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

## Family of Faith Night Wednesdays at 5:30pm

Family of Faith Night has resumed 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). 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 6:30-7:30 pm (*Looking for parent/grandparent facilitators*)
  - Kids will engage in Bible and devotion time, fun and games, mission, and craft projects.
2. **1st Grade to 4th Grade** meet from 6:30-7:30 pm (*Looking for parent/grandparent facilitators*)
  - Kids will engage in Bible and devotion time, fun and games, mission, and craft projects.
3. **5th & 6th Grade Pre-Confirmation** meet from 6:00-7:30 pm
  - This class, led by Vicar Harkins, will help kids learn the “Story” of the Bible by walking through God’s plan of salvation in the New Testament.
4. **7th & 8th Grade Confirmation** meet from 6:00-7:30 pm
  - This class, led by Pastor Schultz, will cover the Apostle’ Creed, Holy Baptism, Confession and Office of the Keys, and the Lord’s Supper as described in Luther’s Small Catechism.
5. **High School** meet from 6:30-7:30 pm
  - High School kids, led by Pastor Ada, will meet for devotion, fellow-ship, and games.
6. **Adults** meet from 6:30-7:30 pm
  - a. **Any Adults** - Job: This Bible Study walks through the Book of Job. You may know the simple story from chapter one and the rending restoration by God, but this book is filled with a middle that desires to be studied and will impact your life of faith. This class is led by Elder, Brian Ol-son. The study book for this class will be provided in class. RSVP to Pastor Schultz so materials can be purchased.
  - b. **For Women** - One Thousand Gifts: Dare to Live Fully Right Where You Are: How can you find joy in the midst of the world’s stress and difficulties? Author Ann Voskamp invites you to dis-cover a way of seeing that opens your eyes to God’s grace. This book discussion is for women and is facilitated by Dani Olson. Purchase the book on Amazon or wherever you buy books.
  - c. **For Young Adults** - *Giving to God* by Mark Allan Powell. This class will be for young adults College to 30 something. It will be led by various leaders, including Vicar. Details are still being worked out so more information to come.
  - 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 7:30-8:30 pm. Both choirs are led by Lauran Delancy.

## PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

### MUSICAL INVOLVEMENT



**MUSICAL INVOLVEMENT**

- Vocal Choirs and Handbell Ensembles for all ages
- Groups sing or ring Special Music for church about once a month during the school year (September - May)
- Rehearsals are Sundays or Wednesdays
- Now forming a Teen Instrumental Ensemble
- Several opportunities during the year to participate short term (Christmas Eve Choir, Christmas Day Bells, Easter Bells...)

Contact Lauran Delancy ([Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com](mailto:Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com)) with questions and to get connected!

God Bless!

The handbell ensembles and choirs of Beautiful Savior are ready to start rehearsals. Groups rehearse weekly and offer special music about once a month.

**New this year:** we are forming a Teen Instrumental Ensemble and would love to include interested youth in these opportunities to share musical talents with the congregation.

If you are interested in being involved in any musical ensemble, please contact Lauran Delancy ([Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com](mailto:Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com)) and get connected!

### THANK YOU

We want to express our appreciation to everyone who has so graciously welcomed us back to Beautiful Savior. You were so generous with your gifts and offered kind words of encouragement with your cards. We are very excited to be here and pray that the congregation is richly blessed through the coming year. We count ourselves as very blessed to have a chance to serve this congregation which has been so supportive during our time at seminary. Thank you. Vicar & Tiffany Harkins



### PICKLEBALL

Pickleball is every Tuesday in the Fellowship Hall. The schedule is:



- 6:00pm – Setup
- 6:30pm – Warm up and beginner lessons
- 7:00-8:30pm – Open play

Please contact Troy [tschep01@gmail.com](mailto:tschep01@gmail.com) or Amy Schepmann [amyschepmann@hotmail.com](mailto:amyschepmann@hotmail.com) with any questions.

### BSLC MEN'S GROUP



**BSLC MEN'S GROUP PORT TASTING EVENT**

Thursday September 14<sup>th</sup>  
From 7:30pm to 10:00pm

RSVP by Sep. 7th:



Scan the QR code to RSVP or click on the link below:  
<https://forms.gle/xk1WQzd8DnXFJJF8>

If you have any questions, please contact Matt Riechers at (217) 725-7661 or [mmriechersfamily@gmail.com](mailto:mmriechersfamily@gmail.com) and Vicar Harkins at (913) 306-5553 or [nathan.harkins@bslcks.org](mailto:nathan.harkins@bslcks.org).

