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CALENDAR

Jan 24 - Winter Carnival 10 am - 1 pm

Jan 26-30 - National Lutheran Schools Week

Feb 10 & 12 - Parent - Teacher Conferences 4-8 pm

Feb 12 - Giving Hearts Day

Feb 13 & 16 - No School

Feb 26 - Music Concert 6:30 pm



All are invited to the Winter Carnival on Saturday, January 24 from 10 am - 1 pm. The cost is \$3/child or \$10/family and includes Olympic games and the Lowe's Kids Workshop. Lunch items will be available for purchase. Invite your friends and family! It will be a wonderful event!

MENU

MON 1: Cheeseburger
2: Ham Cheese Munch.

TUE 1: Chicken Nuggets
2: Summ Saus Sand.

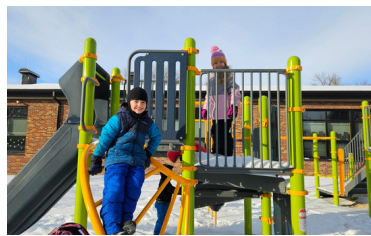
WED 1: Soft Shell Taco
2: Sunbutter/Jelly

THU 1: Corn Dog
2: Hot Ham & Cheese

FRI 1: Pancakes
2: Breakfast Pizza



Playground Fun!



WELCOME, MISS KATIE LEIER!!



Please say hello to our new Pre-Kindergarten Aide, Miss Katie Leier!! Miss Katie was a Camp Grace teacher last summer and also did an occasional aftercare shift this year. Katie recently graduated from NDSU with a degree in Psychology and is pursuing her masters degree in Clinical Mental Health Counseling.

Katie replaces Mrs. Shannon Bakken, who served at Grace for 3.5 years and is now enjoying her well-earned retirement. Shannon was a huge blessing to us and we will miss her dearly. We thank God for all wonderful teachers.

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CAMP GRACE 2026



Believe it or not, it's almost time to register for Camp Grace!

Registration opens in tiers:

- January 16 - Previous campers
- February 20 - Current Grace families
- March 20 - The public

Camp Grace is full-time summer childcare here at the school. It runs from June 1 - August 21, 2026. Full- and half-day contracts are available. Care is for the whole summer.

This summer, we are excited to welcome back our director, Miss Hannah Navarro, as well as many staff from previous years.

If you would like more information about Camp Grace, please contact Amy Hirsch.

VOLUNTEER HOURS

As a reminder, if you are working on volunteer hours, you should be about halfway through your commitment by the middle of the school year in January in order to complete them all by the end of the year.

Ongoing needs include deep cleaning and organization, daily morning care and lunch help, maintenance tasks, and serving on committees. Please contact Amy or Susan if you have any questions.

VAN MAINTENANCE VOLUNTEER

Grace Lutheran School is looking for a special volunteer to take care of the school's 15-passenger van. For winter, this would include starting it occasionally. Other duties include checking oil, scheduling and taking the vehicle to any maintenance appointments, and to keep the interior clean.

If this interests you, please contact Susan.

Volunteering would qualify for scholarship hours.

JAN/FEB VOLUNTEERS

The [Jan/Feb sign up](#) is ready for those who can volunteer for morning care or lunch help. Thank you!!

MENU CHANGE JAN 23 AND 30

Please note the menu changes on January 23 and January 30. January menus are at the end of this newsletter.



NATIONAL LUTHERAN
SCHOOLS WEEK

Event Schedule

January 26-30

National Lutheran Schools Week is a nationwide celebration of our Lutheran School identity.

Families are welcome to participate in devotions, chapel, and all activities.

Watch next week's newsletter for more information about Penny Wars!

Please remember that the fun clothing we wear this week must comply with the dress code in the Family Handbook.

Monday

JOYFUL NOISE IN PRAISE

All-School Devotions 8:30 am

Dress Up Theme - Holidays!

