Info As You Go



July 23, 2023

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

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

VICAR FAREWELL BREAKFAST



Sunday, July 23rd following the 8:00am service, the Fellowship committee is holding a farewell biscuits and gravy breakfast for Vicar Hjulberg. Please join us to share your farewells before Bible Study at 9:30am.

SPADES TOURNAMENT AND SILENT AUCTION BSLC YOUTH FUNDRAISER - CANCELED



Unfortunately, due to low participation the Spades Tournament and Silent Auction is canceled. The Youth Board is looking to reschedule at a future date.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR TWO SUNDAYS IN AUGUST

We need your help to finish teaching Summer Sunday School! There are still two open spots on **August 6th** for K-2nd and **August 27th** Preschool 3's and 4's. Michelle Wibe prepares all materials and lessons. Please consider signing up in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!

WELCOME CARD SHOWER FOR OUR NEW VICAR



If you would like to give a welcome card/and or gift card to our new vicar elect Nathan and his wife Tiffany Harkins, please put it in the birdcage located in the Narthex. Gift cards to your favorite local restaurants and stores are always appreciated.

VICAR INSTALLATION AND BREAKFAST

On **Sunday, August 6th**, Nathan Harkins will be installed as our Vicar. Following the 8:00am service, we will have a welcome breakfast for



Vicar Nathan and Tiffany Harkins in the Fellowship Hall and present them with a welcome card shower.

ALTAR GUILD

Altar Guild Preparing Gods Altar and Table for you!



If you are interested in serving on the Altar Guild, please contact Carol Brandt at ddcabrandt@gmail.com for more information!

LUTHERAN WITNESS MAGAZINE



The Lutheran Witness is the official magazine of The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, serving as a key source of information for members

of the LCMS churches.

If you are interested in receiving a subscription, the **cost is \$30.00** for the year. Please note this year's price increase is due to no increase to subscription rates since 2017. Each month the magazine will be mailed to your house starting in November.

Checks can be made out to BSLC and Lutheran Witness in the memo line. Please contact the church office at (913)780-6023 or office@bslcks.org with your name and address to sign up by August 20th.

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

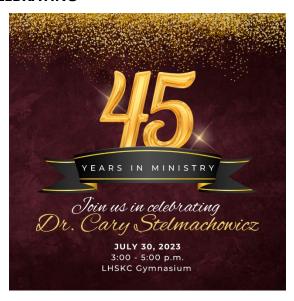
genius below and for more information, please contact Roger Berardi at Berardi.r@sbcglobal.net.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0D48ABAF2 9A0FD0-lawn

WEEDING VOLUNTEERS

Seeking volunteers to help keep our grounds looking nice. To do that, we need to control the weeds. The grassy areas will be treated and cared for by the mower team. The plant beds are numerous and weeding those is more than a small group of people can handle alone. The plant beds are separated into 17 different locations of varying sizes. Please consider taking responsibility for weeding one of these locations for the 2023 growing season. There is a signup sheet in the breezeway to the Fellowship Hall. The Board of Trustees will provide preemergent granules and herbicides as needed. Please contact trustees@bslcks.org or Angela Hodge if you have any questions."

CELEBRATING

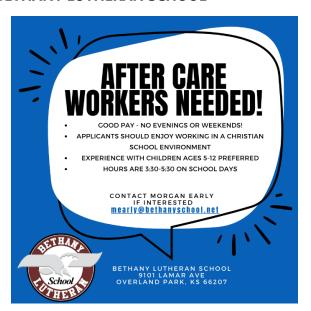


Join us for a time of fellowship and fun as we celebrate Dr. Stel and his 45 years of service in Lutheran education and leadership on Sunday, July 30, from 3-5pm at the Lutheran High School gym.

We would also like to celebrate Lucy Kettler's 30 years of service with a gift card shower, as she has requested to not have a formal celebration.

If you are unable to attend Dr Stel's reception and/or would like to contribute to a gift card shower for Dr Stel or Lucy, please send your money via PayPal (@BrettMartens) or Venmo (@lisabrettmartens) and specify the person and specific amount. For Venmo confirmation, please use 816-217-6199

BETHANY LUTHERAN SCHOOL



LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

Lutheran High School of Kansas City is in need of families or individuals who would host an international student for the 2023-24 school year. Both boys and girls from a variety of countries are applying to LHSKC, but we need hosts! Please email Tamara Smith at tsmith@lhskc.com to find out more about host family responsibilities and rewards.

