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

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH WORKER APPRECIATION MONTH

Dear Friends in Christ,

October is upon us, and that means it's Church Worker Appreciation Month! I encourage you to join



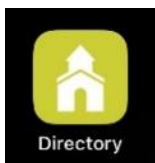
with your brothers and sisters in Christ across the LCMS in seeking ways to show appreciation to our church workers, who serve us in a multitude of ways as they preach,

teach and care for God's people in body and soul. This is our opportunity to recognize and celebrate our church workers for all they do and, even more, to thank our Lord for giving us these dear servants who keep our eyes fixed on Jesus, "...the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God." (Heb. 12:2).

Jeff McDonald and the Board of Elders

CHURCH DIRECTORY APP?

Have you downloaded our church directory app? If not go to your Google or Apple store and download the "Instant Church Directory" app. Easy to use! Great tool for our Family of Faith to connect with each other. You can manage your family information and even upload a new picture. Check it out now! See Jeff Hiller with questions.



FUNERAL PLANNING SEMINAR



BSLC is holding a funeral planning seminar on **Saturday, November 15th (New Date)** in the Fellowship Hall from 8:00am – 11:30am. All ages are invited and encouraged to attend this seminar to look at the biblical standpoint of a funeral. We will also

explore how your funeral speaks to the legacy you desire to leave.

To **RSVP**, please email the church office at office@bslcks.org with the number attending. This will help with planning and ensure we have enough materials.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Today, we will study "The Born-Again Truth." Nicodemus, a leader of the Jewish Council, comes to see Jesus under cover of darkness. Puzzled by Jesus' instruction that one must be born again to enter the kingdom of God, Nicodemus asks how someone can be physically reborn. Jesus gently instructs Nicodemus as He explains the spiritual rebirth found only in Christ. Christ alone is the light come into the world to save us from the darkness of our sin.



WORSHIP RESOURCES

Lectionary Images for October 19th

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/10/2025.10.19-Lectionary-Images.pdf>

My Worship Notes for October 19th

<https://www.bslcks.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/10/2025.10.19-My-Worship-Notes.pdf>

FELLOWSHIP BOARD

SAVE THE DATE - NOVEMBERFEST

Cheers, It's Novemberfest!! Save the date for November 9th from 12:00-3:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Plan to spend your early afternoon having fun with your family of faith



BMEA

OFFERING COUNTERS

Offering counters needed! Do you like working in teams? Do you prefer to volunteer behind the scenes? Do you enjoy working with numbers? Perhaps



counting is a perfect way for you to serve. Counters organize and count the offerings of the church. The offerings are documented and tabulated each week in an Excel workbook. They are then deposited at the bank. Counters

generally work in teams of 2-3 people. Teams are scheduled to count approximately every 10 weeks. The time commitment is around one hour each week you count. On-the-job training is provided – no experience needed! For more information, contact Todd Scheumann.

FIELDSTONE

OCTOBER 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 2:45pm 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 4:15pm. 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://signupgenius.com)

MISSIONS

GIFTS FROM THE HEART

Some of our LWML ladies will be attending the KC Crossroads Fall Zone Event to be held Saturday, Oct. 18, 2025, at First Lutheran Church in Paola. We would like to send some “Gifts from the Heart” with them from BSLC. Some preferred donations are:

- Ramen noodles
- Soups
- Spam

- Oatmeal
- Mac and cheese,
- Tuna

These will be given to “My Father’s House” which is a facility in Paola that provides assistance and housing to individual women 18 years and older, younger emancipated women and families who are experiencing homelessness. All donations may be put in the large wooden donation box in the narthex.



PLEASE NOTE: This will be a very short collection time. Donations need to be **returned by Thursday, October 16.**

BACKSNACK PROGRAM

We are continuing this school year to support the Pioneer Trail Middle School Backsnack program. We need:

- Cereal (regular-size, not family-size boxes)
- Fruit cups (not applesauce)
- Granola/breakfast bars



Please watch for far-from-expiration dates since they cannot distribute expired items. You may put your donations in the large, wooden donation box in the narthex. Pioneer Trail is very thankful that we continue to support them through the years. If you have any questions, please contact Charlotte Hundley.

