# Info As You Go



## November 19, 2023

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#### **PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### LAST SUNDAY FOR POINSETTIA SIGN-UP



The last dat to sign up for a Christmas Poinsettia is this Sunday. Each plant will have 5+ blooms. There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex on the wall by the Altar Guild room. The cost is \$15, and checks can be made out to BSLC with "poinsettia" on the memo line. Please use the green

envelopes in the Narthex or mail your check to the church.

#### **VOTERS MEETING**

Please plan to attend BSLC Voters Meeting on Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup> at 12:15 pm.



The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- Opening Prayer and Devotion Pastor Schultz
- Review & Approve <u>Minutes of the May Voter's</u> <u>Meeting</u>
- Treasurer's Report Ken Ludwig, treasurer
- Operating Budget <u>Copy of 2024 Budget for</u> <u>Voter's Meeting</u>
  - Motion from Council: Approve 2024 operating budget as presented.
- Director of Parish Musci at BSCL
  - Motion from Council: Call Lauren Delancy as Director of Parish Music at BSLC
- Calling Associate Pastor for LOTW.
- Building Update Doug Mahnken
- New Business from the floor
- Motion to adjourn.
- Closing Prayer Pastor Schultz

#### **CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**



Please note the church office will have limited office hours November 20<sup>th</sup> thru 22<sup>nd</sup> and will be **closed Thursday November** 23<sup>rd</sup> and Friday November 24<sup>th</sup> for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

If you have any prayer requests for Sunday, please email or text Pastor Schultz at joel.schultz@bslcks.org or (913) 660-3946

#### **CHRISTMAS EVE CHOIR**

Calling all singers! A special Christmas Eve Choir is forming to sing at the 4:00pm and 6:00pm services

on Christmas Eve. All singers welcome! Rehearsals will be Saturdays December 2, 9, and 16 from 1:00-2:00pm. Please plan to attend at least two of these rehearsals.



Contact: Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com with questions.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

"A Prayer Lesson" is the title of this week's Bible lesson. With Jesus' disciples, we, too, implore, "Lord, teach us to pray" (Luke 11:1). Jesus teaches His disciples—and all humankind—the prayer used throughout the Church to this day. Jesus follows His instruction with a parable illustrating how our heavenly Father unfailingly hears all our prayers. As a family, challenge one another to recite the Lord's Prayer from memory.

#### **WORSHIP RESOURCES**

#### Lectionary Images for November 19<sup>th</sup>

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/11/2023-11-19\_lectionarygraphics.pdf

#### My Worship Notes for November 19th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/11/2023-11-19 my-worshipnotes.pdf

#### **HEALTH MINISTRY**

#### **BSLC BLOOD DRIVE & COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER**

Please consider donating on *Sunday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm* in the Fellowship Hall. The blood drive helps hospital patients in need and is also a community fundraising program for our Family of Faith Nights! Our goal is to hit *50 donors* and each donor receives a virtual *Amazon Gift Card for \$10*. We need to collect a minimum of 35 pints of blood to receive our funds. Help us get there!

See the complete flier on page 7 of the Info as You Go and to schedule your blood donation appointment. Thank you!



#### WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

#### LWML FALL MITE CHALLENGE



What is your favorite fall dessert? Is it pumpkin pie, cinnamon rolls, apple crisp, or oatmeal scotchies? Visit the Mite Challenge table in the breezeway to vote with your mites - coins, bills, and checks all accepted. Your mites

help to fund LWML Mission Grant recipients who are working to spread the Gospel of Christ throughout our state, country, and the world. The winning fall dessert will be announced at the end of November.

#### DAYTIME LWML GROUP

The next Daytime LWML Group meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 27th at 1:00 PM in Room 130 of the Educational Building. All women are welcome to join us! If you need a ride to the meeting, please reach out to Jeanne Kannoy at (913) 961-1112.

#### SAVE THE DATE



Save the Date! **Advent By Candlelight** will be held on Sunday, December 3rd at 6:00 PM. Women of Beautiful Savior are invited to join us for this special evening as we set our hearts and

minds on the true meaning of the Advent season - the arrival of our Savior, Jesus Christ!

Sign-up today to attend, host a table, and/or bring food to share using this SignUp Genius link: <u>https://bit.ly/40t2F9k</u> or scan this QR code. Questions? Please contact Christy McCombs.



#### **YOUNG ADULTS**

#### FAMILY OF FAITH STUDY

The young adult group began studying the Smallcald Articles this week at Family of Faith night and will continue until the start of Advent. Many consider this profession of faith as Luther's "Last Will and Testament." We will be working through a study book available from CPH. Vicar Harkins is happy to provide one to anyone who is interested in participating. Zach Booth will be leading this study. Please consider joining us as we read through one of the parts of our Lutheran Confessions.

#### SAVE THE DATE - CHRISTMAS PARTY



BSLC Young Adults will be having a Christmas Party on December 15<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-10:00pm. Keep an eye out for details in the coming weeks.

#### **EVE CIRCLE**

This year's **Eve Circle (the Bible Study group for young LCMS women in the KC metro area)** began in September and will continue to meet at **7:00-8:15 the third Sunday of each month at Hope Lutheran** in Shawnee. This year we will be reading through "**Be Still and Know: A Study of Rest and Refuge**" by Deb Burma. We will be reading through the text together as a group, so no need to read ahead of time! You can bring your own copy of the book or share with somebody else at the meeting. If available, come at 6:30 for fellowship before the Bible study! **Text Tiffany Harkins (913-669-6410) to be added to the Eve Circle text group** for information and reminders about the group throughout the year!

