

Sunday, May 12, 2024 7th Sunday of Easter

Welcome to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church! We are all invited to receive and share the good news of Jesus Christ through Word and Sacrament today. May we all learn about God's love for the world, and may we all follow the Holy Spirit as it leads us out in loving service.

Notice: This service is being recorded and live streamed.

PRAYER OF THE DAY:

Gracious and glorious God, you have chosen us as your own, and by the powerful name of Christ you protect us from evil. By your Spirit transform us and your beloved world, that we may find our joy in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

FIRST READING: ACTS 1:15-17, 21-26

¹⁵In those days Peter stood up among the believers (together the crowd numbered about one hundred twenty persons) and said, ¹⁶"Friends, the scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit through David foretold concerning Judas, who became a guide for those who arrested Jesus—¹⁷ for he was numbered among us and was allotted his share in this ministry." ²¹So one of the men who have accompanied us during all the time that the Lord Jesus went in and out among us, ²²beginning from the baptism of John until the day when he was taken up from us—one of these must become a witness with us to his resurrection." ²³So they proposed two, Joseph called Barsabbas, who was also known as Justus, and Matthias. ²⁴Then they prayed and said, "Lord, you know everyone's heart. Show us which one of these two you have chosen ²⁵to take the place in this ministry and apostleship from which Judas turned aside to go to his own place." ²⁶And they cast lots for them, and the lot fell on Matthias; and he was added to the eleven apostles.

L: Word of God, Word of Life. C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 1

Ushers:

Happy are they who have not walked in the counsel of the wicked, nor lingered in the way of sinners, nor sat in the seats of the scornful!

²Their delight is in the law of the LORD, and they meditate on God's teaching day and night.

³They are like trees planted by streams of water, bearing fruit in due season, with leaves that do not wither; everything they do shall prosper.

⁴It is not so with the wicked; they are like chaff which the wind blows away.

⁵Therefore the wicked shall not stand upright when judgment comes, nor the sinner in the council of the righteous.

⁶For the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked shall be destroyed.

GOSPEL: JOHN 17:6-19

[Jesus prayed:] ⁶"I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. ⁷Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; ⁸for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. ⁹I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. ¹⁰All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. ¹¹And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one. ¹²While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have given me. I guarded them, and not one of them was lost except the one destined to be lost, so that the scripture might be fulfilled. ¹³But now I am coming to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they may have my joy made complete in themselves. ¹⁴I have given them your word, and the world has

Worship Assistants: 8:00am
Assisting Minister: Pia Seebach-York Kim Ogden
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Randy Karrer Linda Huffman

Rick Balko & Jim Green Terri Lappin, Larry Hemken

Assistant's Coordinator: Sandy Petersen Dick Flones

hated them because they do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. ¹⁵I am not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the evil one. ¹⁶They do not belong to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. ¹⁷Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. ¹⁸As you have sent me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. ¹⁹And for their sakes I sanctify myself, so that they also may be sanctified in truth."

PRAYER REQUESTS; Names will be left on the prayer list for 3 weeks unless asked to be continued, please contact the church office 744-2665, or fill out a prayer card and check the box to have it added on the list.

For all those needing health & healing, especially:

LeeAnn Dewayne Carl Kay Lee David Sig Roy

Becky Gerry

For all those dealing with cancers or chronic conditions & illnesses, especially:

King Charles Princess Catherine Bob Nancy Don Lisa Rick Kevin Debbie Bill Mary Pam Jeanenne Preston Ryan

Shirley Heidi Javier Izzie Carrie

For all those who mourn, especially the family & friends of:

Bruce Barker Thomas Schlier Alan York Toddy Videbeck Sam Sharp

Peace and comfort for:

Carrie Stephanie Al Lori

For all those whose cares brought them to us:

Sean Manuel Kelly Cindy Eric Henry Rebecca Deyo

Birthdays Anniversaries

May 14 Judi Gonzales
May 12 Susie & John MacArthur
May 14 Susie MacArthur
May 15 Paula & John Alden
May 14 Justin Templin
May 17 Mae & Bob Spraker

May 15 Linda Huffman May 17 Tim Duggan

May 18 Teresa Weber-Aspinall

Calendar of Events:

Tuesday, May 14th—Women's Bible Study at 9:30am in Werner Hall. Fun Bible study, refreshments, & fabulous fellowship! Ladies of ALL AGES are welcomed & invited.

Wednesday, May 15th—Midweek Worship at 6:15pm.

Thursday, May 16th—POZ Café at St. Mark's Presbyterian Church (3809 E 3rd Street) 9:30am-1:30pm. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Janice Molina 520-989-0463 or janiceraemolina@gmail.com

Friday, May 17th—Beautiful Savior Academy GRADUATION at 9:15am.

NEXT SUNDAY—Day of Pentecost, wear RED to worship services.