YOUTH MINISTRY

BUTTER BRAID SALE

Senior Youth will be selling Butter Braids on Sunday mornings in the narthex from October 12th thru November 2nd! Funds raised will help offset the cost of upcoming events for youth and their families. Butter Braids will be delivered to the church and available for pick up on Sunday, Nov. 14th. Please come visit the table in the narthex to place your order!



BONFIRE AND PUMPKIN CARVING



Senior Youth are invited to get into the Halloween spirit with some pumpkin carving and a bonfire cookout. Please join us on **Oct.**

26th for some fall fun at the Mahnken's house (29775 W. 95th St. DeSoto). Youth should dress for the outdoors and bring a pumpkin to carve. The fun goes from **6:30-8:30pm**. Parents and friends are welcome as well!

KANSAS DISTRICT YOUTH GATHERING

Registration is open for this year's Kansas District Youth Gathering for all **Senior Youth (9-12)**. This year's theme is **FEARless** based on Joshua 1:9. The retreat will be held at Rock Springs 4H Ranch in Junction City (1168 Hwy K157) on **November 14-16th**. An information flyer and registration form was sent out via email and GroupMe. The Kansas District Youth Gathering (KDYG) is a Kansas District youth event that happens annually during the month of November. It is specifically designed for youth who are currently in grades 9-12 and aims to foster faith in Jesus Christ through time of worship, study of God's Word, and fellowship with one another. *It's not too late* - contact Pastor Ada if you'd like to register your youth to attend!



WOMEN'S MINISTRY

LWML KANSAS CITY CROSSROADS ZONE FALL EVENT

Join us Saturday, October 18th for the LWML Kansas City CrossRoads Zone Fall Event at First Lutheran Church in Paola. Registration 8:30-9:00 am, \$5. Program begins at 9:00 am. Zone events are a wonderful way to connect with LWML women in the Kansas City area for fellowship, to hear about the work of the LWML through our mite offerings, and to learn about other opportunities we can Serve the Lord with Gladness. At this event, Pastor Mueller from Hope Lutheran will share about his recent mission trip to work with the seminary in Uganda. Gifts from the Heart will be collected for My Father's House: ramen noodles, soups, spam, oatmeal, mac and cheese, cereal, tuna, fruit cups, and breakfast bars. A light breakfast and a soup, bread, and vegetable lunch will be served. For more information, please contact Christy McCombs.



HEALTH MINISTRY

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

"This autumn, we're asking donors to get into the spirit of saving lives and harvest hope for patients in need with a blood, platelet or AB Elite plasma donation! All who come to give Oct. 20-Nov. 16, 2025 will be thanked with a \$10 e-gift card to their choice of merchant PLUS automatic entry to win one of three \$5,000 gift cards! "

Blood Drive
Beautiful Savior
Lutheran Church

In the Fellowship Hall, use lower parking lot entrance
13145 S Black Bob Rd.
Olathe, KS 66062

Sunday, October 26, 2025
10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: BeautifulSaviorKC to schedule an appointment.



LWML KANSAS DISTRICT CHRISTIAN LIFE RETREAT, NOVEMBER 7-8, 2025.

The LWML Kansas District invites the women of Kansas to Salina for the 2025 Christian Life Retreat. The Christian Life Committee is excited to announce that this year's speaker will be Donna Snow. Join us for a relaxing weekend of connecting with old friends and meeting new ones as we stand Unshaken on the ROCK. *Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.* Hebrews 12:28-29 See you November 7th and 8th in Salina at the Hilton Garden Inn! Download the registration form [HERE](#).

