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

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS



The Handbell Ensembles of Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church present

RING FOR JOY!

Sunday, April 28th, 2024 at 4:00pm

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church 13145 S. Blackbob Road Olathe, Kansas

Join us for a delightful afternoon of handbell music!

SAVERS FUNDRIVE

BSLC Youth is collecting donations for Savers to help fund our trip to the next LCMS Youth Gathering in New Orleans. "Soft



Items" including clothes, shoes, bedding, towels, hats, purses, etc need to be placed in trash bags. "Hard Items" including kitchenware, toys, small home decor, and books (*no encyclopedias, Bibles, or textbooks) need to be placed in boxes.

Donations can be dropped off starting this Sunday, **April 28th**. The last day to donate will be Sunday, **May 5th.**On Sundays, please drop your donations off in

the narthex or inside the fellowship hall doors (west side downstairs). For midweek drop offs, **please call the church office first** to arrange the drop off. Thank you for supporting our youth!

LIFELIGHT STUDY

This summer we are offering another adult Bible study opportunity. We are excited to offer another *LifeLight* study which will run from May 22nd to July 24th. This session will offer an in-depth



study of the *Triune God*. We as a church confess the truth of the Trinity, but many people still struggle with how scripture speaks of this one God in three persons when scripture never uses the word "trinity." In this study we will be looking at how people can know God, what we can know about God, how God reveals Himself in both the Old and New Testaments, and controversies/heresies surrounding the Holy Trinity.

This summer session will be available at two times:

- Weds. mornings from10am-noon
- Weds. evenings from 6pm-8pm.

This is an opportunity to continue with your family of faith by joining together midweek for an in-depth study of scripture.

Please sign up by **May** 12th by emailing the office <u>office@bslcks.org</u> or Pastor Schultz <u>pastorschultz@bslcks.org</u> so we can have your book available in advance of the study.

ONLINE CHURCH DIRECTORY



Just a friendly reminder for all our church members both new and old that our church directory can be found at www.instantchurchdirectory.com or on the app. You can update

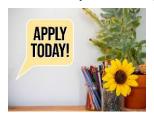
information and submit family directory pictures as need. It is also a great way for our members to put a name with a face.

HOSTS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS LHSKC

The Lutheran High School of Kansas City is seeking households to host an international student for the 2024-2025 school year. Students from a variety of countries are applying to LHSKC, but they cannot attend without a host family. This is an incredibly rewarding experience to share hospitality while ensuring that students have access to Christian education. Please email Tamara Smith at tsmith@lhskc.com for more information.

LHSKC BASKETBALL COACH POSITION

Kansas City is seeking a head coach for the Girls



Basketball program. The head coach is responsible for helping carry out the mission and vision of the school through in-season and out-of-season activities. Ideal

candidates should be able to demonstrate a commitment to the Christian values of Lutheran High School, be passionate about working with our students, and have previous positive success in coaching. Interested applicants should contact Athletic Director Dan Bickel at athletics@lhskc.com for a detailed position description and other information.

HOLY TRINITY PRESCHOOL DIRECTOR POSITION

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Grandview, MO is currently searching for a director for the church Preschool's 2024-25 school year. The Preschool educates children 3-4 years old and 5-year-olds preparing for kindergarten. It operates 3 days per week on Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 9 am-Noon. The Director position would include teaching as well as creating a curriculum and managing dayto-day activities. For more information, please contact the church office at 816-763-3211, to apply please email your resume to churchofficeholytrinity@gmail.com.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today, we will study Jacob's family in "A Family Grows." Jacob experiences love at first sight when he meets Rachel at the well. Welcomed into his uncle



Laban's household, Jacob agrees to work seven years in order to marry Rachel. When the wedding celebration finally arrives, Laban tricks Jacob into marrying Rachel's older sister, Leah. Realizing the deception, Jacob confronts his uncle, who gives him Rachel's hand for another seven years of service.

WORSHIP RESOURCES Lectionary Images for April 28th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2024/04/2024-04-28 lectionarygraphics.pdf

My Worship Notes for April 28th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2024/04/2024-04-28 youthworship-notes.pdf

VBS

REGISTRATION

Registration for students and volunteers will start on **May 1st**. This year we will have two different sign-up



links. One sign-up link will be for 3- and 4-year-olds and the other sign-up link will be for 5-year-olds thru 5th grade.

The 3- and 4-year-old spots will fill up fast and when we are full, we will close the registration.

