

# Bethany Beat

BETHANY LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL | MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2023 – ISSUE 2

## Me Museum –10/13

### First PALs Event of the Year!

#### JOIN US FOR OUR ME MUSEUM!

We could use your help with this year's Me Museum. The Me Museum is our annual school-wide art exhibit. Parents and students will enjoy interactive art displays featuring their child's masterpieces, while spending time with other BLPS families. Interested in volunteering for set up and/or tear down? Please click [HERE](#) to help out!



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## OCTOBER 2023

- 10/2 – CHARLESTON WRAP FUNDRAISER KICKOFF
- 10/9 – NO SCHOOL (TEACHER WORK DAY)
- 10/11 – PARENT PITSTOP
- 10/13 – ME MUSEUM (EARLY RELEASE)
- 10/13 – NO SOCCER
- 10/31 – CLASSROOM PARTIES
- 11/6 & 7 – PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES
- 11/20-11/24 – THANKSGIVING BREAK

## Staff Birthdays!

Ms. Jasmine (Tigers)  
October 22nd







## Chapel Time

Chapel Time takes place on Wednesdays and includes: a short message based on the Bible story of the week, music, and a prayer with Rev. Andrew Jagow, "Pastor Andy". All students will participate together at Chapel Time. They will learn the importance of being in God's house, and how to worship and pray. Look for activity sheets and information on each week's Bible story in your child's take home folder at the end of each week.

This month's lessons will focus on Joseph and Moses in the land of Egypt.

Week 3 (October 2-6)

Topic: Joseph's Coat and Dreams

Week 4 (October 10-13)

Topic: Joseph's Forgives and God Provides

Week 5 (October 16-20)

Topic: God Protects and Prepares Moses

Week 6 (October 23-27)

Topic: Moses and Pharaoh

Week 7 (October 30- November 3)

Topic: The Exodus and the Red Sea Crossing

## IT'S BACK: PARENT PITSTOP October 11<sup>th</sup> at Drop-off

Parents! Join us for coffee and donuts, after drop-off, at our PARENT PIT STOP on Oct. 11th. This is a fantastic way to meet the rest of our Bethany community.

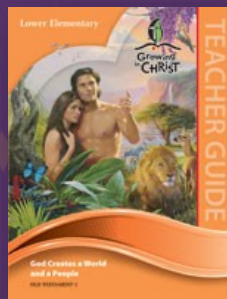
We are currently looking for a volunteer to be our PALs President. Please let the office know if you are interested.



# Bethany Lutheran Church Activities

## You're invited!

### Sunday School at Bethany Lutheran



Bethany Lutheran is beginning a new curriculum in the fall. We will be following CPH's Growing in Christ curriculum, which is a 3-year comprehensive and chronological study of the Bible.

**CLASS TIME 9:00-9:45 A.M.**

THE PRESCHOOL CLASS - the Nursery

EARLY ELEMENTARY CLASS -Kindergarten Classroom

THE FIRST BIBLE CLASS -Classroom 7

### **UPCOMING LESSONS IN OCTOBER**

October 1 <sup>st</sup>	Cain and Abel
October 8 <sup>th</sup>	Noah and the Flood
October 15 <sup>th</sup>	God's Covenant with Abram
October 22 <sup>th</sup>	Abraham's Visitor from Heaven
October 29 <sup>th</sup>	Abraham and Isaac

### Sunday Worship Service

10:00 a.m. Sunday Mornings

- 1st & 3rd Sunday -Traditional Worship w/Holy Communion
- 2nd Sunday-Contemporary service w/ praise band Created2Worship (C2W)
- Holiday Services-traditional w/vocal & bell choirs, brass ensembles, flute, organ, and piano.
- Nursery is available for 5 and under from 9:45-11:15 a.m.

### Join the Bethany Children's Choir! Vocal & Bells

Open to children ages of 5-12

Rehearsals begin on Tuesday, September 19th

Allelu Singers 6:15 p.m. & King's Ringers-7:05 p.m.

We have openings in our children's vocal choir, Allelu Singers, and our children's bell choir, King's Ringers! No prior experience needed. Rehearsals are on the same night if your child would like to participate in both choirs. Both choirs perform an anthem about once a month for Sunday worship and the Allelu Singers put on an annual musical in June. If you are interested in joining a rehearsal or would like more information about our children's choirs, please contact Lindsay Hemphill, our choir director, at [lrhflute@gmail.com](mailto:lrhflute@gmail.com).



## Bethany Lutheran Preschool



### REGISTER. SHARE. SHOP. SUPPORT OUR FUNDRAISER

Check-off your holiday gift list today and help our important cause.  
From holiday to hostess to corporate gifts and more,  
our online store has something for every occasion – even if it's just for you!

