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All School Photo - Wear RED on WEDNESDAY!

All students should wear a red shirt on Wednesday, February 7th for the annual all-school photo.

The redder, the better. The school has a few red shirts in smaller sizes, if needed.

Parent Teacher Conference Sign Ups

Parent-Teacher Conferences are from 4-8 pm on Tuesday, February 13 and Thursday, February 15th. Please sign up through the links below for your child(ren).

<u>Pre-Kindergarten</u> Kindergarten

1st Grade
2nd Grade

3rd Grade 4th Grade 5th-8th Grade



You are Invited

Grace Lutheran School is nearing the end of a capital improvement campaign that provides extensive remodeling and upgrades to the school. The campaign is called Growing Together in Grace.

Check your mailbox for your invitation to a pledging event on February 8th or 10th to support his major project! The event on the 10th includes a party for the kids! Join us and be part of this historical project.

4 Force Tickets For Sale

PTL has 4 extra tickets for the GLS Night at the Force on Friday, February 9. They are \$9.75 each, first come, first served. Send email to Amy Hirsch or Secretary if you'd like to purchase these tickets.

Christ Character Community



I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing.

Calendar

FEBFRUARY 5 - PTL 5:30 PM

FEBRUARY 8 - GIVING HEARTS DAY

FEBRUARY 8 - GTIG PLEDGING DINNER 6:30 PM (RSVP)

FEBRUARY 9 - 4TH-8TH SKI TRIP

FEBRUARY 9 - GLS NIGHT AT FORCE

FEBRUARY 10 - GTIG PLEDGING EVENT & CHILDREN'S PARTY
10 AM (RSVP)

FEBRUARY 13 & 15 - PARENT TEACHERS CONFERENCES 4-8

FEBRUARY 16 & 19 - No School

Lunch

MONDAY 1: CHICKEN PATTY/BUN

2: HAM SANDWICH

TUESDAY 1: CHICKEN TIDBITS/GRAVY

2: SUNBUTTER/JELLY

WEDNESDAY 1: CHEESEBURGER

2: TURKEY SANDWICH

THURSDAY 1: LASAGNA ROLLUP

2: TURKEY SANDWICH

FRIDAY ONE OPTION ONLY: HOT DOGS

Grace Lutheran School

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Grace

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Report Scholarship

Volunteer Hours





Registration is open for all previous Camp Grace families. Registration opens for all Grace families who have not previously attended Camp Grace on February 16. Forms will be available in the office and on the website starting on February 15. Registration opens to the community on March 15.

Wash Winter Gear

Winter is a bit backwards this year. Kids are getting pretty messy when playing outside, so washing winter gear often is essential right now. Please take time to bring your child's gear home and get it washed.

A second pair of gloves is always nice for aftercare when the first pair gets wet at recess.

Aftercare Sign Out

Please remember to sign your name on the aftercare sign out sheets. Do not write "Mom" or "Dad." Thank you!

Congratulations, Miss Johnson!!

Please join us in congratulating Miss Clare Johnson, our 5th grade and middle school teacher, on the completion of her colloquy.

What is colloquy? To obtain a colloquy from The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod means Miss Johnson has taken additional college coursework in order to be a commissioned worker in the ministry of the LCMS. This coursework included extensive study of the Bible, Lutheran Doctrine, the history of theology, and courses specific to teaching from a biblical perspective.

Clare joins four other teachers on our staff who have taken the same courses to become commissioned teachers - Mrs. Susan Jahnke, Mrs. Carly Erdmann, Mrs. Carolyn Worral, and Mrs. Sara Palmer.

Automatic Re-Enrollment

Grace Lutheran School uses automatic re-enrollment to simplify the rollover process from one school year to the next. Here is the policy as outlined on page 8 of the Family Handbook:

Re-enrollment occurs automatically each year in February. Each family is charged \$100 per student (capped at \$200 per family) through their FACTS account. Families choosing not to re-enroll must notify the school office by the published date to avoid the charge.

Notification of transfer in writing or via email to Susan Jahnke (Pre-K through 7th) must be received by Friday, February 16. Registration fees will be charged in FACTS on/after Tuesday, February 20. The registration fee is non-refundable.