VBS DONATIONS NEEDED

We are looking for the following donations to be used for VBS crafts this summer:

- Scrap wood cut to the size of 6x6x2, 4x6x1, or 4x6x2
- Newspapers or weekly food ads



Please put these donations in the tub located in the breezeway. If you have any questions, contact Liesl Jensen at lieslmssjensen@gmail.com or (913) 636-7764 or Moriah Obermueller at moriahdavidson@gmail.com or (913) 486-5992. Thank you!!

VBS SAVE THE DATE



TRUSTEES

LAWN CARE TEAM



MISSIONS

CEREAL SUNDAYS IN APRIL



Please add an **extra box or two of cereal** (reg-size, not family-size) to your shopping list each week for our Pioneer Trail Backsnack Program. We are running very low on our donations of cereal to the school. The school year is ending soon so we will be making another delivery

later in April.

This year we have been supporting **30 students** each week with our donations. Other food items needed are:

- Fruit cups (preferably fruit cups over applesauce cups)
- Unrefrigerated pudding cups
- Granola bars

Thank you for all the donations you have made throughout the school year!

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

LWML KANSAS DISTRICT CONVENTION WRAP UP

At the LWML Kansas District convention April 12th-14th, voters selected the mission grants and committed to fund \$48,000 in mission grants and \$40,000 in Student Financial Aid in the next two years. \$5,100 from a Mission Grant Endowment Fund will provide



additional support. Light of the World Lutheran Church & Early Learning Center was selected to be the recipient of an \$8,000 Mission Grant. God's Gracious Gift Fund recipients were also chosen. \$7,464 for those will be paid out in the next few weeks. Congratulations to the newly elected officers of the LWML Kansas District: President, Elaine Engleman; Vice President of Caring Service, Linda Stanton; Vice President of Communication, Allison Lehmann; Recording Secretary, Kathryn Richard; Financial Secretary, Carolyn Fishburn; and Pastoral Counselor, Rev. Kenton Abbott. Thank you to everyone who provided prayer support, family support, and donations of items, time, talent, and treasure in serving the Lord with gladness!

DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE



The congregation is invited to attend Beautiful Savior's LWML Day of Prayer Service, *Grace, Mercy, and Peace,* on Monday,

May 6th at 6:30 PM in the Sanctuary. *Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord* (1 Timothy 1:2; 2 Timothy 1:2). At some point you have probably heard a pastor begin his sermon by saying something like this verse from 1 Timothy. The 2024 Prayer Service is designed around those first three words — those three gifts that come to us from our gracious Father and our Savior — Grace, Mercy, and Peace. Offerings collected at the service will go towards the LCMS National Offering supporting the translation and production of meaningful Lutheran resources in languages other than English. If anyone

needs a ride to the church that evening, please reach out to Christy McCombs.

POSTAGE STAMP COLLECTION UPDATE

The LWML will no longer be collecting postage stamps. This program has been discontinued. Thank you to everyone who has faithfully donated or trimmed stamps for the LWML over the years.

LWML KANSAS DISTRICT

The application for Student Financial Aid (SFA) is available for communicant members of Kansas District LCMS congregations enrolled in any LCMS synodical school to prepare for church work and advanced degrees in church work. Click here for more information and to view the application. Deadline to apply is June 1, 2024.

HEALTH MINISTRY



SAVE THE DATE

BSLC will be holding a blood drive on June 23rd in the Fellowship Hall from 10:30am to 2:30 pm. Please make an appointment in advance by clicking on the link below:

BSLC June Red Cross Blood Drive - click here to schedule your appointment

YOUNG ADULTS

JOIN US FOR ASCENSION DAY WORSHIP AND MEAL!

We are thrilled to invite you to a special worship event in celebration of Ascension Day! Join us on May 9, 2024, for an evening filled with fellowship, food, and worship at Our Saviour Lutheran Church in Kansas City, Kansas. The address is 4153 Rainbow Blvd, Kansas City, KS 66103.

Here are the details:

• When: May 9, 2024

• **Meal:** 5:45 PM (Gluten free available)

• Worship Service: 6:45 PM

Come hungry and ready to share in a delicious meal with your fellow young adult Lutherans, followed by a meaningful worship service commemorating the Ascension of Jesus Christ. Children are welcome! Let's come together as a community to praise, reflect, and rejoice in this important event in the Christian calendar. We can't wait to see you there!

SAVE THE DATE

Current events and reminders are regularly sent out on GroupMe. Please see Jeremiah Ohlman to be added to the group chat. RSVP on GroupMe or by texting Vicar at (913) 306-5553.



