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

Family of Faith Night Wednesday Evenings

Family of Faith Night is on Wednesday evenings. Dinner will be served from 5:30-6:20 pm and faith enrichment for all ages will be from 6:30-7:30 pm. (Confirmation and Pre-confirmation begin at 6 pm). Due to the HVAC project, some classes have changed rooms. See below in red for the room number. Please feel free to invite guests to be a part of these Family of Faith Nights.



Here is what is being offered this Fall:

1. **Pre-K – kindergarten (Meet from 6:30-7:30pm) (Looking for parent/grandparent for a substitute list)**
Kids will engage in Bible and devotion time, fun and games, mission, and craft projects. *Room #117*
2. **1st Grade to 4th Grade (Meet from 6:30-7:30pm) (Looking for parent/grandparent for a substitute list)** *Room #116*
Kids will engage in Bible and devotion time, fun and games, mission, and craft projects.
3. **5th & 6th Grade Pre-Confirmation (Meet from 6:00-7:30pm)** *Room #115*
This class, led by Vicar Sandcork, will help kids learn the "Story" of the Bible by walking through God's plan of salvation in the Old Testament.
3. **7th & 8th Grade Confirmation (Meet from 6:00-7:30pm)** *Room #114*
This class, led by Pastor Schultz, will cover the Ten Commandments, The Lord's Prayer, Confession, and the Lord's Supper as described in Luther's Small Catechism.
4. **High School (Meet from 6:30-7:30pm)** *Fellowship Hall*
High School kids, led by Pastor Ada, will meet for devotion, fellowship, and games.
5. **Adults (Meet from 6:30-7:30pm)**
 - a. **Any Adults The Gospel of John**. This Bible Study walks through the Book of John as you will encounter the many "I Am" statements of Jesus and study John's emphasis on the Word made Flesh. This class is led by Elder, Brian Olson. The study book for this class will be provided in class. RSVP to Pastor Schultz so materials can be purchased. *Room 5 – Narthex Conference Room*
 - b. **For Women God's Encouraging Word: True Comforts When Worldly Advice Fails**. This Bible class will be led by Lisa Gruhn. *Room 38 – Conference room across from pastors' offices.*
 - c. **For Young Adults Unforgiveable?** This class will be for young adults College to 30 something. Participants will walk through this book and learn how God's forgiveness transforms our lives. It will be led by Pastor John Kastner. *Room #118*
 - d. **Bell Choir Rehearsal**. This group meets in the sanctuary and prepare music to edify worship on Sundays. **NOTE: Adult choir** also meets in the sanctuary from 7:30-8:30pm. Both choirs are led by Lauran Delancy. *Sanctuary*

I am once again excited about this opportunity for our family of faith and hope that you will gladly make Wednesday evenings a time to spend at Beautiful Savior.

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

THRIVENT ACTION TEAMS

Did you know that Thrivent members are eligible to use 2 Thrivent Action Teams every year? Thrivent Action Teams are needed for this year's Family of Faith Night meals. If you are a Thrivent member and would like to help support the cost of our meals this year, please email Amy Schultz at amy.schultz@bslcks.org and we'll assign you a date for this fall. Thank you for helping us to feed our family of faith with food and the Word of God!

PRAYER AND CARE TEAM

"Preschool Prayer and Care Team forming now! Do you know how to email? Have you been looking for a way to serve others from your home? We are looking for caring members who will email preschool families 2x during the school year. The purpose of this ministry is to form connections between church members and our preschool families (who are both members and nonmembers). Our goal is to pray and care for all our preschool families as part of Beautiful Savior's growing family of faith! We would be looking to start in September. If you would like to be an emailer or would like additional information, please contact Trish Batten Trishbatten87@gmail.com or speak with Pastor Ada. "



MUSIC MINISTRY



Calling all musicians! Are you interested in being involved in the music at BSLC? Choir and handbell ensembles will be starting up soon and we would love to have you join us! Please contact Lauran Delancy for more information about ensembles and rehearsal times or playing your instrument (Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com).

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 \$32.00** for the year. Please note this year's price increase is due to the rate increase each LCMS District has received. 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 18th**.

VOLUNTEERS

Michelle Wibe, Education Assistant is seeking volunteers to sign up as a **substitute** for either children's Sunday School during the Education hour on Sundays or for Family of Faith Nights on Wednesdays. Please prayerfully consider how you can help. If you are interested, contact Michelle Wibe at michelle.wibe@bsclks.org.