How to Access Your 2023 Childcare Spending for Tax Purposes or FSAs

- 1. Sign in to your FACTS account.
- 2. From the home page, click on View Details in upper left box labelled Payment Plan and Billing. The Activity Details page will open.
- 3. Click on View Payment Summary.
- 4. Use the dropdown menu at the top to select 2023 and then review the information until you find your childcare spending, including Camp Grace. Spending is divided by school year, so you may have to add up charges from more than one area.
- 5. The tax ID is located under the school's address on the upper right corner of the page.



AROUND THE ASSOCIATION

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Grace Lutheran School is owned and operated by the Red River Lutheran School Association. Please enjoy this selection of activities and events from around the Association that may interest Grace Lutheran School families.

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C3 MINISTRIES - HOW DO WE LIVE IN OUR OWN WORLD?

C3 Ministries: Bridging the Divide Between Christ, Culture, and the Church, is hosting an event at Immanuel at 6:30 pm on Wednesday, February 7th on the topic "How Do We Live in Our World?" presented by Pastor Chris Durham from Lisbon, ND. This event is for the whole family.

CHILL COOKOFF AT BSLC

Head over to Beautiful Savior on February 25 from 4:30-7 pm for an endless bowl of chili for the price of a freewill donation. Proceeds benefit the youth attending the National Youth Gathering in 2025.

GET YOUR BUTTER BRAIDS!

Several youth groups are selling those delicious butter braids to raise money for the National Youth Gathering in 2025. Call any of the following churches to be connected with a youth selling butter braids.

Beautiful Savior youth will have them for sale between February 18 and March 3. St Andrew youth will have them for sale from February 4-18. Trinity youth will have them for sale between February 18 and March 3.

NERF NIGHT AT ST ANDREW

Save the date for Nerf Night for students in grades 6-12 at St Andrew on March 22. More information coming next month.

MAIN STREET LIVING

Main Street Living airs on KVRR (Fox) at 9 am each Sunday and again on WDAY Xtra at 10:30 am. Feb 4 - Rev. Craig Fenske - Immanuel, Grand Forks Feb 11 - Rev. Bruce Blocker - Immanuel, McIntosh, MN

Feb 18 - Rev. Scott Ramey - Immanuel, Rolla; All Nations, Rock Lake; Zion, Munich

Feb 25 - Rev. Daniel Voth - Immanuel, Grand Forks

BACH CANTATA VESPERS

The Bach Choir will perform on Sunday, February 18 at 4 pm at St Andrew. Save the date for the Bach Summer Concert on Thursday, August 8 as well!

INCOME TAX CREDIT

Did you know the State of ND offers a tax credit up to \$2500 for donations made to Grace Lutheran School (and Martin Luther in Bismarck)? The tax credit is 50% of your donation amount, up to \$2500. More info can be found here.

TRIVIA NIGHT AT TRINITY

Trinity is hosting their annual Trivia Night on Saturday, April 13 from 5-8 PM. Register your team of 6 for \$100 or individuals can register for \$20/person. Contact Trinity to register or for more information.

RED RIVER LUTHERAN SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

2601 23rd Ave S, Fargo 701-293-1047 Sundays 8:15 and 10:45 Sunday School 9:30-10:30

Grace Lutheran Church

821 5th Ave S, Fargo 701-232-1516 Tuesdays 7:00 pm Sundays 9:30 Sunday School 8:45-9:45

Immanuel Lutheran Church

1258 Broadway, Fargo 701-293-7979 Sundays 8:00 and 11:00 Sunday School 9:30-10:45

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

1000 14th St S, Moorhead 218-233-7569 Wednesdays 6:30 pm Sundays 8:00 and 10:30 Sunday School 9:15-10:15

St Andrew Lutheran Church

1005 1st St, West Fargo 701-282-4195 Sundays 8:00 and 10:45 Sunday School 9:30-10:30

