE

SCAN TO REGISTER




The Lutheran High School of Kansas City's Summer Knights Camps are open to all area youth. Camp's age limits are based on the grade the student will be entering in the 2025-2026 school year. The sports camps will emphasize basic skills and include both offensive and defensive drills in each individual sport. Art camp participants will work through different techniques in areas such as sculpture, drawing, painting and have a student show at the end of the camp.