### BOWLING

Anyone interested in a Bowling League? Redeemer Lutheran Church is looking for Lutherans in the surrounding area to join their bowling team(s). Teams will meet every other Saturday night, mixed adult and youth over 12 years old, non-competitive **league starting on September 16<sup>th</sup>**. The teams are made up of 4-person, generally a youth/adult fun league, with proceeds going back to the church.



For more information, please contact **Dennis Gray** at **913-286-8794** (after 6pm) OR at [dennisgray1229@gmail.com](mailto:dennisgray1229@gmail.com) as soon as possible.

The earlier response, the better the possibility of more lanes for more teams.

## LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL



### Host Family

Lutheran High School of Kansas City needs 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](mailto:tsmith@lhskc.com) to find out more about host family responsibilities and rewards.

## 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>

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

The summer Sunday School quarter ends with, "The Spirit Makes the Church Grow: Philip and the Ethiopian." The Holy Spirit led Philip to extend God's Church by helping the Ethiopian understand God's Word and then baptizing him. The Holy Spirit extends God's Church through pastors and other church workers. Discuss, "How can God use you to extend the Church today?"

## WORSHIP RESOURCES

### Lectionary Images for August 27<sup>th</sup>

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/08/08-27-2023-lectionary-images.pdf>

### My Worship Notes for August 27<sup>th</sup>

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/08/08-27-2023-my-worship-notes.pdf>

## YOUNG ADULTS

### KICKOFF FOR BSLC YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES

On Sunday August 27<sup>th</sup>, from 3:00pm-6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall, there will be a kickoff event for Beautiful Savior Young Adult Ministries.

We will meet for fellowship, games, and a discussion of the coming year. Pickleball will be set up and beverages, snacks, and childcare will be provided. Hear what



Young Adult Ministries: Welcome Back!

events are planned for Beautiful Savior, as well as the group KCYL (Kansas City Young Adult Lutherans), which is a gathering of young adult Lutherans from across the area.

### SAVE THE DATE

## BSLC Young Adult Multicourse Meal

Friday October 13<sup>th</sup>  
From 5:30pm to 10:30pm  
BSLC Fellowship Hall



RSVP by Sep. 29th:



If you have any questions regarding the Young Adult Ministry events, please contact Matt Riechers at (217) 725-7661 or [mmriechersfamily@gmail.com](mailto:mmriechersfamily@gmail.com) and Vicar Harkins at (913) 306-5553 or [nathan.harkins@bslcks.org](mailto:nathan.harkins@bslcks.org).

## MISSIONS

### HYGIENE KITS



It's a great time to do some traveling and enjoy time with family and friends. During your travels,

please donate any unused toiletries (soap, shampoo, conditioner, lotion, etc.) from your hotel stays. These items work well to make small hygiene kits. In the



past these kits have been given to homeless shelters and the Ronald McDonald House. Please place the unused travel toiletries in the large wooden box in the narthex. These can be donated throughout the year. Thank you. Happy traveling!

## FIELDSTONE

### SEPTEMBER 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!



## Food Distribution

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

## WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

### MISSION GRANT



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/>.

### 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, and 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 10th to mailbox #181.



### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Thursday Morning Bible Study will begin on Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. We meet each Thursday morning from 9:30-10:30 via Zoom. Our first study will be JOY, a study of Philippians by Donna Snow. It can be purchased at [Christianbook.com](https://www.christianbook.com) or any other Christian bookstore.



If you are new to the study, please contact Jeanne Kanoy at 913-961-1112 or [jkanoy@gmail.com](mailto:jkanoy@gmail.com) or Ann Campbell at 913-558-9231 or [acampbell2298@gmail.com](mailto:acampbell2298@gmail.com) to be added to the e-mail with the zoom link attached or with any questions.

## PRESCHOOL

### 2023-24 SCHOOL YEAR

Last Sunday our staff was dedicated in church for this upcoming year. We've had a great start to our 2023-2024 school year this week! The children have come in excited to learn and grow with their classmates. Pastor Ada shared our chapel message this week about how much Jesus Loves Us. Chapel and Music Class are some of our favorite times of the week to gather as a school family. Our preschool team was blessed with Welcome Back to School gift bags from BSLC's LWML group on Tuesday morning. Thank you, LWML ladies, for blessing our staff!