- dress up for any holiday

Activity - TBD but we promise it will be fun!!

Penny Wars

Tuesday

JOYFUL NOISE IN SERVICE

All-School Devotions 8:30 am

Dress Up Theme - School Spirit Day

- Grace gear or blue & yellow

Activity - Servant Events

Penny Wars

Let's
Make
a Joyful
Noise PSALM 98:4



Wednesday

JOYFUL NOISE IN WORSHIP

Chapel 8:40 am

Dress Up Theme - Hollywood Red Carpet Day

Activity - Drop Everything and Sing; Name That Tune Game

Penny Wars

Thursday

JOYFUL NOISE IN COMMUNITY

All-School Devotions 8:30 am

Dress Up Theme - Matching Chapel Buddies

- PK + 6/7/8 = 101 Dalmatians

- K + 3 = Tie Dye

- 1 + 2 + 4/5 = Secret Agents

Activity - Bingo!

Penny Wars

Friday

JOYFUL NOISE IN CHRIST ALONE

All-School Devotions 8:30 am

Dress Up Theme - Pajama and Stuffie Day

Activity - 4th - 8th Andes Tower Hills Ski Trip; PK - 3rd Movie and Popcorn

Penny Wars

JANUARY BREAKFAST MENU

~2026~

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	6	7	8	9
PANCAKES	EGGS	BREAKFAST PIZZA	PANCAKES	CINNAMON ROLL
12	13	14	15	16
PANCAKES	EGGS	BREAKFAST PIZZA	FRENCH TOAST	MUFFIN & YOGURT
19	20	21	22	23
PANCAKES	EGGS	BREAKFAST PIZZA	WAFFLES	CINNAMON ROLL
26	27	28	29	30
PANCAKES	EGGS	BREAKFAST PIZZA	PANCAKES	MUFFIN & YOGURT

MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE

JANUARY LUNCH MENU

~2026~

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	6	7	8	9
1. Pizza 2. Cold Cheese Sandwich French Fries	1. Chicken Patty 2. Ham Sandwich Buttered Pasta Warm Peas	1. Sloppy Joe 2. Sunbutter/Jelly Sandwich Chips & Baked Beans	1. Chicken Tidbits w/ Gravy 2. Yogurt/Muffin Cheese Stick Mashed Potatoes Dinner Roll & Green Beans	1. Macaroni Hotdish 2. Turkey Sandwich Breadstick & Corn
12	13	14	15	16
1. Cheesburger 2. Ham & Cheese Munchables French Fries	1. Chicken Nuggets 2. Tangy Summer Sausage Rice w/ Cinnamon Sugar	1. Soft Shell Taco Sandwich Breadstick	1. Corn Dog 2. Hot Ham and Cheese Chips & Baked Beans	1. Pancakes 2. Breakfast Pizza Sausage & Hashbrowns
19	20	21	22	23
1. Hot Ham & Cheese 2. Egg Salad on a Croissant Chicken Noodle Soup	1. Chicken Tenders 2. Sub Sandwich Cubed Potatoes Corn	1. Hamburger/Gravy 2. Sunbutter/Jelly Sandwich Mashed Potatoes Dinner Roll Seasoned Cauliflower	1. Chicken Taco 2. Pizza Munchable Rice w/ Cinnamon Sugar And Peas	1. Pulled Pork 2. Turkey Sandwich Baked Potato Cheesy Broccoli
26	27	28	29	30
1. Hot Dog 2. Ham Sandwich Chips Baked Beans	1. Tater Tot Hot Dish 2. Muffin, Yogurt, Cheese Stick Dinner Roll Green Beans	1. Grilled Cheese 2. Sunbutter/Jelly Tomato Soup	1. Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce 2. Cold Cheese Sandwich Garlic Bread Corn	1. Fish Sticks 2. Turkey Sandwich Buttered Pasta Mixed Veggies

All lunches are served with one milk and salad bar.

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