OPEN POSITIONS AT HOPE LUTHERAN SCHOOL



Hope Lutheran School in Shawnee, KS, is seeking a full-time Fifth Grade Christian Teacher for the school year

2023-2024 who: Is a practicing, professing Christian, active in his or her own Christian congregation. Create a fun, energetic environment that encourages student growth and fosters a love of God, each other, and learning. Work collaboratively with colleagues in maintaining academic excellence in a caring Christian school. Teach in a self-contained classroom for elementary school grades. Actively participate in the spiritual life of the school and church. Seek and obtain a Kansas teaching license by the end of 1st year after placement. Benefits include health insurance, disability, and retirement. If interested, send a cover letter and resume to Mrs. Nancv Jankowski, principal. jankowski@hopelutheran.org.

Hope Lutheran School in Shawnee, KS is seeking a full-time 7th Grade Homeroom Teacher main focus in math for the school year 2023-2024 who: Is a practicing, professing Christian, active in his or her own Christian congregation. Deliver comprehensive MATH instruction, infusing classroom discussion with inquiry-based methods, using a designed curriculum and assessments. Prove knowledge of middle school pedagogy and the developmental needs of early adolescents. Must have good classroom management skills. Be flexible to teach other subjects if needed. Hold a current Kansas Teaching License, or in the case of out-of-state licensure, make an application to the State of Kansas at the time of hire. If interested, send a cover letter and resume to Mrs. Nancy Jankowski, principal at jankowski@hopelutheran.org.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

This summer, our Sunday School students will explore *3 in 1: Discovering Our Triune God.* Each of the weekly Bible stories helps students discover something about our triune God.

Today's Sunday School lesson explores, "Jesus Is Our Lord: Jesus Ascends to Heaven." Students will learn that after Jesus descended into hell and rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven to prepare a place for all believers. Families could discuss, "What does it mean to you that Jesus has gone to prepare a place for us?"

WORSHIP RESOURCES Lectionary Images for July 23rd

https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/2023-07-23 Lectionary-graphics.pdf

My Worship Notes for July 23rd

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/07/2023-07-23_My-Worship-Notes.pdf

OLDER ADULT MINISTRY

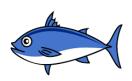
FAITH ALIVE

In July, **Faith Alive** will be meeting the fourth Saturday, July 22, at 4:30pm, in Room 114 at the church. (**Notice the date change and location.**) We will share a devotion, food, and enjoy an evening of "Catch Phrase" and table games. More details will be coming as the date gets closer. So, mark your calendar and join the fun and fellowship. We would love to have you join us! Any questions, contact Danny or Charlotte Hundley or the church office.



MISSIONS

FINS or FEATHERS CHALLENGE – 100+



Fins or Feathers ----- It's your choice! Tuna Lunch-to-Go or

Chicken Salad Snack Kits. The

boxes work best – the tuna/chicken with crackers only (no fruit cup or cookie included) – any brand.



These lunch kits are one of the food items included in sack lunches given to those in need by MLM (Metro Lutheran Ministry in Kansas City, Mo.) These lunches will be such a blessing to those who are experiencing food insecurity. You may be a part of



reaching this goal by providing these essential protein items for the sack lunches. The display will be in the hallway leading to the new building or you may put your donations in the large

wooden box in the narthex. Monetary donations may be put in mailbox #109 or the small, wooden, locked box on top of the large wooden donation box. Make checks out to BSLC, memo: Sack lunches. Any questions, contact Charlotte Hundley.

THANK YOU



Thank You for the toiletry items and the clothing donations in support of the "Clothed with Dignity" Boutique. Moms tend to

provide for their kids first, and these items are not included in food stamp programs. Future donations may be dropped off at the Boutique. They accept women's clothing, shoes, jewelry in very good/excellent and clean condition. All sizes, seasons, and styles welcome – from casual to dressy. If you would like to drop off – and check out or volunteer – at the Boutique, you are welcome to do so! They are located at 11539 West 83rd Terrace Lenexa, KS 66214 (913-359-0790) and are open 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. on Wednesdays. Thanks again!

