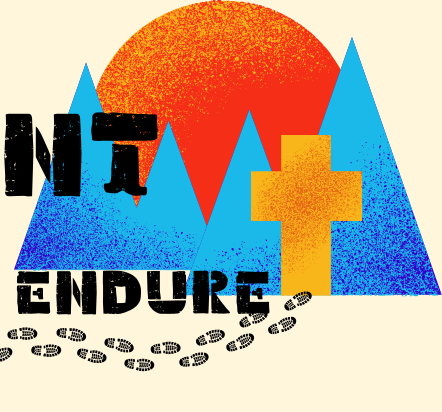




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## WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL!!

Welcome back! We are **OVERJOYED** to see your children!

Please remember that school is at Immanuel Lutheran Church on Monday, September 9. They are located at 1258 Broadway. Students should be dropped off and picked up at Immanuel that day and again on September 16.

**BTS Night Round 2** is scheduled for Sunday, Sept 22 from 4:30-6 at the GLS building.

This will be an informal, open-house style event where students can drop off school supplies and explore the new classrooms before our first day back on Monday, Sept 23.



First day of school chapel!



## CONTACTING THE SCHOOL AT ST ANDREW & IMMANUEL

From September 4 - September 20, please use 701-238-4975 to call the school.

**Do not call St Andrew or Immanuel.**

## FORMS

Do not delay on returning forms to school. We need to be able to contact you in an emergency, know what medical needs your child has, and have your permission to take field trips, etc.

## CONNECT



[www.glsfargo.org](http://www.glsfargo.org)

1025 14th Ave S  
Fargo, ND 58103

701.232.7747

Questions: [secretary@glstfargo.org](mailto:secretary@glstfargo.org)

Principal: [principal@glstfargo.org](mailto:principal@glstfargo.org)

Aftercare: 701.238.4975



Volunteer Hours

## CALENDAR

Sept 9 & 16 - School at Immanuel

Sept 16 - PTL Kickoff

Meeting 5 pm at Immanuel (note location change)

Sept 22 - BTS Night Round 2 4:30-6 pm at GLS building

Sept 23 - On Site at GLS!!

Sept 24 - Fall Picture Day

## LUNCH MENU

**MON** Sloppy Joes

**TUES** Macaroni Hotdish

**WED** Fish Sticks

**THURS** Chicken Quesadilla

**FRI** Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich

## PARENT TEACHER LEAGUE

PTL is ready to start! The first meeting is on Monday, September 16th at 5 pm at **Immanuel Lutheran Church**. **Note location change**. Childcare is provided. All are welcome to join this group that gets to do all the fun stuff for our students and families!!

## TAE KWON DO WITH CARTER'S ACADEMY

Grace Lutheran School partners with Carter's Academy for Tae Kwon Do on Wednesdays and Fridays from 3:35-4:20 pm. Tae Kwon Do is open to all 1st-8th grade students for \$75/month, payable to Carter's.

Please contact Carter Evenson with questions at [carter@fargotkd.com](mailto:carter@fargotkd.com).

## PIANO LESSONS WITH REBEKAH UHLHORN

Rebekah Uhlhorn partners with Grace Lutheran School to offer piano lessons before and after school. She has a couple of openings remaining for this school year.

If you are interested, please contact Rebekah directly at [edelburgrebekah8@gmail.com](mailto:edelburgrebekah8@gmail.com).

## INTERACT THERAPY PARTNERS SCREENINGS

Interact Therapy Partners will be at the school on Tuesday, October 1 to screen students for speech, behavior, and other items for which they offer therapies. **Students will only be screened on parent request**. Watch backpacks for a form toward the end of September.

Interact Therapy Partners works with your personal medical insurance to provide therapy conveniently at the school building during the school day.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Many brand new opportunities just added: Work Days, Trash Pickup, and Daytime Classroom Helpers needed! Scan the QR, [click here](#), or find the link on our website, [www.glsfargo.org](http://www.glsfargo.org).



## VOLUNTEERS AND REPORTING

Volunteerism is one of the major cornerstones of Grace Lutheran School. We are small, but our volunteers make us mighty.

There will be opportunities for all families to volunteer throughout the year. A checklist has been provided in your BTS Night folder. Other opportunities are emailed or provided in the newsletter as they arise.

**Financial aid recipients must self-report volunteer hours.** The link to report volunteer hours is on the bottom of the front page of every newsletter. It looks like this:



## BTS NIGHT - ROUND 2

Stop over to the Grace Lutheran School building on Sunday, September 22 anytime between 4:30 and 6 pm to drop off school supplies, explore classrooms, and ask any questions you might have about how things work at the school building.

We encourage all families to come for a sneak peak, but especially students who might benefit from seeing their new classroom prior to starting school.



Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.  
Hebrews 12:1-2



# September

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday



## FREE & REDUCED LUNCH APPLICATIONS

The free and reduced meal program is a wonderful program for both our families and our school. Our school receives funds for supplemental educational tools when our families submit applications and qualify for free or reduced meals. Many students benefit from the supplemental tools provided by the funds we receive.

Applications can be picked up in the office or at [nd.gov/dpi](http://nd.gov/dpi) under the [School Nutrition Program \(SNP\)](#).

Income guidelines are shown to the right:

• Children may receive free or reduced-price meals if your household's income is within the limits of the Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines. Your children may qualify for free or reduced-price meals if your household income falls at or below the limits on the chart below.

**Federal Income Chart**  
For School Year 2024 -25

Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Each Additional Person:
Yearly	\$27,861	\$37,814	\$47,767	\$57,720	\$67,673	\$77,626	\$87,579	\$97,532	\$9,953
Monthly	\$2,322	\$3,152	\$3,981	\$4,810	\$5,640	\$6,469	\$7,299	\$8,128	\$830
2x per Month	\$1,161	\$1,576	\$1,991	\$2,405	\$2,820	\$3,235	\$3,650	\$4,064	\$415
Every 2 Weeks	\$1,072	\$1,455	\$1,838	\$2,220	\$2,603	\$2,986	\$3,369	\$3,752	\$383
Weekly	\$536	\$728	\$919	\$1,110	\$1,302	\$1,493	\$1,685	\$1,876	\$192

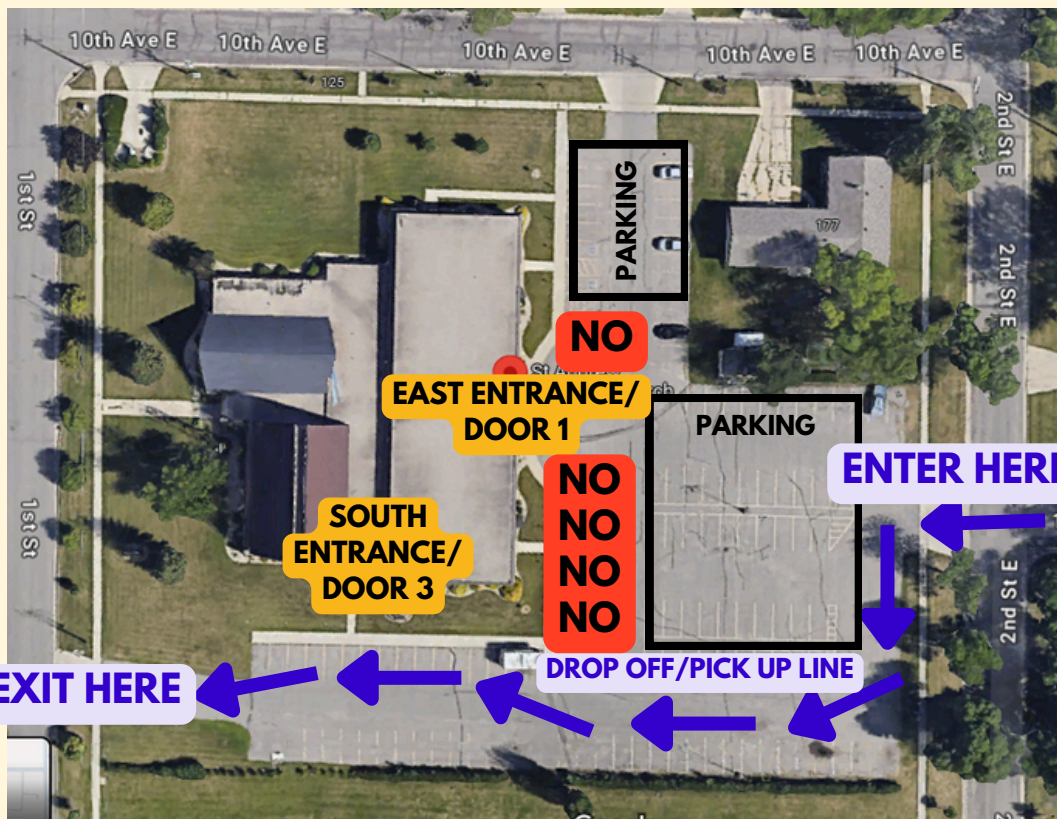
• Children attending schools in North Dakota may receive free meals if your household income is within the limits of the State 200 Expanded Income Guidelines (State 200). Your children may qualify for no-cost meals if your household income falls at or below the limits on the chart below:

**State of North Dakota Income Chart**  
For School Year 2024 -25

Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Each Additional Person:
Yearly	\$30,120	\$40,880	\$51,640	\$62,400	\$73,160	\$83,920	\$94,680	\$105,440	\$10,760
Monthly	\$2,510	\$3,407	\$4,304	\$5,200	\$6,097	\$6,994	\$7,890	\$8,787	\$897
2x per Month	\$1,255	\$1,704	\$2,152	\$2,600	\$3,049	\$3,497	\$3,945	\$4,394	\$449
Every 2 Weeks	\$1,159	\$1,573	\$1,987	\$2,400	\$2,814	\$3,228	\$3,642	\$4,056	\$414
Weekly	\$580	\$787	\$994	\$1,200	\$1,407	\$1,614	\$1,821	\$2,028	\$207

# PARKING, DROP OFF, AND PICK UP AT ST ANDREW & IMMANUEL

## ST ANDREW LUTHERAN CHURCH



**St Andrew:** For moving drop off and pick up (without leaving vehicle), enter the St Andrew parking lot on the east side from 2nd Street and proceed to drop off/pick up area on the south side of the building. Students dropped off may use the south entrance (Door 3).

St Andrew has ample parking if you wish to walk your child into the building. Please use the designated parking areas and proceed to the east door (Door 1).

At 3:10/3:20 students will be outside for pick up on the south side of the building. Parents may use the moving pickup line to pick up their student(s) without leaving their vehicle OR, parents may park in

the designated parking area and walk to the south side to retrieve their student(s). **Students will not be sent across the parking lot to a parents car.**

**For student safety, do not attempt to drop off or pick up anywhere near the east side of the building.**

**Aftercare pick up: park in designated parking areas and use the east entrance (Door 1).**

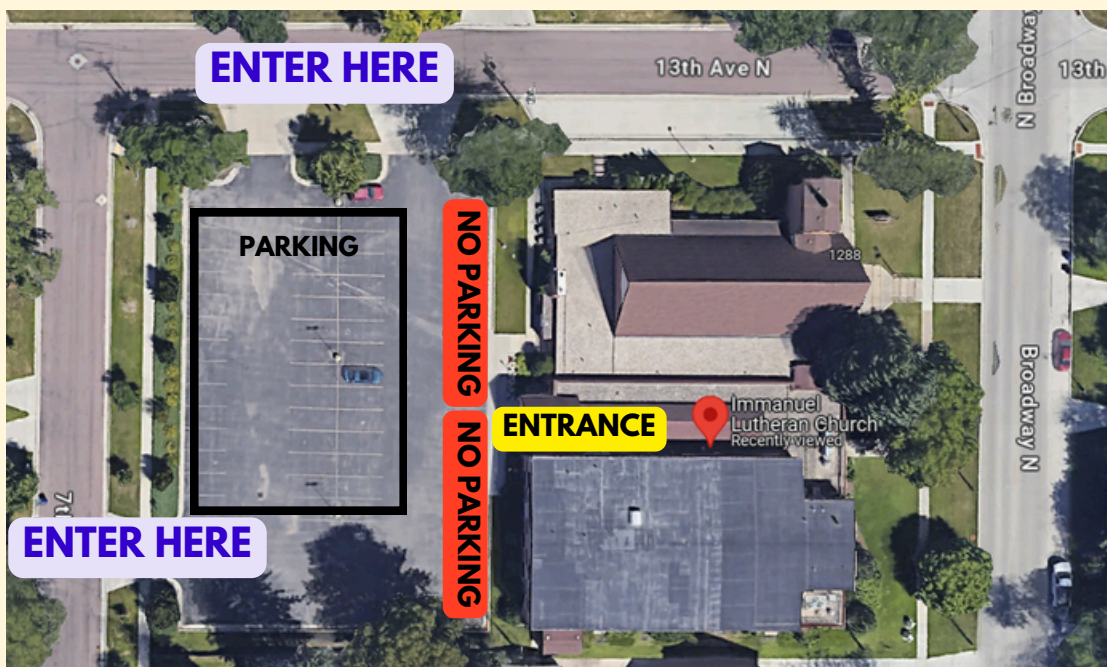
**Immanuel:** On Monday, September 16, and Monday, September 23, please use the parking lot and door on the west side of Immanuel (accessible via 7th Street or 13th Avenue).

For drop off and pick up, please park your car in the west lot and escort your child to or from the building. There will not be a moving pick up or drop off line at Immanuel. Do not park along the edge of the building.

At 3:10/3:20, students will be outside on the west side of the building. Again, park your car and retrieve your child.

**Students will not be sent across the parking lot to a parents car.**

## IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH







# 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.*



## RALLY SUNDAY

See page 5 of this newsletter for each church's Rally Sunday schedule.

## “THE CHOSEN” BIBLE STUDY

Beautiful Savior is hosting a Family Bible Study Sunday nights starting Sept 22 on “The Chosen,” Season 4. Potluck begins at 5:45, the episode at 6, and discussion from 7-7:30 pm.

## LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

The FM Lutherans for Life Fall Dessert Banquet is on Sunday, Sept 29 at 3 pm at Triumph Lutheran Brethren Church (2901 20th St S, Moorhead). The Post-Abortive Ladies Panel will be guest speaking. Register at [fmlflbanquet@outlook.com](mailto:fmlflbanquet@outlook.com) or with Ken at 701-429-3092.

## FALL FESTIVAL AT GRACE

Grace Lutheran Church's LWML Fall Festival is on Saturday, Oct 5 from 9 am - 1 pm. You'll find food, crafts, baked goods, quilts, and more at this fun event.

## ENCOURAGEMENT MEN'S BREAKFAST

Hear speaker Nonda Mack at the Encouragement Men's Breakfast at Immanuel Lutheran Church on Nov 9 at 9 am. RSVP to Corey at 701-281-0240 or [corey.isaak@gracefargo.org](mailto:corey.isaak@gracefargo.org).

## YOUTH HAND CHIME CHOIR

If your child is interested in playing the hand chimes, Immanuel Lutheran Church has a hand chime choir! Rehearsals begin in Oct and rehearsal time will depend on member consensus. Contact Sammi at 701-219-3489.

## MAIN STREET LIVING

Main Street Living airs on KVRR (Fox) at 9 am each Sunday and again on WDAY Xtra at 10:30 am.

Sept 8 - Rev. Kevin Zellers - Messiah, Mandan  
Sept 15 - Rev. Matt Thompson - Holy Cross, Bismarck; St. John's, McClusky  
Sept 22 - Rev. Kirk Peters - St. Matthew, Hazen  
Sept 29 - Rev. Dennis Voss - Messiah, Mandan

## UNAPOLOGETICALLY FEMALE

Unapologetically Female: A Biblical Defense or what it means to be a woman in a trans-obsessed world will take place on Oct 26 at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church. Childcare is provided for this all-day event. Registration is \$10/person and \$15/family. Contact Carole at 218-790-1830 to register.

## BONFIRE & HAYRIDE

The Zone (all church) bonfire and hayride is tentatively scheduled for Oct 6 at Trinity in Sabin from 6-8 PM. All 6-12th grade students are welcome at this event.

## MUSIC MINISTRY LEADERS NEEDED

Beautiful Savior is looking for music ministry leaders for:

- adult choir director or piano accompaniment
- youth praise band director
- Sunday School music opening and Christmas program director

If you are interested in any of these roles, please contact Pastor Chris at the church.

# RALLY SUNDAY AROUND THE ASSOCIATION

Grace Lutheran School is owned and operated by six area LCMS churches (listed below + Crosspointe). Each of these churches has a Sunday School program. We invite all of our families searching for a church home or looking for something new to check out the churches within our Association.

Rally Sunday starts each Sunday School year. See the list below for dates and times worship, Sunday school, and adult education on Rally Sunday at each church.

**Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church**  
2601 23rd Ave S, Fargo  
Pastor Chris Waldvogel  
[www.beautifulsaviorfargo.com](http://www.beautifulsaviorfargo.com)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 8:15 and 10:45 am  
Sunday School/Bible Study 9:30 am

**Grace Lutheran Church**  
821 5th Ave S, Fargo  
Pastor Michael Suelzle  
[www.gracefargo.org](http://www.gracefargo.org)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 9:30 am  
Sunday School/Bible Study 10:50 am

**Immanuel Lutheran Church**  
1258 Broadway, Fargo  
Pastor Bernie Worrall  
Pastor Scott Johnson  
[www.immanuelfargo.org](http://www.immanuelfargo.org)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 8:15 and 11 am  
Education Hour 9:30 am

**Our Redeemer Lutheran Church**  
1000 14th St S, Moorhead  
Pastor Sam Pitsch  
DCE Emily Sagissor  
[www.ourredeemermoorhead.org](http://www.ourredeemermoorhead.org)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 8 and 10:30 am  
Education Hour 9:15 am

**St Andrew Lutheran Church**  
1005 1st S, West Fargo  
Pastor Clark Jahnke  
[www.standrewlcms.org](http://www.standrewlcms.org)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 8 and 10:45 am  
Education Hour 9:30 am

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
100 2nd Ave W, Sabin, MN  
Pastor Brett Hartwig  
[www.tlcsabin.360unite.com/home\\_](http://www.tlcsabin.360unite.com/home_)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 9 am  
Sunday School/Bible Study 10:15 am

**Crosspointe Lutheran Church**  
4550 37th Ave S, Fargo  
Interim Pastor Dave Suelzle  
[www.crosspointelutheran.org](http://www.crosspointelutheran.org)

Rally Sunday - September 8  
Worship 10:30 am  
Sunday School/Bible Study 9:30 am