Trinity Lutheran Church

100 2nd St W, Sabin 218-78-7259 Sundays 9:00 Sunday School 10:15-11:00





around the association lenten schedules

Immanuel Lutheran Church

Wednesdays 4:15 and 6 PM Meal at 5 PM

THE APPOINTED TIME

Feb 14 (Ash Wednesday) -"My Time Has Not Yet Come" - John 2:4

Feb 21 - "Stubborn Jesus" -John 7:6, 8, 30

Feb 28 - "Protected for that Time to not be Protected" John 8:20

Mar 6 - "Divine Necessity" - Matthew 16

Mar 13 - "The Hour Has Come" - John 12:27

Mar 20 - "One More Thing to Do" - John 13:1

Mar 28 (Holy Thursday) -"Glory in the Cross" - John 17:1, 7 PM

Mar 29 (Good Friday) -Service of Shadows, 12 PM

St Andrew Lutheran Church

Wednesdays 6:30 PM Meal at 5:15 PM

THREADS FOR SALVATION

Feb 14 - Ash Wednesday w/ Communion

Feb 21 - "Paradise" - Isaiah 51:1-8 and Luke 23:39-43

Feb 28 - "Trees" - Isaiah 44:9-23 and Mark 15:22-39

Mar 6 - "The Serpent" -Isaiah 27:1-6 and Luke 10:17-20

Mar 13 - "Flood" - Genesis 8:13-22 and John 19:28-30

Mar 20 - "Thorns" - Isaiah 5:1-7 and Matthew 27:24-31

Mar 28 (Maundy Thursday)
- Service with communion,
7:30 PM

Mar 29 (Good Friday) -Tenebrae: The Passion According to St Mark, 7:30 PM

Grace Lutheran Church

Tuesdays at 6:30 PM Meal at 5:30 PM

MINISTRY

Feb 13 (Ash Wednesday) "Ministry: Jesus the
Teacher"

Feb 20 - "Ministry: Jesus the Provider"

Feb 27 - "Ministry: Jesus the Healer"

Mar 5 - "Ministry: Jesus the Builder"

Mar 12 - "Ministry: Jesus the Judge"

Mar 19 - "Ministry: Jesus the Servant"

Mar 28 (Holy Thursday) "Glory in the Cross" - John
17:1, 7 PM at Immanuel

Mar 29 (Good Friday) -Service of Shadows, 7 PM



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Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Wednesdays 4:30 & 7:15 PM Meal at 5:15 PM

MINISTRY

Feb 14 (Ash Wednesday) "Ministry: Jesus the
Teacher"

Feb 21 - "Ministry: Jesus the Provider"

Feb 28 - "Ministry: Jesus the Healter"

Mar 6 - "Ministry:Jesus the Builder"

Mar 13 - "Ministry: Jesus the Judge"

Mar 20 - "Ministry: Jesus the Servant"

Pastor Sam and Vicar Jon are also preaching at Grace Lutheran Church on Tuesdays in Lent.

