



Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church August 23, 2026



Celebrations for August 23 - August 29

Birthdays

Isaac Johnson Aug. 26

Anniversaries

Jonathan & Jennifer Clemens Aug. 24

August 16

Weekly Attendance

9:00 a.m. Divine Service	129
10:30 a.m. Adult Bible Class	41

General Offering

Budget	\$ 7,739.00
Actual Received	\$ 8,015.00

Fiscal year-to-date amounts are reported in the monthly newsletter.

Today's Acolyte

Levi LeBlanc is serving as our Acolyte. Thank you, Levi, for your time and faithful commitment to serving.

Prayer Requests

If you would like to submit a prayer request, contact Debbie Swartz.

Welcome Visitors

Welcome to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church!

As we gather to celebrate God's free gifts of forgiveness and eternal life through Jesus Christ, we lift our hearts in praise and thanksgiving. We are grateful that you have chosen to worship with us today and hope you will join us again.

Please help us get to know you by completing the visitor card located in the pew.

May God richly bless you and keep you.

Adult Bible Class

Join us today after fellowship time in the Fellowship Hall for Adult Bible Class. Pastor Bertermann will teach on **"Praying like Paul"**

Thank you, Pastor Bertermann

Thank you, Pastor Bertermann, for taking the time to serve as our pastor today. We are truly grateful for your willingness to share God's Word with us and for your faithful service. Your time, dedication, and ministry are deeply appreciated.

May God continue to bless you and your ministry.

Kids Corner

If you have a **small child** who would like to color, do puzzles, or read a book during the Divine Service, there is a **“Kids’ Corner”** located in the back of the sanctuary on the east side. This area has little bags filled with activities and crayons for the children to use.

Please encourage your children to utilize this space instead of allowing them to use the visitor cards, offering envelopes, or welcome envelopes. Thank you.



Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar today are provided by Jonathan & Jen Clemens in honor of their wedding anniversary. Thank you for the beautiful arrangement.

Would you like to help beautify our worship services?

You are invited to provide altar flowers in memory or honor of a loved one, to celebrate a birthday, anniversary, or other special occasion, or simply in thanksgiving for God's many blessings.

To reserve your preferred Sunday, please sign up on the flower calendar located near the church office.

Following the worship service, the altar flowers will be moved to the Sacristy and available for you to pick up at your convenience.

Sally's House - Pillow Cases

For many years, BSLC has provided gifts to children at Sally's House. Sally's House is a Christian ministry of the Salvation Army. It provides emergency foster care for children who have no other place to go when police or Child Protective Services must quickly remove them from an unsafe situation.

Last year, we were able to donate over 70 pillowcases along with toys, clothing, and shoes during the Advent season. We want to get a jump start on sewing pillowcases for this year's donation.

You will find pillowcase sewing kits organized in individual bags in a large tub under the whiteboard in the Fellowship Hall. There are instructions included if needed. Please sign your name and indicate the number of kits you are taking.

Thank you in advance for donating your time and talents to this project.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with Emily Orozco or Candy Tusler.





Mission Community Outreach Center

Reaching Out With Care

MCOC - Helping Spokane Fire Victims

Mission Community Outreach Center extends a big thank-you for the generous donations of clothes, personal care and hygiene items, diapers, and monetary gifts that have been received during the catastrophic fires and evacuations that Spokane has just experienced.

Year-round, we provide living essentials to those in need. The items that we always need are: Good-quality used or new clothes, including shoes; kitchen, bathroom, and bedroom essentials; diapers; and personal care and hygiene products. We provide these essentials at “no cost” to those in need.

Donated items can be left in the totes located in the cupboard in the back of the church sanctuary or delivered to 1906 E Mission Ave. Please phone ahead at 509-536-1084. Financial donations can be made directly to MCOC at our website, 4mission.org, or mailed to MCOC at PO Box 3581, Spokane, WA 99220.

Food For The Poor

Please join us next Sunday to hear the Rev. Robert Weinhold (Pastor Emeritus, LCMS) serve as preacher and lead bible study hour following the service.

Pastor Weinhold serves Food for the Poor, which is a non profit organization that works with ministries like Feed My Starving Children in distributing food and relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Pastor Weinhold will share from personal experiences about Food For the Poor’s mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel in love towards the neighbor.

A 1978 graduate of Valparaiso University, and earned his Master’s of Divinity from Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, MO in 1982. Pastor Robert Weinhold has served in five different congregations during his time as a full-time parish pastor. Serving in Pennsylvania (All Saints, Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania), Indiana (Peace, Fremont, Indiana), Wisconsin (Peace, Racine, Wisconsin), Iowa (St. Paul, Dubuque, Iowa), and Illinois (St. John Lutheran Church, Sycamore, IL).

While serving Christ in these locations Pastor Weinhold has been blessed to go on foreign mission trips to India, Guatemala, Haiti and Belize and is now encouraging fellow Christians to care for the poorest of the poor.

Please welcome Pastor Weinhold to Beautiful Savior next weekend.

Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study will meet on **Monday, August 24**, at **10:00 a.m.** at Jeri Alleman's home.,

We will continue our study of **Joshua, Chapters 11 and 12**. Please use the provided outline to prepare for our study and discussion. If a copy of the outline is needed, please contact Joanne or Kathleen.

Joanne Kloehn and Kathleen Czoski serve as facilitators. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact either of them.

Men's Bible Study

The BSLC Men's Bible Study Group will meet this **Saturday, August 29**, at **8:00 a.m.**, in the Fellowship Hall. We will continue to study the book "**Praying Luther's Small Catechism**" by Rev. Dr. John T. Pless. Coffee and donuts will be available.

Contact Dick Kunze, Frank Fischer, or Ron Schell for further information.

CPR Class Canceled

Unfortunately, due to the continued demands on local first responders following the recent fires in the Spokane area, we need to postpone our CPR class scheduled for today.

The EMTs who generously planned to teach our class are currently needed to support emergency response efforts and are unable to be with us.

We are grateful for their service to our community, especially during this difficult time, and completely understand that their priority must be responding where they are most needed.

We have rescheduled the CPR class for Sunday, Sept. 20th and will share more details as we get closer. Thank you for your understanding, and please keep our first responders and all those affected by the fires in your prayers.

AUGUST 23, 2026 - AUGUST 30, 2026

Sunday, August 23 - Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

9:00 am - Divine Service ✠ Rev. Bertermann
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Monday, August 24

10:00 am - Women's Bible Study

Tuesday, August 25

Wednesday, August 26

Back to School night - ELC

Thursday, August 27

Friday, August 28

Saturday, August 29

8:00 am - Men's Bible Study

Sunday, August 30 - Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

9:00 am - Divine Service ✠ Rev Robert Weinhold

✠ Indicates Holy Communion will be served
