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We would like to congratulate all those graduating from high school or college this year.

## **HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:**

**Rebekah Brumley** is graduating from Lutheran High School Kansas City. She plans to attend the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee and pursue a degree in American Sign Language Interpretation.

**Evan Herrs** is graduating from Olathe South High School. He plans to attend the University of Kansas and pursue a degree in Industrial Design in the School of Architecture.

**Paul Stapf** is graduating from Olathe Northwest High School. He plans to attend Pittsburg State University and pursue a degree in Communications with an emphasis on Media Production.

**Nicholas Theisen** is graduating from Olathe Northwest High School. He plans to attend the University of Kansas and pursue a degree in Computer Engineering.

**Lauren Tolman** is graduating from Blue Valley North High School. She plans to attend Johnson Community College for 1 to 2 years and then transfer to Emporia or Pittsburg State University to pursue a degree in Biology.

**Madeline Travis** is graduating from Shawnee Mission West. She plans to attend Creighton University and pursue a degree in Biology.

**Trace Wielage** – is graduating from Olathe Northwest High School. He plans to attend Kansas State University and pursue a degree in Construction Science with a double minor in Business and Music.

**Trenton Wielage** is graduating from Olathe Northwest High School. He plans to attend Johnson Community College.

**Makenna Wolgast** is graduating from Olathe South High School. She plans to attend Fort Hays State University and pursue a degree in Nursing with a minor in Vocal Music.

## **COLLEGE GRADUATES:**

**Kendall Batten** is graduating from Kansas State University with a Bachelor of Arts in Marketing and Certificates in Professional Strategic Selling, Business Sports, and Entertainment. She plans to move to Nashville to work as a Sales Associate for Shamrock Trading Corporation.

**Hannah Behrman** is graduating from Kansas State University with a Bachelor of Science in Psychology. She plans to attend Mid America Nazarene University to pursue a Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology.

**Madison Chiappettia** is graduating from Concordia University Wisconsin with a Bachelor of Arts in Secondary Education and broad field Social Studies major and Theology minor. She is in the call process with Milwaukee Lutheran High School to teach freshman and sophomore theology.

**Rebecca Ludwig** is graduating from the University of Kansas with her PhD in Rehabilitative Science. She plans to secure a faculty research position at the university level.

**Ryan Martin** is graduating from Kansas State University with a Bachelor of Science in Food Science and a minor in Business. He is starting his career in June with Ecolab as a Technical Sales Representative in the Kansas City region.

**Jesse Schultz** is graduating Summa Cum Laude from Concordia University Chicago with a Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education and a minor in Theology. He has accepted a Call to teach 4<sup>th</sup> Grade at Christ Community Lutheran School in St. Louis, MO.

**Jude Stapf** is graduating from Missouri Western State University with a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry. He will be attending Ohio State University to pursue his post-graduate Masters and Doctorate degree in Inorganic Chemistry.



## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### VBS JUNE 12<sup>TH</sup> – 15<sup>TH</sup>

VBS Registration is OPEN!

Join us Monday June 12- Thursday June 15th  
9am-noon.



Contact Liesl Jensen or Moriah Obermueller for more information.



Please scan the QR code or click on the link to register: <https://tinyurl.com/BSLC2023VBS>

### VBS DONATIONS NEEDED

This year we are asking for donations to help with crafts, games, snacks, and missions projects. The general donations item lists will be found in the hallway to the fellowship hall. One of the things missions is doing this year is making 300 sack lunches for MLM. For this project we are asking for chicken salad kits and fruit cups. You can place your chicken salad kits and fruit cups on the stand in the narthex. If you would like to shop from the comfort of your home, you can also check out the amazon wish list. Thank you for any help you can provide.

Amazon Wish List – Click on the link or scan the QR code: <https://www.amazon.com/registries/gl/guest-view/42U42VJHPT55>



### HELP WANTED: VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Do you appreciate listening to Christ-filled music? Do you like helping with crafts? Do you love eating snacks? Do you want to play some new fun games?

Do you relish a good bible story? Do you love finding a way to share God's love through mission work? You can do all these things with us this summer by volunteering your time at VBS. What better way to share the love of God with our students. We would love to have you join the fun!

Volunteer Sign Up – Click on the link or scan the QR code: <https://tinyurl.com/BSLC2023VBS>



### SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We need your help to teach Summer Sunday School! Multiple age groups and time commitments as little as one week or for the whole summer are available.