PAYNE FAMILY UPDATE

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,
The Payne family now has a home in Shinyanga! We moved in the first week in July with the help of the Southeast of Lake Victoria Diocese (SELVD). We are so thankful to the SELVD for their help and to Hoyce, our new landlady, for such a wonderful place to call home. But we are especially thankful to our Father in heaven for calling us to this place and then providing us with a home here.



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

we leave one season of life and turn to another. We will also do a simple craft to help us remember that Jesus is our anchor. Please bring a box of cereal (regular-size, not family-size boxes) to help jumpstart our collection for the Pioneer Trail BackSnack program. Please contact Christy McCombs with any questions.

SECRET PRAYER SISTERS

Secret Prayer Sisters is a ministry between you and another woman in the BSLC family. You become her silent prayer partner and her secret encourager September through May. You can encourage her with prayers, cards, and small gifts throughout the year. She doesn't know who you are, but she will know you are there, praying for her and thinking of her! If you would like to participate, please complete the Secret Prayer Sister Questionnaire found by the wooden collection box in the narthex or reach out to Christy McCombs to receive a questionnaire via email. Sign-ups are due by Sunday, September 8th to mailbox #181.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

BSLC Women's Ministries has issued a questionnaire related to interest in a 2025 Women's Retreat tentatively scheduled for February 22, 2025. Please scan the QR code to complete a questionnaire. Responses will be accepted through August 15th. All women are encouraged to respond to the questionnaire to share interest and ideas for this and future retreats. Questions may be directed to Pam Wellons at pswellons@yahoo.com.



YOUTH BOARD

COMMUNITY FUN DAY



Youth of all Ages are invited to kick off the school year at our annual **Community Fun Day on Sunday, August 18th, from 3-5pm** in the fellowship hall. There will be food, games, prizes, an obstacle course, a bounce house, and more! Youth and their parents are encouraged

to help serve at this event. Sign-ups will be sent out for volunteers to help set up, work the games and activities during the event, and clean up. Junior Youth can count this towards their confirmation service projects!

KC LUTHERAN YOUTH BACK-TO-SCHOOL TAILGATE



Youth of all Ages are invited to join other Lutheran youth from area LCMS churches on **Sunday, August 18th, from 5:30-7:30pm at BSLC** to celebrate the start of a new school year!

We will host a cookout and games in the fellowship hall, followed by a brief devotion service and send-off. Activities will include a bounce house and obstacle course, gaga ball, nine square, and basketball. **Youth and their parents** are encouraged to attend and help serve at this event by helping to set up the games, serve food, and clean up.

KC LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH SCAVENGER HUNT

On **Saturday, October 26th from 1-3pm at the Legends**, the high school youth from area LCMS churches will meet for a scavenger hunt. Please contact Pastor Ada to sign up, for more details, and if you have any questions.



FAITH ALIVE

AUGUST MEETING



Faith Alive Group 55+

Faith Alive (55+ group) is planning to get together Sat., August 17th at 4:30p.m. in Room 114.

We will start with a devotion and shared discussion. Come join us for an evening of fun, fellowship and food! Subs will be provided. You may bring a side, salad or dessert, if you'd like. A reminder will be sent out to those on our email list. If you haven't been before and would like to join us, please contact Randy/Jeanne Kanoy,

Brad/Eden Keefe or Charlotte Hundley. We'd love to see you!

FIELDSTONE

THANK YOU

Thank you so much for your donations of school supplies and money to purchase supplies for some of our neighbors at Fieldstone. Your generosity made it possible for us to provide 11 families – 27 children in all - with their full school supply list! The families were overwhelmed and appreciative and it was a joy to deliver the supplies. The Fieldstone Ministry Team



AUGUST FIELDSTONE FOOD DISTRIBUTION



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://www.signupgenius.com)

PRESCHOOL

ORIENTATION WEEK

This week we had our Orientation Week for our children and families. We gathered on Tuesday night with our parents to talk about our school year, cover important handbook items, and meet with our teachers in their classrooms. Wednesday and Thursday the children came with their parents to meet the teachers, drop off their school supplies, meet new friends, and check out their classrooms. We're excited for Teacher Dedication on Sunday morning during the 8:00 am service and then our Community Fun Day to kick off the school year. We are thankful for another year ahead of Growing in Jesus!