## THIS WEEK



### **Sunday, August 27<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream/BSLP Teacher Dedication
- 9:30am – Education Hour with live stream
- 10:45am – Worship w/Communion
- 12:30pm – Music Prep
- 1:15pm – Intermezzo Ringers Rehearsal
- 2:00pm – LWML KC CrossRoads Board of Directors Meeting
- 2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal
- 3:00pm – BSLC Young Adult Ministry
- 3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers Rehearsal
- 3:00pm – TIE Rehearsal
- 4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal
- 4:45pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal

### **Monday, August 28<sup>th</sup>**

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

### **Tuesday, August 29<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:15am – BSLP
- 8:30am – BSLP Movement Class
- 9:00am – Organist Practice
- 12:15pm – BSLP
- 12:45am – BSLP Movement Class
- 6:30pm – Pickleball warm up/lessons and open play at 7:00pm

### **Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup>**

- 6:30am – Men's Bible Study
- 8:15am – BSLP
- 8:30am – BSLP Movement Class
- 9:00am – Organist Practice
- 12:15pm – BSLP
- 12:20am – 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, August 31<sup>st</sup>**

8:00am – Classical Conversations (W Lenexa)

8:15am – BSLP

12:15pm – BSLP

### **Friday, September 1<sup>st</sup>**

7:45am – Classical Conversations (N Olathe)

8:15am – BSLP

8:30am – BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm – BSLP

### **Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>**

8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep

### **Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>**

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

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

10:45am – Worship w/Communion

12:30pm – Music Prep

2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal

2:30pm – BSLC Young Adult Ministry

3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers

3:00pm – TIE Rehearsal

4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal

4:45pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal



### **BIRTHDAYS:**

**Aug 27** Vicar Nathan Harkins & Donald Butler

**Aug 28** Michele Kerns, Jackson Riechers, & Bill Vandenberg

**Aug 29** Stacy Martinez, Beth Shelledy, & Hazel Christensen

**Aug 30** Isla Delancy

**Aug 31** Glenda Schmidgall

**Sept 1** Lance Hughey, Michelle Wibe, Daniel Goodnow, Sadie Werling, Brylee Sears, Zayne Smalling, Denise Jordan, & Scott Bohnert

**Sept 2** Jessica Shuller & Patricia Brackin



### ANNIVERSARIES:

**Aug 29** David & Megan Burton 3 years  
**Aug 31** Juan & Stacy Martinez 21 years  
**Aug 31** Tim & Amy Oestmann 4 years  
**Aug 31** Leonard & Stephanie Tolman 20 years  
**Sept 1** Jim & Connie Teig 50 years  
**Sept 1** Aaron & Christy Smith 19 years  
**Sept 2** Dave & Renee Elliott 18 years  
**Sept 2** Lance & Lori Hughey 17 years  
**Sept 2** Andrew & Cassie Nichols 1 year

### STEWARDSHIP

#### STEWARDSHIP CORNER

God, Who has created all things and sustains all things, has called us to be His instruments through which He shares His grace, love, and mercy with the world. It is amazing that, in spite of our sinful ways, God calls us to participate with Him on His team in sharing the good news of the Gospel. He wants to work with us to bring about His will on earth. God *"desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth"* (1 Timothy 2:4), and He blesses us with the honor and privilege to be in partnership to help others enjoy His kingdom now on earth and to be with Him forever in eternity.

**IN GOD'S PLAN, WE ARE THE ONES THAT HE COUNTS ON TO REVEAL HIS LOVE, CARE, AND GRACE TO THE WORLD.**

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth" (Acts 1:8).



**Members and Visitors,  
 please remember to  
 register your attendance for  
 August 27, 2023**



#### Our Worship for 08-20-23

8:00am	165
10:45am	255
Online	42
<b>Total</b>	<b>462</b>
<b>Offerings</b>	<b>\$52,300</b>

#### Sunday School Attendance (in person)

<b>Children</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>Adults</b>	<b>130</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>191</b>

*Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.*

## EMPOWER SAFE ADULTS

TO STOP CHILD EXPLOITATION

A Free 1-hour  
Introductory  
Community  
Training



#### WHAT TO EXPECT:

- Learn what child sex trafficking in America looks like
- How we can prevent and safeguard our kids
- Learn what we all can do to push back this evil
- Professional trainers with lived experiences
- No grotesque or explicit information

**EMPOWER  
THE FIGHT**

Exploitation is complex | Fighting it is simple

[stopchildexploitation.org](http://stopchildexploitation.org)

DATE & LOCATION OF TRAINING:

**THURSDAY, SEPT 14TH @ 6:30PM**

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church  
 3145 S Black Bob Rd, Olathe, KS 66062