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September 10, 2023

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PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

BSLC ANNUAL FALL FEST

Please join us for our annual Fall Fest on Saturday, October 7th from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Fall Fest is fun for the whole family featuring our beloved



chili competition, a petting zoo, face painting, balloon artists and bouncy houses! Look for more information coming soon.

To you are interested in volunteering to help, please contact Jennifer Mahnken, Fellowship Chair at kinzejj@yahoo.com or 816-863-6204.

MUSICAL INVOLVEMENT



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 (<u>Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com</u>) and get connected!

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**th. 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 as soon as possible.** The earlier response, the better the possibility of more lanes for more teams.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

In the lesson for this week, "Wise Men Worship," God leads Gentile scholars to worship the Christ. Following their visit, Joseph immediately flees with his young family to the safety of Egypt. When Herod's insane jealousy dies with him, the Holy Family returns home to Nazareth. Discuss, "How does God keep you and I safe today?"

WORSHIP RESOURCES

Lectionary Images for September 10th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/09/2023-09-10-Lectionarylmages.pdf

My Worship Notes for September 10th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/09/2023-09-10-My-Worship-Notes.pdf

MISSIONS

BACKSNACK PROGRAM

Pioneer Trail Middle School is starting the Backsnack program for this school year. We will be providing extra food for the students to take home on the weekends.



This year **30 students** have signed up for the program. Our food items for this year are:

- Cereal (regular-size, not family-size boxes)
- Fruit cups (preferably fruit cups over applesauce cups)
- Unrefrigerated pudding cups
- Granola bars.

Donations may be put in the large wooden box in the narthex. This is an **on-going project** for the **2023-2024 school year**. Please help support these students. Any questions, contact Charlotte Hundley or Karen Kuhn.

YOUNG ADULTS

BSLC YOUNG MEN'S GROUP

BSLC YOUNG MEN'S GROUP PORT TASTING EVENT

Thursday September 14 From 7:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.



RSVP by Sep. 7:



Scan the QR code to rsvp or click on the link below: https://forms.gle/xk1WQzd8DnXFJJJF8

SAVE THE DATE



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

FAITH ALIVE 55+

MEETING RECAP

The August Faith Alive (55+ Group) gathering took place on Saturday, August 12th at the church. The devotion was from the book Joyfully Aging, that

offers some humor for all of us as we age in life. Dinner included sub sandwiches, and a variety of great sides and desserts provided by the attendees. The group concluded the



evening with a service project assembling sack lunches that are distributed by MLM to the homeless.

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Our September meeting will be on Saturday, Sept. 9th at 4:30 p.m. in Room 114. We will share a devotion, food, and an activity. Mark your calendars and plan on joining us for an evening of fun and fellowship with your fellow brothers and sisters in Christ.

Please contact the Brad and Eden Keefe or Randy and Jeanne Kanoy with any questions, for more information, or to get on the E-Mail list if you are not already receiving the E-Mails for the group. Hope to see you then!

HYGIENE KITS

Don't forget to save unused travel toiletries for our Mission's collection. We will be collecting all year long.

FIELDSTONE

SEPTEMBER FIELDSTONE FOOD DISTRIBUTION



Beautiful Savior is in partnership with Mission Southside to distribute food to families at Fieldstone in Olathe. We meet

Apartments here

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

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.

FARMSTEAD TREATS



Farmstead Treats are coming your way again this fall - quality nuts, candies, chocolate-covered treats, dried fruits, and more! Shop local! Order forms are available beginning Sunday,

September 17th. Cash-and-carry items will also be available on Sunday, September 24th and October 1st. This is a fundraiser for our members attending a Concordia University or Seminary to pursue churchwork careers. Last day to order is October 15th.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women's Thursday Morning Bible Study will begin on Thursday, September 7th. 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 or any other Christian bookstore.



If you are new to the study, please contact Jeanne Kanoy at 913-961-1112 or jskanoy@gmail.com or acampbell2298@gmail.com to be added to the email with the zoom link attached or with any questions.

PRESCHOOL

THIS WEEK

After a long holiday weekend, we resumed our classes on Wednesday to jump into our September themes. Classrooms are enjoying themes about apples, creation, and nursery rhymes this week. Pastor Schultz and Vicar Harkins shared the story of the last 2 days of creation this week in chapel when God created animals and people. The children learned how God created them and all people and then said, "It is good!". We're excited for cooler temperatures this week for comfortable outdoor play and the start of the Chief's football season.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, September 10th

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

3:00pm - Intermezzo Ringers Rehearsal

3:00pm - TIE Rehearsal

4:00pm – Youth Choir Rehearsal

4:45pm - Beata Bell Rehearsal

6:00pm – Senior Youth Game Night

Monday, September 11th

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, September 12th

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement Class

9:00am – Organist Practice

12:15pm - BSLP

12:45pm - BSLP Movement Class

6:00pm - Security & Safety Committee Mtg

6:30pm - Pickleball

Wednesday, September 13th

6:30am - Men's Bible Study

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am – BSLP Movement Class

9:00am - Organist Practice

10:00am - Lifelight Bible Class

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, September 14th

8:00am – Classical Conversations (W Lenexa)

