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CHRISTMAS WORSHIP SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

Advent Supper – Fellowship Hall 5:30pm – 6:15pm Midweek Advent Service – **6:45pm** (Hymn sing 6:30pm - 6:45pm)

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20

Advent Supper – Fellowship Hall 5:30pm – 6:15pm
Lessons and Carols Worship Service – **6:45pm**This service of Lessons and Carols focuses on the prophecy and fulfillment of the coming Christ in Scripture and song.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24

Advent Divine Service – 8:00am and 10:45am Family Education Hour – 9:30am – 10:30am

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24

Christmas Eve Candlelight Services – 4:00pm, 6:00pm and 8:00pm

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25

Christmas Day Service with Holy Communion – 9:00am

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31

New Year's Eve Day Divine Service – 8:00am and 10:45am (No evening service) Family Education Hour – 9:30am – 10:30am



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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: <u>Lauran.Delancy@gmail.com</u> with questions.

ALTAR FLOWERS 2024 SIGN UP



A new flower chart has been posted for 2024. It is posted on the wall by the altar guild room. The **cost is \$40.00** per arrangement. Please sign up and list the occasion for the

flowers. Thank You!

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

Disney's Aladdin JR. is being performed at The Lutheran High School of Kansas City, 12411 Wornall Road, on December 1st and 2nd at 7pm. This spectacular 60-minute musical is based on the 1992 Disney film and the 2014 Broadway adaptation. Tickets are \$5.00/students and \$12/adults. Ticket and poster artwork done by LHS student, Leif Hasenleder. The LHS Boosters will have concessions for sale both nights. See page 7 for the flier.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

This week's Bible lesson is "A Shepherd Loves." Jesus calls Himself the Good Shepherd as He promises to lead and guide His sheep. Jesus willingly laid down His life for His sheep, even those who often ignore the voice of the Shepherd. His flock includes "other sheep" (John 10:16), Gentiles not descended from Abraham. David's familiar Twenty-third Psalm describes the work of our Good Shepherd. Discuss, "When do we often hear Psalm 23 spoken?"

WORSHIP RESOURCES

Lectionary Images for November 26th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/11/2023-11-26 lectionarygraphics.pdf

My Worship Notes for November 26th

https://www.bslcks.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/11/2023-11-26 my-worshipnotes.pdf

HEALTH MINISTRY

BSLC BLOOD DRIVE & COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER

Please consider donating on *Sunday, December 2nd 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



Thank you to everyone who contributed mites and voted for their favorite fall dessert. Pumpkin Pie was our big winner with Apple Crisp coming in a close 2nd. 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.

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.

ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT



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: https://bit.ly/40t2F9k or scan this QR code. Questions? Please contact Christy McCombs.



YOUNG ADULTS

CHRISTMAS PARTY



On Friday December 15th from 5:30 – 10:00 pm, we will be having our Christmas party at the Bahr's house. Food and drinks will be provided. This will be an opportunity to just hang

out and get to know some other young adult members of the congregation. There will be a Yankee Swap gift exchange so bring a gift that costs under \$15. Please RSVP to Vicar or on GroupMe so we know how many to plan for.

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.

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

WALMART GIFT CARDS

First let me thank all those who responded so quickly and provided Walmart gift cards. Through your generosity, we were able to provide assistance to twenty-five families in time to help with food for Thanksgiving. I share with great joy that your generosity has also put us in a good position to be able to do the same thing heading into Christmas. The Fieldstone team will continue to collect gift cards until 12/17.

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 8th.

Shoppers go through the "store" at Mission Southside on Dec. 16th & 17th 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 Ann Campbell or Vicar Harkins.

DIAPERS NEEDED



neighbors Some of our 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!

PRESCHOOL

THANKFUL

Preschool parents blessed our teachers with surprise gift cards before Thanksgiving. We are so thankful for our newly formed Teacher Appreciation Committee! Our final count on our food train for Metro Lutheran Ministries was 511 items donated. The Classical Conversations Homeschool group helped us on Friday to pack up all the items to be taken down to MLM's food pantry early next week. We appreciate the kindness and generosity of our Preschool and MDO families in donating all these much-needed food items. The Preschool is closed during Thanksgiving week so that families can celebrate this holiday, and we will resume on Monday, November 27th.