Stewardship: Giving of your time, talents & treasures

2 Corinthians 9:11 "You will be enriched in every way for great generosity..."

This month we are focusing on Time and Talent. Their are time and talent survey forms for you to review and fill out and return by the Sunday worship materials or fill out the online version on our website, under News—Stewardship.

Pastor David's Book Study

The Book Club Selection for May is: Between the Listening and the Telling, by Mark Yaconelli. Broadleaf Books.

We will meet in the Conference Room for the book club discussions on Sunday, 5/26 at 11:30am, or Tuesday, 5/28 at 3pm, or Wednesday, 5/29 at 7pm. You will find a sign up sheet in the gathering area. Please sign up for the date you wish to attend.

Review by a reader in the congregation: Regardless of life circumstance, political leanings or religious upbringing, this book is life affirming and has the potential to be life altering. It is in the longing for connection that we listen to others tell their stories.

Announcements

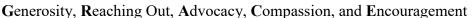


BSLC Embroidered Shirts—check out the display shirts in the gathering area! BSLC shirts display our logo beautifully embroidered and offer an alternative to our t-shirts for a variety of social events or everyday wear.

Pricing options: Our in-stock embroidered polo shirts cost \$30 each or provide your own shirt for Lutheran Church embroidery for \$20 each (we ask for a donation of \$10 for each shirt, thank you!) The money goes to the Forward to 50 fund. Contact the church office to place your order.



Love in Action





POZ Café (TIHAN) - BSLC, along with 2 other churches, is scheduled to host on Thursday, May 16th. We need 1-2 volunteers to help on **Wednesday**, **May 15th from 9am-11am**; and 3-5 volunteers to help with the event on **Thursday**, **May 16th**. Monetary donations go in Janice's jar and all other donations can be delivered to the church and place in the TIHAN bin in the gathering. Questions, see Janice Molina (520-989-0463 or janiceraemolina@gmail.com)

Cup of Cold Water Ministry—Join this ever evolving ministry! We open Werner Hall on Saturdays, from 10am-1pm, and have volunteers present to hand out cold water, offer prayers, manna bags and get clothing or hygiene items from the Grace Center if requested. We would like to have 3-4 volunteers each week. We ask that if you are able to volunteer, even once, please consider doing so. Contact the office 520-744-2665; office@beautifulsavior.net or Mark Mittelstadt (markmitt71@yahoo.com or 520-833-7793)

Dinner at The Lot on 22nd—Beautiful Savior will again sponsor The Lot on Sunday, May 26th. It will be the same meal: Hot dogs, potato salads, chips, buns, cookies. This is a simple meal that doesn't cost much and is easy to prepare/transport to the Lot. We expect to feed 150-160 people again.

Mary Havenhill is proposing that our congregation to continue to sponsor a meal each month. The Lot on 22nd currently only has two other organizations that sponsor monthly. Could we be the third? If you'd like to donate food or help prepare/serve/set up, please contact Mary Havenhill at 520-481-5684.

Community Connections consists of many ministries, including GRACE Center (which supports the NW Fire District's CAP program, Manna Bags and Cup of Cold Water), Youth On Their Own, TIHAN, Sister Jose', and The Lot on 22nd. There are many many ways to get involved, once in awhile, or as often as you are called. We are always asking for donations and volunteers, not to have a few people do much, but for many to do some. We encourage you to ask about any of the ministries you are curious about and we can help you find the right fit!

Can't volunteer hours but can donate food? You can participate in Manna Bags! Have a Saturday morning available? Come volunteer with Cup of Cold Water! Cleaning out your closet of clothes in good shape? GREAT! Donate to the GRACE CENTER! Passionate about education? Ask how you can help with Youth on Their Own. Love to cook? Come help with Lot on 22nd! There is room for every body and every ability. Living through G.R.A.C.E. (Generosity, Reaching out, Advocacy, Compassion, Encouragement)

MUSIC & SONGS

CALL TO WORSHIP: How Great Thou Art

Opening Song: Now The Feast and Celebration (printed in the bulletin)

SONG OF THE DAY: For the Beauty of the Earth

Special Music: 8am: How Can I Keep from Singing (choir)

10am: Living Hope (Testify)

POSTLUDE: For the Beauty of the Earth

For the Beauty of the Earth



- 1 For the beau-ty of the earth, for the beau-ty of the skies,
- For the won-der of each hour of day and of the night. 2 the For the ear and for the heart and mind's de - light,
- 3 For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's de light, 4 For the joy of hu-man love, broth er, sis ter, par ent, child,
- 5 For each per-fect gift of thine, peace on earth and joy in heav'n;



love which from our birth for the o - ver and a - round lies: us hill and vale and tree and flow'r, sun and moon and stars of light: the mvs - tic har - mo - ny link-ing sense to sound and sight: for friends on earth and friends a - bove; for gen - tle thoughts and mild: all for thy - self. best gift di - vine. to our world so free - ly giv'n:



Text: Folliott S. Pierpoint, 1835–1917, alt. Music: DIX, Conrad Kocher, 1786–1872

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