8:15am - BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP

6:00pm – BSLP Child & Safety Abuse Prevention

6:00pm – Lifelight Bible Class

Friday, September 15th

7:45am – Classical Conversations (N Olathe)

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm - BSLP

Saturday, September 16th

8:30am - Altar Guild Sunday Prep

1:00pm - LHSKC Road Rally

9:00pm - KC Area Lutheran Youth BRK Through

Sunday, September 17th

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

9:30am - Education Hour with live stream

10:45am - Worship w/Communion

12:15pm - Council Meeting

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:

Sept 10 Colton Clark

Sept 11 Lisa Gruhn, Brad Keefe, Debra Newman, Kara Herrs, & Alexius Wolff

Sept 12 Tricia Domsch, Debbie Southard, & Nathan

Sept 13 Amy Oestmann, Peyton Aerni, & Henry Ronsick

Sept 14 Rick Vaughn

Sept 15 Faith Ledgerwood

Sept 16 Austin Brown



ANNIVERSARIES:

Sept 10 Aaron & Amanda Johnson 8 years

Sept 15 Scott & Kelly Wielage 22 ye

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

When we use our time in service to others, we are using our time wisely and giving God glory. "For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve..." (Mark 10:45). It is clear that Jesus wants to develop that same servant heart in us. Our lives are God's gift to us. How we use them is our gift to God. When we commit our lives and time to service in response to Jesus' love for us, we are living wisely and fulfilling an important purpose for our lives. Service should be one of the primary uses of our time. With the help of the Holy Spirit, we can change from being people who seek to serve ourselves into people who serve others.

WHEN WE SPEND MONEY **CAREFULLY, SAVE IT DILIGENTLY,** AND GIVE IT GENEROUSLY, WE ARE MONEY WISE.



"Honor the Lord with your wealth..." (Proverbs 3:9).

Offerings

Members and Visitors, please remember to register your attendance for September 10, 2023



\$24,432

Our Worship for 09-03-23 8:00am 166 10:45am 212 **Online** 58 Total 436

Sunday School Attendance (in person) Children 55 Adults 108 Total 163

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



Exploitation is complex | Fighting it is simple

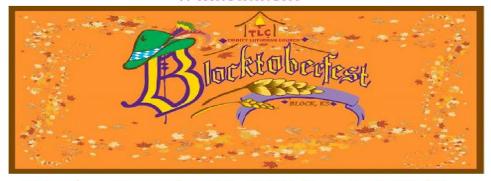
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DATE & LOCATION OF TRAINING:

THURSDAY, SEPT 14TH @ 6:30PM

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

Willkommen!



Saturday, September 16, 2023 Noon to 6:00 PM Trinity Lutheran Church

34868 Block Road, Paola, Kansas 66071 www.trinitylcms.org

Come celebrate with us as we focus on our Christian faith, our German heritage, and community spirit with fun, food, and fellowship.

1-5 PM Lochnig German Band from Hermann, Missouri will play on stage in the Big Tent



Biergarten

Kids activities include rides and crafts



Concessions and full German meal served by Trinity Youth Cash sales encouraged – Venmo service available



Strudel

No outside food or drinks please



Brats

SORRY, NO PETS ALLOWED

Admission and parking are free with donations going toward church ground improvements



Homemade Bierocks



Family Fun



Loehnig German Band



Polka Dancing



Zion Lutheran Church is hosting the second annual Germanfest!

What: Germanfest will be a celebration of the German heritage of our church. The jovial day will include:

- Live music from the Alpen Spielers
- German Inspired Food
- Beer garden with German beer
- Vendors to peruse
- History of the church's German heritage
- Children's activity area

Where: Zion Lutheran Church

23167 Topeka St, Vassar, KS 66543

When: Saturday September 16, 2023

11 am to 3 pm

Watch for more information to come!

www.facebook.com/zionlutheranvassar





The Hope Life Team & Kansas Federation of **Lutherans for Life** invites you to a

Journey of LIFE Event

National Speaker Michelle Bauman

Executive Director of



For families ... parents, grandparents, and caring adults!



Michelle addresses "What is a LIFE Issue?" and teaches us "how to talk to kids" about important LIFE concerns from the womb to the tomb.

September 18th at 6:15pm

An hour presentation ♥ Time for Questions after A "Journey" through an interactive Display of Resources Take-home LIFE kit ♥ Door prizes and more!

> **Hope Lutheran Church** 6308 Quivira Rd Shawnee, KS

Call 913-631-6940 w/questions

You won't want to miss it!