THIS WEEK

Sunday, November 26th

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

3:00pm - TIE Rehearsal

4:00pm- Youth Choir Rehearsal

4:45pm - Beata Bell Rehearsal

Monday, November 27th

6:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms

7:30am – Monday Mornings with Psalms

8:00am - Beautiful Moms in Christ

8:15am - BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP

1:00pm - LWML Daytime Group Meeting

4:00pm - Organist practice

Tuesday, November 28th

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm - BSLP

12:45pm - BSLP Movement Class

Wednesday, November 29th

6:30am - Men's Bible Study

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am - BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm - BSLP

12:20pm – 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, November 30th

8:00am - Classical Conversations (W Lenexa)

8:15am - BSLP

12:15pm - BSLP

Friday, December 1st

7:45am – Classical Conversations (N Olathe)

8:15am - BSLP

8:30am – BSLP Movement Class

12:15pm - BSLP

6:00pm – Beautiful Moms in Christ

Saturday, December 2nd

8:00am – Fun in Faith 7th and 8th Grade

Confirmation

8:30am - Altar Guild Sunday Prep

1:00pm - Christmas Choir Rehearsal

2:00pm – Christmas Day Handbells Rehearsal

Sunday, December 3rd

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

9:30am - Education Hour with live stream

10:30am - BSLC Blood Drive until 2:30pm

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

6:00pm – Advent by Candlelight

BIRTHDAYS:

Nov 28 Zoey Booth & John Koetting

Nov 29 Zach Bahr

Dec 1 Debby Serafin, Toni Johnson, & Andrew Barnett

Dec 2 Ethan Koch, Adam Koch, & Adam Stoll



ANNIVERSARIES:

Nov 26 Jason & Alli Bauck 12 years

Nov 27 Jim & Lois Davis 47 years

Nov 27 Dale & Roberta Schempp 24 years

Nov 28 Don & Sandra Butler 36 years

Dec 2 John & Mia Schreiner 19 years

STEWARDSHIP

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Through faith in Jesus Christ, we have received two treasures. We are justified, that is, God has once-for-all declared us righteous. In addition, we are sanctified. This means that God has equipped us for righteous living, a process through which we daily become more like Christ. God's goal is not only to justify us. As the just judge, he does not let the guilty go free to continue in sin. For the sake of His Son's self-sacrifice, he declares us not guilty so that we may be restored to the righteousness which we had at creation. His goal and purpose in declaring us righteous is to rehabilitate us. (*The Goal of the Gospel*, 1992; CPH)

HAVING AND FOLLOWING A FINANCIAL BUDGET REDUCES IMPULSE SPENDING, RELIEVES ANXIETY, AND INCREASES THE POTENTIAL FOR GIVING.

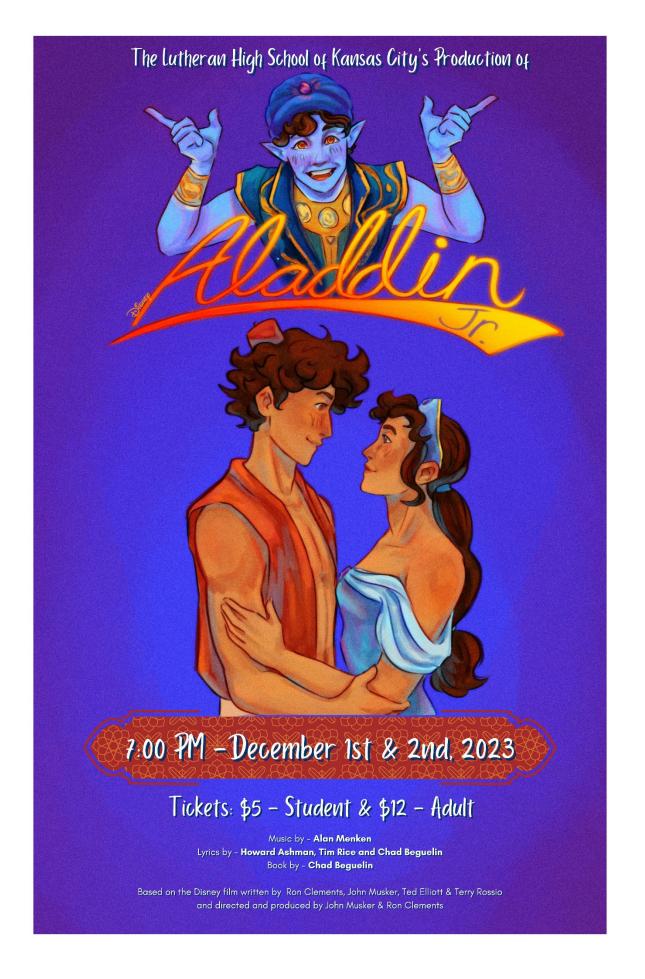
"Remove far from me falsehood and lying; give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with the food that is needful for me, lest I be full and deny You and say, 'Who



is the Lord?' or lest I be poor and steal and profane the name of my God" (Proverbs 30:8-9).

Our Worship for 11-19-23	
8:00am	152
10:45am	180
Online	35
Total	367
Offerings	\$22,543
Sunday School in person	
Children	70
Adults	138
Total	208
Offerings do not include any electronic contributions.	







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



Schedule your blood donation appointment today!

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