SAVE THE DATE



PRESCHOOL

SCREENINGS AND CONFERENCES

We had a tremendous turnout of over 60 children for our free Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) screening for our preschool families last week. The results from these screenings are being shared with the parents during our Parent Teacher Conferences



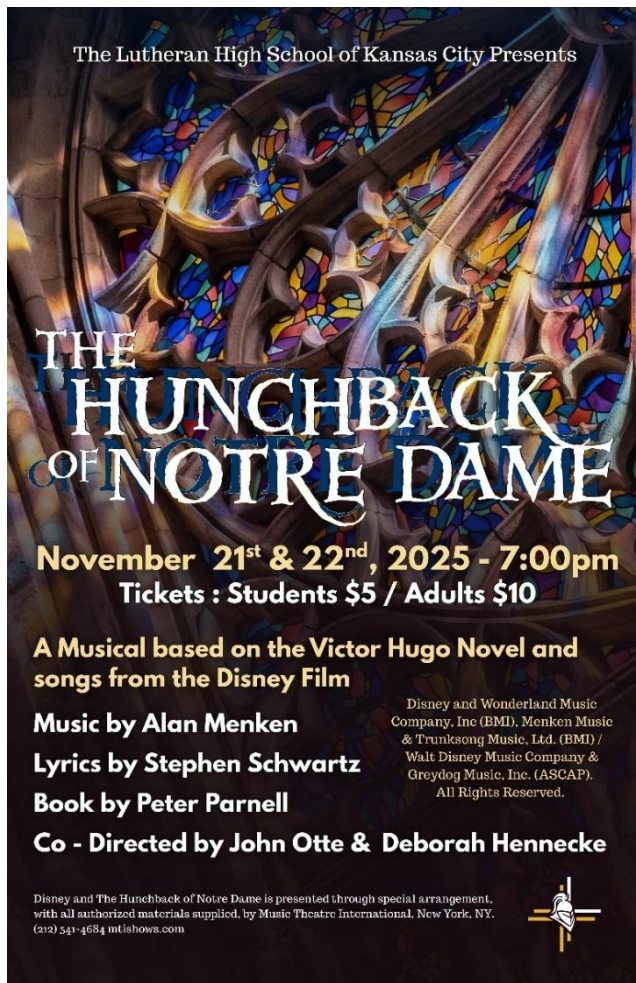
this week. We love being able to partner with our parents in providing valuable resources for their child's early development!

School was out on Thursday and Friday this week for these conferences. School resumes on Monday, October 20th. We are having two special coffee and donuts events before school on October 21 – 22 next week hosted by our new Family Engagement Committee and courtesy of BSLC's Lamar Donuts Ministry. It's a joy to combine these two ministries to benefit our families!

LHSC

FALL MUSICAL

The Lutheran High School of Kansas City Presents



THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME

November 21st & 22nd, 2025 - 7:00pm
Tickets : Students \$5 / Adults \$10

A Musical based on the Victor Hugo Novel and songs from the Disney Film

Music by Alan Menken
Lyrics by Stephen Schwartz
Book by Peter Parnell
Co - Directed by John Otte & Deborah Hennecke

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KANSAS & MISSOURI LCMS

KS LUTHERAN LAYMAN'S LEAGUE CONVENTION

Every month, the question of "Who Is Jesus" is Googled 2.7 million times! The Kansas LLL District invites you to learn more on how to *CONNECT* at the annual convention on Saturday, November 1 at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church, 12145 S Black Bob Road in Olathe, Kansas. The keynote speaker is Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler, Speaker of The Lutheran Hour®.



The festivities start on Friday evening October 31 at 7:00 p.m. at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church with a Reformation Service followed by light refreshments and fellowship. We are pleased to welcome **Rev. Nathan Harkins** as our guest speaker for the service. Rev. Harkins is a former vicar and member of BSLC, and we're honored to have him back with us. On Saturday, November 1 the doors open at 8:30 a.m. with refreshments and fellowship with the convention beginning at 10:00 a.m. Other highlights will be updates on the new LCMS congregation in DeSoto, Kansas; a concert featuring the handbell choirs from Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church; updates on the Kansas LLL District and State Fair booth; plus a silent auction to support the Kansas LLL District special projects for scholarships for church workers and ministry through LHM Argentina.

The registration fee is \$30.00 per person including lunch. Visit <https://lhm.org/kansas-lll> to complete the simple online registration form and payment. Convention Hotel Information: Holiday Inn Express & Suites Olathe North at 12070 S Strang Line Road, Olathe Kansas 66062. To reserve a room at the group rate of \$149 per night, call 913.397.0100 and mention code KS LLL.