FIELDSTONE

JULY 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> (signupgenius.com)

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

MISSION PROJECT DAY

Join us on Saturday, August 5th for an LWML servant event. Our primary focus will be finishing the quilts the kids started at VBS. There will be other servant projects available such as trimming stamps and coloring cards for Phil's Friends. We will meet in the Youth Room from 9:00 AM – Noon. All are welcomed to participate – women, men, youth, and children. Any questions, contact Christy McCombs or Amanda Williams.

MISSION GRANT



Mission Grant #8 for Faith Lutheran Church & Preschool, Ottawa, Kansas is PAID! The mission grant

will 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. We are now collecting mites towards Mission Grant #9 for Matongo Seminary in Kenya. Matongo is an established seminary, training pastors, deaconesses, and evangelists to spread the Gospel and serve the people of Kenya and beyond. This mission grant would help to build a dedicated place of worship for daily chapel services for students. 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/.

CRAFT-A-THON

The Beautiful Savior Craft-A-Thon is coming back this fall! The Craft-A-Thon is a 24-hour event where women can bring their own supplies to craft at



the church for however long they want during that 24-hour period. Funds raised from this event help to off-set costs of our Women's Retreat which we hope to bring back early next year as well. We are currently seeking crafters willing to organize and/or lead a few make-n-takes for attendees. We want to make this a fun experience for BSLC women and their friends. What are your favorite parts of a craft-a-thon? What could you do without? What would you like to see us do? Please take a moment or two to drop Pam Wellons (pswellons@yahoo.com) an email with your thoughts or questions. Watch the Info As You go for more event information as it becomes available.

PRESCHOOL

FINALIST FOR BEST PRESCHOOL/DAYCARE



We're so excited that Beautiful Savior Lutheran Preschool is a top 5 finalist for the Best Preschool in Johnson County! Voting will run through

August 15th for the 5 finalists in each category. To cast your vote for BSLP, please use the following link: www.BestofJoCo.com or scan the QR code and click on Child Care & Activities, Daycare/Pre-School and select Beautiful Savior Pre-School. Thank you for supporting our preschool ministry here!



SUMMER UPDATE

A handful of spots still remain for the 2023-2024 school year. We still have room in our TThF Pre-K am class, our TTh 3's pm class, and our M-Th Pre-K pm class. Contact the preschool office at 913-780-6889 email Amy Schultz or Mrs. preschool@bslcks.org for more information and to set up a tour. Thank you for telling your friends and neighbors about BSLC's preschool ministry of Connecting Children and Families to Jesus as We Gather, Grow, and Go! Your word of mouth is our best advertisement!



Sunday, July 23rd

8:00am - Worship with live stream

9:00am – Vicar Hjulberg Breakfast Farewell

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

10:45am – Worship

12:15pm - Church Council Meeting

1:00pm – Music Prep

Monday, July 24th

Tuesday, July 25th

9:00am - Organist Practice

Wednesday, July 26th

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

9:00am - Organist Practice

1:00pm - BSLP KC Area Directors Meeting

Thursday, July 27th

6:30pm 4H Club Country Hearts

Friday, July 28th

Saturday, July 29th

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

Sunday, July 30th

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

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

10:45am – Worship w/Communion

1:00pm – Music Prep

BIRTHDAYS:

July 23 Andrew Lippe

July 25 Amanda Williams

July 26 Marilyn Bremer

July 27 Traci Scheumann, Cassandra Frusti, &

Liesl Jensen

July 28 Brian Olson

July 29 Kim Burdett, Madison Chiappetta, & Anna Herrs



ANNIVERSARIES:

July 29 Jason & Beth Shelledy 23 years July 29 Chris & Sherri Webb 34 years

Our Worship for 07-16-23 8:00am 160 10:45am 120 **Online** 43 **Total** 323 Offerings \$18,343 Sunday School Attendance (in person) Children 48 **Adults** 106 **Total** 154 Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Matthew 20:28 reads, "Even as the Son of Man came not to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many."" The very nature of Jesus, as revealed in Scripture, is the example that should be our encouragement to serve others. Acknowledging Christ for Who He is and what He has done to redeem us as sinners, we begin to understand His nature and purpose for us. As forgiven people, we have the redemptive purpose of living a life of faithful service to others in Jesus' name. Christ's love for us and our love for Him make our lives of servanthood possible. Through a loving relationship with Him, we are willing to live lives in faithful service.

WE RECEIVE GOD'S LOVE; WE GIVE GOD'S LOVE.



"We love because He first loved us" (1 John 4:19).

Members and Visitors, please remember to register your attendance for July 16, 2023