Michelle Wibe prepares **all materials and lessons**. Please consider how you can use your time to help and sign up in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!

### THE BOARD OF MEMBER ENGAGEMENT (BOME)

Do you know that we have over 50 boards, committees, and volunteer opportunities at BSLC that members of our congregation are involved in? The Board of Member Engagement (BOME) would like you to take this online survey (either click the link or scan the QR code below) to help us understand what your interests are in the various ministries here at BSLC. Thank you for taking the time to complete the survey.

Board of Member  
Engagement  
BOME



Online Survey:

<https://forms.office.com/r/UtBT2Zud6J>



## LAWN CARE CREW VOLUNTEERS



We are looking for 3-4 volunteers for **each** crew on a monthly basis. The lawn care crew will mow, trim & clean/blow-off grass, sidewalks, and ground. To volunteer click on the sign-up genius below and for more information, please contact Roger Berardi at [Berardi.r@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Berardi.r@sbcglobal.net).

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0D48ABAF29A0FD0-lawn>

## SAVE THE DATE YOUTH FUNDRAISER

Spades Tournament, Silent Auction, and Dinner Youth Fundraiser on **Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm**. Babysitting will be available. More information to follow soon.



## SUNDAY SCHOOL

"Homecoming Hopes" is the theme for our lesson this week. King Artaxerxes sends Ezra as a priest and scribe to teach and lead the people at the newly repaired temple in Jerusalem. Nehemiah convinces the king to send him to Jerusalem to repair the city wall. Despite opposition from Israel's neighbors, repairs are completed in record time. Nehemiah, Ezra, and the priests lead the people in a joyous rededication of the wall. Discuss together, "What homecoming can we look forward to as God's children?"



## WORSHIP RESOURCES

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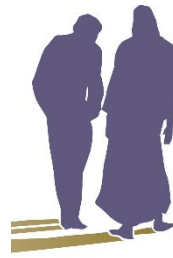
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### My Worship Notes for May 14<sup>th</sup>

[https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/2023-05-14\\_My-Worship-Notes.pdf](https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/2023-05-14_My-Worship-Notes.pdf)

## OLDER ADULT MINISTRY

### FAITH ALIVE



Our **Faith Alive** (55+) group will meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> **Saturday, May 20, at 4:30 p.m.**, in the **Fellowship Hall**. The devotion and evening will focus on **"The beginning of God's walk with you."** A potluck dinner is being planned with games to follow. A sign-up will be sent to those already on our email list. If you would like more information about Faith Alive or would like to attend our next get-together, contact Danny or Charlotte Hundley or the church office.

### EVENTS

The Kansas District Older Adult Committee is planning 2 additional dedicated events this year which will be spread out across the state.

- One will be the annual **"Saints Alive After 55"** event, this year to be held in Salina, Kansas July 16-17 at Christ the King Lutheran Church. It



features well-known author and older adult advocate Mary Manz Simon. Click on the link for more information and to register:

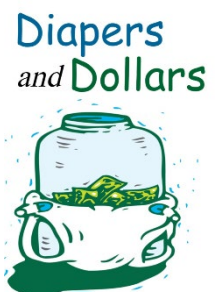
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- Another event is to be scheduled for late Summer or early Fall in western Kansas.

## MISSIONS

### DIAPERS & DOLLARS

We will be collecting **Diapers & Dollars** for the Advice & Aid Pregnancy Center in May. They especially need **size 5 and 6 in diapers, 2T – 3T Pull-ups (boys and girls), and \$10-\$20 gift cards for Walmart, Target, and Quik Trip (gas)**. Cash, gift cards, and checks (Made payable to





Advice & Aid) may be put in the locked, small donation box on the large, wooden donation box in the narthex.

### PIONEER TRAIL BACKSNACK

THANK YOU for all your donations for the Pioneer Trail Backsnack program. The school year is coming to an end soon. Your support has been a blessing to the students who were able to take extra food home on the weekends.



We will resume our donations when the new school year starts. They may ask for different food items next year, but cereal will be one of them. Thanks again!

### 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!

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

### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

#### LWML PRAYER SERVICE ON SUNDAY, JUNE 4

"My Soul Rejoices" is the LWML Prayer Service theme. It includes song, Bible readings, and prayer in a lovely alternating and interactive format. It will be held in the church sanctuary on Sunday, June 4 at 3 p.m. Open to all - men, women, families! The offering will be for Herington's Joint Parish Agreement.