If you have any questions or need more information you can contact Joe Chretien, Kansas LLL District President by phone: 785.639.3851 or by email: [jrchetien@hotmail.com](mailto:jrchretien@hotmail.com) or Fred Gruhn, Kansas LLL District Convention Chairman by phone: 913.209.2785 or by email: fredgruhn@gmail.com. Registration deadline is October 20, 2025.

See flyer on page 8 of the Info As You Go.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



Come celebrate the 1,700 year anniversary of the Nicene Creed with a beautiful hymn festival on **Saturday November 8th** at **5:30pm**

Trinity Lutheran Church in Mission, KS. This festival will feature cantor Paul Soulek and Concordia Nebraska students.

TWO KINGDOMS & THE CHAMPIONS NETWORK

You're Invited to hear Reverend Mark Frith on Saturday, November 15th. Registration and breakfast begin at 8:30am at St. Stephen Lutheran Church, 205 N. Forest Avenue, Liberty, MO 64068. Please *RSVP* by November 10th via the QR code or the following link: <https://forms.gle/tjhVWei7gErRhZg98>



See flyer on page 7 of the Info As You Go.

THIS WEEK

THIS WEEK ^{at} GLANCE



Sunday, October 19th

- 8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream
- 9:00am – Visitor Coffee Hour
- 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 Rehearsal
- 4:45pm – Beata Handbells Rehearsal

Monday, October 20th

- 7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms
- 8:15am – BSLP
- 8:30am - BSLP Chapel and/or Music
- 8:30am – Beautiful Moms in Christ
- 12:15pm – BSLP
- 4:00pm – Organist practice

Tuesday, October 21st

- 8:15am – BSLP
- 8:15am – BSLP Movement Class
- 8:30am - BSLP Chapel and/or Music

12:15pm – BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP Chapel and/or Music

12:20pm – BSLP Movement Class

6:00pm – Saving Grace rehearsal

Wednesday, October 22nd

6:30am – Men's Bible Study

8:15am – BSLP

8:15am – BSLP Movement Class

8:30am - BSLP Chapel and/or Music

10:00am – LifeLight Bible Study

12:15pm – BSLP

12:20pm – BSLP Movement Class

5:30pm – Family of Faith Night

6:00pm – Pre-Confirmation and Confirmation

6:00pm – Jubilate Chime Choir Rehearsal

6:30pm – Adult Handbells Rehearsal

7:30pm – Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 23rd

8:15am – BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Chapel and/or Music

12:15pm – BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP Chapel and/or Music

4:00pm – Organist practice

6:00pm – LifeLight Bible Study

Friday, October 24th

7:45am – Classical Conversations

8:15am – BSLP

8:15am – BSLP Movement Class

11:30am – BSLP Staff Meeting

12:15pm – BSLP

Saturday, October 25th

8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep

Sunday, October 26th

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

9:30am – Education Hour with live stream

10:30am – BSLC Blood Drive Event

10:45am – Worship w/Communion

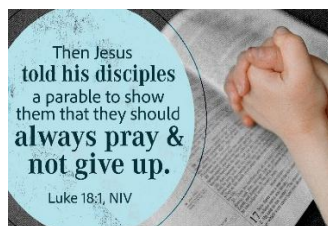
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BIRTHDAYS:

- Oct 19** Keith Laughlin, Loren Oestmann, & Carter Clark
Oct 20 Connie Hanson, Alexandra Olson, & Jenna Shelledy
Oct 21 Kurt Norem & Garrett Brown
Oct 22 Tyler Norem, Hannah Brumley, & Sarah Brumley
Oct 23 Harper Bulkley
Oct 24 Sarah Knoles, Senna McMullen, & Isaiah McMullen
Oct 25 Mark Zarnstorff & Meghan Bulkley



ANNIVERSARIES:

- Oct 19** Lucas & Jerica Dunn 2 years
Oct 20 Robert & Linda Wingerter 35 years
Oct 24 Kevin & Donna Erwin 44 years

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

A bumper sticker said, "Money isn't everything, but it's right up there with air and water." We live in a money-driven culture that often associates a person's value by how much he earns and possesses. In order to be labeled a success, many are driven to possess more and more. Gaining wealth is often an obsession. The Apostle Paul warns us, "*The love of money is a root of all kinds of evil*" (1 Timothy 6:10). Jesus warns us about wanting money and things: "*Take care, and be on your guard against all covetousness, for one's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions*"

(Luke 12:15). With God's help, we can keep material things from becoming overly important.