Our Organization ID:

**20617**



#### #1 REGISTER

Register participant at  
[www.registercw.com](http://www.registercw.com)  
to access our handy  
invitation tools in the  
Participant Portal.  
Very important!

#### #2 SHARE

Invite friends and family  
to support! SHARE a link  
to the sale using the **TEXT**  
& **EMAIL** invitation tools.  
Don't forget to share on  
**SOCIAL MEDIA**, too!

#### #3 SHOP

Go online to **SHOP** and  
help us reach our GOAL  
today! With over 2,500  
gift ideas there is  
something for everyone,  
including you!



## CHARLESTON WRAP FUNDRAISER

BLPS Families and Friends,

Today is the day! We are officially kicking off our fundraiser with Charleston Wrap® – and we need **YOUR** help! In order to reach our goals and make this fundraiser a success, we need everyone to do their part. Luckily, it's **super easy!** Attached to this message, you'll find a flyer with detailed instructions about how you can register online and support our goals. We appreciate all of your support and encourage you to spread the word to your friends & family, near and far! The more people who shop, the more money we can raise for our organization! Together, we can ensure our organization reaches its goal – and even surpasses it!

Thank you for your help!



## Bethany Lutheran Church

# Annual Oktoberfest

*& Trunk or Treat*

**YOU'RE INVITED!**

Join us for food, painting, games, a bounce house, the Kona Ice Truck, and a Trunk or Treat!

This is a free event, open to the community.

Bring your friends and family!

**TRUNKS NEEDED!**

We are looking for volunteers to bring and decorate their trunks for the neighborhood kiddos! Please see the sign up [here](#) to volunteer your trunk!



**OCTOBER 21**

**3-6 PM**

**KONA ICE TRUCK**

**(3-4 PM only)**



## PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

**November 6th & 7th**

Conferences are right around the corner and we can't wait to share with you! Our fall conferences are a great way to see the classroom goals set for your student and how they are progressing thus far. Conferences will take place on November 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> and school will be CLOSED on these days. You MUST sign up for a conference time prior to November 6<sup>th</sup>. If you are unable to attend either day, please let your teacher know so that they can find a time that works best. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office.

**BETHANY LUTHERAN**

JOIN US FOR

# PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

**2023 Conference Dates:**



**November 6th & 7th**  
9:00 am - 1:00 pm

**WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!**

Please click the link below to schedule your  
conference time



2501 BEACON HILL RD  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22306



[www.BethanyBobcats.com](http://www.BethanyBobcats.com)

### SIGN-UP LINK FOR CONFERENCES:

**Bobcats:**

<https://shorturl.at/BCGJW>

**Giraffes:**

<https://shorturl.at/EFJZ4>

**Owls:**

<https://shorturl.at/deCE6>

**Tigers:**

<https://shorturl.at/uwNSZ>



## Mark your Calendars! Preschool Soccer Dates

**Fridays, 1:00-1:45 PM**

Sep. 22, Sep.29, Oct. 6,

Oct. 20, Oct 27, Nov. 1, Nov.10

## Bethany's Best

Are you an entrepreneur? Then we want to help promote you! All Bethany families who own a business (or sell craft items) are eligible to be listed on our Bethany's Best page. This page will be included in our monthly printed newsletter that goes out to all Bethany families.

A one time fee of \$50 will be charged to list your company for the duration of the school year. 1/4 page ad opportunities will be available during the months of October & November for an additional fee.

Please contact the school office at [pre-school@bethany-lcms.org](mailto:pre-school@bethany-lcms.org) if you are interested.



**CALLING ALL  
ENTREPRENEURS  
LIST YOUR BUSINESS ON  
BETHANY'S BEST**

HAVE YOUR COMPANY LISTED ON OUR WEBSITE + MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

**FOR A \$50 DONATION, YOU CAN SHOWCASE YOUR  
COMPANY OR SERVICES, ON OUR BETHANY'S BEST PAGE**  
PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



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# BLPS Moms' Day Out IS BACK!!!



## Drop in Child Care

Ages 12months-2years

Monday-Friday | Rate \$60/day

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Visit us at [www.BethanyBobcats.com](http://www.BethanyBobcats.com)  
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2501 BEACON HILL ROAD

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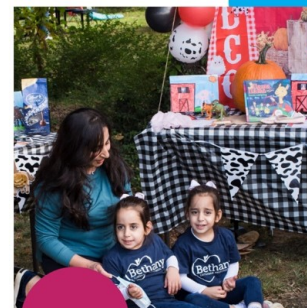
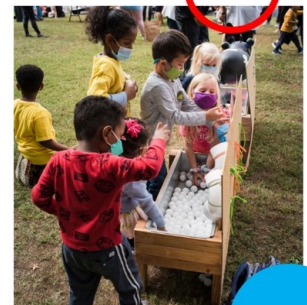
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