May

5/5 - (all) Disc Golf @ 3:00pm

5/9 - KCYAL Ascension Day Service and dinner at Our Saviour KCK @ 5:45pm

5/20 - (all) Grilling and games at BSLC @ 6:00-9:30pm

5/31 - (all) Multicourse meal at BSLC @ 6:00-10:00pm RSVP by 5/17

July

7/26 - (all) Multicourse meal at BSLC @ 6:00-10:00pm RSVP by 7/12

FIELDSTONE

MAY 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!

<u>Congregation: Fieldstone Food Distribution</u> (<u>signupgenius.com</u>)

PRESCHOOL

LAST WEEK

Beautiful Savior Preschool and MDO Staff met this past week for our last team meeting of the school year. During our meeting we discussed our National Lutheran Schools Accreditation School Action Plan.

Our team has been watching the "Making Jesus Real" video training series this year to make sure that we are all on the same page with sharing the Lutheran faith. We've also hired two new aides this year and we're adding another aide next year to accommodate all the children we have added in the past few years. Our staff gather every morning to pray for one another, our students, and their families. This past week we learned that a local company is donating a refrigerator to our school so that we can refrigerate all brought from home lunches for our full day children! Our team also worked on reviewing our curriculum, developmental goals, and assessments to make sure that they are all in alignment. These are some of our accreditation recommendations that we continue to work on during this five-year process. We are thankful for the work and encouragement of our Preschool Board to support us in all these endeavors to continually improve our program!

THIS WEEK



Sunday, April 28th

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

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

10:45am - Worship w/Communion

12:15pm - April Voters Meeting

4:00pm - Spring Handbell Concert

Monday, April 29th

6:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms

7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms

8:15am - BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP

4:00pm - Organist practice

Tuesday, April 30th

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm - BSLP

12:45pm – BSLP Movement Class

6:00pm – Pickleball Warm up/lessons at 6:30pm and Open Play at 7:00pm

Wednesday, May 1st

6:30am – Men's Bible Study

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement 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, May 2nd

8:15am - BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP

4:00pm – Organist Practice

5:30pm – Classical Conversations (W Lenexa)

Friday, May 3rd

7:45am – Classical Conversations (N Olathe)

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm - BSLP

4:00pm – Classical Conversations (N Olathe)

Saturday, May 4th

8:30am - Altar Guild Sunday Prep

7:00pm – Confirmation Night of Witness

Sunday, May 5th

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

9:00am - Blood Pressure Sunday

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

9:30am - Confirmation Pictures

10:45am – Worship w/Communion w/Rite of Confirmation

12:30pm – Music Prep



BIRTHDAYS:

Apr 28 Connor Hughey

Apr 29 Mckenna Schreiner, Madeline Travis, & Brad Cornell

Apr 30 Shayla McKay

May 1 Leonard Hanson & Makenna Wolgast

May 2 Elle Tripp & Maya Hughey

May 3 Nicole Christensen, Maya Domsch, & Jackson Wagner

May 4 Dereck Riechers & Matthew Chiappetta



ANNIVERSARIES:

Apr 29 Leonard & Connie Hanson 35 years

Apr 29 Danniel & Elise Christensen 1 year

Apr 29 Doug & Jennifer Mahnken 29 years

May 1 Tait & Lynzee Jeter 14 years

May 2 Tim & Karen Hagen 37 years

May 4 Keith & Carolyn Clarke 56 years

STEWARDSHIP

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During a visit to Korea, two American businessmen were highly amused to see a young farmer hitched to a plow that was guided by his father. Later they learned that both father and son were Christians who had sold their only ox to provide money for a new church building. "What a stupendous sacrifice!" exclaimed one businessman. "Not really," replied a missionary accompanying the Americans. "They were only sorry they had but one ox to give to the Lord's work." May God grant us all generous and giving hearts.

GOD'S WORD TEACHES US TO BE GENEROUS, TO GIVE WITH AN OPEN HAND.

"For there will never cease to be poor in the land. Therefore, I command you, 'You shall open wide your hand to your brother to



wide your hand to your brother, to the needy and to the poor, in your land'" (Deuteronomy 15:11).



Our Worship for 04-21-24 8:00am 186 10:45am 173 Online 29 Total 388 Offerings \$20,551 Sunday School in person Children 81 Adults 131 Total 212 SS Offerings \$156 SS Offerings Recipient LeadaChild Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.