HOW WE VIEW OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS WILL DETERMINE HOW WE SEE OUR PURPOSE IN LIFE.



"Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men" (Colossians 3:23).

Our Worship for 10-12-25

8:00am	201
10:45am	176
Online	33
Total	410
Offerings	\$21,276

Sunday School in person	78
Children	123
Adults	201
Total	

SS Offerings	\$94
SS Offerings Recipient	Operation Christmas Child

Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.



MEMORY VERSE

You are to speak to the people of Israel and say, "Above all you shall keep my Sabbaths, for this is a sign between me and you throughout your generations. **that you may know that I, the Lord, sanctify you.**"

EXODUS 31:13



Two Kingdoms & the Champions Network

You're Invited to Hear Reverend Mark Frith

Saturday, November 15th

8:30 am Registration & Breakfast

9:00 am — 12:00 pm

Q & A and Lunch

St. Stephen Lutheran Church

205 N. Forest Avenue, Liberty, MO 64068

RSVP by November 10th

913-732-1090 | championsnetworkoffice@gmail.com

Session 1

Two Kingdoms: One Mission
& Foundations

Session 2

God at Work: A Two Kingdom
Exercise in the American Context

Session 3

Set Free to Live Freely for
Others: A Two Kingdom
Engagement of the Culture
for the Sake of the Mission
of the Church



Champions Network

FOR RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

— Sponsored by LCRL



Event Details

Organization Details



Speaker, Reverend Mark Frith

Network Director, Champions for Religious Liberty
Mark guides, supports and empowers church leaders with the tools needed to reach their full potential as Two Kingdom Citizens.

The Champions Network staff is excited to be with the people of the Liberty area. Friends are also invited to attend, so please share this event information. You can register for this event with this QR Code.



Lutheran Center for Religious Liberty

Based in Washington DC, The Champions Network is a supporting network of the Lutheran Center for Religious Liberty which serves as a voice for the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod and its partners in the public square.

Champions Network

The Champions For Religious Liberty educates and connects Christians to engage culture and government from a biblical, Two Kingdom worldview.

KANSAS LLL DISTRICT CONVENTION

*As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another,
as good stewards of God's varied grace ...*

1 PETER 4:10

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church
13145 S Blackbob Rd • Olathe, KS 66062

Friday, October 31

7:00 p.m. *Reformation Service followed by
light refreshments and fellowship*

Saturday, November 1

8:30 a.m. *Registration opens with light
refreshments and fellowship*
Kansas LLL District Board Meeting

10:00 a.m. *Convention begins*

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE



KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
Speaker of The Lutheran Hour®

- Update on the new De Soto, Kansas LCMS Church
- Handbell Concert featuring Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church handbell choirs
- Kansas LLL District and the State Fair
- Silent Auction to support Kansas LLL District Projects

Learn how you can **CONNECT[†]** to people ...



GLOBALLY

More than 3 BILLION people have yet to hear the saving message of Jesus Christ!



DIGITALLY

Every month, the question of "Who is Jesus?" is Googled 2.7 MILLION times!



LOCALLY

Imagine the impact of MILLIONS of Christians around the world loving their neighbors!

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

\$30 per person (includes lunch)



Register online at lhm.org/kansas-lll
or scan the QR code with your
mobile device (**Deadline October 20**).

Convention Hotel:

Holiday Inn Express & Suites Olathe North
12070 S Strang Line Rd. • Olathe, KS 66062

To reserve a room at the group
rate of **\$149 per night**, call
(913) 397-0100 and mention
code **KS LLL**, or book online by
scanning the QR code at right.



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