### JEWELRY, CLOTHING, SHOES

Are you ready for a good closet cleaning? Do you have **jewelry, shoes, or women's clothes** that are new or used, in good/excellent condition that you would like to donate to a worthy cause? Accepting all sizes, styles, and seasons, The Single Mom KC has a "Clothed with Dignity Jewelry, Clothing Boutique" as part of their ministry where single moms can shop for themselves for free once a month. You can drop off items **in June** at church or on Wednesdays 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. at the Boutique (11539 West 83<sup>rd</sup> Terrace Lenexa, KS 66214 913-359-0790). We will also be collecting full-size toiletries for The Single Mom KC in June.

#### Jewelry, Clothing



#### Shoes

### UPCOMING EVENTS

There will be no May LWML meeting, but we are planning to host the LWML Prayer Service in June. An offering will be received for the Herington Joint Parish Agreement. Three churches in the Herington, Kansas community: Our Redeemer, Immanuel, and St John have formed a Joint Parish Agreement in order to bring the lost and erring to know the Gospel of our Risen Savior. The need exists for assimilation among the congregants, to evangelize the lost, and to demonstrate God's love and mercy in the rural area and municipality of Herington Kansas. The community of Herington, Kansas has many unchurched individuals as witnessed by Vacation Bible School attendance as well as the preschool at Our Redeemer. Church planting takes resources to remain vital in this community. The Day of Prayer offering will be used to purchase religious educational materials for joint use for in reach and outreach projects to encourage people of all ages to know Christ through continued assimilation and evangelism.

### MISSION GRANT PAID

More wonderful news! God, through His people, has blessed LWML Kansas District Mission Grant #7 for Fairmont Ministries. This grant has been **PAID IN FULL!** Next, we have the opportunity to fund #8 for Faith Lutheran Church & Preschool, Ottawa, Kansas. The mission grant would help Faith Lutheran partner

with KultureCity to become a "Sensory Inclusive" certified organization, providing tools, and to develop space for persons with sensory processing needs. Members will learn how the church can give greater honor to those with greater needs and share the love of Christ. If you would like to donate, place your offering in the purple and white Mite Box in the narthex (checks made payable to Beautiful Savior LWML), in Marci Brockmeier's church mailbox, or donate online at <https://www.kansaslwml.org/giving/>.

## LWML CONVENTION

### The Time is Now to Register for Convention!

Join us in Milwaukee June 22 - 25, as we "Celebrate the Lord of the Nations!" Information can be found in the insert of the Winter issue *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly* and online at <https://www.lwml.org/2023-convention>.



## PRESCHOOL

### THIS WEEK

Preschool and MDO children are enjoying their last few weeks of school with beautiful weather and lots of fun theme activities! The Preschool children had two big practices this week for our Spring Programs next Monday night. Pre-K children also completed their secret projects for their moms for our Mother's Day Tea this Friday. We love this annual event to honor our moms!

## NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS ACCREDITATION

Did you know that as a part of our National Lutheran Schools Accreditation, we send in an annual report with updates on our goals from the recommendations we received? This year we completed an updated user-friendly curriculum guide based on the Kansas Early Learning Standards. We also updated our student assessment forms to

match our updated early learning standards. Our brand-new classrooms for Mother's Day Out and preschool classes have allowed us to meet the accreditation standards for equipment placement due to our increased space. We're thankful for this ongoing accreditation process that allows us to continue to seek more ways to serve with excellence!

## ENROLLMENT

We have now officially exceeded this year's enrollment numbers with 129 students already enrolled for the 2023-2024 school year! Two new classes were added for next year and most classes are full with a waiting list. A few spots are available, so be sure to call the Preschool office for more information at 913-780-6889 or email Mrs. Amy Schultz at [preschool@bslcks.org](mailto:preschool@bslcks.org).



### Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

*Graduation Sunday*

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

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

9:30am – Senior Youth Group Graduation

10:45am – Worship

w/Communion/Obermueller Baptism

1:00pm – Music Prep

4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal

4:45pm – Beata Hand

### Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

7:30am – Monday Mornings with the Psalms

8:15am – Preschool

12:15pm – Preschool

6:30pm – Preschool Spring Program

### Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>

8:15am – Preschool

9:00am – Organist Practice

12:15pm – Preschool

6:30pm – Happy Helpers 4H Club

### Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>

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

8:15am – Preschool

9:00am – Organist Practice

12:15pm – Preschool

**Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup>**

LAST DAY OF PRESCHOOL

8:15am - Preschool

9:30am – Zoom Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study

12:15pm – Preschool

**Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Second Saturday for Men

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

4:30PM – Faith Alive

**Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup>**

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

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

10:45am – Worship w/Communion

1:00pm – Music Prep

6:00pm – Young Adults until 7:00pm

**BIRTHDAYS:**

**May 14** Ann Campbell

**May 15** Dakota Pierson, Katie Hiller, & Caleb Bahr

**May 16** Kristi Buckendahl

**May 17** Sherri Webb, Lexi Obermueller, & Marissa Lippe

**May 19** Chase Sears, Patti Adams & Mike Wolgast

**May 20** Jordan Klebe & Jordan Shiao



**ANNIVERSARIES**

**May 14** Jere & Sharon Brandt 43 years

**May 19** Bruce & Suzie Kempin 39 years

**Members and Visitors**

**Please remember to register your attendance for May 14<sup>th</sup>.**



**STEWARDSHIP**

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

The society in which we live tells us that to be happy we always need more and more. In our culture, loving money is not a sin, but a virtue. Because the love for nice things is such a subtle problem, we may not be aware how attached we are to the luxuries of life. Money and nice things are not the problem, but the love of these things is a root of evil (1 Timothy 6:10). Our goal is to place all things in perspective. With God as our focus, we can live with a detached attitude toward our possessions, and we will be content in our own circumstances.

**AS GOD'S STEWARDS, WE ARE TO LET THE LIGHT OF CHRIST SHINE THROUGH US SO THAT OTHERS SEE CHRIST IN US.**

"In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father Who is in heaven" (Matthew 5:16).



**Our Worship for 05-07-23**

<b>8:00am</b>	<b>198</b>
<b>10:45am</b>	<b>148</b>
<b>Online</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>390</b>
<b>Offerings</b>	<b>\$19,768</b>

**Sunday School Attendance (in person)**

<b>Children</b>	<b>73</b>
<b>Adults</b>	<b>123</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>196</b>

***Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.***



IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING A CAMP, CLICK ON THE LINK BELOW TO REGISTER:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSegSsCi4CK5PHEqNq1yReCscb7uyUmlQhEycHGfVxkTFzKVXQ/viewform>

# The Lutheran High School of Kansas City

## Summer Camp Schedule

**5th-8th Grade Coed Soccer Camp (\$50)**  
(June 5th - 9th) 9:00 - 11:00 AM

**3rd-8th Art Camp (\$75)**  
(June 5th - 9th) 1:00 - 4:00 PM

**5th-8th Running Camp (\$50)**  
(June 12th - 16th) 9:00 - 11:00 AM

**5th - 8th Band Camp (\$50)**  
(June 12th - 16th) 1:00 - 3:00 PM  
(Must have completed one year of band)

**5th-8th Volleyball Camp (\$50)**  
(June 19th - 23rd) 9:00 - 11:00 AM

**5th-8th Basketball Camp (\$50)**  
(June 26th - 30th) 9:00 - 11:00 AM



## Register Today!

www.lhskc.com 12411 Wornall Road, Kansas City, MO 64145 816-241-5478



## Trustee Item For Sale

### Gas Stovetop w/Oven (USED)

**Brand:** GE Café™ Series 30" Slide-In Front Control Range with Baking Drawer

**Model:** CGS985SET8SS

**Serial No:** SF185038P

**Color:** Stainless (with black case)

**Capacity (Cu. Ft.):** 5.4 Upper / 1.0 Lower - Total Capacity: 6.4 Cu. Ft.

**Oven Rack Features:** 3 Self-Clean Heavy-Duty Oven Racks, 6 Rack Positions

**Volts/Hertz/Amps:** 120v; 60Hz; 15A

**Net Weight:** 225.0 lb.



**For info: See a Trustee member**

Original price \$2,999.00 OBO

## Trustee item For Sale

### Cooking Performance Group 36" Gas Range w/Oven

#### SPECS

**Weight:** 448 lb.

**Width:** 36 Inches **Depth:** 32 5/8 Inches **Height:** 60 3/8 Inches **Burner BTU:** 30,000 BTU **Power**

**Type:** Natural Gas **Burner Style:** Grates

**Control Type:** Manual

**Gas Inlet Size:** 3/4 Inches

**Installation Type:** Freestanding **Maximum Temperature:** 550 Degrees F **Number of**

**Burners:** 6 Burners

**Number of Ovens:** 1 **Number of Racks:** 2

For more information see a  
Trustee member



**\$2,589.00 OBO**