HEALTH MINISTRY

SAVE THE DATE

Mark your calendar to donate on **September 8th**, from **10:30 AM to 2:30 PM** at our next blood drive. To secure your favorite timeslot click on the link below and type: BeautifulSaviorKC to schedule your appointment.

<https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive>



LUTHERAN EARLY RESPONSE TEAMS

TRAININGS



On Sept 7th at King of Kings Lutheran in Gardner, there will be two training classes – one to train the trainer and one on how to conduct disaster assessments. There is no cost to attend. You can register for this class online at LCMS.org after next week or contact Mark at King of Kings via text 913- 209-9324.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, August 18th

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream
9:30am – Education Hour with live stream
10:45am – Worship w/Communion
12:15pm – BSLC Community Fun Day Setup
12:15pm – Church Council Meeting
12:30pm – Intermezzo Ringers Rehearsal
12:30pm – Music Prep and recording
1:15pm – Youth Choir Rehearsals
2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
3:00pm – BSLC Community Fun Day till 5pm
5:30pm – KC Lutheran Youth Back-to-school Tailgate

Monday, August 19th

6:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms
7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms
8:00am – Beautiful Moms in Christ
8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Chapel
12:15pm – BSLP
12:30pm – BSLP Chapel
12:45pm – BSLP Movement Class

4:00pm – Organist practice
6:30pm – LWML WinGS Circle Meeting

Tuesday, August 20th

8:00am – Beautiful Moms in Christ
8:15am – BSLP
8:15am - BSLP Movement Class
8:30am - BSLP Chapel
12:15pm – BSLP
9:00am – BSLP Staff Meeting
6:30pm – Pickleball set up/Open play starts at
7:00pm

Wednesday, August 21st

6:30am – Men's Bible Study
8:15am – BSLP
8:15am - BSLP Movement Class
8:30am - BSLP Chapel
12:15pm – BSLP
12:30pm - BSLP Chapel
12:45pm – BSLP Movement Class
5:30pm – Family of Faith Night
6:00pm – Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation
6:30pm – Adult Handbells Rehearsal
7:30pm – Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, August 22nd

8:15am – BSLP
8:30am – BSLP Chapel
12:15pm – BSLP
4:00pm – Organist practice

Friday, August 23rd

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

Saturday, August 24th

8:00am – Early Communion Class
8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep

Sunday, August 25th

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



BIRTHDAYS:

Aug 19 Dee Ann Norem & Lisa Bahr
Aug 20 Georgia Freese & Alexis Schima
Aug 21 Ryan Kanoy & Sara Zarnstorff
Aug 22 Krish Markanday
Aug 23 Kris Ada
Aug 24 Daren Bruschi, Kara Raetzel, Emma
Schempp, Jessica Erwin, & Joe Hodnik



ANNIVERSARIES:

Aug 19 Les & Margaret Wolpers 52 years
Aug 21 Mark & Liza Pillers 24 years
Aug 23 Dale & Carol Brandt 38 years
Aug 24 David & Kristin Smalling 22 years
Aug 24 Marcus & April Taege 28 years

STEWARDSHIP


STEWARDSHIP CORNER

A theme the Apostle Paul returns to often throughout his letters in the New Testament is that of putting off the Old Adam and putting on the New Self. Get rid of those things that are a hindrance to your life in Christ. *"Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. And be thankful"* (Colossians 3:2, 15). Focusing on temporal problems,

we tend to get bogged down. Setting our minds on things above, however, we cannot but be thankful for all God is and all He has done and continues to do for us in Christ.

Proportionate or percentage giving gives all Christians an equal privilege and opportunity to share in extending God’s kingdom.


“For if the readiness is there, it is acceptable according to what a person has, not according to what he does not have” (2 Corinthians 8:12).



MEMORY VERSE


FOR THIS IS THE WILL OF MY FATHER, that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day.

JOHN 6:40



BSLC Divine Service (Worship)

Attendance for Sunday August 18, 2024





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“When we build the new classrooms, let’s install a less sensitive sprinkler system.”

Our Worship for 08-11-24

8:00am	192
10:45am	227
Online	34
Total	453
Offerings	\$25,484

Sunday School in person

Children	46
Adults	148
Total	194

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SS Offerings Recipient LCMS World Relief

Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.