#### 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.

#### FIELDSTONE

#### **MISSION SOUTHSIDE CHRISTMAS STORE**



Mission Southside Christmas Store

Please help us support our local Mission Southside's Christmas Store. This is the organization that supports our Site Team ministry at the Fieldstone Apartments. Grab a tag from the Christmas tree in the breezeway, purchase the item, return the **unwrapped** new gift to church and place under the tree display. The gifts will be delivered to Mission Southside by December 8<sup>th</sup>.

Shoppers go through the "store" at Mission Southside on Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> and choose gifts and stocking stuffers for their children. They also receive a container of laundry detergent, a roll of quarters, and opportunity to have a Pastor pray with them. There will be volunteers on hand to help them shop and wrap their gifts. If you have questions, contact <u>Ann Campbell</u> or <u>Vicar Harkins</u>.

#### **DIAPERS NEEDED**

Some of our neighbors at Fieldstone Apartments are in need of diapers sizes 4, 5, and 6. If you can help, please place diapers in the wood missions' box in the Narthex. Thank you in advance!



#### NOVEMBER 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)

#### PRESCHOOL

#### THANKSGIVING



We celebrated Thanksgiving early in our classrooms as our teachers planned activities to remember and celebrate our first Thanksgiving. Placemats were made for the tables and many classes made turkey headbands.

We are so thankful for our church, our preschool, our staff, and our families!

#### LION'S CLUB

On Saturday, members of the local Lion's Club are gathering for a service project here at Beautiful Savior. Our teachers have assembled projects for them to cut out for our upcoming Christmas projects and other classroom activities. This is such a blessing to our very busy teachers, and we are very thankful to these volunteers!

#### THIS WEEK

#### Sunday, November 19th

8:00am – Worship w/ Comm. with live stream 9:30am – Education Hour with live stream 10:45am – Worship w/Communion 12:15pm – Voter's Meeting 12:30pm – Music Prep 2:15pm – Laudate Ringers Rehearsal 3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers 3:00pm – TIE Rehearsal 4:00pm- Youth Choir Rehearsal 4:45pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal

#### Monday, November 20<sup>th</sup>

NO PRESCHOOL 6:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms 7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms

4:00pm – Organist practice

Tuesday, November 21<sup>st</sup>

NO PRESCHOOL

#### Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

NO PRESCHOOL

6:30am – Men's Bible Study

6:00pm – Adult Choir Rehearsal until 6:30pm

6:45pm – Thanksgiving Eve Worship

Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> - Happy Thanksgiving! CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED NO PRESCHOOL

#### Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup>

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED NO PRESCHOOL

#### Saturday, November 25<sup>th</sup>

8:30am – Altar Guild Sunday Prep

#### Sunday, November 26<sup>th</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 3:00pm – Young Adults Cookout 3:00pm – Intermezzo Ringers 3:00pm – TIE Rehearsal 4:00pm- Youth Choir Rehearsal 4:45pm – Beata Bell Rehearsal



#### **BIRTHDAYS:**

Nov 19 McKenzie Marston, Carol Vandenberg, & Matt Wilkinson

- Nov 20 Patricia Bohnert, Jeff Hiller, & Pam Wellons
- Nov 21 Gregory Knoles & Adam Holste
- **Nov 23** Kathy Schroeder, Robert Wingerter, & George Delancy
- Nov 25 Lindsey Hanson, Jessica Hagen, & Ken Ludwig



#### ANNIVERSARIES:

**Nov 20** Todd & Traci Scheumann 30 years **Nov 24** Brad & Eden Keefe 39 years

#### **STEWARDSHIP**

#### **STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

Thanksgiving Day is a very special day of the year. Whether we are young or old, rich or poor, Christians join together in giving God thanks for His wonderful blessings. We are mindful of the Apostle Paul's Words, "...*Give thanks in all circumstances, for this is the will of God in Christ for you*" (1 Thessalonians 5:18). Thankfulness is an attitude of the heart and mind and is not necessarily dependent on amount of food on our Thanksgiving tables or even the state of our general well-being. As Christians, we rely on our Savior for all of our needs, and we give thanks in both good and bad times.

#### PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW AND LIVE YOUR LIVES IN GRATITUDE FOR HIS GENEROSITY AND GOODNESS.



"Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever!" (Psalm 107:1).

8:00am	199
10:45am	139
Online	45
Total	383
Offerings	\$12,644
Sunday School in person	
Children	70
Adults	129
Total	199
Offerinas do not include any electronic	

Our Worship for 11-12-23

Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.



### BSLC Divine Service (Worship) Attendance for Sunday, November











# Blood Drive Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

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

# Sunday, December 3, 2023 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: BeautifulSavior to schedule an appointment.

This is a community fundraising program for our Family of Faith Night! We need to collect a minimum of 35 pints of blood to meet our goal and receive our funds. Help us get there! First time donors are encouraged and teens 16 -17 years old may donate with parental consent.



Our gift to you: Come give Dec. 1 to 17 for a \$10 Amazon.com Gift Card by email. rcblood.org/Amazon



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