Trinity Lutheran Church

Wednesdays 7:15 PM

BE GRACIOUS TO ME

Feb 14 (Ash Wednesday) -"Mutual Consideration" -Psalm 41:1-2

Feb 21 - "Sustained Sickness" - Psalm 41:3

Feb 28 - "I Have Sinned" -Psalm 41:4

Mar 6 - "Soon and Never" -Psalm 41:5

Mar 13 - "Empty Words" -Psalm 41:6

Mar 20 - "Vindication" -Psalm 41:7-8

Mar 28 (Maundy Thursday) - "My Close Friend" - Psalm 41:9, 7 PM

Mar 29 (Good Friday) - "Be Gracious to Me!" - Psalm 41:10, 7 PM

Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church

Wednesdays 7 PM Meal at 6 PM

HONEST REPENTANCE

Feb 14 (Ash Wednesday) "Law: Creation of Mankind"
Genesis 2:5-9, 15-25

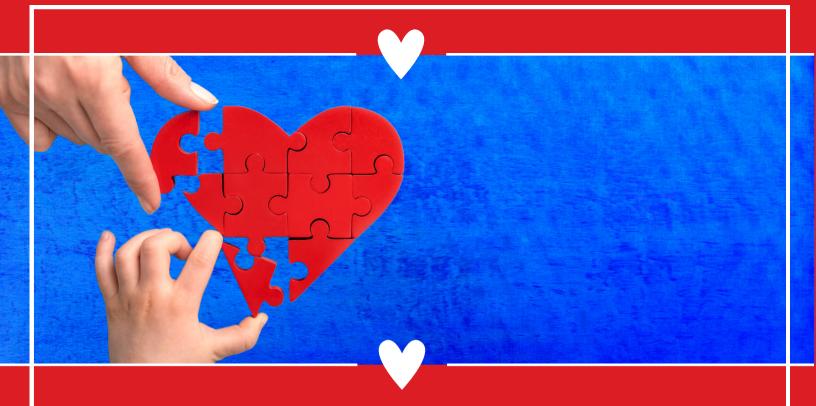
Feb 21 - "Chaos: The Flood" - Genesis 7:1-5, 11-18, 8:6-18, 9:8-13

Feb 28 - "Faith: Abraham and Isaac" - Genesis 22:1-18

Mar 6 - "Repentance: An Appeal to Nineveh" - Jonah 3:1-10

Mar 13 - "Purification: Three Men in the Fiery Furnace" -Daniel 3:1-30

Mar 20 - "Salvation: The Crossing of the Red Sea" -Exodus 14:10-15:1



Connected in Christ With Hearts for Christian Education



Grace Lutheran School

February 8, 2024



- Scan the QR
- Give at www.glsfargo.org
- Or give at www.givingheartsday.org
- Mail gifts dated 2/8/24 to 1025 14th Ave S, Fargo, ND 58103



Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
All lunches include milk, vegetables, and fruit. Menu subject to change without notice.			1 1: Baked Chicken 2: Pizza Munchable Baked Potato Green Beans Dinner Roll	2 1: Spaghetti & Meat Sauce 2: Cold Cheese Sandwich Break Stix Corn
5 1: Chicken Patty/Bun 2: Ham Sandwich Vegetable Soup	6 1: Chicken Tidbits with Gravy 2: Sunbutter/Jelly Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Bread Slice	7 1: Cheeseburger 2: Turkey Sandwich French Fries Baked Beans	8 1: Lasagna Roll Up 2: Muffin & Yogurt Garlic Bread	9 ONE OPTION ONLY: Hot dogs Chips
12 1: Sub Sandwich 2: Egg Salad Sandwich Chicken Noodle Soup	13 1: French Bread Pizza w/ Maranara 2: Ham Sandwich Chips & Salsa	1: Taco 2: Sunbutter/Jelly Bread Stick	15 1: Pulled Pork/Bun 2: Turkey Sandwich Baked Potato Cole Slaw Baked Beans	16 NO SCHOOL
19 NO SCHOOL	20 1: Fish Sticks 2: Banana Bread & Cheese Stick Peas/Carrots Buttered Pasta	21 1: Sloppy Joes 2: Ham Sandwich Chips	22 1: Chicken Taco 2: Turkey/Ham Sub Rice w/ Cinn & Sugar	23 1: Macaroni Hotdish 2: Turkey Sandwich Corn Bread Stick
26 1: Chicken Nuggets 2: Ham Sandwich Hashbrown Bread Slice	27 1: Grilled Cheese 2: Turkey Munchable Tomato Soup	28 1: Corn Dog 2: Sunbutter/Jelly Cubed Potatoes	29 1: Tater Tot Hotdish 2: Cold Cheese Sandwich Garlic Bread Corn	



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
All breakfasts include milk, juice, and a fruit.			1 Eggs Cereal	Muffin & Cheese Stick Cereal
Menu subject to change without notice.				
5 French Toast Cereal	6 Egg & Cheese Biscuit Cereal	7 Breakfast Pizza Cereal	8 Eggs Cereal	9 Banana Bread Cereal
Pancakes Cereal	13 Egg & Cheese Biscuit Cereal	14 Breakfast Pizza Cereal	15 Eggs Cereal	16 NO SCHOOL
19 NO SCHOOL	20 Egg & Cheese Biscuit Cereal	21 Breakfast Pizza Cereal	Eggs Cereal	23 Banana Bread Cereal
26 Pancakes Cereal	27 Egg & Cheese Biscuit Cereal	28 Breakfast Pizza Cereal	29 Eggs Cereal	